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ATTN: SPORTS EDITORS

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Community College will offer a course in football officiating on Tuesdays and Saturdays, beginning July 19 and continuing through Aug. 9, according to Robert L. Lawson, continuing education director of the college.

Classes will be conducted from 6 to 9 p.m. on Tuesdays and from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays in Room 136 of the Community College building.

Taught by Willard Hunter, a registered Class I official in football and basketball, the course is designed for persons wishing to refresh their skills as well as for those interested in becoming registered officials.

The primary textbooks will be the rule book, case book and official's manual. Regulation changes also will be discussed.

Advance registration is necessary and there will be a \$40 registration fee. For additional information or to register, persons interested may call Lawson at (304) 696-3646 or Hunter at (304) 529-5634.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Uruguayan pianist Enrique Graf will perform at Smith Recital Hall at 8 p.m. Thursday, July 7, in a special summer program of the Marshall Artists Series.

Acclaimed by critics in North and South America, Graf is the winner of several national and international piano competitions. His Carnegie Hall debut in February was termed by the New York Times as a "triumph." On different occasions, the Washington Post has called him a "superb pianist," an "exceptional artist" and a "stylish performer."

"This is an extraordinary opportunity for Tri-State-Area music lovers to hear a most talented pianist, who is taking the United States by storm," said Mrs. Nancy P. Hindsley, MU Cultural events coordinator.

General admission tickets for the concert are \$4 for adults and \$2 for youth age 17 and under. "However, as a bonus to Marshall Artists Series season subscribers to either the Community Division or the Forum Division, tickets will be half-price," said Mrs. Hindsley. MU students with current ID cards will be admitted free.

Tickets will be available at the door or may be purchased in advance from the Artists Series Office, located on the first floor of Memorial Student Center.

Graf's solo recitals have been featured on National Public Radio and he has appeared with several major orchestras. A graduate of the Falleri-Balzo Conservatory, he also studied at the Peabody Conservatory with Leon Fleisher.

Graf's program will include works by Soler and Albeniz, Beethoven's "Appassionata" (Sonata, Opus 57 in f minor) and three selections by Chopin.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Effective July 3, John Marshall Medical Services Inc. in Huntington will close on Sundays, according to Executive Director John Zink.

"We simply did not have enough Sunday patients to justify keeping the center open," he said. "We were losing thousands of dollars each year on Sunday service, and we think those dollars can be better spent in other patient care areas."

Zink said the John Marshall board of directors made the decision at its board meeting Tuesday (June 28). John Marshall Medical Services, 1801 Sixth Ave., is the practice group made up of Marshall University School of Medicine physicians.

The center will remain open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. weekdays and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays and minor holidays, Zink said.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Charles W. Jones of the Marshall University School of Medicine has been appointed to the board of directors of the Health Sciences Consortium, an international non-profit publishing cooperative.

Jones, the school's director of continuing medical education, was appointed to the one-year term at the group's annual meeting May 15-17 in Rougemont, N.C.

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July 3, 1983

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--In New York City a young man cranks out copy for a national advertisement encouraging subscribers to a national record club to sign up for the latest special offer.

--In Washington, D.C., a beginning magazine writer is putting together a piece on fad diets for a national news magazine.

--In Princeton, N.J., a young woman sits at a video display terminal editing copy for a national news data base service.

--In Dallas, Texas, a former college newspaper editor, is covering a murder-suicide for a page one story for a Dallas newspaper.

All of these incidents may seem unrelated and they are except for the fact that all of the writers and editors are Marshall University journalism majors who are among 23 students participating in the W. Page Pitt School of Journalism's Summer Internship Program.

Dr. Ralph J. Turner, associate professor of journalism and internship director at Marshall, said he is extremely pleased with the variety and quality of the internships this summer.

He said students are working in nine states and the District of Columbia carrying out professional journalistic assignments for magazines, newspapers, advertising offices, radio stations, public relations offices, an electronic news retrieval service and a professional baseball team.

In addition to a number of regional internships, Turner said Marshall students were highly successful in securing national internships throughout the country.

"We have students working with a national news magazine, a national advertising office, metropolitan newspapers and a national news service to name a few," Turner said.

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"We consider internships an important part of our journalism program. Internships help the students broaden their skills and understanding of their career areas. Completion of an internship also is very valuable in job placement after graduation."

Turner said students consistently receive excellent evaluations from their professional supervisors and the students rate the experience as valuable in helping them to prepare for their careers.

"It is quite common for employers to report that they treat interns as regular employees and find that they excel in carrying out their assignments," Turner said.

The internship program is a cooperative effort between the School of Journalism and the employers. Students work at least 10 weeks full time and qualify for three semester hours of university credit.

The internship director talks by telephone weekly with both the student and the employer, discussing student progress and assignments. Employers also complete three written evaluations and students submit a formal report at the end of the summer. In addition, the internship director makes on site visits except where the long distance makes travel impractical.

Most students complete internships between their junior and senior years.

Summer 1983 interns, their hometowns and places of employment are: Thomas Aluise of Huntington, The Parkersburg Sentinel; Brent Archer of Middlebourne, Columbia Gas Transmission Corp. Communications Office, Charleston; Terri Bargeloh of Mineralwells, The Martinsburg Journal; Linda Bays of Vienna, Cabell Huntington Hospital Office of Public Relations, Huntington; Kim Brawn of St. Petersburg, Fla., McKinney Public Relations, Philadelphia, Pa.; Dennis Bright of Webster Springs, WELK Radio News, Elkins;

Sandra Conrad of Parkersburg, Ashland Oil, Inc., Office of Advertising and Communications, Ashland, Ky.; Sara Crickenberger of Hillsboro, The Martinsburg Journal; Colette Frlaey of Huntington, Dow Jones News Retrieval Service, Princeton, N.J.; Gregory Friel of Marlinton, West Palm Beach (Fla.) Post; Randy Gawthrop of Grafton, Charleston (S.C.) Royals Baseball Club; Ruth Giachino of White Plains, N.Y., Westchester Rockland Newspapers, Inc., Ossining, N.Y.; Randall Meredith of Cannonsburg, Pa., Galigher Ford Advertising Department, Huntington;

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Kim Metz of Mineralwells, Charles Ryan Associates, Inc., advertising-public relations, Charleston; Cheryl Palmieri of Huntington, American Red Cross Public Relations, Huntington; Sarabeth Plymale of Lavalette, WGNT Radio News, Huntington; Patricia Proctor of Fayetteville, The Charleston Gazette; Vaughn Rhudy of Beckley, Dallas (Texas) Morning News; Marsha Riley of Pratt, Muscular Dystrophy Association Public Relations, Charleston; Ellen Risch of Huntington, The Parkersburg News; Lee Smith of Williamson, U.S. News & World Report Magazine, Washington, D.C.; Brian Tolley of Pinch, The Cincinnati Enquirer, and Patrick Wittich of Ashland, Ky., Columbia House Division of CBS, Inc., Advertising Department, New York, N.Y.

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July 5, 1983

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) has extended its accreditation of Marshall University's College of Education for seven years, through Sept. 1, 1990, MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr., announced today.

An NCATE accreditation team visited the campus in the late spring and reviewed all the college's undergraduate and graduate programs, Dr. Jones said. "In fact, one of the college's more recent programs--developed since the last NCATE visit--the School Superintendency Specialist, received its initial accreditation this time," the provost said.

The seven-year accreditation, the maximum offered by NCATE, really is tantamount to a 10-year accreditation with the other three years spent in self-study and preparation, according to Dr. Philip J. Rusche, dean of the college. "NCATE also will monitor the quality control of our programs during this period through periodic reports from the college" Rusche said.

NCATE Director Lyn Guber, in the letter notifying the university of the action, noted that NCATE was "most pleased with the cooperation received from the faculty, staff and administration."

"I am truly proud of our faculty," Rusche said. "This is significant recognition of what this faculty has achieved despite the perilous financial problems we have faced these past few years," he added.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Informal classes on the Trans-Allegheny Frontier, "Big Band Era" music and self-care will be offered to participants in the Elderhostel Program to be held at Marshall University July 10-16.

Marshall is one of 10 schools in the state taking part in the national program which offers people 60 years of age or older the opportunity to vacation on a college campus and to expand their horizons.

"There are no examinations, grades or homework, just thought-provoking seminars for those seeking new challenges for their minds regardless of their educational backgrounds," said Melanie Griffis, MU conference and facilities manager.

Registration will be conducted Sunday, July 10, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. in Twin Towers lobby. Participants may stay in a campus residence hall or commute to the sessions. For those staying on campus, the fee is \$180. Commuting students will have a \$50 fee, which includes lunches.

Twenty-one persons already have registered, including 13 from other states, Ms. Griffis said. "We have participants coming from Missouri, Iowa and Florida as well as from other parts of West Virginia," she said.

Dr. Charles Moffat, emeritus professor of history and former department chairman, will lead the discussions on the Trans-Allegheny Frontier, focusing on its social, cultural and economic impact on American character.

Music by the "Big Band" greats--Benny Goodman, Glen Miller, Artie Shaw and others--will be explored by Dr. Wendell Kumlien, MU professor of music.

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Techniques for promoting good health and individualized plans for attaining good health will be offered by five members of the MU School of Nursing: Jeanne DeVos and Laura Lee Wilson, associate professors, and Sharon Ambrose, Belen Sultan and Kathy Tygart, assistant professors.

Field trips to a museum and historic points of interest are also scheduled, along with free-time to enjoy the campus recreational facilities, Ms. Griffis said.

Additional information on Marshall's Elderhostel program may be obtained by calling Ms. Griffis, (304) 696-3125.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Douglas W. Given, a 1983 graduate of the Marshall University School of Medicine, presented the winning student research paper at the Southern Health Association annual meeting June 22-25.

Given, a Strange Creek native, focused on farming accidents.

Students from Marshall, West Virginia University and the University of North Carolina presented papers at the Charleston meeting. The Southern Health Association, made up of public health professionals, met jointly with the West Virginia Public Health Association.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Cheese it!

That's the nutritional advice for the elderly from a Marshall University graduate class on Nutrition for the Elderly.

In a brainstorming session the class members came up with 37 ways to add cheese to the older person's diet, ranging from grated cheese on corn on the cob to a simple dessert of apple wedges with chunks of cheese.

Cheese is an excellent source of calcium and combats the bone thinning problem of the elderly, according to Denise Eagan, Huntington State Hospital nutritionist. "In fact, beginning at age 35 the body doesn't absorb calcium as readily as it once did," she noted.

Cheese also is a source of protein, according to Leslie Adams of Charleston. "And it is a lot easier to chew than meat," added Dr. Grace Bennett, MU professor of home economics, who is leading the seminar.

While cheese contains cholesterol which in some instances could be harmful, the students agreed that in a well-rounded diet, the cholesterol from cheese was not a big problem.

"While making up the list of suggestions, we weren't looking for anything exotic, but applied the criteria of simplicity, ease of preparation, with items normally found in the pantry and low cost," explained Rhonda Fields of Huntington, also a Huntington State Hospital nutritionist.

Among the general hints the class came up with were grating or cubing cheese in advance, refrigerating or freezing it in bags marked with the amount.

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"If it's ready to be added to a dish, you're more likely to use it," said the fourth member of the class, Mary Vega of Huntington.

Other hints include:

--A thin coat of butter applied to cut cheese prevents drying out when refrigerated.

--Dipping a loaf of cheese in hot water briefly makes it easier to remove the wrapper.

Other ideas to incorporate cheese into the diet include:

--Sprinkling cheese over baked beans during the last minutes of baking.

--Broiling tomato halves with cheese.

--Adding cheese slices to steamed rice.

--Adding shredded cheese to biscuit or corn bread mixes.

--Adding cheese cubes to an apple salad.

"The listing started as a basis for another class assignment--talks on nutrition to be given to those participants in program of hot lunches for the elderly," Dr. Bennett said. Before the first summer term ends, the graduate students will have discussed vitamin supplements, calcium needs, cooking for one or two, and food labeling at each of the congregate eating programs in the community, she added.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Foundation has received a bequest from the estate of Josephine Valentine Harrold, a long-time Cabell County educator, according to Foundation Director Bernard Queen.

The \$3,017.61 gift will be placed in the Foundation's Memorial Scholarship Endowment Fund to provide financial assistance to needy and worthy students, Dr. Queen said.

"It seems most fitting that this gift from a teacher be used to further educational opportunities for young students," Queen said.

Miss Harrold, who died Oct. 31, 1981, in Portsmouth, Ohio, was a native of Huntington and retired from the Cabell County school system in 1971 after three decades of teaching. She began her career at Oley Junior High School and was on the faculty at Huntington High School when she retired.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Susan L. Bird, a senior at Marshall University, is the recipient of the West Virginia Bankers Association Scholastic Award for 1983-84, MU Foundation Director Bernard Queen announced today.

Miss Bird, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leno Bird of Huntington, is studying toward a Bachelor of Business Administration degree in finance in preparation for a career in the banking industry.

"For more than a decade, the state Bankers Association has supported academic achievement at Marshall through this award," Dr. Queen said. "We appreciate the association's efforts."

The \$1,000 award was presented to Miss Bird by Mrs. Dorothy Lilly of Charleston, West Virginia Bankers Association corporate secretary, during a luncheon for the recipient and her family.

Miss Bird was selected as this year's recipient on the basis of her scholastic record and leadership activities, according to College of Business Dean Sara E. Anderson. An honor student, she holds a 3.75 grade point average and is employed as a teller by Huntington Federal Savings and Loan.

An active member of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, she is a member of the worship and enlistment committee and the ministry action budget committee there. She is a graduate of Barboursville High School.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Donald A. Williams, currently Music Department chairman at California State College-Stanislaus, has accepted an appointment as chairman of the Marshall University Music Department.

Announcement of the appointment, effective with the fall semester, was made jointly today by MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr. and MU College of Liberal Arts Dean Alan B. Gould.

As chairman, Williams succeeds Dr. Paul A. Balshaw who resigned the post to become director of Marshall University's School of Fine Arts last September. Leo Imperi, MU professor of music, has been serving as interim dean during the search for a new chairman.

"Dr. Williams comes to us highly recommended by his colleagues, who consider him an excellent administrator who believes that the various program components of a music department have mutual goals," Dr. Jones said.

"During the personal interview sessions, the search committee members were most impressed with Dr. Williams' clarity of expression and strong sense of educational professionalism," said Dr. Gould.

"Our special thanks go to Leo Imperi who has done an outstanding job in directing the music faculty during this period," the dean added.

"Dr. Williams has a solid background that combines academic and administrative service with professional performance," said the MU School of Fine Arts Director Paul A. Balshaw.

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Williams, who has headed the Music Department at CSC-S since 1977, earned his Doctor of Musical Arts degree in clarinet performance from the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. He holds the Master of Music degree from Butler University in music history and literature and a Bachelor of Science degree in music education from Indiana State University.

From 1967 to 1977, he served as Music Department chairman and Unified Humanities Program director at Defiance College. He also was lecturer in clarinet at Eastern Michigan University while completing his doctorate.

A former public school teacher, he directed the model Laboratory School Music Program at Eastern Kentucky University in 1965-67.

The Illinois native's performance experience includes first clarinetist and woodwind quintet member with the Fort Wayne (Ind.) Symphony, second clarinetist with the Lexington (Ky.) Symphony, and principal clarinetist with the Modesto (Calif.) Symphony.

At CSC-S, Williams organized and coordinated the department's self-study for accreditation by the National Association of Schools of Music and was active in the Faculty Senate, holding various committee posts.

Secretary of the state-wide California Music Executives, he also is a member of the National Association of College Wind and Percussion Instructors, the Music Educators National Conference and other professional organizations.

A member of the CSC-S Arts Guild board of directors, he also advises the Modesto Symphony and Modesto Summer Music Festival boards.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Alan B. Gould has been appointed to succeed Dr. Philip J. Rusche as the Marshall University administration's representative on the MU Institutional Board of Advisors.

The announcement was made today by Dr. Sam Clagg, Marshall's acting president.

Rusche has resigned as dean of the MU College of Education to accept a similar position at the University of Toledo. Gould is dean of the College of Liberal Arts.

Under the law establishing the Institutional Board of Advisors, the Marshall president is required to appoint a person to represent the university administration on the board.

"Dr. Gould is one of our most senior administrators," Clagg said in announcing the appointment. "As a Marshall graduate, a long-time member of the faculty and former departmental chairman, he is knowledgeable about all aspects of the university. I believe he will serve us well as a member of the Institutional Board of Advisors," Clagg added.

Gould was named dean of the College of Liberal Arts in 1980 after serving three years as chairman of the Department of History. He joined the history faculty in 1969. A native of Huntington, he earned his A.B. and M.A. degrees from Marshall and his Ph.D. from West Virginia University. He also has served as assistant to the vice president for academic affairs at Marshall and director of the Regents Bachelor of Arts Degree program.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Fourteen West Virginia counties are represented in the Marshall University School of Medicine entering class, according to Cynthia Warren, assistant director of admissions.

The 48-member class also will include one resident each from Ohio, Kentucky and Virginia, she said.

"One of the most interesting things about this year's entering class is its age -- the average age is 26.1 years, quite a jump over last year's average age of 24.9 years," she said. "We have new students as young as 21 and as old as 41."

Ms. Warren said the school's Admissions Committee interviewed 224 of 490 applicants. Of the 48 chosen, 36 are male and 12 female. Thirty-four students are starting with bachelor's degrees, 11 with master's degrees and three with doctoral degrees (two of them pending).

Seven West Virginia colleges and universities are represented in the class: Marshall, West Virginia University, West Virginia State College, Fairmont State College, the University of Charleston, West Virginia Wesleyan College and West Virginia Institute of Technology.

The students and their hometowns are:

CABELL: Pamela G. Bailey, Barbara Bolton, Nancy L. Graham, Darlene Y. Gruetter, Christopher E. Hayner, James T. Holbrook, Allen B. Joseph, David C. Kowalski, Robert E. Mehl Jr., Manuel E. Molina, Jose A. Ottaviano, Mark F. Sheridan, Bartlett A. Stone and Glen E. Vanderzalm, all of Huntington; Shawn W. Coffman of Salt Rock and W. Michael Skeens of Barboursville;

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KANAWHA: Joseph P. Assaley, C. Steven Batiste, C. Stephen Edwards, E. Dale Grimmett, James C. McCabe, Yaacov R. Pushkin, Suzanne I. Starkey, Gary R. Youmans and Jeanne M. Zekan, all of Charleston; Charles Bukovinsky of Dunbar; Sandra Y. Elliott and Paul T. Kuryla, both of St. Albans;

HARRISON: Randall F. Hawkins of Bridgeport;

JEFFERSON: Christine A. Banvard of Shepherdstown and Thomas S. Wilson of Charles Town;

MARION: Kevin M. Clarke and Danny M. Phillips, both of Fairmont;

MASON: Martha N. Boonsue of Point Pleasant;

MERCER: Ignacio Cardenas of Princeton;

MONONGALIA: Imelda D. Stevenson of Morgantown;

NICHOLAS: Melody A. Eisenman of Nettie;

RALEIGH: James A. Barnes Jr. of Beckley;

UPSHUR: Darin K. Bowers of Buckhannon;

WAYNE: J. Michael Cassidy of Kenova, James F. Spears II of Fort Gay and Sheryl L. Stephens of Ceredo;

WOOD: Todd A. Broome and Yale D. Conley, both of Vienna;

WYOMING: Charles A. Garretson of Mullens;

BELMONT (Ohio): Mark E. Coggins of Shadyside;

FLOYD (Kentucky): Rondal E. Goble of Prestonsburg, and

TAZEWELL (Virginia): Donald W. Asbury of Bluefield.





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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Sarah N. Denman, Marshall University assistant professor of communications, has been named director of SCORES--Search Committee on Recruiting Excellent Students--at Marshall, MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr. announced today.

SCORES was formed in 1977 to strengthen efforts to recruit academically superior students through involvement of faculty members, according to Dr. Jones. "Every department on campus is represented in SCORES' membership," he said.

"SCORES has added a very personal touch to the recruitment efforts," Jones added. "Once an academically gifted student and his field of interest are identified the faculty liaison member from that department begins corresponding with the student, explaining the department's offerings," the provost continued.

"One of Mrs. Denman's major responsibilities will be coordinating the planning for Marshall's sixth annual Academic Festival, a sort of 'Academic Olympics' in which high school students from the region compete for scholastic honors," the provost said.

"One of SCORES' most successful programs, the festival has grown from approximately 300 participants from 26 Tri-State-Area schools in 1979 to more than 2,500 competitors from 50 schools last spring," he noted.

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A native of Kenova, Mrs. Denman has been a member of the MU Community College faculty since 1975 and previously taught English at Ceredo-Kenova High School. She holds the bachelor and master's degrees from Marshall and is pursuing the Doctor of Education degree in higher education administration under the cooperative program offered by Marshall, West Virginia University and the West Virginia College of Graduate Studies.

She recently became chairman of the university's Academic Planning and Standards Committee. As head of that standing committee, she serves on the MU Presidential Search and Screening Committee.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Career Planning and Placement Office will offer several workshops on career planning during August, according to Linda Olesen, assistant director of career planning and placement.

The workshops will include:

--Career Decision-Making for Women, from 1 to 3 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 2, and repeated on Tuesday, Aug. 9, at the same time.

--Career Planning for Freshmen, from noon to 1 p.m., on Wednesday, Aug. 3, and repeated Monday, Aug. 8, from 1 to 2 p.m.

--Career Planning for Upperclassmen and Graduate Students, from 1 to 2 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 11.

The sessions, which will meet in the CPP Office in the lobby of Prichard Hall, are open to the public. There will be a \$5 registration fee for the two-hour Career Decision-Making for Women workshop and a \$3 fee for each of the others.

MU students with valid summer ID cards will be admitted free, Ms. Olesen said. For additional information or to register, contact Ms. Olesen at 696-2370.

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July 27, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A nationally recognized authority on teaching methods for dyslexia will be the instructor for a week-long graduate course to be offered Aug. 1-6 by Marshall University's College of Education.

Alice Koontz, consultant to the Orton Dyslexic Society of Baltimore, will be making her third visit to Marshall as guest lecturer, according to Dr. Barbara Guyer, MU associate professor of education and Special Education Programs director.

"Prerequisites for the course, CI 647, Section 401, have been waived so that any interested teacher or parent may enroll in the class," Dr. Guyer said.

"An outstanding teacher, Ms. Koontz is on the faculty at Johns Hopkins University and also teaches at Columbia University," Dr. Guyer said.

The class sessions will run Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and will be taught off-campus at St. Joseph's Parish House in the 1300 block of Sixth Avenue. The cost for the three graduate credit hours class will be \$108 for West Virginia residents and \$366 for out-of-state residents.

Additional information on the class and how to register may be obtained by calling the MU Special Education Office, 696-2340.

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July 27, 1983

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Carolyn M. Karr, professor of social studies, will become acting assistant dean of Marshall University's College of Education, effective Sept. 1, MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr. announced today.

At that time, Dr. Karr will assume the duties handled by the current assistant dean, Dr. Jack Maynard, who will become acting dean of the college, Dr. Jones said.

Maynard will fill the vacancy occurring with the resignation of College of Education Dean Philip J. Rusche, which takes effect Aug. 31, during the search for a new dean.

"Dr. Karr's primary responsibilities will be advising students, assisting in budgetary planning and control, and working with faculty in course scheduling," the provost said.

A member of the MU faculty since 1966, Dr. Karr earned her A.B. and M.A. degrees from Marshall and holds the Ph.D. degree from Ohio State University. A Danforth Associate, she has taught at Purdue University and in the Cabell County school system.

She is the author of the "Political Biography of Henry Hatfield" (the 13th governor of West Virginia), co-author of "Modules in Political Inquiry," which has been used in Ohio's secondary schools, and has written a number of articles for professional journals.

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She is the author of a book to be published this fall, "Value Dilemmas of the Twenty-first Century," and has co-authored with two other Marshall social studies faculty members a textbook on West Virginia state government for use in West Virginia schools. Dr. Karr also is working on an expanded biography of Dr. Henry D. Hatfield.

A former president of the Marshall Chapter, American Association of University Professors (AAUP), she has served on the national board of directors of the Rural Women of America and was a participant in the White House Conference on Rural Development Policy.

A member of the American Association of Classroom Teachers, she is active in the state chapter, serving as political lobbyist and as a member of the executive board. She also is active with the Huntington Galleries Theatre Associates.

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June 27, 1983

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A limited number slots are still available for youngsters in kindergarten through seventh grade for Marshall University's Sports Fitness Camp to be held July 18-Aug. 5, according to Dr. Robert Saunders, associate professor of health, physical education and recreation and camp director.

Among the activities offered include swimming, gymnastics, diving, volleyball, fitness activities, tennis, badminton, weight training, softball, soccer, archery, wrestling, racquetball, hocker and basketball.

Headquartered in Henderson Center, the camp will be divided into two age levels: one for children ages five through seven (grades K-2) and another for children ages 8 through 13 (grades 3-7).

The younger group will meet from 8 to 10 a.m. Monday through Friday, while the older children will meet from 8 a.m. until noon. Cost for the young campers is \$75 per youngster, while the fee for the older group is \$95. Reduced rates are available for families wishing to enroll more than one child.

Additional information may be obtained by calling the Marshall HPER Department at 696-6490 or 696-3186.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. W. Donald Williams, Marshall University professor of health, physical education and recreation, has assumed the chairmanship of that department on an acting basis, MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr. announced today.

Williams fills the vacancy which occurred with the resignation of the previous department head, Dr. Robert Case, who accepted a similar post at Sam Houston University in Texas, the provost said.

Williams joined Marshall's HPER Department in 1972 as an associate professor and was head track and cross country coach for two seasons. He earned the B.S. degree from Concord College, an M.S. degree from West Virginia University and the Ed.D. from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, where he was named the 1971 Outstanding Graduate Student.

He previously taught and coached at Concord College, Beaver High School in Bluefield and Worthy High School in Saltville, Va.

A member of the American Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, Phi Delta Kappa education honorary, and Phi Epsilon Kappa physical education honorary, Williams also has had several articles published in professional journals.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Randall Jones, formerly with NCR Corporation in Staunton, Va., has accepted an appointment as micro-computer program coordinator and instructor in Marshall University's Community College, Dr. F. David Wilkin, dean of the college, announced today.

Jones, who earned the B.B.A. degree in management information systems from James Madison University, worked with NCR for six years in its data processing and system repair division.

"In addition to teaching four micro-computer classes this fall, Mr. Jones will be responsible for developing a two-year degree program in micro-computer applications for the Community College," Wilkin said.

"This will be a program in use of the personal computer (micro-computer) for the home and small businesses," Wilkin said. "The emphasis will be on problem solving utilizing the Visicalc series of programs," he added.

During the fall semester, the Community College will offer two five-week courses -- Introduction to Micro-Computers and Micro-Computer Applications in Accounting -- as well as two 10-week courses -- Micro-Computer Applications in Business and Micro-Computer Applications in Banking.

The classes, to be taught in the evening, will feature a combination of lecture and hands-on experience in the Community College's micro-computer lab.

Enrollment will be limited. Additional information on the classes or on the registration process may be obtained by calling the MJ Community College at 696-3646.



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July 28, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Ronald L. Crosbie, associate professor of health, physical education and recreation at Marshall University, has received the Distinguished West Virginian Award.

The award, the state's highest honorary recognition, was presented to Crosbie earlier this month by Governor John D. Rockefeller IV at the second annual Governor's Conference for Disabled Persons in appreciation of the educator's "exemplary service and outstanding achievements" on behalf of the disabled during 1981-83.

Crosbie, a member of the MU faculty since 1967, served as co-chairman of the first annual Governor's Conference and was chairman of this year's conference which was held at the Rehabilitation Center in Institute.

He also coordinated a regional community awareness seminar on the disabled at Marshall and other meetings of the Governor's Commission on Disabled Persons held on the campus in 1981 and 1982. He has been a member of the commission's Executive Planning and Education committees.

Currently, he is serving as assistant project coordinator for the Southern West Virginia Dean's Grant Consortium, which is charged with developing an effective teacher preparation program to address the classroom needs of handicapped students in a mainstream setting.

He earned the B.S. degree in physical education and recreation from Eastern Kentucky University, the M.A. degree in education from ECU and the Ed.D. degree from West Virginia University. He has done post-doctoral study at the University of Maryland's Therapeutic Recreation Management School and at Marshall.

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July 28, 1983

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Poet Gregory Orr will be on Marshall University's campus Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 3-4, as part of the English Department's Writer-in-Residency program. His visit has been made possible by a National Endowment for the Arts grant.

Orr will present a poetry reading at 2 p.m. on Wednesday and discuss "Elements of the Lyric Poem" at 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 4. Both events, which are free and open to the public, will be held in Corbly Hall 104.

Professor of English at the University of Virginia and poetry consultant for the Virginia Quarterly Review, Orr is the author of three books of poetry, all published by Harper & Row: "Burning the Empty Nests," "Gathering the Bones" and "Red House."

Currently, he is working on a fourth volume of verse and completing a critical study of the American poet Stanley Kunitz. The latter is to be published by Columbia University under its Contemporary Authors Series.

Orr's poetry has been published in many periodicals including The New Yorker and has appeared in various anthologies such as Donald Hall's "To Read a Poem," and Daniel Halpern's "The American Poetry Anthology."

A graduate of Antioch College and Columbia University, he has won several awards and received fellowships from the University of Michigan and the Guggenheim Foundation.

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July 28, 1983

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Foundation will provide nearly \$1.3 million in support for various MU faculty and student programs during the 1983-84 academic year, MU Foundation Director Bernard Queen announced today.

The funds come from three Foundation accounts: University's Greatest Needs, approximately \$200,000; Endowments, approximately \$500,000 and Current Unendowed, approximately \$600,000, Dr. Queen said.

"The \$199,908 allocation from the University's Greatest Needs account represents almost a \$30,000 increase over the previous year," Queen noted.

"A major portion of the University's Greatest Needs funds--\$60,900--has been allocated to faculty development programs, providing the opportunities for professional skills development and for attendance at professional conferences," Queen said.

Another \$67,743 will be used for 26 special projects, including workshops and seminars for faculty, student recruitment programs and matching funds for a federal student loan program.

Earmarked for continuing support programs ranging from College Bowl and Oral History of Appalachia to summer music camps and the National Merit Scholars Day is another \$55,765.

The remaining \$15,500 from the University's Greatest Needs allocation will go to the Office of Student Affairs for a variety of projects, including an alcohol concerns program and a lifestyles appraisal program.

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The \$488,950 from Endowment accounts includes \$129,000 in direct scholarships with the remaining funds earmarked for such programs as distinguished lectureships, distinguished professorships in journalism, business and political science, loans and other special projects.

The other \$583,410 from Unendowed Current Funds will be distributed as stipulated by the contributor. "The Unendowment Current account is one where the donors contribute monies annually for specific projects rather than commit themselves to an endowment," explained Queen.

He added that the University's Greatest Needs account, generated through annual contributions to the Foundation, is used to fund programs and projects as identified through proposals submitted either by individual faculty members, departments or colleges. The endowment accounts, which use proceeds from investment of the principal, generally are earmarked by the contributors for special purposes.

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Aug. 4, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A limited number of graduate and professional tuition waivers will be available for Marshall University's Fall Term, Graduate School Dean Robert F. Maddox announced today.

Graduate tuition waiver application forms are available now in the Graduate School Office or Finance Office. The Graduate School Office, which will award the graduate-level waivers, will begin accepting completed forms for processing during the week of Aug. 15-19, Dr. Maddox said.

Professional tuition waiver application forms may be obtained from the Office of the Dean, School of Medicine, Medical Education Building, VA Medical Center.

The waivers cover tuition, registration, Higher Education Resources and Faculty Improvement fees, however, waiver recipients will be required to pay the Student Activity Fee, Maddox said. Students who received waivers for the Second Summer Term must reapply for the Fall Term if they wish to be considered, he added.

The fee waivers will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis with priority consideration to be given faculty and staff members of Marshall and other West Virginia public and private colleges and universities and to students who are West Virginia residents. Students must be in good standing in their programs.

The Graduate Degree Scholarship Program is authorized under West Virginia law and provisions of the West Virginia Board of Regents Policy Bulletin 49, Maddox said.

Dates for application for Spring Term graduate fee waivers will be announced later.

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Aug. 5, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--American poet George Starbuck will visit Marshall University's campus Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 10-11, as part of the English Department's Writer-in-Residency program, according to Dr. John McKernan, MU professor of English and director of writing.

Starbuck's campus appearances have been made possible by a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts, McKernan said.

Starbuck will present a poetry reading at 2 p.m. on Wednesday and a lecture on contemporary poetry at 8 p.m. Thursday. The events, which are free and open to the public, will be held in Corbly Hall 104.

Born in Ohio in 1931, Starbuck studied at California Institute of Technology, the University of California at Berkeley, University of Chicago and Harvard University.

He is the author of six volumes of poetry: "Bone Thoughts," "White Paper," "Elegy in a Country Church Yard," "Desperate Measures," "Talkin' B.A. Blues," and "The Argot Merchant Disaster." His work has been included in numerous magazines and anthologies and Starbuck has presented readings throughout the United States--most recently at the Library of Congress--and in Europe.

Currently Starbuck is professor of English at Boston University. He has also taught at the University of Iowa, where he directed the Writers' Workshop; the State University of New York at Buffalo, and the Breadloaf Writers' Conference.

Awarded Guggenheim and Ingram Merrill fellowships, Starbuck also was a fellow at the American Academy of Rome for two years. Last May he received a \$5,000 award from the American Academy of Arts and Letters.

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Aug. 5, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University has been designated by the West Virginia Board of Regents as the site for the Autism Training Center for the state which was mandated by the 1983 Legislature.

Announcement of Marshall's selection was made jointly today by Regents Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs David R. Powers and MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr.

The legislation called for development by the board, or its designee, of a center for the training of teachers, parents, guardians and others important to an autistic person's education and training.

(Autism is a disorder in children marked by disturbances in developmental rates, disturbances in sensory responses, disturbances in speech and language, and disturbances in the capacity to appropriately relate to people, events and objects.)

"Marshall traditionally has been a leader in developing special education programs, and because of this the board believes the expertise is there to develop a model training program," Dr. Powers said.

"Marshall has received its charge and now must begin planning the best strategy for implementing this program," Provost Jones said. "We look at this as a challenging opportunity to serve the people of West Virginia.

"When notified that Marshall would be the site for this center, the Special Education faculty members committed themselves to providing a quality program," he said. "Their enthusiastic support is most gratifying."

Approximately \$150,000 has been earmarked for use for planning and implementation during the current academic year. The funding comes from the Board of Regents and from other institutions of higher education in the state system.

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"It is important to point out that establishing this training program does not in any way compete with the university's regular funding," Powers said. "The center will be a separately funded unit and housed within the College of Education under the Special Education Department," he stressed.

"There are two immediate tasks facing us," Jones said. "One, obviously, is the creation of a plan to develop the center's program, and the other is not only to budget our resources for this year but to develop a five-year budget projection," he added.

"There are a number of questions which just can't be answered at this time. We have the guidelines from the Legislature and now we must come up with specifics, such as staffing needs," he added.

Under the legislation, the center is to work with trainee teams composed of an autistic individual, parent or guardian, and a teacher or related professional who preferably already is interacting with the autistic individual.

A three-week training course is to be developed in which the trainee team will live in a special residence while undergoing the program at the center and follow-up services will be provided when the team returns to its community. The center also is to offer additional appropriate education programs for autistic individuals, professionals and parents or guardians.

By law, Marshall, as the Board of Regents-designated site for the center, will be responsible for the program's operation and governance. An advisory board composed of parents or guardians of autistic individuals, professionals and knowledgeable lay persons is to be created.

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Aug. 5, 1983

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Two Marshall University faculty members recently completed the requirements for their doctorates, MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr. announced today.

They are: Steven G. Cody, assistant professor of psychology, whose Ph.D. degree was conferred May 22 by the University of Connecticut, and R. Morris Coats, instructor of economics, whose Ph.D was conferred June 11 by Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

Dr. Cody's dissertation is entitled "The Stability and Impact of the Primary Representational System in Neurolinguistic Programming: A Critical Examination." "Voter Participation in Nineteenth Century British Parliamentary Elections" was Dr. Coats' dissertation topic.

Cody, who joined the MU faculty in 1982, earned his B.A. degree in psychology magna cum laude from St. Joseph's College in Brooklyn, N.Y., and his M.A. degree in clinical psychology from the University of Connecticut. He previously taught at the University of Connecticut and at Eastern Connecticut State College.

Coats, who joined Marshall's faculty in 1982 also, holds the B.S. degree in economics and business from Louisiana State University and the M.A. degree from VPI&SU. He previously taught at Lynchburg (Va.) College and at VPI.

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Aug, 7, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Computer and Information Science Department is fully staffed now and prepared to offer a full complement of classes with the start of the Fall Semester on Monday, Aug. 29, MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr. announced today.

"All vacancies have been filled and we are extremely grateful to Dr. Robert Babb, the department chairman, for his successful recruitment efforts in this, one of the most competitive fields," Dr. Jones said.

"The new appointees represent an excellent blend of computer technology experiences and we believe their expertise will enhance our existing program," Jones said. "As has been the custom in the past, the department also will employ personnel from business and industry on a part-time basis to assist in teaching some of the fundamental courses," he added.

In addition to Babb, the department's full-time faculty will include: Dr. Kathleen H. Duffy, assistant professor; Jamshid Haghighi, assistant professor; Paula J. Mitchell, instructor; Daniel K. Crotty, instructor, and Kenneth T. Milne, instructor.

Dr. Duffy has been coordinator of Special Studies, Planning and Institutional Research at the University of North Carolina since 1978. She earned her B.S. degree from Towson State University and her master's and doctoral degrees from Duke University.

She also has been an educational computing consultant for the North Carolina Educational Computer Service at UNC and a research associate with the National Educational Evaluation and Development Systems (NEEDS).

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Haghighi earned his B.S. degree from Pars College and his M.S. degree from Marshall. He holds Certificates in Programming in PL/1, OS-VS1, COBOL and RPGII from various computer schools including the IBM Education Center. A former graduate assistant in the departments of Physics and Mathematics at Marshall, he has taught computer science and mathematics at Dowling College. He also has a background as a systems programmer for several businesses.

Ms. Mitchell holds the B.S. and M.S. degrees in information systems from Arkansas State University, where she has been teaching. She also has an employment background in business.

Crotty, a Point Pleasant resident, earned his B.A. degree from Marshall, where he was an assistant in the Computer and Information Science Department lab.

He also has been a computer operator for the Huntington District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, responsible for monitoring a broad array of management, engineering and scientific data processes.

Milne, who earned his B.S. degree in computer science in 1981 from Michigan State University, is a programmer for Manufacturing Data Systems, Inc., in Michigan.

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Aug. 10, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A special class dealing with art experiences for the handicapped will be offered this fall by Marshall University's Art Department.

Offered on both the undergraduate and graduate level, it is a beginning class and students need not be artists to enroll, according to Dr. Ray Moorhead, assistant professor of art, who will teach the class.

Printmaking, crafts, painting and other art forms will be explored and each student will create an idea file of art experiences for the handicapped, Moorhead said.

The three-credit-hour class will be taught from 6 to 9 p.m. on Tuesdays, beginning Aug. 30, in Smith Hall 625.

The class is listed in the undergraduate section of Marshall's fall course schedule as Art 485, Section 101, Independent Study/Art for the Handicapped, and in the graduate section as Art 650, Section 104, Art Therapy/Special Education.

Additional information on the class may be obtained by calling the MU Art Department at (304) 696-6760.

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Aug. 15, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Six West Virginia high school graduates and one from Kentucky will enter Marshall University this fall as John Marshall Scholars, MU Foundation Executive Director Bernard Queen announced today.

The scholarship recipients are Victoria Aurelio of Dunbar, Gregory A. Hale of Huntington and Beth Ann Payne of Ashland, Ky., who will hold James H. and Ruth L. Fletcher John Marshall Scholarships; Darrin Bird of Huntington, Nicholas M. Komas of Barboursville, and Tami J. Trulson of Ona, who will hold Ashland Oil, Inc., John Marshall Scholarships, and Jennifer Omdorff of Quinwood, who will hold the MU Foundation John Marshall Scholarship.

Established through major contributions to the Marshall Foundation, the John Marshall Scholars program is designed to recognize academically outstanding high school graduates and to assist them in meeting their educational objectives at Marshall, Dr. Queen explained. The selection criteria also include leadership qualities as demonstrated by involvement in school and civic activities, he said.

The \$1,000 scholarships are renewable annually for four years, provided the student maintains a 3.5 academic grade point average. Selection of the award recipients is made by Marshall's Financial Aid Office, Ed Miller director.

As John Marshall Scholars, the seven incoming students join five other academically gifted students, who are returning to the campus this fall as John Marshall Scholars.

They are Calvin T. Clark of Huntington, holder of the Alva and Dixon Callihan John Marshall Scholarship; Torah Cottrill of Winfield, holder of the Jon Edward Thomas John Marshall Scholarship; Kelly Dotson of Charleston, holder of an Ashland Oil, Inc., John Marshall Scholarship; William S. Brosche of Wheeling, also an Ashland Oil, Inc., John

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Marshall Scholar, and Gregory Friel of Marlinton, who holds a Marshall University Alumni Association John Marshall Scholarship.

"This special endowed scholarship program was created expressly for the purpose of recruiting brilliant young students to campus, especially those who have been National Merit finalists or semi-finalists," Queen said.

"We are always looking for additional contributors to the John Marshall Scholars Program," Queen said. Major gifts of \$24,000 which have been earmarked for the Scholars account are invested and the interest received is used to finance the program, he added. "In addition to this our most prestigious scholarship program, there are other levels of support open to those interested in promoting academic excellence," he said.

Miss Aurelio, a National Merit Finalist, graduated first in her senior class at Dunbar High School, where she participated in a wide variety of extracurricular activities. Active in church youth work, she plans a career in medicine.

Bird, vice president of his senior class at Huntington East High School, was involved in several school organizations. A Boy Scout, he also was a coach for the Cabell County Youth Soccer League. Active in the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, he is interested in an engineering career.

Hale, a National Merit Finalist from Buffalo High School of Wayne, was president of his senior class and the Key Club. Active in the Trinity Church of God, he plans to major in psychology and enter medical school after graduation.

Komas, who already has 27 credit hours at Marshall under the university's early admissions program, graduated from Barboursville High School, where he was active in extracurricular activities and earned several scholastic awards, while participating in track and cross country.

Miss Orndorff, valedictorian of her senior class at Greenbrier West High School, participated in various school clubs and won several academic honors. Active in her church, she also served as a volunteer for the Special Olympics program.

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Miss Payne, a National Merit Finalist, graduated first in her class from Boyd County (Ky.) High School, where she was a member of the school's High Q team and was Student Council secretary. She also received numerous scholastic awards during her high school career.

Miss Trulson is a graduate of Milton High School, where officials described her as an "outstanding student." She was active in various school organizations, including serving as a Student Council representative and working on the school newspaper.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Beverly H. Twitchell, Marshall University assistant professor of art, has completed the requirements for the Ph.D. degree, MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr. announced today.

The degree was conferred May 22 by the State University of New York at Binghamton, Dr. Jones said. Dr. Twitchell's dissertation topic was "Cezanne and Formalism in Bloomsbury."

A member of the MU faculty since 1972, Dr. Twitchell earned her B.A. degree from Randolph-Macon Woman's College and the M.A. degree from Virginia Commonwealth University, where she was a graduate assistant.

She is a member of the American Association of Museums and the College Art Association of America.

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Aug. 16, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Two Marshall University faculty members have been appointed as chairmen of their respective departments, according to MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr.

Dr. Michael J. Galgano, who holds the rank of professor, has assumed the History Department's chairmanship, and Dr. Guru B. Kademani, associate professor, will head the Management Department, Dr. Jones said.

Galgano, a member of the faculty since 1971, fills a vacancy created with the appointment of the former chairman, Dr. Robert F. Maddox, as Graduate School dean. Kademani, who joined the faculty in 1973, will succeed Dr. Robert P. Alexander, who assumes the position of College of Business dean with the opening of Marshall's Fall Semester on Aug. 29.

"Both men received enthusiastic endorsements from their departmental colleagues," Jones said. "We are pleased that they have accepted these leadership roles," he added.

Galgano, who earned his doctorate from Vanderbilt University, has been director of the University Honors Program since 1979 and was director of the Oral History of Appalachia Program from 1973 to 1978.

A recipient of several research grants, including a National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship in Residence for College Teachers, Galgano has had numerous research papers published in various scholarly periodicals.

Kademani, who holds a Ph.D. degree from the University of Georgia, is a specialist in behavioral approaches to management. He is a member of several professional organizations including the Academy of Management.

He also has had several research articles published in professional journals as well as being the author of two annotated bibliographies which were published by the Center for Management Systems at the University of Georgia.



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Aug. 16, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ATTN: SPORTS EDITORS

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. C. Robert Barnett, Marshall University associate professor of health, physical education and recreation, was elected president of the Professional Football Researchers Association (PFRA) at the group's annual meeting Saturday, Aug. 13, in Canton, Ohio.

PFRA, founded in 1979, has approximately 250 members, who include educators, football public relations personnel and hobbyists. It was established as a means of encouraging the study of professional football as a social and athletic institution, for providing accurate historical accounts and to disseminate research information.

Barnett, who joined the faculty in 1972, earned his B.A. degree from Marshall and his M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from Ohio State University.

He is a member of several professional organizations including the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, North American Society for Sport History, West Virginia Historical Association and West Virginia Wrestling Officials.

Barnett, a native of Newell, also has received several research grants from various foundations, including the National Endowment for the Humanities.

A contributor to scholarly journals, he also is a free-lance writer and has been published in such professional football periodicals as "Football Digest," "Packer Report," "Bear Report," "Dolphin Digest," "Pittsburgh Steelers Weekly," and "Chargers Football Weekly."

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Aug. 17, 1983

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Wallace E. Knight, Marshall University associate professor of journalism, has been named acting director of the W. Page Pitt School of Journalism, MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr. announced today.

Knight will direct the school's program until a permanent successor to the former director, Dr. Deryl Leaming, has been found, Dr. Jones said. Leaming resigned earlier this summer to become head of the Communications Department at Georgia State University in Atlanta.

"Mr. Knight was highly recommended by his dean and his colleagues in the school," Jones said. "He has more than 30 years of experience in public relations, advertising and news reporting and should provide the faculty and programs with strong leadership during the transition period," he noted.

Knight, former director of editorial services for Ashland Oil, Inc., joined Marshall's journalism faculty in 1982. He had held various public relations posts with Ashland Oil since 1963. Knight is a member of the Public Relations Society of America.

Before joining Ashland Oil, Knight worked for seven years with United Carbon Co. as the firm's first public relations representative. Prior to that, he was business and industry editor for the Charleston Gazette.

A native of Charleston, Knight earned his B.A. degree from West Virginia Wesleyan College and his master's degree from Ohio University.

A nationally-recognized author and poet, Knight has had works published in "The Atlantic Monthly," "Mother Jones," "Best American Short Stories of 1973" and "American Literature: The South."

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His novel, "Lightstruck," was published in 1979 by Little, Brown and Co., and a book-length narrative poem, "Out of Wilderness," was published in 1981.

He and his wife, the former Betty Harriett Howery, live in Ashland, Ky., and are the parents of four children.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The laughing, rough-and-tumble children who live it up at Camp Good Days and Special Times have valid cause to treasure each good day and special time -- they have cancer.

Although Camp Good Days is in New York's Adirondacks, it comes a little closer to the Mountain State through Dr. Martin L. Klemperer, Pediatrics Department chairman at the Marshall University School of Medicine. As the camp's medical co-director, he has worked with the project since its beginnings in 1980.

"Really, it's not that different from any summer camp, but many of these children get a chance to do things they've never done before -- maybe ride in a hot air balloon or look over an Army helicopter," he said. "They also have the traditional camp activities: swimming, boating, sports, craft classes.

"Even though some of them need golf carts to get around or special helmets to protect their heads, they don't seem sick. They're just normal kids who happen to have cancer," he said.

"For a lot of these children, it helps to be around others with the same problem," he added. "If they've lost their hair from chemotherapy or an arm through surgery, the rest of the group just takes it for granted."

Klemperer said the camp has a "tremendous" impact on the children, who range from early elementary age through high school age.

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"I'd say that almost invariably any child with cancer is a protected child," he explained. "The child is always watched over, even though we try to get the message across to the family to treat him normally. As a result, the child doesn't get to do all the things he or she is really able to do."

Klemperer said the camp gives parents a vacation, too. "We don't allow them to visit," he said. "Since we have at least one doctor and two nurses on the staff, parents can leave their children with a clear mind."

He said the camp is designed primarily for children in fairly good physical shape. Some take only pills; others need no medication at all.

The medical staff, like the rest of the staff, is volunteer. "It has worked out superbly," Klemperer said. "Last year we had more than 500 applications for about 90 positions." Volunteers have ranged from high school students to teachers to a family court judge.

"The first two years, we were more worried about the counselors than the campers," he said. "They had this fear that the children would die suddenly, and got very worried about any little injury. But by the third year, we had enough returning counselors who were used to the kids that the atmosphere relaxed a little.

"This is one of those things that grabs you," he said. "The counselors usually have no experience in child care, but they have a tremendous interest in helping these kids have a good time."

Nonetheless, the job of counselor has its tough moments. "Each year there have been one or two children we knew were not going to make it. Their last wish was to go to camp, to swim and hike," he said. "There's always the uncertainty that one of your favorite campers may never be back."

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In the first three years, 21 former campers had died, including the daughter of camp founder Gary Mervis. When other summer camps would not accept 10-year-old Teddi because she had a brain tumor, Mervis patterned Camp Good Days after a similar special camp in Michigan. Klemperer, who was then teaching at the nearby University of Rochester, lent his medical support to help get the camp started.

He said none of the 150 campers participating in this year's two one-week sessions is from this area, but he hopes that will change next year. "This is such a wonderful opportunity for the child," he said. "I really hope that we will be able to start something similar in West Virginia, but it will take a great deal of public interest and support.

"But it's all worthwhile when you see how good it is for the kids," he added. "The effects last long after the camp ends. They feel they have really lived."

This year's camps run Aug. 21-27 and Aug. 28-Sept. 3.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University will hold its ninth annual Open House for Women Program Tuesday, Aug. 23, at 1 p.m. and again at 7 p.m. in Memorial Student Center's Special Dining Room.

The program is for women who have been working or raising a family and now wish to continue or begin their education but feel the need of some assistance in making that first step, according to Dr. James Harless, MU admissions director.

Various university administrators will be on hand to provide information on the admissions procedure, financial aid, student services and special programs such as the Regents Bachelor of Arts degree. Those participants who wish to enroll will be guided through their initial registration.

"One of the most popular features of the open house in the past has been having women who recently returned to the classroom discuss their fears about becoming a student again, their problems as a student and how they found solutions," Dr. Harless said. "This will be part of this year's program as well," he added.

Parking will be available on the university's parking lots on the north side of Third Avenue, between Elm Street and Hal Greer Boulevard.

Additional information on the open house may be obtained by calling Marshall's Admissions Office, (304) 696-3160.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--William K. Diehl of Lynchburg, Va., has been named Gannett Distinguished Professor on the faculty of Marshall University's W. Page Pitt School of Journalism.

As the holder of the distinguished professorship, Diehl will teach journalism courses at both the undergraduate and graduate levels and serve as liaison for Marshall's School of Journalism with state and regional news media. The appointment is effective Aug. 29.

Diehl has been editorial page editor for the Lynchburg Daily Advance since 1976. His career extends from part-time reporting for the Norfolk (Va.) Ledger-Dispatch in 1937, while he was in high school, and includes a wide variety of media activities. Among these were stints as sports editor at Norfolk, managing editor of the Culpeper (Va.) Star-Exponent, general manager of the Long Branch (N.J.) Daily Record, and owner-manager of a radio station in North Carolina.

He also has served as a journalism instructor at Lynchburg College, from which he holds a master's degree in education. He is a graduate of Edison (N.J.) College.

The Gannett Distinguished Professorship is funded largely by the Frank E. Gannett Newspaper Foundation. Diehl will be the third person to hold that post at Marshall University.

The Marshall School of Journalism has some 350 undergraduate and graduate students, and offers degrees in a number of sequences, including news-editorial, advertising, broadcast journalism and public relations.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Penalties for violation of parking regulations at Marshall University will be much stiffer this fall, according to Marshall's Public Safety Office.

"Under a new state law now in effect, any person violating campus parking or traffic rules will receive a citation which carries with it a \$10 penalty," said Bonnie J. Lytle, MU assistant director for parking. "The law does not provide for warning citations," she added.

The penalty is the same for all violations whether it is an expired meter, illegally parking in a handicapped zone, or parking on a campus lot without a valid sticker," she stressed.

"Every effort is being made to have signs listing the regulations on all campus lots in time for the start of the Fall Semester on Monday, Aug. 29," she said.

"The regulations will be enforced 24 hours a day, which means citations will be written in the evenings," Ms. Lytle said. "I'd advise anyone taking a night class to apply immediately for a parking permit. There is no waiting list for evening permits," she added.

"There is about a one semester delay in daytime parking permits, but I'd advise anyone wishing a day permit to make application now--the sooner the better," Ms. Lytle said.

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Application may be made at the Public Safety Office, 1819 Fifth Avenue, during the hours of 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, Aug. 29-Sept. 1, however, the office will extend its hours to 7 p.m. and will be open those hours the following Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 6-7, to assist evening students in obtaining permits.

"The new law concerning campus parking not only applies to Marshall's lots, but to all schools within the state system," Ms. Lytle noted. "So it is a problem to be dealt with statewide," she said.

Citations will be issued for lot parking without a valid permit for that area; unauthorized parking in a handicapped space; parking in any unauthorized zone; expired meter; parking in specific "no parking" areas, including fire lanes and parking zones;

Parking in restricted areas such as on sidewalks, crosswalks, grass, building entrances, etc.; blocking traffic, roadway or parked vehicles; double parking; parking outside of lined spaces in parking areas; exceeding the time limit in posted short term zones; failure to display or improper display of valid sticker; parking vehicles so that permits or license plates are not visible; simultaneous parking of two vehicles issued permits under one fee, and any other flagrant or hazardous parking violation.

The citation calls for an appearance before the assistant director for parking within five days--excluding Saturdays, Sundays and university holidays. Violators have the option of paying the penalty then or appealing the citation. Those appealing the citation will appear before Huntington's municipal judge and, if found guilty, will be subject to a fine of not less than \$10 or more than \$20.

If a person fails to respond to a citation with the five-day period, the matter automatically falls under the municipal court's jurisdiction.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Registration for Marshall University's Fall Semester will be conducted from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 29, in Memorial Student Center, according to Registrar Robert H. Eddins.

Fall Semester night classes will begin meeting that same evening and daytime classes will begin meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 30, the registrar said.

Course schedules, which contain specific registration details, are available in the Registrar's Office, Old Main 106. Entry into the registration area will be by an alphabetical system based on the student's last name. The schedule is as follows:

8 a.m., A; 9 a.m., B; 10 a.m., C; 11 a.m., D-E-F-G; Noon, H-I-J-K-L; 1 p.m., M; 2 p.m., N-O-P-Q-R; 3 p.m., S; 4 p.m., T-U-V; 5 p.m., W-X-Y-Z, and 6 to 8 p.m., open.

Students may register at their scheduled time or any time thereafter. MU student ID cards will be necessary for registration and all fees must be paid at this time.

Schedules may not be adjusted during this registration period, but will be processed during late registration on Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 31 and Sept. 1, as outlined in the course schedule.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's College of Liberal Arts will offer basic undergraduate courses in several areas, including English, Music, History, Sociology, Speech and Psychology, at various off-campus locations this fall, according to MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr.

Classes will be taught at the high schools in Barboursville, Milton, Wayne and Point Pleasant.

"We are expanding our campus services to make them more accessible to people, who for one reason or another, can not attend classes on the main campus," Dr. Jones said.

The classes chosen for this semester are introductory courses and are open to any high school graduate or advanced high school senior who wishes to enroll, Jones said.

Registration for the classes, which are not listed in the Fall Course Schedule, will be conducted at the first class meeting. All but the music class will carry three hours of credit. The cost for a three-hour class for a West Virginia resident is \$84.

All classes, except for the history class at Point Pleasant, will meet from 6:30 to 9 p.m. History 313 (American History Since 1877) will be taught from 4 to 6:30 p.m.

Class offerings and their locations are as follows:

#### BARBOURSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Fundamentals of Speech--Communication (SPH 103), Mondays beginning Aug. 29.

General Psychology (PSY 201), Tuesdays, beginning Aug. 30.

#### MILTON HIGH SCHOOL

General Psychology (PSY 201), Mondays beginning Aug. 29.

Music Appreciation (MUS 142), Mondays beginning Aug. 29.

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Fundamentals of Speech--Communication (SPH 103), Tuesdays beginning Aug. 30.

English Composition (ENG 101), Thursdays beginning Sept. 1.

POINT PLEASANT HIGH SCHOOL

General Psychology (PSY 201), Mondays beginning Aug. 29.

American History Since 1877 (HST 313), Tuesdays beginning Aug. 30.

English Compositon (ENG 101), Wednesdays beginning Aug. 31.

Fundamentals of Speech--Communication (SPH 103) Thursdays beginning Sept. 1.

Introductory Sociology (SOC 200), Thursdays beginning Sept. 1.

WAYNE HIGH SCHOOL

General Psychology (PSY 201), Mondays beginning Aug. 29.

Introductory Sociology (SOC 200), Tuesdays beginning Aug. 30.

Fundamentals of Speech--Communication (SPH 103), Thursdays beginning Sept. 1.

Additional information on the course offerings may be obtained by calling the MU

College of Liberal Arts, 696-2350.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's offices of housing, financial aid and cashier will be open Sunday, Aug. 28, so that returning students can avoid the last minute rush expected on Monday during Fall Semester registration.

Students returning to the campus residence halls may begin moving into their rooms at 9 a.m. The Student Housing Office will be open from 1 to 5 p.m. to assist students who wish to live on campus, but who did not make arrangements to do so earlier.

"There are still a few rooms available in the residence halls and they will be assigned on a first come, first served basis," said Ray Welty, MU assistant director of housing.

Student Financial Aid and the Cashier offices will be open from 2 to 5 p.m.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A seminar for hospital personnel on Diagnosis Related Groups, Medicare's new payment system, will be offered Thursday, Sept. 8, by the Marshall University School of Nursing.

The event will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Don Morris Room of Marshall's Memorial Student Center.

"The DRG system, which will go into effect in October, has caused quite a bit of concern among hospital staffs in this area," said Jane C. Fotos, School of Nursing continuing education director.

The DRG system is based on a prospective payment concept, Ms. Fotos said. Hospitals receive a flat fee for each Medicare case based on the diagnosis.

"Our seminar will provide practical information on what it takes to implement the DRG system in a hospital," she said. "We'll also cover DRGs' impact on various departments -- medical records, data processing and nursing administration, among others.

"So far we have about 200 participants, some from as far away as Weirton," she said.

The agenda includes: construction and formation of DRGs; prospective reimbursement; the role of the medical records department; physicians and the DRG model; DRG management protocols -- getting ready; clinical/financial implications for nursing, and nursing and the DRG budget.

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Julie A. Micheletti and William P. McHenry Jr. of the New York accounting firm Coopers and Lybrand will lead the seminar. Ms. Micheletti is manager of national health care practice in the firm's New York office and is co-author of "DRGs: A Practitioner's Guide." McHenry works in Washington, D.C., as manager of government relations. He edits the group's Health Legislation Washington Newsletter.

Advance registration is \$35 per person, Ms. Fotos said, with a special advance rate of \$30 per person for groups of 10 or more from a single agency. Registration at the door is \$40.

For more information, call 696-6750 or write Ms. Fotos at the School of Nursing, Marshall University, Huntington, WV 25701.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Marshall University School of Medicine/Veterans Administration physician has been awarded three diabetes research and education grants totaling \$135,000.

Dr. Bruce S. Chertow will receive \$110,000 from the VA for a three-year study of defects which may lead to diabetes and \$15,000 from Squibb-Novvo, a drug company, to study the use of human insulin in pregnancy. He also has a grant of \$10,000 from the Huntington Clinical Foundation for a diabetes patient education program.

"The VA study is important because it could help us learn more about the cause of diabetes, which is the third leading cause of death," said Chertow, a professor of medicine. "We will actually be looking at the way insulin is produced in rats. If we can figure out why the body stops making insulin, we could start looking for ways to correct the root problem."

In the Squibb-Novvo grant, he will study whether human insulin works better than pork insulin in pregnant diabetics.

"The body treats pork insulin as a foreign substance," Chertow said. "It forms antibodies and builds up resistance against the insulin. These antibodies could be transferred from mother to baby and interfere with the production of insulin in the baby.

"The body may build up less resistance to human insulin, which would mean we could control the diabetes better," he added. "We're studying pregnancy because this is a period when controlling the disease is critical, both for the mother and the child. The patients who participate in the study will benefit since they will be closely monitored and will be receiving the purest form of insulin."

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The diabetes education program teaches patients "survival skills," Chertow said.

"We think that controlling blood sugar will help prevent the complications of diabetes, and this program teaches patients how to participate in their own health care," he said.

"We have a specially trained registered nurse, Lois Morrison, who helps patients learn about their disease and, for example, how to monitor their blood sugar levels at home," he said. "She also answers our diabetes hotline, which is 526-0694.

"Our dietitian, Joan Bassford, helps patients work out an appropriate diet, then provides continued support through follow-up visits," he added.

Chertow said any physician can refer patients directly to Mrs. Bassford or Mrs. Morrison for diabetes education and diet counseling.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. James J. Young of the West Virginia Board of Regents staff will speak at Marshall University School of Medicine opening exercises at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Memorial Student Center.

Young, vice-chancellor for health affairs, will speak on "the changing environment -- its impact on health education," according to his secretary.

Dr. Patrick I. Brown, associate dean for student affairs, said the public is invited both to the exercises and the reception following.

Awards will be presented to last year's outstanding first-, second- and third-year students.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Although the popularly-prescribed drug Motrin has proved safe for treating pain ranging from arthritis to menstrual cramps, it could prove harmful if used with some severe infections, a Marshall University School of Medicine study shows.

Bryan Larsen, Ph.D., who performed the research, presented his findings at the International Congress for Infectious Diseases Aug. 24-27 in Vienna, Austria.

"Our research deals with a possible new use for Motrin, or ibuprofen, so this is not something the average person taking the drug has to worry about," said Larsen, an assistant professor of obstetrics/gynecology. "Motrin got to be the nation's No. 8-selling drug because it is safe and effective."

Motrin and other drugs in the same class -- including aspirin -- produce such varied effects because they act on the body's chemical signalling system, Larsen said.

"Because their action is so diverse, you can imagine a lot of ways to use them," he said. "One area that's getting some interest right now is for treating acute shock and preventing the cardiovascular collapse that can go with it. My research dealt with endotoxic shock, in which toxins actually get into the bloodstream -- maybe for a surgical infection or a ruptured appendix.

"There are a lot of logical reasons why these drugs could help prevent death from endotoxic shock," he added. "However, in our experiments the symptoms got worse in the rats taking Motrin, and they were more apt to die than untreated rats."

Paradoxically, other studies show that Motrin might help in the early stages of shock, Larsen said. "It could be that the drug is only harmful in the later stages. But our studies here indicate that caution is definitely called for: this is something that could backfire on us."

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Larsen said an obscure report from Brazil prompted his interest in the Motrin research. "The report was never published in English, but I got hold of a translation. The researchers there said that patients with infections recovered more quickly if they received Motrin plus antibiotics.

"My idea was to do some more basic studies to find out why this was working," he said. "It was quite a surprise when the rats started dying."

Larsen then shifted his emphasis to confirming that the combination of infection plus Motrin was causing the deaths.

"Of course, I was working with mice and rats," he said. "Nobody knows yet whether the same thing would happen with rabbits or guinea pigs or humans."

Larsen said he'd now like to look at another drug in the same group -- Oraflex, an arthritis drug recently removed from the market after being implicated in several deaths. "It would be interesting to find out just what caused the deaths with each drug -- a change in the blood's clotting function, some change in liver function, or whatever," he said.

The National Institutes of Health helped fund the Austria trip for Larsen and 24 other U.S. researchers.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Jazz pianist Marian McPartland will open the 1983-84 Marshall Artists Series' Forum Division with an 8 p.m. performance Thursday, Sept. 15, in Old Main Auditorium.

Admission will be by season ticket or general admission at \$5 for adults, \$2.50 for youth age 17 and under and \$2.50 for MU employees and part-time MU students.

Season tickets are still available for the Forum which includes a series of travel film lectures, a one-man show on William Faulkner and a lecture on "Computers for World Peace." Season memberships are \$28 each.

Tickets are available from the Artists Series Office, located on the first floor of Memorial Student Center. The telephone number is (304) 696-6656.

Described by New York Times music critic John Wilson as "a fascinating, inventive pianist, playful, probing and provocative," Ms. McPartland is a Britisher who has become a superstar in what usually is considered the largely black, male American jazz world.

Trained as a classical pianist, Ms. McPartland will play a variety of selections, ranging from jazz and ragtime to popular tunes, including pieces by Duke Ellington and George Gershwin.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Community College will offer a wide range of continuing education and community service classes this fall, according to Robert L. Lawson, continuing education director.

The fall schedule includes 19 classes, ranging from the study of Arab culture and civilization to beginning clogging and from bread baking to photography.

"There are a number of new classes, such as clogging and personal survival tactics, and many of our most popular ones have been expanded to include some new materials. There's even one on how to conduct a yard sale," Lawson said.

"The classes offer members of the community an opportunity for cultural, personal and professional enrichment--as well as just plain fun," he added.

Taught of an evening, the classes begin the third week of September and most will meet through the first week of November. Cost for enrolling will depend upon the class selected. The enrollment fee ranges from \$15 to \$164.50, but most classes cost between \$30 and \$40.

The schedule will include the following noncredit courses:

## MONDAYS

Conversational German, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 19-Nov. 7, Smith Hall 416, \$35 fee, Erika Minirmi, instructor.

Introduction to Photography, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 19-Nov. 7, Harris Hall 139, \$40 fee, John Lloyd instructor.

Dynamic Mind Power, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 19- Nov. 7, Harris Hall 331, \$30 fee, Jeanne Crowther instructor.

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Basketball Officiating, 6 to 9 p.m., Oct. 3-24, and 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays, Harris Hall 139, \$40 fee, Willard Hunter instructor.

Ground School Aviation, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays, Sept. 19-Nov. 7, Gullickson Hall 213, \$164.50 fee, Don Clay and Trey Mace instructors.

TUESDAYS

Conversational Spanish, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Smith Hall 414, \$35 fee, Laura Adkins instructor.

World Affairs Discussion Group, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Smith Hall 336, \$30 fee, Clair Matz instructor.

How to Conduct a Successful Yard Sale, 6 to 8 p.m., Sept. 20-Oct. 4, Corbly Hall 306, \$15 fee, Donald Wilkes instructor.

Personal Survival Tactics, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Harris Hall 331, \$25 fee, Glenn Crouse instructor.

Basic Obedience - "Dog Training," 7 to 8:30 p.m., Sept. 27-Nov. 1, Community College Lawn, \$15 fee, Raymond Huck instructor.

Personal Financial Management, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Corbly Hall 305, \$40 fee, Robert Russell instructor.

Tapping Community Resources, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Harris Hall 441, \$35 fee, Jonathan Williams instructor.

Aerobic Exercise for Adults, 5:15 to 6:15, Tuesdays and Thursdays, Sept. 20-Nov. 3, Gullickson Hall 206, \$15 fee, Sandy Walls instructor.

Beginning Clog Dance Class, 8 to 10:30 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Henderson Center Hallway Level E, \$40 fee, Jim Bowling instructor.

WEDNESDAYS

Advanced Microwave Cooking, 6:30 to 9 p.m., Nov. 9- Dec. 21, Corbly Hall 103, \$40 fee, Janet Yost instructor.

Bread Baking Techniques, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 21-Oct. 26, Corbly Hall 103, \$30 fee, Donald Chezik instructor.

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Beginning Clog Dance Class, 8 to 10:30 p.m., Sept. 21-Nov. 9, Henderson Center Hallway Level E, \$40 fee, Jim Bowling instructor.

THURSDAYS

The Arab World, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 22-Nov. 10, Smith Hall 232, \$30 fee, Jabir Abbas instructor.

Chinese Cooking, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 22-Nov. 10, Corbly Hall 103, \$40 fee, Robin Ziegler instructor.

Ballroom Disco and Country Style Dancing, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 22-Nov. 10, Gullickson Hall 206, \$30 singles, \$45 couples, Jack Austin instructor.

A brochure describing the various classes in detail may be obtained from the Community College by calling 696-3646. Advance registration is necessary. Registrations will be accepted by telephone or mail up to one week prior to the first class session. After that time, registration must be made in person at the Continuing Education Office, which is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Community College will offer a one-day Physical Fitness Workshop from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 24, in Henderson Center Room 2003.

Conducted by Shapes Fitness Center, the workshop will include fitness testing, stretching-flexibility exercises, proper diet and exercise and strength training.

Following the fitness testing, individually-tailored exercise programs will be provided, according to Robert L. Lawson, MU Community College Continuing Education director.

Cost of the workshop is \$35 and advance registration is necessary, Lawson said. Additional information and registration details may be obtained by calling the MU Community College at (304) 696-3646.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A "Freedom from Smoking" clinic will be offered to the public by Marshall University's Student Development Center in conjunction with the American Lung Association of West Virginia (ALAWV).

The eight sessions will be conducted over a nine-week period and will be held on Mondays, with one exception, according to Bonnie Trisler, MU Student Health Programs director.

The sessions, which begin Monday, Sept. 26, will run from 3 to 5 p.m. in Memorial Student Center 2W37. There will be a \$10 registration fee for students with valid MU ID cards and a \$35 fee for non-students, Ms. Trisler said.

"This is an excellent time for those people who've considered stopping smoking to try it," said Kathi Elkins, Kanawha Valley Region ALAWV program director. "The rising cost of cigarettes when added to the health factor may be just the extra impetus to help some make that decision," she added.

Additional information on the clinic may be obtained by calling the MU Student Development Center, (304) 696-2324.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A former director of the American Council for the Arts has been selected to conduct a facilities needs assessment for the fine and performing arts at Marshall University.

Approval was given Tuesday by the West Virginia Board of Regents for Ralph Burgard, an arts planning official from New York City, to complete the project. He is one of several who were interviewed by officials of Marshall and the Board of Regents staff.

"We're pleased with the selection of a person with Mr. Burgard's impressive credentials to conduct this important study," MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr. commented. "The facilities needs assessment is a major step leading toward construction of new facilities for the fine and performing arts at Marshall. We have a great need for those facilities and we are looking forward to working with Mr. Burgard to develop them."

Working with faculty and staff involved in the arts programs at Marshall, as well as with interested persons from the community, Burgard first will review studies which have been conducted by Marshall. He then will identify space needs and evaluate existing facilities on campus and in the community.

Finally, he will provide recommendations on any new construction needed and on the various options which may exist. The report will be the basis for development of designs to meet the construction needs identified by Marshall and Burgard.

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The study, scheduled to be completed by Nov. 1, is to include an evaluation of the Keith-Albee Theatre to determine the feasibility of including it in any fine and performing arts facilities plan for Marshall.

A native of Buffalo, N.Y., and a graduate of Dartmouth College, Burgard served as manager of the Rhode Island Philharmonic Orchestra and later was associate manager of the Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra. He subsequently served as director of arts councils in Winston-Salem, N.C., and St. Paul, Minn. Both groups built major arts centers during his tenures with them.

In 1965, he became the first director of the American Council for the Arts, serving until 1970. Since then, he has completed cultural plans for cities and counties throughout the country and serves as a consultant to a number of states, as well as the federal government.

Currently, he is involved in the development of a cultural plan for Columbia, S.C., in collaboration with the University of South Carolina. He has just completed a cultural plan in connection with a major redevelopment project for Norfolk, Va.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--William A. Altemeier, M.D., a national authority on surgical infections, leads the list of guest faculty for the Marshall University School of Medicine's fourth annual Surgical Symposium Sept. 24, according to Dr. Robert Bradley, Surgery Department chairman.

"This conference is devoted to the current state of the art in surgical infections, and should be meaningful to all people treating infections," Bradley said. "Dr. Altemeier is one of the pioneers in surgical bacteriology in this country, and he remains pre-eminent in the field."

The symposium will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in Marshall's Memorial Student Center.

The program will include talks on topics such as peritonitis, intra-abdominal abcess, tissue gas and infection complications. Workshops on hepatitis, genito-urinary infections and antibiotic use also will be offered.

Altemeier is the Christian R. Holmes professor emeritus of surgery at the University of Cincinnati. He is past president of the American Surgical Association, the American College of Surgeons, the Society of Clinical Surgery, the Central Surgical Association and the Society for Surgery of the Alimentary Tract. He studied septic and irreversible shock for the U.S. Army and served on the U.S. government's Intersociety Committee on Antibiotic Usage.

The guest faculty also includes Robert L. Yarrish, M.D., Westley Furste, M.D., and Donald E. Fry, M.D.

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Furste is clinical professor of surgery at Ohio State University and chairman of surgery at Mt. Carmel Medical Center, where he serves on the Cross Infections Committee, the Infection Study Committee and the Surgical Conference Committee. He is president of the Columbus Surgical Society and is the founder of the Digestive Disease Foundation. He is a founding member of the American Trauma Society Inc., and has served on its board of directors.

Yarrish serves as an assistant professor of medicine at New York Medical College. He has worked as a research physician for the Institute of Cancer Research in Philadelphia and is a member of the American Society for Microbiology, the American Federation for Clinical Research and the American College of Physicians.

Fry is chief of surgery at the Cleveland Veterans Administration Hospital.

Six Marshall University School of Medicine physicians also will serve on the symposium's faculty: Bradley; James A. Coil, M.D.; William Graham, M.D.; Anthony Horan, M.D.; Kenneth S. Scher, M.D., and J. Michael Seddon, M.D.

The program has been approved by Marshall for category I continuing medical education credit and prescribed credit for the American Academy of Family Physicians. It also has been submitted for review and approval for American Osteopathic Association CME credit.

The program's cost is \$65 for physicians, \$10 for resident physicians and medical students, and \$30 for nurses, physician assistants, medical technologists and others.

For more information, contact Dr. Charles W. Jones at 526-0515.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--An appearance by the Ballet Nacional Espanol will open the 1983-84 Marshall Artists Series' Community Division at 8 p.m. Monday, Sept. 19, at the Keith-Albee Theatre.

Tickets for the performance are available from the Artists Series Office, located in Memorial Student Center. Reserved seats are available for \$15, \$13 and \$10 each. Youth age 17 and under may purchase balcony seats at \$5 each.

Season subscriptions are still available, according to Mrs. Nancy P. Hindsley, MU cultural events coordinator. Reserved seats for the full season of four events may be purchased at \$58, \$48 or \$40 each, depending on location.

The series will include the Cleveland Orchestra with Eduardo Mata as conductor, the New York City Opera National Company with "La Boheme," and a production of the Broadway play "Promenade All."

Additional ticket information may be obtained by calling the Artists Series Office, (304) 696-6656.

Highlighting the Ballet Nacional's program will be the performance of Manuel de Falla's "Three Cornered Hat" with costumes and scenery by Picasso.

Spanish ballet combines the refined elegance of the Spanish royal court with the vigorous spirit of Spanish folk dancing and the excitement of the gypsy flamenco dance. The program will include works representative of all three styles.

Formed by the Organization of Spanish Festivals and Theaters, a department of the Spanish Ministry of Culture, the 50-member ballet company is headed by Antonio Ruiz Soler--popularly known as Antonio--who is considered the pre-eminent personality in Spanish dance.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The new Village Medical Center building in Barboursville should be completed by Oct. 10, according to Dr. Joye Martin, a VMC physician.

"We're just delighted with the progress on the building," she said. "It's essentially up already. Now the contractor is working on the interior walls and the plumbing and wiring. We don't know exactly when we'll make the move, but we probably will have to close only one day."

The new building, located at 659 Central Ave., will have a larger waiting room, 10 examining rooms instead of the present four and better facilities for handicapped patients, she said.

In addition to new facilities, the center also is offering a new treatment field, Dr. Martin said.

"When Village Medical Center became a part of John Marshall Medical Services in July, we gained a new full-time physician -- Dr. Lynne Heidsiek," she said. "Dr. Heidsiek is not only a family practitioner; she also has specialized training in pediatrics. With so many young families in this area, we think this is an important addition. Our emphasis continues to be on total family care, both in the hospital and in the office."

Dr. Martin said the consistent daily hours (8 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays) and more emphasis on preventive medicine in the area also result from the association with John Marshall Medical Services, the non-profit practice group of Marshall University School of Medicine physicians.

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"Dr. (Alfred) Baldera and I took these kinds of things into consideration when we decided to become a part of John Marshall," she said. "We think the community is getting even better service now. And since we're continuing to practice here plus being able to teach, we feel we have the best of both worlds, too."

Dr. Martin noted that Baldera now is working part-time at the center so he can continue his studies in order to specialize in family practice.

Dr. Martin said she is continuing as team physician for the Barboursville High School Pirates, with Dr. Heidsiek filling in when necessary. Village Medical Center also is providing care for residents of the Barboursville Veterans Home.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Donald S. Robinson of the Marshall University School of Medicine has been named to a national committee developing simulated patient cases for medical licensing tests of the National Board of Medical Examiners.

"The National Board is planning to use computer 'patients' to help test clinical decision-making and problem-solving skills," said Robinson, professor and chairman of pharmacology and professor of psychiatry and medicine.

"This is a whole new concept in competency testing for doctors," he said. "The good thing about it is that it more closely approximates real life than any pencil-and-paper test can.

"The person taking the test will actually interact with the computer, asking questions about symptoms and physical exam findings, as well as requesting lab tests," he explained. "This provides a more objective and realistic way to test for the skills which are needed by any doctor, whether a generalist or a specialist. Of course, each specialty board will continue separate testing for its own specialty, also."

Robinson said he and other members of the committee will create detailed case descriptions based on general scenarios which already have been developed.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Marshall University professor of history, Dr. David R. Woodward, is the author of a recently published book on British civil and military relations during World War I.

Published by the University of Delaware Press, "Lloyd George and the Generals" already has drawn comment from historians. John Grigg, a British political historian and biographer of George, called the book "a quite outstanding piece of work and an important contribution to knowledge."

Grigg went on to say that Woodward's analysis of War Office manpower statistics "is only one among many features of the book for which students of the Great War will have reason to be grateful to him. And he is no less impressive in his appraisal of personalities."

In researching the book, Woodward made several trips to Great Britain to collect materials in libraries and archives at Oxford, Cambridge, London, Liverpool and Edinburgh.

A member of the Marshall faculty since 1970, Woodward earned his B.A. degree from Austin Peay State University and his M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Georgia.

His articles on British diplomatic and military history have appeared in American, Canadian, South African and British journals.

Currently Woodward is collaborating with Dr. Robert F. Maddox, MU Graduate School Dean, on an annotated World War I bibliography which is scheduled for publication in 1985 by Garland Publishing, Inc.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Built around the theme "Marshall Magic: A Carnival of Colors," Marshall University's Homecoming 1983, scheduled next week (Sept. 26-Oct. 1), is filled with a carnival of activities for students, alumni and friends.

Events include magic and hypnotism shows, a concert by the Three Dog Night, alumni parties, a Homecoming parade and the annual Lunch-under-the-Tent which precedes the homecoming game between the Thundering Herd and Western Carolina's Catamounts.

Mentalist and Marshall alumnus Craig Karges will appear at 9 p.m. Monday, Sept. 26, in Memorial Student Center's Don Morris Room with a magic show which will include mind reading, acts done blindfolded and predictions.

A performance by the musical comedy team of Williams and Ree will follow Karges at 10 p.m. in the Morris Room. The duo has appeared on the Dinah Shore Show, Norm Crosby's Comedy Shop and Don Kirchner's Rock Concert, according to Pat Wittick, Ashland, Ky., senior and publicity chairman for Student Activities.

On Tuesday, Sept. 27, various campus student organizations will sponsor a fair from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the Student Center Plaza. The fair will include arts and crafts, baked goods, a taco stand and a kissing booth.

In keeping with the "Marshall Magic" theme, hypnotist Ken Weber of New York will perform at 9 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 28, in the Morris Room. Weber is certified by the University of California-Los Angeles as a clinical hypnotherapist.

Admission to the shows by Karges, Williams and Ree and Weber will be free for MU students with ID and Activity cards. Students with ID only may purchase tickets at \$1 each, while general admission tickets are available at \$2.50 each. Additional information and tickets may be obtained by calling the Student Activities Office, (304) 696-6770.

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On Thursday, Sept. 29, at 9 p.m., Student Activities has planned a bon fire and pep rally on the field adjacent to Henderson Center.

Tickets for the homecoming concert featuring "Three Dog Night" are available at the Huntington Civic Center where the group will perform at 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 30. General admission tickets purchased in advance of the concert will be \$7.50 each and \$8.50 at the door.

Alumni activities will be launched Friday evening with a reception from 8 to 11 o'clock in Suite A of the Huntington Civic Center. Music will be by Kit McGinnis and the Big Band Sounds. Beverages and hot hors d'oeuvres are included in the \$10 per person price. Campus tours are scheduled for alumni on Saturday at 9:30 a.m.

More than 50 units including bands and floats will comprise the Homecoming Parade, led by Marshall's own Big Green Marching Machine. The parade, scheduled for 11 a.m. Saturday, will move east on Fourth Avenue from Sixth Street to Hal Greer Boulevard.

Reservations for Lunch-under-the-Tent will be accepted by the MU Alumni Office through Wednesday, Sept. 28. The smorgasbord-style picnic on Prindle Field across from Fairfield Stadium will begin at 11:30 a.m. The \$6 per person cost includes fried chicken, potato salad, baked beans, rolls, iced tea and coffee and entertainment by Kit McGinnis and the Dixieland Rhythm Kings.

Tickets for the homecoming game -- kick-off set for 1:30 p.m. -- will be \$8.50 each. A post-game party will be held from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in Suite A of the Civic Center. Tickets are \$7 per person and music will be by Kit McGinnis and the Bavarian Polkateers.

For tickets or information concerning alumni events, call the MU Alumni Affairs Office, 696-3134.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Registration is under way for the Marshall University Community College's Children's College which begins Saturday, Oct. 1 and continues through Dec. 10, according to Robert L. Lawson, Community College continuing education director.

"Your child does not need to be gifted to participate in Children's College, just interested in exploring new horizons outside the normal school day fare," Lawson said.

"Classes are available for students in grades four through nine and a youngster may enroll in one class or as many as three," he added.

Among the subjects to be explored by fourth through sixth graders are Creative Writing, Science Fiction, Computer Science, Drama-Storytelling, Microscopic Organisms and Conversational Spanish. Computer Science will be offered on three levels -- introductory, intermediate and advanced.

For junior high students, the course selection includes Comparative Anatomy, Archaeology and Computer Science for all skill levels.

In addition to these classes, sessions in playing Dungeons and Dragons will be offered for both age groups, according to Lawson.

"Dungeons and Dragons has great potential as an educational tool," he said. "The interactions of players form an excellent basis for learning in many fields which involve concepts of leadership, teamwork, sociology, mathematics and even politics. The only limits to the game are the limits of the individual's imagination," he explained.

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Classes for fourth through sixth graders will be offered in the mornings, beginning at 9 a.m. except for the computer sessions and Dungeons and Dragons which begin at 12:10 p.m. All junior high classes are scheduled to begin at 12:10 p.m.

A package of three classes will be \$50, two classes will be \$40 and one class will be \$20. The cost for families enrolling two or more children will be \$40 for each child.

For additional information or to register, call Marshall's Community College at 696-3646.

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HUNTINGTON, W. Va.--The Southern Regional Education Board (SREB) has added Marshall University's Master of Science degree in Mine Safety to its Academic Common Market, MU Graduate School Dean Robert F. Maddox announced today.

The Academic Common Market is a cooperative arrangement between colleges and universities in 13 southern states allowing undergraduate and graduate students to pay in-state tuition when studying outside their home state in a program not offered there.

Marshall's M.S. degree in Mine Safety is the only accredited graduate degree program in that specific field in the country, according to Dr. Maddox.

The program is designed to provide competencies needed by mine management and safety personnel as well as mine safety compliance personnel, according to Associate Professor James B. Stone, program director. It is geared to underground, auger and surface mining as applicable to all mining industries including metallic and non-metallic products.

Co-sponsored with the National Mine Safety and Health Academy at Beckley, the graduate program includes:

Environmental Design and Control--identifying, developing and maintaining a setting which provides maximum safety;

Mine Safety Systems and Compliance--knowledge, understanding and applications of mining and compliance with safety procedures, regulations and reporting;

Mine Safety Programming--development and implementation of safety training programs for all mine personnel. Internships, practicum and cooperative arrangements are provided in active mining operations.

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The M.S. in Mine Safety is the second MU Program to be offered through the Academic Common Market. Earlier an undergraduate degree in Sports Communications, offered by Marshall's Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department in conjunction with the School of Journalism, was accepted by the SREB.

Currently there are 30 undergraduate and graduate level programs offered by West Virginia institutions of higher education to out-of-state students under the Academic Common Market approach. Twenty-six students from southern states are enrolled in the programs here, while 39 West Virginians are studying in programs elsewhere.

The University of Kentucky--nearest Academic Common Market institution--and Marshall are cooperating currently in two other graduate programs, according to Marshall's Graduate School dean.

"Marshall's social work division is assisting UK with the placement of its Master of Social Work degree candidates in experiential learning situations," Maddox said. UK's M.S.W. degree program is available through the Academic Common Market to Marshall's Bachelor of Social Work degree program graduates and other students from southern West Virginia. "The program is even more accessible to students in our region since classes are offered at Ashland (Ky.) Community College," he said.

Also the two schools have joined forces in the library science area with UK offering courses from its Master of Library Science degree program in West Virginia. With the approval of the faculty advisor involved, up to 12 semester hours may be earned through UK and applied to Marshall's graduate degrees in Communication Arts and in Library Science.

In the same vein, UK authorities have agreed--again depending upon the faculty advisor's approval--to accept undergraduate and graduate credits from Marshall's Educational Media Department.

"This cooperative approach of the Academic Common Market is beneficial to everyone involved as it offers much needed access to a variety of degree programs on a cost-effective basis," Maddox said.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Seventeen public libraries throughout West Virginia will be sites for Great Books Discussions, part of the Ethics West Virginia program, Dr. Alan B. Gould, Marshall University College of Liberal Arts dean, announced today.

Participating libraries are: Brooke County at Wellsburg, Dunbar, Elk Valley at Charleston, Elkins-Randolph County at Elkins, Gilmer at Glenville, Greenbrier County at Lewisburg, Jackson County at Ravenswood, Kanawha County at Charleston;

Mary H. Weir at Weirton, Mason County at Point Pleasant, Parkersburg-Wood County at Parkersburg, Raleigh County at Beckley, Rainelle, Summers County at Hinton, Taylor County at Grafton, Webster-Addison at Webster Springs, and the Lewis Bennet at Weston.

Scheduled to begin in October, the Great Books Discussions is based on the study group concept with discussion leaders who will aid the participants in discussing the ethical issues found in the works they have read, according to Gould, Great Books Task Force chairman. Authors whose writings will be explored include Aristotle, Plato, Machiavelli, Shakespeare, Tocqueville, Thoreau, Tolstoy and Joyce.

Sixteen works will be discussed by the study groups which will meet periodically throughout the fall and winter. The selections were chosen to stimulate consideration of ethical questions, according to Gould. "No special knowledge is necessary for participation in the study of the Great Books -- just an openness to new ideas and a willingness to share experiences and opinions with others," Gould said.

Each discussion site has been provided five sets of the books to be studied and continuing education units may be available for participation in the discussion. Additional details on the program will be available from the participating public libraries.

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Discussion leaders for the Great Books project include: John U. Davis of Bethany, William A. Muller III of Wellsburg, Dr. Naomi M. Garrett of Institute, Phares E. Reeder of Dunbar, Susan Burgess of Charleston, Marion F. Laughlin of Elkview, Jane T. Fair and Mrs. Martha C. Brinkley of Elkins, Kyle L. Emerson of Cox's Mills, Kathleen L. Krohn of Troy, William D. Tuckwiller of Lewisburg, Jane Echols of Greenbrier County, Pamela Q. Rodgers and Nancy Wilson of Ravenswood, Carol J. Campbell of South Charleston;

Lois Leasure of Charleston, Ruth B. Bailey and Lois A. Fundis of Weirton; Sharon M. Stone and Mary J. Cochran of Point Pleasant, Mary R. Reilly and Robert J. Reilly of Parkersburg, Louise M. Hoyle and Carolyn C. Kormas of Beckley, Barbara M. Smallwood and Danny L. McMillion of Rainelle, Walt Adkins and John Riley of Hinton, Kay E. Boyce and Linda L. Baker of Grafton, Carolyn K. Reed of Cleveland, W.Va., Linda L. Rudloff of Webster Springs and Dennie Smith of Weston.

Ethics West Virginia is a joint effort by 24 of the state's colleges and universities to encourage West Virginians from all walks of life to think more critically and sensitively about the ultimate problems of human conduct, explained Gould, who also is a member of the program's planning committee.

The executive director for the year-long study of ethical values is Mrs. Elizabeth D. Gee of Morgantown. In addition to the Great Books Discussions, there will be a film series, workshops, lecture series and a program for secondary schools and continuing education program to focus attention on a wide variety of modern ethical problems.

A two-day Inaugural Conference to launch the program is scheduled for Oct. 28-29 at the State Cultural Center in Charleston.

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