

New faculty join university

Eighteen new full-time faculty appointments were approved by the Board of Trustees on August 24, effective immediately.

The School of Nursing has nine new faculty members, the School of Education and Department of Mathematical Sciences three each. One new faculty appointment was approved in economics, in management, and in political science.

In addition, the board authorized 37 part-time faculty positions for the 1977-78 academic year.

The new nursing faculty are: Mary Ann Krammin, assistant professor, and instructors Marie R. Knight, Marilyn J. Lotas, Sandra K. Lowery, Stephanie A. Lusi, Kathie J. Rataj, Catherine A. Sayers, and Pamela C. Tisdale. Ramune V. Mikaila was appointed special instructor.

The new education faculty are Jorge A. Herrera, assistant professor, James H. McCormick, associate professor, and Kenneth E. Smith, instructor.

Newly appointed in mathematical sciences were assistant professors David J. Downing, Jean E. Roberts, and Stephen J. Wright.

Alphonso R. Bellamy was appointed assistant professor of management, Miron Stano as associate professor of economics, and Donald S. Schwerin as assistant professor of political science.

Grant competition closes soon

The 1978-79 competition for grants for graduate study abroad offered under the Mutual Educational Exchange Program (Fulbright-Hays) and by foreign governments, universities, and private donors will close Oct. 7.

Qualified graduate students may apply for one of 550 awards which are available to 53 countries. Most of the grants offered provide round-trip transportation, tuition and maintenance for one academic year; a few provide international travel only or a stipend intended as a partial grant-in-aid.

Candidates must be U.S. citizens at the time of application, hold a bachelor's degree or its equivalent by the beginning date of the grant, have language ability commensurate with the demands of the proposed study projects, and be in good health.

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Reception honors Liphart

A special reception by Ken Coffman, vice president of campus and student affairs, will be held from 3-5 p.m., September 8 in Lounge II of Oakland Center to honor the Reverend and Mrs. Hal Liphart.

Rev. Liphart is leaving Oakland to work in the campus ministry at the University of Minnesota.

Faculty, staff, and students are invited to the reception to honor Rev. Liphart for his work.

Offices moved

The public relations, news service, and publications offices have moved to 109 NFH. The alumni relations office is now located in 119 NFH.

Phone numbers will remain the same except for Susan Davis, Bill Connellan and Roxan Steehler, who can now be reached at 7-3183; and Jerry Dahlmann, 7-3180.

1977-78 Budget approved by board

The Oakland University Board of Trustees approved a general fund budget for 1977-78 of \$22,963,825 at the board meeting August 24. The figure represents an 11.6 percent increase in operating expenses over 1976-77.

The new budget does not include a tuition increase. University officials said a favorable legislative appropriation, current tuition and fee levels, and a general fund surplus from the last fiscal year will be sufficient to support the increased spending and provide a balanced budget.

Most of the 11.6 percent of \$2,393,316 increase in operating costs for 1977-78 will be absorbed by higher costs of running the existing program. Inflationary increases include salary and wage adjustments and staff benefits, and \$178,600 in utility increases.

The budget is derived from the following sources: state appropriation, \$15,301,400; tuition, \$6,308,000; student fees, \$231,500; indirect cost recovery, \$349,000; miscellaneous revenue, \$380,000; extension and school services fund balance, \$113,000; balance in general fund, \$280,925.

United Way drive begins Sept. 21

The annual United Way campaign kick-off will be on September 21. Chairperson for Oakland University's 1977 fund drive will be Janet Krompart, associate dean, Kresge Library.

The drive will be supported by representatives from all sections of the university. Vice chairpersons volunteering their services include Lewis N. Pino (academic/administrative faculty unit), Tom Lyons (faculty unit), Dave Collins (AFSCME unit), Judy Wharry (UAW/CT unit), Bill Connellan (administrative-professional unit), and Joe Euculano (student organizations unit).

This year's campaign will provide financial resources for more than 46 private, non-profit agencies who serve the needs of citizens from the Pontiac-North Oakland county area.

Telephone directories to be published

Telephone directories containing names, addresses, phone numbers, and other information about students, faculty, and staff will be available before Nov. 1. Directories will be distributed to each office on campus. Students may obtain a copy from the telephone department or Campus Information, Programs, and Organizations, 49 Oakland Center.

Job openings

- Laboratory technician, AP-1, \$5,720/yr. A permanent, part-time position in Graham Medical Center. Applicant must be certified from the American Society of Clinical Pathologists as a Registered Medical Technologist. College degree and experience required.
- Public Safety officer, \$5.21/hour. A full-time position in the public safety department. Applicant must meet established qualifications. High school graduation, successful completion of an oral and psychological examination, acceptable driving record, and U.S. citizenship required. Must have no felony convictions.
- Secretary, CT-8, \$10,149/yr. A full-time position in the College of Arts and Sciences. High school graduation, superior typing, one year bookkeeping experience, four years secretarial experience, required. Two years experience in higher education and one year of college preferred.
- Guest room attendant/housekeeper, \$3.25/hr., and bellman/houseman, \$3.00/hr. at Meadow Brook Hall. Completion of grade school or its equivalent required.
- Clerical assistant, CT-6, \$8,972/yr. Full-time position in the registrar's office. High school graduation, typing, three years of office experience or equivalent combination of experience and education required. Six months work experience in college registration preferred.

NOTICE TO ALL STUDENTS

In compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, Oakland University hereby gives public notice that it may release data about individual students as directory information.

Oakland University considers the following items to be directory information:

- Name
- Address
- Telephone number
- Date and place of birth
- Major field of study
- Participation in officially recognized activities and sports
- Height and weight of members of athletic teams
- Degrees, honors, and awards received, including scholarships
- Most recent previous educational agency or institution attended by the student
- Student number
- Year in school
- Other similar information

Directory data may be released without a student's permission, unless the student states in writing that such information should not be released.

Students who do not wish Oakland University to release directory information about them during the 1977-78 academic year must respond in writing before 5:00 p.m., September 21, 1977 to:

Cindy Livingston
University Hearings Officer for the Family Educational
Rights and Privacy Act of 1974
144 Oakland Center
Oakland University
Rochester, Michigan 48063

Students who wish clarification of their rights under the act should call Ms. Livingston at 377-3352.

Written notification not to release directory information must be filed at the beginning of each academic year for which a student wishes to have directory information remain private.

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Grant competition (cont'd)

Application forms and further information for students currently enrolled at Oakland may be obtained from the campus Fulbright Program adviser, Ronald Kevern, in 201 Wilson Hall.

Nag speaks at Boston meeting

Asish C. Nag, biological sciences, presented a paper on August 23 at the annual meeting of the Electron Microscopy Society of America held in Boston, MA. The title of his talk was "Reconstruction of Mammalian Heart Tissue from Isolated Embryonic Heart Cells."

Nag was awarded a grant this year from the Michigan Heart Association. The work presented was supported by Oakland University, the National Institute of Health Biomedical Sciences Research Grant, and a Michigan Heart Association Grant-In-Aid.

Co-author of the paper was Debra S. Buszke, an undergraduate student and intern in the medical technology program.

Colloquium sponsored by Board

Every faculty and AP is invited and encouraged to attend a special colloquium sponsored by the Board of Trustees at 3:30 p.m. September 14 in the Crockery, Oakland Center.

This event is planned to facilitate and encourage communication among areas. David Lewis, vice chairperson of the board, Donald O'Dowd, president, and Fred O'Bear, vice president and provost, will speak to the topic: "Present realities and Future Challenges."

A social hour, with refreshments and entertainment, will follow at 4:30 p.m., at which time the board hopes those attending will take the opportunity to meet new staff or renew old acquaintances.

New advisors appointed

Norian Johnson of Utica and Pat Gutierrez Nowaczynski of Mt. Clemens are new admissions advisors at Oakland. Both women will have special areas of emphasis, Johnson working with out-state high schools and Nowaczynski concentrating on Latino admissions with schools in the tri-county area of Wayne, Oakland, and Macomb.

Promotions

- Mary Withington, senior programmer analyst, computer services, to manager of Management Information Systems (MIS).
- Gail Kempf, senior production control clerk, computer services, to assistant manager of operations.
- Mary LaFreniere, department secretary, continuing education, to senior information clerk, computer services.

Needlework conference

A "Needleart" conference will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on September 27 at Meadow Brook Hall.

Interested persons should preregister with the conference department by September 19. The registration fee is \$19.50. Lunch is available for \$4.50.

Dawson on panel

James Dawson, music, recently served on a panel at Eastern Michigan University entitled, "The Saxophone-Past, Present, and Future." His article, "The Saxophone Embouchure-A Conceptual Approach," appeared in the April 1977 issue of the international publication, Woodwind World-Brass and Percussion.

Dawson was also a member of the faculty at the Tidewater Music Festival in Maryland this past summer.

OU CALENDAR SEPTEMBER 7-12

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

Women's Center open house, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., 17 Oakland Center
Afram Jazz Ensemble, Discover OU Kick-Off Party, 11:30-1 p.m., Fireside Lounge,
Oakland Center
Time Management Workshop, 8 p.m., Hamlin Lounge

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Women's Center open house, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., 17 Oakland Center
The Mime Ensemble, 12 noon-1 p.m., library mall
Developing Your Concentration and Memory Abilities Workshop, 8 p.m., Hamlin
Lounge
Ecumenical Worship, 7 p.m., St. John Fisher Chapel, Campus Ministers

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

Alice!, 8:30 p.m., Barn Theatre, S.E.T. Production, adm. \$2 OU students,
\$3 general
Women's Center open house, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., 17 Oakland Center
Reception-Convocation (students, faculty & staff), 2:30-6 p.m., Crockery,
Oakland Center

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

Alice!, 8:30 p.m., Barn Theatre, S.E.T. Production, adm. \$2 OU students,
\$3 general
W.O.U.X. Disco, 9 p.m.-1 a.m., Crockery, Oakland Center
OU Soccer vs. Alumni, 1:30 p.m., home
OU Cross Country at Schoolcraft C.C., 11 a.m.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

Alice!, 8:30 p.m., Barn Theatre, S.E.T. Production, adm. \$2 OU students,
\$3 general
Meadow Brook Hall Tours, 1-5 p.m., \$2 under 12 and over 65; \$3.50 adults;
students \$1

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

Bagel sale, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Table #6, Oakland Center, W.O.U.X.
A "Tea Party" with scenes from Alice!, noon-1 p.m., Oakland Center Patio,
free refreshments
Auditions for Cabaret, 6:30-9:30 p.m., Barn Theatre, S.E.T. Production

Pickwick Game Room Hours: Monday thru Friday, 9 a.m.-9 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday,
1-9 p.m., lower level Oakland Center