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For Immediate Release

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- The Marshall University Alumni Association's annual Alumni Weekend, set for April 19-20, celebrates the theme "Home Is Where the Heart Is."

Alumni Director Linda S. Holmes said events get under way with a Meet-and-Greet reception at 9:30 a.m. Friday, April 19, in the Erickson Alumni Center, 1731 5th Ave.

An estate planning seminar will begin at 11 a.m. Friday in the center, led by Leon K. Oxley, a certified public accountant and attorney with Frazier and Oxley Legal Corp.

At noon Friday, a luncheon for the 50th-year class and the Grand Class will be held in the Shawkey Dining Room of Memorial Student Center.

A tour of campus and the city aboard a Tri-State Transit Authority trolley will depart at 2:30 p.m. Friday from the Fifth Avenue side of Memorial Student Center.

A champagne reception will be held in the Erickson Alumni Center from 6 to 8 p.m.

Saturday's activities begin with a complimentary continental breakfast for all reunion class members -- the Classes of 1941, 1951 and the Grand Class (pre-1941 alumni) -- in the Erickson Alumni Center from 9 to 10 a.m.

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At 10:15 a.m. Saturday, the 1991 Distinguished Alumnus,

Lawrence E. Bruce Jr., will present a seminar, "Children: The

Emergence of a New Global Ethic," in the alumni center. Bruce is

president of the United States Committee for UNICEF.

A luncheon for all reunion class members will be held at noon Saturday in the Shawkey Dining Room, Memorial Student Center.

A special event this year is Marshall Then and Now, a panel discussion, to begin at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Erickson Alumni Center. Among those sharing memories will be Dr. Sam E. Clagg, a Marshall alumnus, former coach, professor and chairman of the Geography Department, who served as acting MU president for nearly 10 months, and Dr. Harold E. Ward, longtime professor of biological sciences. Dr. Alan B. Gould, MU interim president, also an alumnus, a former history professor and provost, will talk about Marshall today and plans for tomorrow.

The weekend will culminate with the 54th annual Alumni
Awards Banquet in the Huntington Civic Center. A cash bar will be
set up at 6:30 p.m. Saturday and the banquet will begin at 7 p.m.

For additional information, contact the Office of Alumni Affairs, (304) 696-3134.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va--Formal campus visits by the five finalists for the Marshall University presidency will begin next Tuesday, April 9, and will conclude Thursday, April 18.

The first of the candidates scheduled for discussions with various campus and community constituencies is Dr. Edward G.

Boehm Jr., Marshall vice president for institutional advancement,
Tuesday and Wednesday, April 9 and 10.

He will be followed by Dr. Bruce H. Carpenter, president of Eastern Montana College, Wednesday and Thursday, April 10 and 11, and Dr. J. Wade Gilley, senior vice president of George Mason University, Thursday and Friday, April 11 and 12.

The following week, Dr. H. George Frederickson, Edwin O. Stene distinguished professor of public administration at the University of Kansas, will be here Tuesday and Wednesday, April 16 and 17, and Dr. Craig Dean Willis, president of Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania, will visit Wednesday and Thursday, April 17 and 18.

### The schedule for Boehm:

Tuesday, April 9, 9-9:50 a.m., non-classified staff, Alumni Lounge, Memorial Student Center; 10-10:50 a.m., Council of Chairs, Alumni Lounge; Noon-1:30 p.m., lunch with academic deans, Shawkey Dining Room, Memorial Student Center; 2-2:50 p.m.,

meeting with students, Alumni Lounge; 5:30-7 p.m., session with invited community members representing the MU Foundation, Alumni Association, Society of Yeager Scholars Board, Big Green Scholarship Foundation and Marshall Artists Series at the MU Center for Research and Economic Development.

Wednesday, April 10, 10-10:50 a.m., discussions with Black Administrators, Faculty and Staff Organization (BAFSO) and the Affirmative Action Advisory Committee, Memorial Student Center Room 2W37; 1-1:50 p.m., classified staff, Shawkey Dining Room, Memorial Student Center; 3-3:50 p.m., faculty, Shawkey Dining Room.

### The schedule for Carpenter:

Wednesday, April 10, 9-9:50 a.m, classified staff, Shawkey Dining Room; 10-10:50 a.m., Council of Chairs, Shawkey Dining Room; 11 a.m.-4 p.m., lunch and campus tour; 4-4:50 p.m., faculty, Shawkey Dining Room; 5:30-7 p.m., session with invited community representatives, Center for Research and Economic Development.

Thursday, April 11, 7:30-8:50 a.m., breakfast with academic deans, Room 2E10; 9-9:50 a.m., BAFSO and Affirmative Action Advisory Committee, Student Center Room 2W37; 10-10:50 a.m., non-classified staff, Alumni Lounge; 2-2:50 p.m., students, John Spotts Room.

### The schedule for Gilley:

Thursday, April 11, 9-9:50 a.m., non-classifed staff, Alumni Lounge; 11-11:50 a.m., classified staff, Alumni Lounge; Noon-1:30 p.m., lunch with academic deans, Room 2E10; 2-2:50 p.m., Council of Chairs, Student Center Room 2W37; 4-4:50 p.m., faculty, 8th floor lounge, Smith Hall; 5:30-7 p.m., meeting with invited community representatives, Center for Research and Economic Development.

Friday, April 12, 9-9:50 a.m., BAFSO and Affirmative Action Advisory Committee, John Spotts Room; 10-10:50 a.m., students, John Spotts Room; 11 a.m.-4 p.m., lunch and campus tour.

The schedule for Frederickson:

Tuesday, April 16, 9-9:50 a.m., classified staff, Alumni
Lounge; 10-10:50 a.m., BAFSO and Affirmative Action Advisory
Committee, Student Center Room 2W37; 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., lunch
with academic deans, Room 2E10; 2-2:50 p.m., students, Alumni
Lounge; 3-3:50 p.m., faculty, Alumni Lounge; 5:30-7 p.m., invited
community representatives, Center for Research and Economic
Development.

Wednesday, April 17, 9-9:50 a.m., non-classifed staff,
Student Center Room 2W22; 10-10:50 a.m., Council of Chairs, Room
2W22; 11 a.m.-4 p.m., lunch and campus tour.

### The schedule for Willis:

Wednesday, April 17, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., campus tour; 2-2:50 p.m., non-classified staff, Student Center Room 2W22; 3-3:50

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p.m., faculty, 8th floor lounge, Smith Hall; 5:30-7 p.m., invited community representatives, Center for Research and Economic Development.

Thursay, April 18, 10-10:50 a.m., Council of Chairs, Alumni Lounge; 11-11:50 a.m., BAFSO and Affirmative Action Advisory Committee, Alumni Lounge; noon-1:30 p.m., lunch with academic deans, Student Center Room 2E10; 2-2:50 p.m., classifed staff, Shawkey Dining Room; 3-3:50 p.m., students, Shawkey Dining Room.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Marshall University's Robert C. Byrd
Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing Systems has
received a contribution of software valued at \$18,000 from the
Pritsker Corporation, according to Dr. Robert F. Maddox,
institute director.

The software, "SLAMSYSTEM," allows total simulation project support within a personal computer. It allows operators to build, simulate, analyze, compare and present models of a wide variety of complete systems.

"Simulation helps gauge the effects of manufacturing recommendations before they are implemented," said Maddox. "This could save a business a considerable amount of money."

"SLAMSYSTEM" is available for industry testing at the Byrd Institute. Training will be available according to client needs.

To obtain further details contact Marshall University's Robert C. Byrd Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing Systems, 696-6797.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- A 1936 Marshall University alumnus, John J. Dwyer, has donated books valued at more than \$18,000 to The Marshall University Foundation Inc., according to Dr. Edward G. "Ned" Boehm Jr., Marshall vice president for institutional advancement.

Boehm said the books, volumes 49 through 90 of the Annual Proceedings of the American Railway Engineering Association, will be housed in Marshall's James E. Morrow Library.

Dwyer, a Huntington resident, retired in 1987 after 50 years in railroad engineering and environmental service. He was director of the Railroad Division for the West Virginia Public Service Commission.

Josephine Fidler, director of university libraries, said the volumes are "a significant addition to our holdings and are vital to studying the role railways have played in the history of not only the Tri-State Area but all of West Virginia. We appreciate Mr. Dwyer's generosity in seeing that the James E. Morrow Library receive this valuable donation."



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Institute for International Trade Development will sponsor a seminar titled "Creative Financing in International Trade" on Tuesday, April 23, at 8:30 a.m. at the MU Research and Economic Development Center, 1050 Fourth Ave.

Featured speakers will include E.D. Curren of UCAR-Carbon Inc. (Union Carbide and Mitsubishi Corporation) and Robert J. Kaiser, vice president of Eximbank in Washington, D.C.

Dr. Richard C. Smoot, director of the Institute for International Trade Development, said the objective of the program is to show inexperienced businesses how to export their products and services and help experienced exporters do a better job of exporting.

The cost of the program, including lunch and materials, will be \$25.

To obtain further details contact Julia Dickens at Marshall University's Research and Economic Development Center, 696-6271.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Student Legal Aid

Center will sponsor a seminar pertaining to fair housing for

students on Tuesday, April 16, from 12:30 to 2 p.m. in the

Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge, according to Donna

Preston, MU ombudsperson and coordinator of the Legal Aid Center.

Carole Booster of the Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity Division of HUD will be the guest speaker. She will discuss Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, how it affects students, how complaints can by filed, sexual harassment in housing and other topics.

The protected classes under Title VIII are race, sex, color, national origin, religion, handicap and familial status (families with children). Ms. Preston said anyone in these categories should benefit from the program.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Student Legal Aid Center, 696-2366.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Office of Women's Programs will sponsor its second annual Celebration of Women awards ceremony on Wednesday, April 17, at noon in the university's Erickson Alumni Center, 1731 Fifth Ave., according to Donnalee Cockrille, coordinator of women's programs at Marshall.

Dr. Judith Stitzel, director of the Center for Women's Studies at West Virginia University, will be the guest speaker. Her topic will be "Women's Ways of Leading."

Six Marshall University students will receive scholarships during the ceremony.

Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of outstanding contributions to community or university service, triumph over personal adversity, outstanding achievement related to academic interests, outstanding contributions to interracial and multicultural understanding and/or efforts to enhance gender equity.

Outstanding women leaders in several Marshall University student organizations also will be recognized.

The ceremony will be open to the public free of charge.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Office of Women's Programs, 696-3112.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Ted Robert Gurr, professor of government and politics and distinguished scholar at the University of Maryland, will serve as the Paul D. Stewart Distinguished Lecturer for 1991 at Marshall University.

One of the nation's foremost scholars on revolutions, Gurr will make a presentation titled "Minorities Against the State: A Global Survey" on Thursday, April 11, at 7:30 p.m. in Smith Hall Auditorium.

His presentation will discuss a study he recently completed for the Center for International Development and Conflict Management at the University of Maryland.

Gurr's 1970 book, "Why Men Rebel," has become a classic, according to Dr. Simon D. Perry, chairman of Marshall's Political Science Department.

According to Perry, Gurr is one of the top comparative scholars working in the United States today. "His empirical work is a model for students to follow," Perry said.

Gurr is interested in the causes and processes of civil conflict. He most recently examined the roles of ethnic, regional and other minorities in conflict and the reactions of states in accommodating or suppressing such groups.

He is a fellow at the United States Institute for Peace in Washington, D.C., and recently finished a third edition of his book, "Violence in America," originally published 20 years ago.

Marshall's Political Science Lectureship was created in 1971 to bring outstanding scholars to the campus so students could be exposed to the most recent and best research being done in the political science field.

The program was named for Dr. Paul D. Stewart, former chairman of Marshall's Political Science Department, who retired in 1983.

Gurr's presentation on Thursday will be open to the public free of charge. He also will speak to political science classes at Marshall on Friday, April 12.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Political Science Department, 696-2766.



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For more information call Beverly McCoy, 696-2584

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Dr. Donald C. Tarter, whose research focuses on aquatic and environmental issues, will receive Marshall University's prestigious Meet-the-Scholars Award, MU Interim President Alan B. Gould has announced.

Tarter, who is president of the West Virginia Academy of Science, studies the ways ecological disturbances are reflected in insect and fish populations.

Dr. Kenneth Guyer, chairman of the Meet-the-Scholars

Selection Committee, noted that Tarter has received more than

\$300,000 in grants and contracts supporting his work. "The

committee chose Dr. Tarter for this award because of his solid

research and productivity over a number of years," he said. "His

research has been recognized for its importance in assessing the

health of the environment."

The award will be presented during a special reception April 24 at the MU president's house.

His research has been funded by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Electric Power Service Corp., the Office of Surface Mining, Ohio River Sand and Coal Company, Dravo Corporation, Kanawha Dredging and Minerals Company, Ashland Coal Company, the W.Va. Department of Natural Resources, and others.

Tarter was previously honored for his research through two MU Research Board awards.

He is a member of eight professional and honorary societies, serves as a reviewer for Entomological News, and is a member of the West Virginia Water Resources Board.

Tarter has written or co-authored more than 100 articles for journals and other professional publications, presented 60 papers at state and national meetings, and written a lecture and laboratory manual. He has served as thesis advisor for more than 70 students working toward the master of science degree.

Tarter, a professor of biological sciences, joined the Marshall faculty in 1969 after teaching at Kentucky Southern College, the University of Louisville, and Ohio public schools. He received his bachelor's degree from Georgetown College, his master's degree from Miami University, and his Ph.D. degree from the University of Louisville.

The Meet-the-Scholars Program was created in 1985 to strengthen the link between Marshall and the community. The program seeks to highlight the breadth and depth of academic expertise on the Marshall campus by selecting an outstanding scholar as an "ambassador."

A university-wide selection committee screens numerous nominations each semester for the award, basing its choice on factors such as an outstanding record of achievement, significant research or other scholarly activity conducted while at Marshall, and a scholarly reputation above reproach.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Lawrence E. Bruce Jr., president and chief executive officer of the U.S. Committee for UNICEF, will be honored by the Marshall University Alumni Association during its 54th Annual Alumni Awards Banquet on April 20.

Alumni Director Linda S. Holmes said Bruce, a 1967 Marshall graduate, will receive the 1991 Distinguished Alumnus award.

Other award recipients will be Huntington businessman Philip E.

Cline and Marian McKenzie Korczowski, a retired Georgetown

University faculty member.

A Huntington native, Bruce heads up the oldest and largest of 32 national committees that mobilize support around the world for UNICEF, the United Nations Children's Fund. He has made site visits to UNICEF-assisted projects numerous countries in Africa, Asia and Latin America to observe the effect of the programs on villages and, especially, on the lives of mothers and children.

As spokesman for the U.S. Committee, he has appeared many times on national television, as a guest on Good Morning, America, the Today Show, CNN's International Hour, CBS Sunday Morning, NBC Nightly News, Sally Jessy Raphael, Live with Regis and Kathie Lee, among others. In addition to heading the U.S. Committee for UNICEF, he served two years as global chair of the

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executive committee of all national committees representing UNICEF.

A resident of New York City, Bruce joined UNICEF in 1985 after serving as executive vice president of AFS International/Inter-cultural Programs, the world's largest nonprofit cultural exchange organization.

An attorney, Bruce began his career in Washington, D.C., as a legislative assistant for Rep. Ken Hechler of West Virginia. He later served as director and legislative counsel of the Mortgage Bankers Association of America and as general counsel and director of congressional relations for the Inter-American Foundation.

Bruce received his J.D. degree from West Virginia University in 1971. He is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations, the West Virginia and American Bar Associations, the International Law Association, and the Center for Inter-American Relations. He is listed in the 1990 edition of Who's Who in America.

Cline, a member of Marshall's Institutional Board of Advisors and president of The Marshall University Foundation, Inc., will receive the Distinguished Service award. He is vice president for finance and treasurer of J.H. Fletcher & Co., a mining equipment company, and is a member of the board of directors of The First Huntington National Bank.

A former Marshall student body president, Cline has remained actively involved with the university since receiving his B.S. degree in 1955 and an M.A. degree in 1962. He served on the alumni board 1958-60, 1977-84 and 1987-89 and was the MU Alumni Association president, 1979-81. He is serving his second year as president of the Marshall Foundation.

Cline is a former president of the Huntington Area Chamber of Commerce and the Huntington Industrial Corp. and has played leadership roles with the Marshall Artists Series board and numerous community organizations.

In 1988 Cline was named to Huntington's Hall of Fame and was The Herald-Dispatch's Citizen of the Year. He has provided significant financial contributions to many area organizations including the United Way of the River Cities and the Marshall Foundation and is a member of the Foundation's prestigious John Marshall Society.

A native of Stidham, Ky., Cline grew up in Kopperston, W.Va.

Korczowski, a resident of Arlington, Va., retired after 31 years as a faculty member at Georgetown University in Washingon, D.C. She will receive the Alumni Association's 1991 Alumna Community Achievement award.

"Mrs. K," as she was affectionately called in the Georgetown University community, earned her B.S. degree in nutrition from

Marshall in 1945. During her Georgetown tenure, she received many honors and awards. She was the first faculty member of the School of Nursing to receive the President's Medal. The university's alumni association presented her the 1987 Georgetown Award for University Service.

The nursing class of 1979 made her an "Honorary Nurse," and the class of 1981 established a scholarship in her honor. A diet manual produced by the Georgetown University Hospital Nutritional Services was dedicated to her in 1987.

The Yolan, W.Va., native also has received Medals of Merit from other organizations including the American Heart Association, Dental Hygienists Association of Northern Virginia, D.C. Dietetic Association, Senior Neighbors and Companions Clubs of Washington Urban League, and the Food Service Committee of Georgetown University.

Korczowski earned an M.A. degree from George Mason University and an M.S. degree from the University of Iowa.

The Alumni Awards Banquet will begin at 7 p.m. Saturday,
April 20, in the Huntington Civic Center. A reception, with cash
bar, will start at 6:30 p.m.

For additional information, contact the Office of Alumni Affairs, (304) 696-3134.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Grady McWhiney, Lyndon Baines Johnson Professor of History at Texas Christian University, will be the featured speaker for the annual meeting of the Marshall University Library Associates on Friday, April 19, according to Dr. Kenneth T. Slack, executive secretary of the Marshall University Library Associates.

McWhiney will deliver a presentation on Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederacy, at 7:30 p.m. in Smith Hall Room 154 during the annual meeting.

He also will discuss and evaluate the theses completed by students in conjunction with Marshall's Rosanna A. Blake and Fred E. Hulse Scholarship in Confederate History and the Marian Alexander Blake and Merrill Clifford Blake Scholarship in Confederate Literature from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Charles A. "Carl" Hoffman Room in James E. Morrow Library.

The first recipient of the history scholarship, Montserrat Chambers, did her thesis on Annie Heacock, a Quaker abolitionist who established the nation's first school for blacks, which was located on the coastal islands of South Carolina.

Trina Litteral, who received the literature scholarship, did her thesis on Edgar Allan Poe's influence on the confederate mind.

The Marshall University Library Associates organization was

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formed to provide support for Marshall's libraries, enhance the prestige and service of the institution and, in so doing, advance the cultural and economic status of the Tri-State region.

Slack said the organization is made up of community leaders, Marshall faculty and staff and persons interested in the development of the library.

Bos Johnson, chairman of the organization, will preside over the meeting, which is being underwritten by a grant from Fred E. Hulse of Owings, Md.

The activities will be open to the public free of charge.

To obtain further details contact Slack at Marshall University's

James E. Morrow Library, 696-3097.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A group of Marshall University journalism students is producing a magazine to promote a healthier West Virginia as a class project, according to Rebecca J. Johnson, assistant professor of journalism and the students' course instructor.

"House Call: West Virginia Health and Medicine," a single issue magazine, will address several major health concerns of West Virginia residents.

It will promote preventive health measures and diagnostic medicine and contain articles on healthy lifestyles, cancer, substance abuse, mental health, prenatal care, patients' rights, exercise, nutrition and healthy cooking.

The magazine's lead article will discuss how rural communities can attract and keep physicians. The publication also will contain a 1-800 information/help-line directory.

Ms. Johnson said the students are producing the magazine as a class project for a W. Page Pitt School of Journalism practicum course.

"I think the publication is a worthwhile class project, but also a public service," said Ms. Johnson.

The magazine's staff, comprised of juniors, seniors and graduate students, hopes the publication will create greater awareness of health issues.

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Marshall Interim President Alan B. Gould termed the magazine "an exciting project, linked closely to the realities of health care concerns facing not only West Virginians, but all Americans. Whenever we can link classroom instruction to community service, it's a real bonus," he added. "This project does just that."

Publication costs will be raised through the sale of advertising and sponsorships.

To obtain further details call 696-2727 or 696-2627.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's New Student
Orientation Office has scheduled special orientation programs for
commuter students, according to Dr. Nell C. Bailey, vice
president for student affairs.

The commuter sessions will be held June 13, 14, 17-21, 24-28 and Aug. 24.

Dr. Bailey said students need to reserve their orientation dates as soon as possible.

"Local students often think they can skip the orientation program because they are familiar with Marshall," said Dr. Bailey, "but all students really need to be oriented to the university. Problems may develop for students during the first semester of school if they don't attend orientation."

Special programs have been designed to help commuter students become familiar with the services and facilities available on campus. There also will be sessions on campus parking, car pools, parking permits and a campus tour.

Students will meet with an academic adviser, talk to a financial aid counselor and register for fall classes. New students will not be permitted to register for fall classes until July 1, unless they attend an orientation program.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University
New Student Orientation Office, 696-2354.



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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Vyacheslav Ponomarenko, first secretary of the Soviet Embassy in Washington, D.C., will visit Marshall University on Wednesday and Thursday, April 24-25, according to Dr. Mack H. Gillenwater, professor of geography at Marshall.

Ponomarenko will discuss basic changes in the U.S.S.R. since 1980 and the current ethnic situation in the Soviet Union during a public presentation on Wednesday at 7 p.m. in Smith Hall Room 154.

He will discuss topics related to current events and the role of the Soviet Union in international affairs during Marshall classes on Thursday.

Ponomarenko was born in Kuibyshev in 1946 and educated at the University of Zaporzhye where he specialized in political science and international relations.

Prior to his embassy assignment, he was an instructor at the Moscow Pedagogical Institute and was affiliated with the Moscow Academy of Sciences.

To obtain further details about Ponomarenko's visit to Marshall contact Gillenwater in Marshall University's Department of Geography, 696-2504.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--American poet Stanley Plumly will read from and discuss his works at Marshall University on Monday,

April 15, at 8 p.m. in the Alumni Lounge in Memorial Student

Center, according to Art Stringer, assistant professor of English at Marshall.

A native of Barnesville, Ohio, Plumly has written seven volumes of poetry. He has taught at several universities including Columbia, Washington, Iowa and Houston and currently serves as the director of the Creative Writing Program at the University of Maryland.

One of Plumly's collections, "Out-of-the-Body Travel," was nominated for a National Book Critics' Circle Award.

His work has appeared in numerous literary journals including The New Yorker, the American Poetry Review, Poetry, The Nation and Antaeus. His recent works have been favorably reviewed in The New York Times Book Review.

Plumly has held a Guggenheim Fellowship and a National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship.

Robert Penn Warren said of Plumly's work, "In poem after poem, I find a great--and teasingly original--satisfaction...

Plumly has established a new sort of ratio between the poet and his subject--or even his poem. It's a new turn of language, in haunting, visionary pieces."

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His presentation at Marshall is part of the university's Visiting Writers Series, sponsored by the English Department and the College of Liberal Arts.

The presentation will be open to the public free of charge.

To obtain further details contact Stringer in the Marshall

University English Department, 696-2403.



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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Kwame Karikari, a prominent journalist from Ghana, will visit the Marshall University campus Monday and Tuesday, April 15-16, and serve in a broadcasting residency, according to Dr. Clair W. Matz, director of Marshall's Center for International Studies.

A lecturer in the School of Communication Studies at the University of Ghana, Karikari will address communications and broadcasting classes at Marshall. He also will make a public presentation on "Contemporary Political Developments in West Africa" on Tuesday at 7 p.m. in Memorial Student Center Room 2W22.

Karikari served as director-general of the Ghana
Broadcasting Corporation from 1982 to 1984. Later, the same
government that appointed him to that prestigious position threw
him in prison for 15 months.

He received his bachelor's degree in philosophy and political science from the City University of New York and his master's degree in journalism from Columbia University. He was the recipient of a Japan Foundation Fellowship in Tokyo in 1984.

From 1975 to 1979 he worked for The Guardian Weekly in New York as a staff reporter and assistant foreign editor. He continues to work as a correspondent for the West African magazine, London and Africa News.

Karikari's visit to Huntington was facilitated by Marshall

University professor George Arthur who is a Ghanian national and is interested in the role of education in national development.

Dr. Dorothy Johnson, professor of speech at Marshall, said,
"We are eager to hear about broadcasting in Ghana because a
comparative approach to studying the field enriches our
understanding of the conditions under which our colleagues
labor."

Karikari's broadcasting residency at Marshall is being sponsored by the MU Department of Speech and the Center for International Studies, with assistance from the Marshall University Foundation's Greatest Needs Fund.

The address on Tuesday will be open to the public free of charge.

To obtain further details contact Dr. Johnson in Marshall University's Department of Speech, 696-2804.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Educator Expo '91, Marshall University's annual teacher recruitment fair, will be held Wednesday,

April 17, in Memorial Student Center, according to Sue Edmonds

Wright, assistant director of placement services at Marshall.

One of the largest teacher recruitment fairs in the region, Educator Expo attracts teacher recruiters from school systems as far away as Nevada, Texas and Florida.

Approximately 100 recruiters from 14 states are expected to attend the event this year.

The fair will be open to graduating Marshall education majors and Marshall alumni. To be eligible to participate in the fair, students and teachers must pre-register and establish a credential file at the MU Placement Services Center.

The current job market for teachers is extremely competitive, according to Ms. Wright.

"Declining enrollment and poor economic conditions have contributed to an overall decrease in the need for teachers," she said. "However, Marshall University teacher candidates are still in demand, largely due to the outstanding reputation of the College of Education's teacher preparation program which has been producing excellent teachers for years."

Ms. Wright said Educator Expo '91 offers an ideal opportunity for Marshall students and alumni to interview for

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teaching jobs with school systems throughout the country.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Placement Services Center, 696-2370.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- The Marshall University School of Medicine has named David N. Bailey director for continuing medical education.

As director Bailey plans and coordinates the school's major medical conferences and endowed lectureships and acts as registrar for area physicians engaged in continuing education activities. Bailey replaces Dr. Ernest W. Chick who retired recently from the School of Medicine and who served as director of continuing medical education since 1985.

In making the announcement, School of Medicine Dean Charles H. McKown Jr. noted that Bailey has demonstrated his abilities in the continuing medical education office for the past seven years as administrative assistant, assistant director and, most recently, as acting director.

"Marshall has pioneered in many areas of continuing medical education and David Bailey has been a valuable part of those efforts," McKown said. "I am confident he will continue to provide area physicians with forward-looking, high-quality programs and services."

Before coming to Marshall in 1982, Bailey served as senior financial accountant for Pepsi Cola Bottling Group in Huntington and as senior financial analyst for American Scientific Products

Division of American Hospital Supply Corporation in McGaw Park,
Illinois. He has an undergraduate degree from the Marshall
University College of Business and expects to complete his MBA in
1991. He served four years as an engineer officer in the United
States Army and is currently a captain in the United States Army
Reserve Engineer Corps.

Bailey serves on the medical education committees of St.

Mary's Hospital and Cabell Huntington Hospital and is an exofficio member of the West Virginia State Medical Association.

He is also a member of the Society of Medical College Directors of Continuing Medical Education.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's New Student
Orientation Office has planned special orientation programs for
parents of students planning to attend the university, according
to Dr. Don Robertson, associate dean of student affairs.

The sessions will be held June 13, 14, 17-21, 24-28 and Aug. 24, the same dates as student orientation programs.

Robertson said the program was developed because parents play a major role in the success of their children at college.

"The goal of the parent orientation program is to answer questions, relieve fears and anxieties, introduce parents to the resources available to help students and assure parents that we really care about our students as individuals, not just as students enrolled in a particular major," said Robertson.

Parents will be able to meet with Marshall administrators and deans, attend programs on financial aid and residence life, and discuss concerns with staff members from the university's offices of Student Affairs and Public Safety. They also will be able to talk with upper-class students and parents of current Marshall students.

To obtain further details contact Marshall University's New Student Orientation Office, 696-2354.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W. VA. — Marshall University students won 20 awards in the 1990-91 Society of Professional Journalists four-state Region 4 Mark of Excellence Contest — nearly twice as many as any other university.

Marshall students competed for both print and broadcast journalism awards with students from colleges and universities in West Virginia, Ohio, Michigan and western Pennsylvania. Awards were presented earlier this month at the annual convention in Toledo, Ohio, according to Dr. George T. Arnold and Dr. Ralph J. Turner, Marshall journalism professors and co-advisers to the Marshall student chapter of the Society of Professional Journalists.

Among the awards was second place for best non-daily student newspaper to The Parthenon, Marshall's student newspaper.

Other Marshall award winners were:

First place — Spot News Photography, Michael Kennedy, Uniontown, Pa., graduate student; Sports Photography, Jon Hancock, Beckley, W. Va., senior; Column Writing, Chris Rice, Huntington, W. Va., junior; Spot News Reporting, Pat Sanders, Huntington junior; Radio Spot News, Diana Long, Sutton, W. Va., senior;

Second place — Television Feature, Larry A. Frum, Scott Depot, W. Va., senior, and Randy Comm, Huntington senior; Spot News, Chris Stadelman, Moundsville, W. Va., junior; Radio Spot News, Marti Leach, Moundsville, W. Va., junior; Radio In-Depth Reporting, Hattie Andrews, St. Albans, W. Va., junior, and Brad Williamson, Glenville, W. Va., senior;

Third place — Sports Photography, Todd Burns, Beckley, W. Va., senior; Editorial Writing, Robert Fouch, Petersburg, W. Va., senior; Spot News Reporting, James "Jack" Bailey, Kenna, W. Va., junior; In-Depth Reporting, Pat Sanders, Huntington junior, and Dana Tomes, Huntington sophomore; Sports Writing, Robert Fouch, Petersburg, W. Va., senior; Radio Feature, Jeff Liss, Miami, Fla., sophomore, and David Logsdon, Moundsville, W. Va., junior; Radio Spot News, Larry A. Frum Jr., Scott Depot, W. Va., senior; Radio In-Depth Reporting, Brent Anglin, Barboursville, W. Va., junior, and Stephanie Ray, Huntington junior;

Honorable mention — Spot News Photography, Jon Hancock, Beckley, W. Va., senior; and Feature Photography, Michael Kennedy, Uniontown, Pa., graduate student.

Arnold and Turner said first place winners will be entered in national competition with winners announced in October. The contest period was Feb. 1, 1990, to February, 1991.



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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Eighteen Marshall University students will receive cash awards for work entered in the William J. Maier Writing Competition during an awards ceremony on Monday, April 22, at 3:30 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

Edward H. Maier, president of the Sarah and Pauline Maier Scholarship Foundation, also will present the Maier Latin Cup awards to area high school students and the Maier Latin Scholarship to a Marshall student.

The writing awards were established in 1973 after the late William J. Maier Jr. read an article on freshman composition by Marshall University professor John Teel in the National Review, according to Dr. Joan T. Mead, chairwoman of Marshall's English Department.

The awards recognize, reward and encourage excellence in writing by undergraduate and graduate students.

Latin awards were established by Maier in 1979 to repay, in some way, the special attention given to him by his high school Latin teacher. Maier credited this extra devotion to Latin and Latin students with helping him secure a scholarship to Harvard University.

High school students are presented the cash awards based on their scores on the College Board Latin Achievement Examination.

Maier was born in Clarksburg and attended school in Elkins,

Wheeling and Huntington, where he graduated from high school at the age of 16. He received a scholarship to Harvard and became a Rhodes Scholar.

After graduating from Harvard Law School, Maier practiced law in Charleston and established natural gas and merchandise storage businesses. He later dropped the law practice to concentrate on the management of his assets.

Maier, and the Sarah and Pauline Maier Foundation which he established in 1958, contributed millions of dollars for educational purposes and institutions.

The awards program will be open to the public free of charge. To obtain further details contact Dr. Mead at Marshall University, 696-2441.



April 15, 1991

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Ten gifted students from four states--six from West Virginia, two from Ohio and one each from Florida and Georgia--have been selected for the fifth class of Yeager Scholars at Marshall University, according to Dr. William N. Denman, director of the university's Society of Yeager Scholars.

The 10 were selected from hundreds of applicants from throughout the nation for the Yeager Scholars program, which will provide the students with an intensive, enriched educational program over the next four years.

Denman praised the students for their excellence in the classroom, but also cited extracurricular activities in school and community services as reasons the students were selected for the prestigious program.

"There is no question that these students who survived the rigorous selection process are outstanding not only academically, but as potential leaders," he said.

The scholars program is named in honor of General Charles E. "Chuck" Yeager, the West Virginian who pioneered America's manned space exploration efforts by breaking the "sound barrier" in 1947. In addition to lending his name to the program, Yeager has been extremely supportive in its development, Denman noted.

Members of the Marshall University Society of Yeager Scholars Class of 1995 are:

- --Ryan Richard Cicenas of 1211 Seventh St., Huntington, W.Va., son of Robert John Cicenas and Janet Louise Cicenas and a student at Huntington High School.
- --Adam Michael Franks of 2125 Enslow Blvd., Huntington, W.Va., son of Larry William Franks and Kathleen Ann Franks and a student at Huntington High School.
- --Deondra Annette Reid of 113 Taylor St., Beckley, W.Va., daughter of Delander Hudson Reid and Eunice Marie Reid and a student at Woodrow Wilson High School.
- --Vimal Kumar Narula of 709 Castle Gate Road, Charleston, W.Va., son of Vinod Kumar Narula and Kusum Narula and a student at George Washington High School.
- --Charin Lee Douglas of 32 10th St., McMechen, W.Va., daughter of Douglas Douglas and Sharon Douglas and a student at John Marshall High School.
- --Amy Jo Cliser of 342 Clearview Ave., Wheeling, W.Va., daughter of Martin Keith Cliser and Janet Irene Cliser and a student at Wheeling Park High School.
- --Anjali Mediratta of 2311 Old Oaks Drive, Beavercreek,
  Ohio, daughter of Satya Paul Mediratta and Indira Mediratta and a
  student at Beavercreek High School.
- --Jill Noelle Jerzyk of 3638 Farnham St., N.W., North Canton, Ohio, daughter of Carl Stanley Jerzyk and Dorothy Ann Jerzyk and a student at Hoover High School.

--John Michael DeSario of 3581, S.W. Canoe Creek Terrace,
Palm City, Fla., son of Peter J. DeSario and Janet A. DeSario and
a student at Martin County High School.

--Dennis Preston Partain III of 590 Pine Grove Road, S.E., Cartersville, Ga., son of Dennis Preston Partain Jr. and Barbara Nell Reeves Partain and a student at Cartersville High School.

"'Only the Best' is the motto for the Society of Yeager Scholars," explained Denman, "and I think that's what this group is. They undoubtedly are among the best students in the country and we are very pleased they chose to become Yeager Scholars at Marshall University."



April 16, 1991

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Graduate School will present Distinguished Alumni awards to five former MU graduate students during the university's 54th annual Alumni Awards Banquet on Saturday, April 20, at 7 p.m. at the Huntington Civic Center.

The Graduate School will honor the following distinguished alumni: Clement Lee Counts III (College of Science), director of the Coastal Ecology Research Laboratory in the Department of Natural Sciences at the University of Maryland Eastern Shore; Cubert Smith (College of Fine Arts), artist and retired West Virginia State College faculty member; Troy Stewart (College of Liberal Arts), professor of political science at Marshall University; Fred Stiner (College of Business) of the Department of Accounting in the College of Business and Economics at the University of Delaware, and Denis D. Smith (College of Education), executive director of the National Middle School Association.

"Many students have received their graduate degrees from the Marshall University Graduate School and gone on to outstanding and distinguished careers in all fields," said Dr. Leonard Deutsch, dean of the Graduate School. "We thought this would be a good time to recognize some of our graduates who have made lasting contributions in their fields and in the world."



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Clair W. Matz, professor of political science and director of Marshall University's Center for International Studies, has been selected as one of 22 administrators of international programs in the United States to travel throughout Germany under the auspices of the German Fulbright Commission.

The U.S.-German International Education Administrators

Program is a four-week travel/study seminar designed to

familiarize Americans with the cultural, educational and

political issues involved in German higher education.

Matz, who will be in Germany through May 9, will travel to Bonn, Hamburg, Thiel, Rostock and Berlin. The group will meet with government officials, university administrators and students to discuss current affairs in academe in the newly united Germany.

"German higher education is undergoing many stresses," said Matz. "They are integrating former East German faculties into the western system and they're having financial and overcrowding problems. Also, they are working to cooperate with the European Economic Community.

"By participating in this seminar, I think we'll be able to better prepare our students for study abroad in Germany," explained Matz, whose work at Marshall includes serving as study-abroad adviser.

The Fulbright program was the idea of Sen. J. William
Fulbright of Arkansas, who, after World War II, felt there should
be better understanding between the people of the United States
and other countries.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. James W. Harless, director of admissions at Marshall University, has been selected to serve another term as West Virginia representative to the American College Testing (ACT) Corporation, according to Patricia A. Farrant, corporation spokeswoman.

Harless, who has been an ACT representative since 1974, also serves on the West Virginia ACT Council.

The 37-member national ACT Corporation is composed of selected representatives from states and regions where one or more ACT programs are significantly used by students and educational institutions. The corporation meets at least once a year to set policy for ACT.

This year, Harless is completing a three-year term as a member of ACT's board of trustees.

American College Testing is an independent, not-for-profit educational services organization that provides a wide range of assessment, career planning, financial aid and research services to educational institutions throughout the United States and overseas.

Harless joined the Marshall staff in 1967 as assistant director of admissions and was named director in 1970. Prior to accepting a position at Marshall, he was a teacher and counselor at Man High School and served as director of the former MU Logan Branch.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Library
Associates organization is publishing a limited edition of
"Personal Recollections of Private John Henry Cammack: A Soldier
of the Confederacy, 1861-1865," which was first published in
Huntington in 1920 by Paragon Printing.

Dr. Kenneth T. Slack, executive secretary of the organization and Confederate bibliographer for the Marshall University libraries, said the book was written by Cammack at the urging of his family and friends. He called it an exciting account of a boy soldier facing the personal and national agony of the war between the states.

The original book is one of the rarest items in the confederate experience and is sought by collectors throughout the country, according to Slack. Approximately 50 copies of the book were printed in 1920.

When he was 17 years old, Cammack and his 23-year-old brother joined the Confederate army. Cammack's brother was killed approximately three months later.

"John Henry Cammack was very proud of his service," said Slack. "It wasn't a slavery issue with him. It was about states' rights and, as he saw the situation, about the same issues fought for in the Revolutionary War.

"Private Cammack understood, and articulated, the southern

striving for state and individual rights and freedoms and his words carry conviction even to this day."

Slack said the MU Library Associates could not have found a more appropriate volume to be the organization's first keepsake edition.

"In it is revealed the spirit which drove Huntington's first families to tremendous civic and professional accomplishment,"

Slack said. "John Henry Cammack effectively communicated his community concerns to succeeding generations of his family.

"It really is a good book. He tells about one experience after another and there isn't one that doesn't just set you on the edge of your seat."

Cammack was the great-great-grandfather of William C.

Campbell of Huntington, a former chairman of the MU Library

Associates.

The Marshall University Library Associates was formed to provide support for Marshall's libraries, enhance the prestige and service of the institution and, in so doing, advance the cultural and economic status of the Tri-State region.

The pre-publication cost of the book will be \$16. After publication the cost will be \$20. To order copies or obtain further details contact Slack at Marshall University's James E. Morrow Library, 696-3097.

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HUNTINGTON, WV -- Mental health services to children and adolescents are getting a much-needed boost in the Huntington area, thanks to recent faculty additions to the Marshall University School of Medicine.

Sivanta R. J. Paul, M.D., a psychiatrist, and Thomas D. Linz, Ph.D., who specializes in child and adolescent psychology, are available to see troubled youth and their families on an outpatient basis and serve as consultants on hospitalized patients. They also provide evaluations and assessments for pediatricians, family practice physicians, schools, courts and other agencies.

"In Dr. Paul and Dr. Linz we have a team who together help us address some unmet needs in health care," said Dr. C. Leon McGahee, chairman of the MU School of Medicine's Department of Psychiatry. Pediatricians and others concerned with children and youth have voiced concern about a lack of psychiatric inpatient consultant services as well as a shortage of outpatient services in the area, McGahee said.

As a psychiatrist Paul said he can provide both biological treatment and psychotherapy. Evaluating medical/organic factors is part of his workup, and he can prescribe medication if necessary. He conducts individual and family therapy sessions

and hopes to set up group therapy sessions for adolescents.

"Some adolescents may feel more comfortable talking to peers rather than an adult," Paul explained. "The group sessions may help such individuals share their thoughts and feelings, especially when they become aware that others in their age group are having similar difficulties."

Linz assesses mental and intellectual development, performs neuropsychological testing, and also delivers therapy to individuals and families.

Together Paul and Linz handle the full-range of child and adolescent problems, some of which include behavior problems, school difficulties which are sometimes rooted in troubled families, depression and anxiety disorders, hyperactivity, attention deficit disorders, and eating disorders.

They see youth under age twenty and say they can work with children as young as three or four years old. Fostering psychological growth and autonomy are central to all treatment strategies, Paul said.

Their offices are at University Psychiatric Associates located in River Park Hospital, 521 13th Street. They see patients by referral or individuals may call directly for an appointment (697-7036).

University Psychiatric Associates plans to offer a weekly child\adolescent student clinic in the near future, according to Paul. The clinic will give MU medical students an opportunity to gain valuable first-hand experience working with troubled youth

and their families.

Paul, an assistant professor in the Department of
Psychiatry, received his medical degree from the University of
Colombo in Sri Lanka and did an internship and residency with the
Sri Lanka Department of Health. Paul then did an internship in
pediatrics and a fellowship in child and adolescent psychiatry at
the Arkansas Children's Hospital/University of Arkansas for
Medical Sciences in Little Rock. Prior to coming to Marshall, he
trained as a resident in adult psychiatry at the University of
South Alabama in Mobile.

Linz, also an assistant professor, received his Ph.D. from the University of Georgia, specializing in child neuropsychology and personality assessment. He has a B.A. and M.A. from West Georgia College. He did an internship at the Astor Home for Children in Rhinebeck, NY, and held a postdoctoral fellowship in pediatric psychology at the Clinical Center for the Study of Development and Learning, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill. He was a clinical instructor in the Department of Psychiatry at the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill School of Medicine before coming to Marshall.



April 19, 1991

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Three research projects by medical students, residents and faculty were singled out for honors at the Marshall University School of medicine's Fourth Annual Research Day.

The program, held April 9 at the Holiday Inn-Gateway in Barboursville, featured 52 presentations describing the work of 111 researchers. Project categories were basic science, clinical science, and clinical case studies. Prize winners received a plaque and cash award.

Thais P. Salazar, a Ph.D. candidate in microbiology from Grafton, won the award for best basic science presentation. Her project, co-authored by Dr. Terry W. Fenger, associate professor of microbiology, was "Characterization of Genes Determining Herpes Simplex Virus Type-1 Ocular Disease Patterns."

Jaime Hernandez, M.D., a resident who holds a fellowship in infectious diseases, won the prize for best clinical case study. Hernandez's project was "Successful Treatment of Post-Traumatic Candida Myocarditis with Surgery and Amphotericin B followed by Long Term Suppression Therapy with Fluconazole." Co-authors were Dr. Haytham Jabi, assistant professor of medicine, and Dr. Lorenzo Gonzales-Lavin, professor of surgery. Glaxo, Inc., a pharmaceutical company, sponsored the clinical case study award.

Cynthia Gonzalez, M.D., a resident with a fellowship in pulmonary medicine, won the Lester R. Bryant, M.D., Research Award for Clinical Science. Her project was titled "An Evaluation of PImax and PEmax as Predictors of Postoperative Pulmonary Complications." Co-authors were Dr. Kuldeep Pandit, associate professor of medicine; Dr. Nancy Munn, associate professor of medicine; Dr. Manoj Majmudar, formerly at Marshall under a pulmonary medicine fellowship; and Henry K. Driscoll, assistant professor of medicine.

The clinical science award honors Bryant, the former medical school dean who instituted Research Day at Marshall.



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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A business seminar titled "OSHA and Small Business: Do You Comply?" will be held at Marshall University's Research and Economic Development Center, 1050 Fourth Ave., on Monday, April 29, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

The seminar, which will be open to the public free of charge, will provide instruction on complying with Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) regulations to small business owners and managers, according to Elaine Hayslett, program manager of Marshall's Small Business Development Center.

Topics will include OSHA regulations, maintaining adequate OSHA records, implementing safety programs, training on personal safety equipment, machine guarding, hearing protection and hazard communication laws.

George Parker, president of PD Associates, will lead the training program. Parker is a safety consultant who provides training on workplace safety programs and OSHA requirements to businesses throughout the country.

Advance registration for the program should be made by contacting the Marshall University Small Business Development Center, 696-6798.

A division of the Governor's Office of Community and
Industrial Development, the Small Business Development Center
program works in cooperation with colleges and universities to

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provide free business counseling and technical assistance at 11 centers throughout West Virginia.

Marshall's Small Business Development Center is partially funded by the United States Small Business Administration.

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To obtain further details contact the Marshall University
Small Business Development Center, 696-6798.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A forum on "Free Speech and Hate Speech" will be held at Marshall University on Tuesday, April 30, at 7 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center, according to Dr. Betty J. Cleckley, vice president for multicultural affairs at Marshall.

Guest speakers will be Mary Anne Case, associate professor at the University of Virginia School of Law, and Jerome M. Culp, professor of law at the Duke University School of Law.

Ms. Case, whose presentation will be titled "The Sound of Silence," graduated from Yale University with honors in history, the arts and letters and English. She received her law degree from Harvard University and has studied at the University of London, the University of Paris-Sorbonne and Ludwig Maximilians Universitaet in Munich.

She has been associated with several prestigious law firms in New York and has had several articles concerning feminist jurisprudence published in journals.

Culp's presentation will be titled "Crying Nigger on a Crowded Campus: Property in the First Amendment."

He a is graduate of the University of Chicago and the Harvard University Law School. In 1987, he was the MacArthur Distinguished Scholar at the Joint Center for Political Studies.

Currently director of the John M. Olin Program in Law and

Economics at Duke, Culp has held faculty appointments at the University of Michigan School of Law and served as a visiting professor at the Rutgers University Law School.

He has published numerous articles on civil rights issues, affirmative action and employment policies and practices and served as senior editor of the Harvard Civil Rights-Civil Liberties Law Review and Law and Contemporary Problems.

"This forum represents a small part of the university's efforts to examine the complex issues of free speech and hate speech," said Dr. Cleckley

The forum will be open to the public free of charge. It is being sponsored by Marshall University's Office of Multicultural Affairs, Commission on Multiculturalism, Classified Staff Council, Faculty Senate, Student Government Association, Black United Students and Office of Student Affairs.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A national videoconference titled "Estate Planning: With Charitable Giving Everyone Wins--Client, Charity, Agent" will be held at Marshall University on Wednesday, May 15, from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. in Memorial Student Center.

The program is being sponsored by the Huntington chapter of the American Society of Chartered Life Underwriters and Chartered Financial Consultants (CLU & ChFC) and the Marshall University Office of Continuing Education.

Henry L. Whiffen of First Financial Resources in Walnut Creek, Calif., will serve as program moderator and make a presentation on the use of charitable stock bailouts.

Gary Aronowitz, an underwriting attorney with Dascit/White and Winston in New York, will discuss how to use and understand charitable remainder trusts. Miles W. McNally, vice president of a Minneapolis firm specializing in charitable estate planning, will make a presentation on qualified plans and how they can be used to create survivorship life sales.

Jane Ann Schiltz, a marketing officer with Northwestern Mutual Life, will explain tax issues and what is available to reduce estate taxes.

The cost of the program will be \$89 for American Society of CLU & ChFC members and \$109 for non-members. Continuing education credits will be available through the program.

To register or obtain further details contact the Marshall University Office of Continuing Education, 696-3113.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Dr. Robert F. Maddox, director of Marshall University's Robert C. Byrd Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing Systems, will make a presentation titled "Advanced Flexible Manufacturing: An Edge for Small Business" at the annual meeting of the National Center for Manufacturing Sciences (NCMS) being held May 6 in Dallas, Texas.

Maddox will discuss how computer-integrated technologies and managerial techniques improve the productivity and competitiveness of local industry.

"The meeting will bring together leaders in American manufacturing, " said Maddox. "It will be an excellent opportunity to show the rest of the country how West Virginia is meeting today's challenge to compete in the world marketplace."

Marshall's Byrd Institute, selected as a national demonstration model by NCMS, emphasizes academic-industrialgovernmental partnerships to strengthen West Virginia industry, according to Maddox. It develops and promotes educational and training opportunities to exceed current capabilities of local industry.

The purpose of the conference is to highlight NCMS-sponsored research programs such as the Byrd Institute and explore the current state of American manufacturing.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Robert L. Fouch of Petersburg, a senior journalism major at Marshall University, received a fourth place scholarship of \$500 in the William Randolph Hearst Foundation's 31st annual Journalism Awards Program.

He received the prestigious award in the Sports Writing competition for an article he did on the 20th anniversary of the plane crash that took the lives of the 1970 Marshall University football team, its coaches, the flight crew and several MU officials and local supporters.

The Hearst Foundation will make a matching grant to Marshall in honor of Fouch's achievement.

The awards program is conducted under the auspices of accredited schools of the Association of Schools of Journalism and Mass Communications, and is fully funded and administered by the William Randolph Hearst Foundation.

It consists of six monthly writing contests, a photojournalism competition and a broadcast news competition, with championship finals in all three divisions.

Ninety accredited schools of undergraduate journalism in the United States currently participate in the program, which annually awards \$218,600 in scholarships and grants.



April 24, 1991

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Huntington Regional Chamber of Commerce will host a High School Business Symposium at Marshall University on Wednesday, May 1, from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center.

The purpose of the symposium is to acquaint area high school juniors and seniors with entrepreneurism and the free enterprise system, according to Elaine Hayslett, program director of Marshall's Small Business Development Center.

Students from 11 Tri-State high schools have been invited to participate in the program, which will include a series of computer simulation exercises designed to help participants understand the process of making business decisions.

Robert Carlson, publisher/president of the Huntington
Herald-Dispatch and a former business owner, will deliver the
keynote address during a luncheon at noon in Memorial Student
Center.

The event is being co-sponsored by the Marshall University
Small Business Development Center, The First Huntington National
Bank, Guaranty National Bank, WKEE Radio and Subway.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Small Business Development Center, 696-6798.

Special provisions for handicapped persons may be made by contacting the center prior to the seminar.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Marjorie L. McInerney, associate professor of management at Marshall University, has been named director of University Honors, according to Dr. Rainey Duke, acting associate provost.

Dr. McInerney received her bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Akron in 1975, her master's degree in business administration from Marshall in 1977 and her doctorate in business administration from Ohio State University in 1983.

A member of the Marshall faculty since 1976, Dr. McInerney has written numerous papers for professional journals and publications and has served as a consultant on business issues in many areas of the country. She also has been the recipient of a number of grants and awards.

The director of University Honors is responsible for maintaining the program's budget, planning and administering an academic program, maintaining a student and scholarship data base, advising John Marshall scholars, participating in freshman orientation and SCORES, recruiting high school seniors, coordinating and reporting to the Honors Council, planning and coordinating the Honors Convocation and generally maintaining a high profile for the Honors Program.

Dr. McInerney will succeed Dr. Donna J. Spindel, professor of history, who will complete a three-year tenure as Honors director in May.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--An internationally-renowned geographer and a retired Huntington business leader will receive honorary degrees at Marshall University's Commencement exercises Saturday, May 11, MU Interim President Alan B. Gould announced today.

Receiving the awards will be Dr. Harm J. de Blij, professor of geography at the University of Miami (Florida), and Glenn J. Queen of Huntington, former operator of the Tradwell group of supermarkets.

De Blij also will be the Commencement speaker, Gould said. The Commencement program, to be held in the Huntington Civic Center, will begin at 11 a.m.

Gould said Queen's service to Marshall spans 45 years, highlighted by his 1986 contribution of \$100,000 to the Society of Yeager Scholars project, helping to initiate the program. In 1988 he established an endowment to support Marshall faculty travel, research and other scholarly activities.

A Wayne County W.Va. native, Queen was offered a basketball scholarship by Marshall Coach Cam Henderson, but instead entered the U.S. Marine Corps, serving in World War II. Following the war, he started his business career with a small grocery in Wayne, building it into the successful Tradewell group.

Queen has served as president of the National Retail Grocers
Association, the West Virginia Retail Grocers Association and as
a member of the Board of Directors of the Food Marketing
Institute. He received the Sidney R. Rabb Award, considered the
most prestigious award in the food industry, in 1988.

De Blij, considered one of the nation's foremost geographers, served as the occupant of Marshall's Drinko Distinguished Chair in Liberal Arts last fall.

In addition to his work at the University of Miami, he holds a professional appointment with the National Geographic Society and frequently appears on ABC TV's "Good Morning, America" program. He has wirtten, co-authored or edited 32 books and more than 80 scholarly articles. He served as editor of the National Geographic Society's "National Geographic Research: A Scientific Journal."

De Blij was a central figure in the so-called "Miami Exposure" of geographic illiteracy in America which led to U.S. Senate hearings and a joint resolution of Congress establishing "Geography Awareness Week."

Marshall expects to award more than 1,800 degrees at the May 11 Commencement.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marilyn Blake Cline of Huntington, a sophomore home economics major at Marshall University, has been awarded a West Virginia Extension Homemakers' scholarship for 1990-91.

Martha G. Childers, associate professor in Marshall University's Home Economics Program, said the scholarship was one of three presented this year by the West Virginia Extension Homemakers.

Anyone interested in applying for one of the annual scholarships should contact Ms. Childers at Marshall University, 696-2507.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--"Adults in Transition," a workshop designed for adults who want to examine their career options, personal strengths and learning skills, will be presented at Marshall University's Technical and Community College Tuesday through Friday, May 14-17, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. each day.

The program, which will be open to the public free of charge, has been specifically designed for individuals who are single heads of households, persons who lack job skills, part-time workers seeking full-time employment and those who need employment because of divorce, separation or the death of a spouse, according to Peggy Wilmink, program coordinator.

"This workshop is ideal for people who are seeking change but are uncertain where to start," said Ms. Wilmink.

Topics will include career planning, financial assistance, personal development, educational assessment, computer literacy and study skills. Participants also will receive orientation to the college environment, educational advising and personal counseling.

Participants must have a high school diploma or the equivalent to enroll in the program.

To register or obtain further details contact Ms. Wilmink at the Marshall University Technical and Community College, 696-3014.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--In testimony before a Senate Armed Services subcommittee on April 9, Dr. Robert M. White, undersecretary of commerce for technology at the United States Department of Commerce, discussed the importance of manufacturing technology programs, such as Marshall University's Robert C. Byrd Institute for Flexible Manufacturing, to national defense and economic interests.

White testified to members of the Subcommittee on Defense Industry and Technology about the military and economic significance of flexible computer-integrated manufacturing (FCIM) centers, teaching factories which lease manufacturing time to small businesses to enable them to remain competitive, citing Marshall's Byrd Institute as a primary catalyst for West Virginia economic development.

"Today six FCIM centers are running with 16 more in the planning stage. We hope to have as many as 200 in operation by the end of the century, with some tied to educational institutions, some administered by non-profit organizations, some run on a for-profit basis, some hybrid in nature," said White.

"Many will be tied to regional economic development goals, such as the Robert Byrd Center at Huntington, W.Va., which is an integral part of the state's strategy for making the transition from a mining to a manufacturing/software development economy."

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Dr. Robert F. Maddox, director of the Byrd Institute, said,
"It's gratifying to hear someone of Dr. White's stature and
experience recognize the Byrd Institute and West Virginia's
leading role in FCIM implementation."



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Jacqueline M. Guttmann of Marshall
University's Department of Modern Languages has been awarded the
title of "Chevalier des Palmes Academiques" by the French
Minister of Education for "services rendered to French culture."

A representative of the French Embassy in New York City presented the medal to Dr. Guttmann during a reception Tuesday, April 23, at the Marshall University president's house.



April 30, 1991 For immediate release

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Time Out for Kids, an education and support group for children ages 7 through 11, will be offered beginning May 9 by University Psychiatric Associates of Huntington.

A service of the Department of Psychiatry of the Marshall University School of Medicine, the program will help children learn new ways of dealing more effectively with contemporary family life.

Karen Armstead, co-leader of the group with Virginia Karschnik, said the program will give children an opportunity to improve self esteem, increase their understanding and awareness of feelings, and increase their skills with communication, cooperation, coping, and problem solving. Through group discussion and activities, children will build self esteem and enhance skills they need to deal more effectively with social situations at home and at school, she said.

Time Out for Kids will meet each Thursday evening for eight weeks beginning May 9.

Sessions will focus on topics such as "What are Feelings" and "Steps in Problem Solving." One group session will bring parents and children together to share experiences. Group activities will include discussions, workbook activities, art projects, games, and role playing focused on the week's topic.

More information is available from University Psychiatric Associates, 697-7036, or the Marshall University School of Medicine Department of Psychiatry, 696-7077.

May 1, 1991 FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University will award about 1,850 degrees in Commencement ceremonies Saturday, May 11, at the Huntington Civic Center.

The program, open to the public, will begin at 11 a.m.

Students completing their course requirements last summer, last December and this month are eligible to participate in the 1991 Commencement. Registrar Robert H. Eddins said 1,442 students are scheduled to receive undergraduate degrees, 370 graduate degrees and 43 Doctor of Medicine degrees. Eighteen members of the first class of the Society of Yeager Scholars, designated the Ashland Class, will be among those receiving baccalaureate degrees.

Because final examinations have not been completed, the totals could vary slightly, Eddins said.

He said 36 students will graduate summa cum laude (highest honors),73 magna cum laude (high honors) and 110 cum laude (honors). Fifty-nine other students will complete two-year degree programs with honors.

Interim President Alan B. Gould will preside at the ceremonies.

The Reverend William J. Petro, chaplain of the Marshall Catholic

Community, will deliver the invocation and benediction.

Eminent geographer Harm J. de Blij will deliver the Commencement address. Dr. De Blij, who served as the Drinko distinguished professor of liberal arts at Marshall last fall, also will be awarded the honorary Doctor of Science degree.

Retired Huntington business leader Glenn J. Queen also will recieve an honorary degree, Doctor of Humane Letters.

The honorary degree recipients will be presented by Associate Provost Lorraine J. Duke. Students receiving undergraduate and graduate degrees will be presented by deans of their respective colleges and schools within the university.

Doctoral degrees, awarded in a joint program with West Virginia University, will be conferred by Dr. John O. Andes, coordinator of off-campus and graduate programs at WVU.

Also making brief remarks will be Chancellor Charles W. Manning of the University of West Virginia Board of Trustees, Chairman James H. Harless of the Marshall Institutional Board of Advisors, and Martha Hill Merical, president of the Marshall Alumni Association.

Singing of the Marshall Alma Mater will be led by Professor Emeritus Leo V. Imperi.

Eddins said a reception for graduates and their families and friends will be held in the Civic Center's Suite A immediately following the ceremonies.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Robert F. Maddox, director of Marshall University's Robert C. Byrd Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing Systems, will be a featured speaker and panelist at the "CIM (Computer Integrated Manufacturing) in Higher Education" national conference on Tuesday, May 14, at Indianapolis, Ind.

The theme for this year's conference, sponsored by the IBM Corporation, will be "Winning with CIM." The agenda will include CIM technology in business, engineering and industry.

Manufacturing Partnerships." Ed Miller, president of the National Center for Manufacturing Sciences, and Dean Keith, president of DemMaTec Foundation, a shared manufacturing facility at the University of Missouri-Rolla, also will participate in the panel.

"The Byrd Institute is a leading center in flexible computer integrated manufacturing technology," said Maddox. "It demonstrates how industry, government and higher education can effectively transfer technology through a shared manufacturing partnership program."

Named a national demonstration model by the National Center for Manufacturing Sciences, the Byrd Institute develops and promotes educational and training opportunities to strengthen West Virginia industry.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Edgar W. Miller, associate dean of student affairs and director of student financial assistance at Marshall University, has been elected to the Governance Committee of The College Board's Midwest Assembly College Scholarship Service, according to Dr. Nell C. Bailey, vice president for student affairs at Marshall.

Approximately 2,700 members representing colleges and universities, secondary schools, school systems and educational associations belong to The College Board, which is committed to maintaining academic standards and serving students, schools and colleges throughout the nation.

The Governance Committee is responsible for preparing the agenda for the annual meeting, appointing committees, reviewing and making recommendations on committee reports, preparing annual reports and recommending program sessions for the annual meeting.

The College Scholarship Service determines eligibility for student financial needs in West Virginia.

"Dr. Miller's direct involvement on The College Board will be extremely helpful to Marshall," said Dr. Bailey. "He will receive the latest trends in student financial assistance, recruitment and retention."



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Ten retiring faculty members, representing 191 years of service to Marshall University, and seven retiring staff members, representing 133 years of service, will be recognized during the university's Commencement luncheon on Saturday, May 11, at 1 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center.

"Marshall University owes a tremendous debt of gratitude to these dedicated faculty and staff members who are retiring this year," said MU Interim President Alan B. Gould. "They have served long and well and will be greatly missed by the university, their colleagues and the students. Their contributions to the university and the Tri-State community are beyond measure."

Retiring faculty members and their years of service to
Marshall University include: Dr. Robert B. Hayes, 26 years;
Dr. Dorothy R. Johnson, 26 years; Dr. Ralph H. Hall, 26 years;
Dr. Laura Lee Wilson, 24 years; Dr. Sallie C. Plymale, 23 years;
Dr. Elinore Taylor, 21 years; Dr. Frederick J. Lotspeich, 14
years; Dr. Albert G. Moat, 13 years; Dr. Ernest W. Chick, nine
years, and Wallace E. Knight, nine years.

Retiring staff members and their years of service to

Marshall University include: Carnell Snow, 36 years; James E.

Wallace, 31 years; Mary E. Arigan, 21 years; Mary E. Abrams, 14

years; Clarence Martin, 14 years; Daniel Boster, nine years, and

Patsy Y. Scott, eight years.



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May 1, 1991 For immediate release For more information call Beverly McCoy, 696-2584

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- The Lincoln Primary Care Center, a clinical affiliate of the Marshall University School of Medicine, has been chosen to receive the Outstanding Rural Practice Award of the National Rural Health Association.

The award honors a rural medical practice which has improved access to rural people through innovative, comprehensive approaches. It particularly recognizes effective outreach efforts, strong preventive health and educational programs, high-quality care provided efficiently, and strong community support and involvement.

"We were flabbergasted and pleased," said Dr. Robert B. Walker, who has worked with the clinic since its earliest days.

The award is rarely won by practices in the eastern U.S., added Walker, chairman of Marshall's Department of Family and Community Health.

Gerry D. Stover, the center's executive director, said he and his staff members appreciate the award on two levels. "It's wonderful to be acknowledged by experts who are evaluating your work from a distance," he said. "But, for us, this award also represents a vote of confidence from our peers since many of the primary care centers here in West Virginia wrote letters supporting our nomination."

The Claude Worthington Benedum Foundation, which over the years has provided significant support for the clinic and its joint programs with Marshall, nominated the center for the award.

"At a time when rural health centers as a group are struggling, the Lincoln Primary Care Center proves that with imagination and cooperation a community health center can do more than survive -- it can flourish," Benedum officials said in their nomination materials.

"LPCC is responsible for having dramatically improved health care for rural people in the region," they added. "It addition, it provides a lively learning environment which clearly demonstrates to medical students that rural practice can be successful."

This is the second time in three years that the association has honored a Marshall-related project. In 1988, the school's Combined Residency/Practice Plan was named the nation's outstanding rural health program. Participants in that program provided health care through the Lincoln County center as well as other sites.

Marshall's School of Medicine provides doctors for the center, including specialists in family practice, pediatrics, cardiology, and surgery. In addition, medical students and family practice residents rotate through the center.

The center provides approximately 27,000 patient visits per year, and is the county's only source of medical care after 5 p.m. weekdays and on weekends. It is open 364 days a year.

The Lincoln Primary Care Center is a non-profit, community-owned and directed facility. It was created in 1975 and was the first clinic in the nation to be classified as a rural health clinic under federal law.

The Outstanding Rural Practice Award will be presented to Stover May 21 by Beverly Railey-Walter of the Benedum Foundation at the annual conference of the National Rural Health Association.



May 6, 1991 FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- The Marshall University School of

Nursing will award baccalaureate degrees May 11 to ten Logan area

students who earned their diplomas without ever having to leave
their home community.

The students, all nurses with jobs and families in the area, met their degree requirements through a unique distance learning program. They may well be the first group of nursing students in the country to obtain degrees by satellite.

The nursing courses were beamed from Marshall and West
Virginia University via satellite to a classroom at Southern West
Virginia Community College. There a television screen and a
telephone hook-up tied them in to their professor and another
group of students at the originating campus site. A local
facilitator with faculty credentials provided a teacher presence
and helped guide classroom discussion.

"Through this program we are making baccalaureate nursing education available to those who did not have easy access to it before," explained Dr. Jane Fotos, interim dean of the MU School of Nursing. "We are making it possible for nurses to continue their education and still work in their home communities. This is very important as far as health care delivery in the state."

Observed Teresa Goins of Logan, an operating room head nurse

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with heavy job and family demands, "I would definitely not have been able to get my B.S. without this satellite program, and probably 90 percent of the others in my class would not have been able to get it either." Goins' husband, Gordon, a nursing home administrator, is also among the ten graduating students.

The other registered nurses in the class who are graduating are: Clark Adkins of Henlawson, Kay Anderson of Logan, Wilma Avis, also of Logan, Barbara Collier of McConnell, Linda Grubb of Holden, Beulah Mathews of Robinette, Paula Maynard of Delbarton, and Deborah Trivette of Ethel.

Marshall has been a leader in electronic delivery of education, particularly nursing education, to educational locations around West Virginia. In 1987 a Marshall pilot project transmitted the state's first two nursing courses by satellite to Logan. The following year MU, WVU and other institutions joined to initiate a statewide nursing education project. The goal was to develop and deliver a group of core nursing courses to registered nurses via satellite. To date, seven different undergraduate-level nursing courses have been telecast to twelve different sites throughout the state: Parkersburg, Charleston, Montgomery, Shepherdstown, Beckley, Lewisburg, Wheeling, Morgantown, Huntington, Bluefield, Kingwood, and Logan. Course enrollments averaged about fifty students.

This fall Marshall will transmit another series of core nursing courses, and another class of nurses will begin work on degrees. Participating schools take turns originating courses.

Evaluations show that the distant learners at Logan did as

well as students taking the same courses on campus, reported Dr. Fotos. The students themselves have consistently given positive course evaluations, citing the convenience of the site, the time, money and energy saved in travel, the availability of video tapes for review, and the opportunity for small group interaction, she said.

Besides the core courses offered by satellite, the Marshall nursing students took summer classes taught by faculty who traveled to Logan. Faculty also traveled there to coordinate required clinical laboratory components and supervise a senior practicum.

"Live interaction is the key to success in distant learning," according to Dr. H. Keith Spears, director of Instructional Television Services at Marshall.

Spears, who recently completed research on distance learning, expects "phenomenal growth" in the educational use of satellite technology and believes that Marshall is on the cutting edge. "Marshall is among the two per cent of the schools nationwide who are teaching courses by satellite," he said. His survey showed that a third of those schools are continuing to expand their satellite offerings. Many others not now offering distance learning via satellite are planning to get into the field, he found.

MU's Instructional Television Services works with School of Nursing and other faculty on campus to produce telecourses and send them by microwave signal to the state-owned satellite uplink system at West Virginia State College in Institute.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Research

Corporation (MURC) and Goodwill Industries of KYOWVA (Kentucky,

Ohio and West Virginia) have entered into an agreement to provide

training and employment opportunities for persons with

disabilities in the Tri-State area, according to Dr. Robert F.

Maddox, MURC president.

Maddox said MURC and Goodwill will cooperate in the training, education and rehabilitation of persons with disabilities through a multiphased program of business and clerical training.

The agreement's primary objective is to conduct a shared production facility through Marshall's Robert C. Byrd Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing Systems to stimulate economic development and help create jobs.

"By combining the unique capabilities of Goodwill Industries and the Byrd Institute, we will be able to ensure equal employment opportunities for all citizens in the area," said Maddox. "This one-of-a-kind program is designed to promote work skills as well as the economic self-reliance of the physically challenged person."

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The seventh annual Marshall University
Service Awards Luncheon for university staff members will be held
Tuesday, May 14, from noon to 2 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in
Memorial Student Center.

The following Marshall University staff members will receive awards:

### For 15 Years of Service

Larry Artrip, Linda Bondurant, Barbara Jane Brown, Stephanie Gray, William Green, Earl Johnson, Carolyn Sue King, Ronald Larson, Rebecca Lewis, Elinor Midkiff, Ethel Pierson, Glenna Racer, Wilbert Roy Thomas, Sheila Wiley, Edwina Wippel, Vivian Wood and Kristine Standifur.

### For 20 Years of Service

Gordon Black, Mary Covington, Eugene Crawford, Paul Dempsey,
Barbara Ferrell, Marilyn Frame, Sharon France, Shirley Henson,
Patricia Mulcahy, Barbara Phillips, Cal Stephenson, Therese Tweel,
Jane Vickers and Paul Ward.

### For 25 Years of Service

Barbara Atkins, Elfriede Beaver, Jill Chapman and Barbara James.

### For 30 Years of Service

Marvin Fulton, John Hagan and Gene Kuhn.

### For 35 Years of Service

Zanna Crager, Carnell Snow and Delores Wise.

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### Retirees (eligible as of May 1)

Mary Abrams, Mary Arigan, Daniel Boster, Dolores Brumfield, Clarence Martin, Carnell Snow, Patsy Scott, Donald Vaughn and James Wallace.

To be eligible, persons must have completed 15, 20, 25, 30 or 35 years of service to Marshall University by May 1, 1991.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's W. Page Pitt School of Journalism presented awards to 29 outstanding students during the school's annual awards banquet held May 3.

Those receiving awards were:

- \*\*Marvin L. Stone Award for outstanding contributions as a college journalist--Carrie Strader of Parkersburg and Robbie Fouch of Petersburg.
- \*\*Virginia Lee Memorial Scholarship for outstanding writing--David Swint of Grayson, Ky.
- \*\*John D. Maurice Award for outstanding editorial writing-David Swint.
- \*\*Estelle Belanger Award for column writing--Chris Rice of Huntington.
- \*\*Ernie Salvatore Award for outstanding sports writing--Brad McElhinny of Parkersburg.
- \*\*Dallas C. Higbee Award for excellence in newspaper design--Kevin Melrose of Parkersburg.
- \*\*Jim Comstock Award for outstanding feature writing-Steven Keith of Lavalette.
- \*\*Jeff Nathan Memorial Award for reporter of the year-Jennifer Moran of Huntington.
- \*\*Outstanding Graduate Student--Kim Sheets of Scioto Furnace, Ohio.

- \*\*Outstanding Seniors--Todd Burns of Beckley (magazine),
  Robbie Fouch and Steven Keith (news-editorial), Andrew McMorrow
  of Elkview (public relations), Matt Lyons of Belleville
  (advertising), Penny Moss of Nitro (broadcast journalism).
  - \*\*Outstanding Magazine Writer -- Mike Kennedy of Huntington.
- \*\*Outstanding Chief Justice Staff Members--Kristin Nash of Clarksville, Va., and Alan Pittman of Charleston.
  - \*\*Photographer of the Year--Mike Kennedy.
  - \*\*Rookie of the Year--Brad McElhinny.
- \*\*Outstanding Contribution to WMUL-FM News--Marti Leach of Moundsville.
- \*\*Outstanding Public Relations Writer--Melissa McHenry of Fayetteville.
- \*\*Most Promising Public Relations Undergraduate--Tina Alford of Ona.
- \*\*Excellence in Advertising Copy Writing--Tammy Ratliff of Huntington.
- \*\*Excellence in Advertising Layout and Design--Kemmeth Rivers of St. Albans.
- \*\*Excellence in Media Planning--Amy Angel of Elkview and Kim Kendall of Bluefield.
  - \*\*Outstanding Graduating Member of the SPJ--Robbie Fouch.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Betty Joan Jarrell, a certified public accountant and chairwoman of the Business Technology Division at the Community and Technical College of Marshall University, has been elected director for the Huntington Chapter of Certified Public Accountants.

Dr. Jarrell also has been selected as the chairwoman of the Education Committee for the West Virginia Society of CPAs.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University art and graphic design students recently took part in a competition sponsored by the Kentucky Organ Donor Affiliates (KODA) to create posters which will be used in KODA publications and materials to create interest in the organization and its work.

Headquartered in Louisville, Ky., KODA is a federally certified, non-profit organization that assists hospitals in Kentucky and Cabell and Wayne counties in West Virginia with policies and procedures related to organ donations. The organization provides many services to hospitals and also to potential donors and their families.

Cash awards were presented to the winners of the art competition and to Marshall's Art Department by KODA.

Winners were: First Place--Jill Asbury of Barboursville; Second Place--Donita Pepper of Ansted; Third Place--Melissa Jenkins of Ironton, Chio; Honorable Mention--Diane Dukes of Gerrardstown.

The entries were displayed and judged at the Twentieth Street Bank.

Shahnaz Shahriar, assistant professor of art at Marshall, said the Art Department would like to thank KODA sponsors Jenny Miller and Chris Carter for holding the competition at Marshall.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A teleconference titled "Black-White Issues: Overcoming Barriers to Effective Social Services" will be held at Marshall University on Tuesday, June 4, from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

The program has been designed to increase racial and cultural tolerance and understanding by identifying specific barriers related to service provision, highlighting those services (adoption, foster care, mental health education) most affected by issues of race and culture, describing the dynamics of black and white families and describing tools for assessment and intervention with black/white individuals and families.

Open to the public free of charge, the two-hour program will be followed by a half-hour discussion. Two and one-half continuing education units for West Virginia social work licensure will be awarded for completion of the program through the Marshall University bachelor of social work degree program.

Partial funding for the teleconference is being provided by the Marshall University Office of Multicultural Affairs.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Social Work Department, 696-2792.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University officials and representatives from Woolpert Consultants have completed the preliminary recommended campus master plan which provides for the growth of the university through the 21st century, according to Dr. K. Edward Grose, vice president for administration at Marshall.

The plan identifies the direction of future expansion, locates new facilities, reorganizes parking and circulation and provides useful open space.

University personnel and other interested persons are invited to comment on the preliminary recommended master plan during a public forum on Thursday, May 16, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- New students enrolling at Marshall
University will not be permitted to register for fall classes
until July 1, unless they attend new 'student orientation,
according to Dr. Don Robertson, associate dean of student affairs
at Marshall.

Orientation sessions will be held June 13-14, 17-21 and 24-28. Each date will be limited to 200 students.

By attending orientation, students will be given priority registration over those who do not attend, said Robertson.

"Studies have proven that students who attend summer orientation sessions are much better prepared for the fall semester than students who don't attend," he said. "These students also tend to be successful throughout their college careers and generally are more successful than those students who do not attend orientation."

Orientation will give students an opportunity to meet fellow students, become familiar with the MU campus, learn about campus policies and services, meet academic advisers, talk to financial aid counselors, tour the campus and register.

The orientation staff also has planned special sessions for commuter students, which will feature sessions on topics such as campus parking, parking permits and car pools to campus.

"Local students often think they can skip orientation because they are familiar with Marshall," said Dr. Nell C. Orientation Add 1

Bailey, vice president for student affairs, "but all students really need to be exposed to campus life and be oriented to the university as it currently functions."

Parents also are encouraged to attend special orientation programs designed for them while their children are attending regular student orientation.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Orientation Office, 696-2354.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. David S. Mallory, assistant professor of biological sciences at Marshall University, has received a grant of \$8,814 from the Huntington Foundation Inc. for his research project on "Brain Chemicals that Control Reproduction."

The grant will be used by Mallory to purchase equipment needed in conjunction with his research.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Suzanne B. Desai, assistant professor of marketing in Marshall University's College of Business, has been informed that her paper titled "In the 1980s, public policy toward HMOs (Health Maintenance Organizations) pushed when it should have pulled" received the "Best Paper Award" at the 22nd Midwest Decision Sciences Institute meeting held May 1-3 in Indianapolis, Ind.

Dr. Jatinder N.D. Gupta, program chairperson, sent a letter of congratulations to Dr. Desai. In the letter Dr. Gupta said, "Considering that more than 160 papers were submitted for presentation, this reflects a significant accomplishment on your part."

Dr. Robert P. Alexander, dean of Marshall's College of Business, agreed. "What a tremendous accomplishment, being selected as the best paper out of 160 at the Midwest Decision Sciences Institute meeting this year. This is a signal accomplishment," he said.

The paper was co-authored by Leonard J. Konopa.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--An innovative program designed to help college-bound students who have learning disabilities will be held at Marshall University June 10 through July 12.

The H.E.L.P. (Higher Education for Learning Problems) summer program was designed with incoming college freshmen in mind, but will be open to any college student with a learning disability, according to Dr. Barbara P. Guyer, program director and professor of education at Marshall.

Dr. Guyer said the program is particularly recommended for students with learning disabilities who will be graduating from high school and attending college in the fall.

The program, which will be conducted in small group and individual sessions, will address several topics including: reading improvement, spelling improvement, memory improvement, organizational skills, study skills, test-taking strategies and self-concepts.

Students will be able to take one regular university course for credit during the program. Dr. Guyer said the program's sessions on note-taking, study skills and other topics will be directly related to the students' courses so they actually will use the skills being taught. Marshall classes begin June 10 and students will have to enroll and register for class.

"An intensive effort will be made to help the students learn that they can succeed in college classes with the appropriate assistance," said Dr. Guyer.

The H.E.L.P. summer program was initiated in 1986 after a successful pilot program demonstrated the need for this type of service. Since then students from throughout the United States have enrolled in the program.

There will be a \$600 fee for West Virginia residents and a fee of \$1,200 for non-residents. Students also will have to pay registration fees for credit courses taken through Marshall University.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University H.E.L.P. Program, 696-6252.

May 14, 1991 FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Some fans simply can't wait for the opening of Marshall University's new football stadium--and that's getting to be a problem.

Marshall Vice President for Administration K. Edward Grose said unauthorized visitors to the construction site present a safety problem as the contractors rush to meet the stadium's completion date.

"We can readily understand why people want to watch the construction and tour the site," Grose said. "At the same time, there are safety and liability considerations. Consequently, we're asking people to get in touch with us before visiting the site. If they do so, we'll arrange a tour."

Grose said those wishing a closer look at the stadium may call the Department of Athletics, 696-5408, or the Office of Facilities Planning and Management, 696-6415, to arrange a site visit. All tours will have to be coordinated with the contractor to make sure proper safety measures are in place.

Grose said unauthorized visitors on the job site will be asked to leave. He noted the site is the responsibility of the contractor until the project has been completed.

Marshall's Thundering Herd will face the University of New Hampshire in the new stadium's first game, Sept. 7. Grose said work on the \$30 million project is on schedule but the contractors are continuing to move at a rapid pace to make certain it will be ready in time.

If pre-completion "attendance" is any indication, opening day should be a sell-out.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Institute for International Trade Development has received a \$24,000 grant from the Economic Development Administration to fund a feasibility study for an international trade alliance for West Virginia, according to Dr. Richard C. Smoot, director of the institute.

"This grant will provide the means with which we can explore various methods for local industry to expand their export opportunities," said Smoot.

The international trade alliance will identify business needs and identify requirements for coordinating programs with pre-existing agencies and organizations at the federal, state and local levels. The alliance also will develop programs to address business, trade and educational needs throughout the state and promote broader international interests statewide through seminars, workshops and trade fairs.

Raymond DePaulo, a former deputy assistant secretary in the United States Department of Commerce and former director of U.S. Export Programs, has been named director of the project.

"With the importance of international trade being more evident in the economy, the alliance will identify the interests of various groups in West Virginia who are seeking ways to promote the export of the state's products," DePaulo said.

Dr. Robert F. Maddox, executive assistant to the president at Marshall and director of the MU Office of Research and

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Economic Development Outreach, said, "We plan to identify the best means of promoting West Virginia's exports while developing international networks and information sharing methodologies to further the economic expansion of the state's industries."

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- A pioneering rural cancer prevention demonstration project, among the first ever funded by the American Cancer Society, will be undertaken by the Marshall University School of Medicine, the society's West Virginia Division announced today.

The three-year, \$252,000 grant will help identify better ways to prevent cancer in rural people, according to former Gov. Cecil Underwood, a member of the American Cancer Society West Virginia Division's board of directors as well as the Society's national board of directors.

"The project is special in that it lets West Virginians help West Virginians," he said. "The American Cancer Society is pleased to make this contribution which will lead to the improved health of citizens of our state."

Dr. Robert B. Walker of Marshall will head the project, which will focus on the use of cancer prevention and early detection services in Lincoln County.

"Rural Americans often make limited use of programs which can prevent cancers and cancer deaths, and it's essential that we know why so that we can create programs tailored to the needs of rural people," said Walker, who is chairman of Marshall's Department of Family and Community Health.

"We can save many years of useful life and prevent a lot of suffering by making proven prevention methods more available and acceptable," he added.

Walker said many factors could cause rural people to use cancer prevention services less than urban people: economic limitations, transportation problems, and lack of access, for example. Other problems, such as fear of a diagnosis of cancer, might be similar to those found in urban areas but require different solutions.

"We may have to take a different educational approach in rural areas because they are so much more personal than large cities," he explained. "Instead of using impersonal media methods, we might find that it's much more effective to encourage local people whose cancer was cured after early detection to speak out."

The program will be based in Lincoln County. Starting in late spring or early summer, project workers will talk to county residents and medical offices to learn how extensively people are using cancer prevention services. They also will study why these services are not used more often.

The Marshall team then will use this information to develop programs which overcome the problems identified.

"We're trying to make life better not only for West Virginians but also for people throughout Appalachia and the U.S.," Walker said.

An official from the American Cancer Society national office said the project will help solve the major problem of access.

"Increasing numbers of our fellow Americans are not having access to health care, principally as a result of their being poor," said Gerald P. Murphy, M.D., group vice president for cancer control and chief medical officer. "This is especially true regarding access to high-quality cancer prevention and early detection services. The West Virginia Division project in conjunction with the Marshall University School of Medicine specifically addresses this concern in a high-risk population."

Dr. Charles H. McKown Jr., dean of Marshall's medical school, said the project ties closely into the school's rural emphasis.

"Like virtually all of the medical research programs at Marshall, this project focuses on problems of special concern to West Virginians," he said. "We are pleased that the American Cancer Society is joining us in this important effort to improve the health of rural people."



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Marshall University, in cooperation with Southern West Virginia Community College and area business leaders, will initiate "2-plus-2" degree programs in Williamson and Logan next fall.

Marshall Interim President Alan B. Gould said the programs, in business and elementary education, will enable students in Mingo and Logan counties to complete degrees in those fields without having to come to the Marshall campus in Huntington.

Gould said community leaders in the Mingo-Logan area had pledged to help underwrite the costs of the programs. Among those participating in a news conference in Matewan last Friday to announce the results of a feasibility study were James H. "Buck" Harless of Gilbert, who also is chairman of Marshall's Institutional Board of Advisors; Dan Moore, president and chairman of Matewan National Bank; Howard Sutherland, the bank's community development director, and Ben Hatfield, president of Rawl Sales and Processing, Inc.

The feasibility study, conducted by Marshall's Center for Regional Progress, indicated more than 2,000 people were interested in participating in "2-plus-2" degree programs if they were to be offered in the two counties. William A. Edwards, director of the Center for Regional Progress, said more than 1,200 respondents indicated they were interested in beginning the programs immediately.

Costs of the feasibility study were underwritten by Matewan National Bank and Rawl Sales and Processing, Inc.

Edwards said the Center for Regional Progress considered both
Mingo and Logan counties as being in a "growth mode" expected to
continue during the next 10 to 20 years. "That means the people here
are going to need additional educational opportunites," he said.

Under the planned programs, students would complete their first two years of study at one of the Southern West Virginia Community College campuses, then would enroll for upper level Marshall courses leading to a bachelor's degree. The Marshall classes would be taught in SWVCC classrooms.

Gould said the primary "target group" for the programs will be older, non-traditional students and those who are unable to leave their communities to pursue a degree.

"This will take great cooperation and close coordination between Marshall University and Southern West Virginia Community College,
Gould said. "SWVCC President Harry Boyer and I are confident we can achieve that level of cooperation and coordination. We're looking forward to getting the programs underway."

Dr. Boyer also participated in the Matewan news conference, along with MU College of Education Dean Carole Vickers and College of Business Dean Robert Alexander.

"This could be the beginning for bigger and better things for this entire area," Harless commented.

Gould said details of the programs and course schedules will be announced soon.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Community and Technical College has awarded its \$1,000 Community and Technical College grant for the fall and spring semesters of 1991-92 to Amy Puskas of East Lynn.

Ms. Puskas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Puskas of East Lynn and attended Wayne High School. She is pursuing an associate degree in computer technology at the Community and Technical College.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Robert C. Byrd
Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing Systems has
received a contribution of computer hardware valued at more than
\$400,000 from the IBM Corporation, according to Dr. Robert F.
Maddox, director of the Byrd Institute.

The contribution was made as a result of the partnership between IBM and the Byrd Institute through the CIM (Computer-Integrated Manufacturing) in Higher Education Program. The hardware will be used in the Byrd Institute's computer-integrated manufacturing cell.

"This substantial gift of equipment is a continued indication of IBM's vigorous support for the Byrd Institute," said Maddox. "Donations such as this have far-reaching benefits and facilitate the institute's goal of economic development and the creation of jobs in West Virginia."

Marshall's Robert C. Byrd Institute for Advanced Flexible

Manufacturing Systems is a shared-teaching facility that utilizes

computer-integrated manufacturing technologies and modern

managerial techniques to help strengthen the competitiveness of

local industries, according to Maddox.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Angela D. Kitchen of Grayson, Ky., a junior biology and English major at Marshall University, has been selected as a 1991 Barry M. Goldwater Scholar, according to Howard W. Cannon, chairman of the Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Foundation.

A member of Marshall's Society of Yeager Scholars, Ms. Kitchen was one of 250 Goldwater scholarship winners selected from more than 1,300 applicants nationwide.

The Goldwater program was established by Congress in 1986 to honor the former senator and foster and encourage excellence in science and mathematics. The enabling legislation was aimed at alleviating a critical current and future shortage of scientists and mathematicians.

Awards were made on the basis of merit to students who will be juniors in the 1991-92 academic year and who have outstanding potential and intend to pursue careers in mathematics and the natural sciences.

Each scholarship will cover eligible expenses for tuition, fees, books and room and board up to a maximum of \$7,000 annually. Recipients will be eligible for two years of support.

In order to be considered for the prestigious awards, students must be sophomores with at least a 3.0 grade point

Kitchen--Add 1

average or be in the upper fourth of their class. All candidates must be nominated by their university or college.

Ms. Kitchen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Vinton Kitchen Jr. of Grayson, Ky. She attended East Carter High School.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Regular registration for the first term of summer classes at Marshall University will be held Friday,

June 7, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Registrar's Office, Old Main

Room 1-B, according to Registrar Robert H. Eddins.

First summer term classes will begin Monday, June 10, at 8 a.m. The first summer session will end Friday, July 12.

Late registration and schedule adjustments will take place Monday, June 10, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. A non-refundable \$15 late fee will be assessed for late registration.

To obtain further details about registration contact the Marshall University Registrar's Office, 696-6413.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Marshall University has awarded summer research grants to 29 faculty members, according to Dr. Leonard J. Deutsch, dean of the Marshall University Graduate School.

"These grants support an important part of the university's mission--research and creative activities," said Deutsch.

Faculty members who received summer research grants ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,000 are:

Dr. Joseph Abramson, assistant professor of marketing;
Dr. Richard Badenhausen, assistant professor of English;
Dr. Robert N. Bickel, associate professor of educational
foundations in the Division of Curricular and Instructional
Support and Leadership Studies; Dr. Michael P. Castellani,
assistant professor of chemistry; Dr. Gregg E. Davis, assistant
professor of economics;

Dr. Suzanne Desai, assistant professor of marketing;
Dr. Christopher L. Dolmetsch, professor of modern languages;
Dr. James E. Douglass, professor of chemistry; Dr. John L. Drost,
associate professor of mathematics; Dr. Frank S. Gilliam,
assistant professor of biological sciences;

Dae Sung Ha, assistant professor of management; Dr. Marcia
A. Harrison, assistant professor of biological sciences; Dr. Mary
Etta Hight, professor of biological sciences; Dr. Don P. Holdren,
professor of finance and business law; Dr. Marc A. Lindberg,
professor of psychology;

James J. Moloney, assistant professor of mathematics;

Dr. William Palmer, associate professor of history; Robert Rowe,
professor of art; Morteza Sadat-Hossieny, assistant professor of
engineering technology in the Community and Technical College;

Dr. Gary J. Saunders, professor of accounting;

Dr. Linda Spatig, assistant professor of educational foundations in the Division of Curricular and Instructional Support and Leadership Studies; Dr. Richard S. Spilman, assistant professor of English; Stanley Sporny, assistant professor of art; Arthur E. Stringer, assistant professor of English; Dr. David P. Swain, associate professor in the Division of Health, Physical Education and Recreation;

Dr. James L. Taggart, professor of music; Dr. John N. Vielkind, chairman and associate professor of philosophy;
Dr. David K. Walker, associate professor of computer science;
Dr. William A. Wallace, professor of human development and allied technology in the Division of Counseling and Rehabilitation.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Applications for a limited number of graduate student tuition waivers for Marshall University's fall semester will be accepted through Friday, July 26, in the MU Graduate School Office, Old Main Room 113, according to Dr. Leonard J. Deutsch, Graduate School dean.

In line with the West Virginia Board of Trustees Policy
Bulletin 49, priority will be given to faculty and staff of the
state's colleges and universities and to West Virginia residents.
A small number of waivers will be awarded to nonresident
students.

Deutsch said academic merit will be the major consideration in awarding waivers, which cover tuition, registration and Higher Education and Faculty Improvement fees. Student Activity fees must be paid by the recipient.

Academic merit will be determined by grade point average and Graduate Record Examination scores. Students must list their GRE scores in order to be eligible for consideration.

Up to three hours of waivers for graduate course work will be awarded to qualified applicants.

Students interested in being considered for a Board of Trustees tuition waiver based on financial need criteria should contact the Graduate School to obtain the proper application procedure.

Waivers--Add 1

Students who previously held waivers must reapply to be considered for fall semester waivers.

Approved waivers can be picked up beginning Friday, Aug. 2. Waivers not claimed by Monday, Aug. 12, will be assigned to other qualified applicants.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Graduate School, 696-6606.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Community and Technical College will sponsor the sixth annual Academic/Athletic Summer Enrichment Program for students in kindergarten through 12th grade Monday through Friday, June 24-28.

The purpose of the program is to provide area students with the opportunity to improve both academic and athletic skills in a relaxed and informal atmosphere, according to Richard Hensley, interim director of continuing education at Marshall.

Five individual programs will be offered for students in different age groups. All of the programs will be held from 8:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., with students meeting at the Community and Technical College Building.

The program for students in kindergarten through first grade will feature courses titled "Reading--Big Story Book," "Creative Speech Activities," "Recreation/Fitness Activities," "Creatures Fossils and Dinosaurs" and "Math Rabbit and Reader Rabbit."

Second- and third-graders will take courses in "West

Virginia Wildlife," "Drawing with Computers," "Bringing Stories

to Life," "Creative Speech Activities," "Trees, Flowers and Other

Plants" and "Recreation/Fitness Activities."

Students in grades four and five will take courses titled "Creative Writing," "West Meets East," "Drawing with Computers," "Recreation/Fitness Activities (tennis/softball/volleyball),"
"Study Skills" and "Creative Reading and Writing."

Students in grades six, seven and eight will take courses titled "Recreation/Fitness Activities (tennis/softball/volleyball)," "Study Skills and Test-Taking," "West Meets East," "Introduction to Computers," "Creative Writing," "Helpful Hints for Babysitters" and "Speech Activities."

Freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors will be able to select from courses titled "Study Skills," "Helpful Hints for Babysitters," "Sports Officiating," "Introduction to Computers," "Creative Writing" and "Recreation/Fitness Activities (tennis/softball/volleyball)."

The cost of the program will be \$60 for persons taking three classes, which includes materials and equipment, \$50 for two classes and \$30 for one class. A 10 percent discount will be given to families enrolling two or more students for three classes. Enrollment will be limited. Priority enrollment will be given to those registering for three classes. The deadline for registration will be Friday, June 14.

To obtain further details contact the Division of Continuing Education in Marshall University's Community and Technical College, 696-3113.



May 31, 1991

#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--For the second consecutive year,
Hareendra Yalamanchili of Paul G. Blazer High School in Ashland,
Ky., has been declared the winner of Marshall University's
annual mathematics competition, according to Karen Mitchell of
Marshall's Mathematics Department.

Yalamanchili received an award of \$200 for finishing first in the 14th annual competition which featured participants from high schools in West Virginia, Ohio and Kentucky.

Other students who received awards provided by The Marshall University Foundation were: Jay Barr, Keyser High School, second place (\$125); John E. Nolley, Mullens High School, third place (\$75); Stephen McGovern, George Washington High School, Charleston, fourth place (\$50);

Jeffrey McCallister, Winfield High School, fifth place (\$25); Patrick Hurley, Parkersburg Catholic High School, sixth place (\$25); Joey Hartwell, Hinton High School, seventh place (\$25); Kathy G. Lipps, Buckhannon-Upshur High School, eighth place (\$25); Jason Shingleton, Winfield High School, ninth place (\$25), and Chris Bartley, George Washington High School, 10th place (\$25).

Winfield High School received a plaque awarded by Marshall's chapter of Pi Mu Epsilon mathematics honorary for having the students with the highest combined score.

Math Competition--Add 1

The competition consisted of an examination designed to test the students' mathematical creativity, logical thinking and insight and expression.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Learning
Disabilities Summer Program for elementary and secondary students
will be held June 12 through July 12, according to Dr. Barbara P.
Guyer, professor of education and coordinator of the Learning
Disabilities Program.

The elementary program will be held at Spring Hill Elementary School in Huntington from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Children in the elementary program will be grouped according to age and learning problems. "Instruction will be given in small groups and on an individual basis," said Dr. Guyer. "We will attempt to improve areas of weakness and help children to discover how they best learn."

The secondary program for students in grades six through 12 will meet on the Marshall campus in Smith Hall from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Secondary students in grades eight through 12 will be able to make up one credit in a class that was failed during the school year. In order to make up a credit, students must attend from 8:30 a.m. to noon and 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. They will have 30 minutes of unsupervised time for lunch.

The secondary program also will feature small group and individual instruction. "We will attempt to improve self-concept, which often tends to be a problem with students in this age group," said Dr. Guyer.

#### LD Program--Add 1

Both sessions will address a variety of topics including organization skills, study skills, test-taking skills, writing, social skills and improvement in reading, spelling, mathematics and memory.

The cost of the program will be \$100 for elementary students and \$120 for students in grades six through 12. There will be an additional charge of \$25 for students repeating a class for credit.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University
H.E.L.P. (Higher Education for Learning Problems) Program Office,
696-6252.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A graduate seminar for teachers on "American Capitalism" will be held at Marshall University June 17 through July 3, according to Dr. Neil Arneson, assistant professor of social studies education and director of Marshall's Center for Economic Education.

The program, sponsored by Marshall's College of Education and College of Business, has been designed to teach economic basics to teachers who instruct students in kindergarten through 12th grade.

Participants will learn the basics of the American economy, how the country's economic policies affect the region and the best ways to teach this information in the classroom.

The course will include class lectures, demonstrations of economic curriculum materials, guest speakers and field trips.

Participants may earn six hours of graduate credit in social studies or economics, which may be used toward certificate renewal and credit toward a master's degree.

Arneson and Nick Kontos, associate professor of economics at Marshall, will serve as co-directors of the program.

Enrollment will be limited to 25 persons. To obtain further details contact Arneson at Marshall University, 696-6610.



June 5, 1991

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Reading and Learning Center (M.U.R.A.L. Center) will sponsor a four-week tutoring program from July 18 through Aug. 14 for students in kindergarten through 12th grade.

Participants will attend two-hour sessions on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays on the Marshall campus.

The program is open to all students experiencing academic difficulties in their school curriculums, including students in regular classroom placements as well as those in certain special education settings, according to Dr. Robert J. Evans, director of the M.U.R.A.L. Center.

Students will receive one-to-one attention or tutoring in small groups depending on the participants' needs. The tutoring will be done by Marshall University College of Education students under the close supervision of College of Education faculty members.

Evans said the program also will offer enrichment activities designed to broaden the students' skills and special programs such as the "Writing to Read" computer program and other supplementary computer programs. Testing for learning problems will be available.

The cost of the program will be \$115 per student for the tutoring sessions. There will be an additional \$25 charge for the testing program.

M.U.R.A.L.--Add 1

To obtain further details contact Evans at 696-2853. To register contact the Marshall University Division of Teacher Education, 696-2340.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Sarah N. Denman, associate dean of Marshall University's Community and Technical College, has been named assistant provost at Marshall effective July 1, according to Interim MU President and Provost Alan B. Gould.

She will replace Dr. Rainey J. Duke who is returning to a position on the university's English Department faculty.

Dr. Denman received her bachelor's and master's degrees from Marshall and her doctorate in higher education administration from West Virginia University.

She joined the Community and Technical College faculty in 1975 as coordinator of communications and associate professor.

She was named assistant dean of the college in 1984 and associate dean in 1989.

Dr. Denman has served the university in a variety of capacities, including directing the SCORES (Search Committee on Recruiting Excellent Students) program and the annual academic festival and chairing the university's Academic Planning and Standards Committee.

Prior to joining the Community and Technical College staff, Dr. Denman taught at Ceredo-Kenova High School.

"I am very pleased Dr. Denman has agreed to become

Marshall's assistant provost," said Gould. "She has demonstrated excellent administrative abilities and has a good working

relationship with the university faculty. Her background, experience and demeanor will assure her success in her new position, which is very important within the structure of the university."



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June 12, 1991

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Regular registration for the second term of summer classes at Marshall University will be held Monday, July 15, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Registrar's Office, Old Main Room 1-B, according to Registrar Robert H. Eddins.

Late registration and schedule adjustments will take place Tuesday, July 16, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. A non-refundable \$15 late fee will be assessed for late registration.

Second summer term classes will begin Tuesday, July 16, at 8 a.m. The second summer session will end Friday, Aug. 16.

To obtain further details about registration contact the Marshall University Registrar's Office, 696-6413.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. F. David Wilkin, dean of Marshall University's Community and Technical College, has been selected to serve a four-year term on the West Virginia Joint Commission for Vocational-Technical-Occupational Education, according to Paul B. Marion, chancellor of the State College System of West Virginia.

Wilkin has served as dean of the Community and Technical College since 1983. He is a West Virginia native and received his bachelor's and master's degrees in engineering from West Virginia University. He received his doctorate in education administration from Harvard University.

Prior to accepting his position at Marshall, Wilkin was dean of administrative services at Thornton Community College, South Holland, Ill., and served as associate director for academic affairs at the University of Kentucky's Lexington Technical Institute.

Wilkin is replacing Michael Koon of West Virginia Northern Community College on the commission. Koon's term expires

June 30.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Israel Peleg, consul general of Israel for the Mid-Atlantic States, will make a presentation titled "Freedom of Speech and the Press in Israel" at Marshall University on Thursday, June 27, at 8 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 105.

The presentation is being sponsored in conjunction with Marshall's continuing lecture series, "Toward Mid-East Understanding: An Israeli Perspective," according to Interim MU President Alan B. Gould.

Peleg received his bachelor's degree in political science, his master's degree in mass communication and his doctoral degree in philosophy from the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

He has held a variety of positions throughout his career including director of the Israel government press office, a member of the board of governors of the Israeli Broadcasting Authority and secretary and spokesman of the Labour Alignment faction in the Knesset.

He also served on an advisory group to former Israel Prime Minister Shimon Peres, owned his own public relations firms and served as a university lecturer.

The lecture series, co-sponsored by Federated Jewish Charities of Huntington, was initiated by former Marshall president Dale Nitzschke after he toured Israel in 1990.

"Dr. Nitzschke started the program because he felt Marshall should be a vehicle to bring new insights and perspectives to the Tri-State area so everyone would be able to benefit from them," said Gould. "I agree with that philosophy and feel that Dr. Peleg's topic is a timely one that can be related to events currently taking place here."

The presentation will be open to the public free of charge.

While at Marshall, Peleg also will hold a seminar on freedom of the press for MU journalism students.

To obtain further details about Peleg's presentation contact Lynne Mayer, special assistant to the president at Marshall, 696-6796.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- The annual meeting of the Southwest Chapter of Software Valley Inc. will be held Wednesday, June 19, at noon at the Lavalette Golf Club.

Jeff Vaughan, technical supervisor for Calgon Carbon in Catlettsburg, Ky., will be the featured speaker. He will discuss the application of computers in the chemical industry.

The meeting will be open to the public. A buffet luncheon will be served and special accommodations will be made for those who want to play golf after the meeting.

To make reservations or obtain further details contact

Crista Christian, chapter coordinator, at Marshall University's

Research and Economic Development Center, 696-6275.



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For immediate release

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Marshall University student Daniel Todd was one of 17 students nationwide honored for their medical research by the American Physiological Society.

Todd, who is pursuing a Ph.D. degree in biomedical sciences at Marshall's School of Medicine, received the Procter and Gamble Graduate Student Award. He was invited to give a poster presentation on his research at the society's meeting, held this spring in Atlanta as part of the annual Federation of American Societies of Experimental Biology.

Todd's presentation was entitled "Identification of a Putative Precursor to Hypertensive Factor (HF) by Monoclonal Anti-HF Antibodies."

"This project is designed to identify a molecule that may be involved in cellular calcium handling and possibly in hypertension," said Todd. "We are using the techniques of antibody production and biochemistry to identify and purify this molecule, which may play a major role in the development of hypertension in animals and possibly in humans."

Todd, of Clinton County, Mich., is a graduate of St. John's High School and Alma College. He is the son of Robert and Karen Todd.

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For more information call Beverly McCoy, 696-2584

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- The Marshall University School of Medicine has issued a public health advisory as a result of several recent diving accidents which caused broken necks.

Marshall radiologists report that over a week-long period, they have seen four patients whose necks were broken in diving accidents which occurred in public and private pools, a river and a lake. Three of the divers were paralyzed.

"It's alarming, but not surprising," said Dr. Joseph Czerkawski, a Marshall sports medicine physician. "At the beginning of a hot summer when people are back in the water, you often see a few accidents producing complete paralysis. It's sad, because they can be prevented if people don't take risks."

Common-sense precautions can prevent death or disability, he said.

"Shallow water is the No. 1 problem," he said. "Even in marked areas, divers or parents should inquire about the depth from the supervisor on hand. If they can't see the bottom or learn the depth, they should not dive. Don't take it for granted that lakes are deep enough.

"There can also be problems with people who have been drinking alcohol, which would make them more vulnerable to taking risks," he said.

In addition, Czerkawski cautioned against swimming laps in pools which do not have marked lanes, since it is difficult to detect where the bottom ends and the wall begins.

Diving accidents can cause drowning, total paralysis or partial paralysis, he said.

He warned that in cases of drowning or near drowning, rescuers should suspect spinal cord injury and handle the victim accordingly. "If the victim is unconscious, or if the victim complains of weakness, numbness or paralysis, you should definitely assume spinal injury and protect the neck."

Two rescuers are needed in such cases, Czerkawski said. If the victim is face-down, he or she should be turned as a unit by the two rescuers, who stabilize the trunk and neck and avoid twisting the head. After the rescuers stabilize the neck in the water, they can determine whether the victim needs mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If so, one rescuer should support the head and trunk as a unit while the other begins ventilation. Before lifting the victim from the water, a wooden spine board should be floated under him or her and the head and trunk should be secured to the board.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Chuck Bailey, assistant professor of speech at Marshall University and faculty manager of the university's public radio station, WMUL-FM, has been elected vice president and president-elect of the West Virginia Associated Press Broadcasters Association.

A native of Logan County, Bailey received his bachelor's and master's degrees from Marshall. He joined the Marshall faculty in 1985.

During Bailey's tenure as WMUL-FM faculty manager, the station has won 61 awards in AP and other broadcasting competitions.

Bailey has been a member of the West Virginia Associated Press Broadcasting Association board of directors since 1986.



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Students from Marshall University's public radio station, WMUL-FM, received seven first place awards and one honorable mention award during the West Virginia Associated Press Broadcasters Association annual meeting and awards ceremony held recently in Morgantown.

Chuck Bailey, assistant professor of speech at Marshall and faculty manager of WMUL, said the university competed in the "small market" division with radio stations from throughout the state.

"This is the most first place awards we've ever won," said
Bailey. "However, this year's awards are even more special
since we earned the Associated Press' top awards--Outstanding
News Operation and Outstanding Sports Operation. This was truly
an outstanding performance by our students, when you consider
they're competing with commercial stations across West Virginia."

The first place award winning entries were:

Outstanding News Operation--Newscenter 88 staff. The news directors in 1990 were Larry Frum Jr., a senior from Scott Depot, and Marti Leach, a junior from Moundsville.

Best Spot News Coverage -- "The Red Cross Strike" reported by Larry Frum Jr., a senior from Scott Depot.

Best Enterprise Reporting -- "Child Abuse" broadcast on "Aircheck" by Derek Scott, a junior from Pineville, and Jill McNeal, a junior from Wheeling.

Best Documentary--"Alcoholism on the College Campus" broadcast on "Aircheck" by Hattie Andrews, a junior from St. Albans, and Brad Williamson, a senior from Glenville.

Best Feature -- "The Short Arm of the Law: A Look at the Marshall University Police Department" broadcast on "Aircheck" by Jeff Liss, a junior from Miami, Florida, and Dave Logsdon, a junior from Moundsville.

Outstanding Sports Operation -- FM88 Sports Staff. Derek Scott, a junior from Pineville, served as the sports director.

Best Sports Play-by-Play--"Marshall University vs. Furman University: Football Game at Fairfield Stadium" broadcast by Todd Agne, a senior from Cincinnati, Ohio, Pat Mills, a senior from Brooklyn, New York, and Tom Roten, a senior from Glenville.

The honorable mention award went to Tom Roten for his sportscast aired during the 5 p.m. edition of FM88 Sports.

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Olympia, KOMO-AM in Seattle, and KPBX-FM in Spokane.