



OU NEWS

OU Hosts Microscopy Meeting

Scientists who look into the very molecular structure for keys to aging and disease will discuss the state of their art at the Michigan Electron Microscopy Conference May 7 at Oakland University.

Researchers from Michigan and Northern Ohio will meet to exchange papers, attend workshops, and to hear two keynote addresses, one by Dr. John E. Johnson, guest scientist at the National Institute on Aging, and Dr. Herb Hagler of the University of Texas Health Science Center.

Dr. Johnson will speak at 9:45 a.m. on "Aging and Cell Structure" and Dr. Hagler at 1:30 p.m. on "X-Ray Analysis and the Electron Microscope: An Important Tool for Pathology and Physiology." The day-long program begins at 9:00 a.m. in O'Dowd Hall.

Other highlights of the meeting include poster sessions, reports on current research in the field, and workshops on image analysis and diamond knives microtomy.

During the meeting Robert H. Gray of the University of Michigan will receive a distinguished service award for his work.

Dr. John Matthews of the Upjohn Company will receive the distinguished service award for his contributions to the organization.

The 12th annual session of the organization is supported in part by Tracor Northern, Balzers Union, Carl Zeiss, Inc., Pelco, International Scientific Instruments, Inc., JEOL, Structure Probe, Inc., Dupont, Cambridge Corporation, and the OU Department of Biological Sciences (through funds from the College of Arts and Sciences).

Participating in poster sessions or making presentations for OU will be:

Poster Exhibit:

Egbert W. Henry, Michael J. DePorre and Mary N. O'Connor, Department of Biological Sciences, with exhibit titled **An ultracentrifugation-chloroplast membrane preparatory method for the fine-structure localization of polyphenol oxidase.**

Presentations (Platform Sessions):

David M. Bracciano, Department of Biological Sciences, and Lokendra N. Chowdhury, Department of Pathology, Michael Reese Hospital and Medical Center, Chicago, will present **Collagen fiber-forming cells in human liver, an ultrastructural examination in hepatic fibrosis.**

Jane Tsui, Nalin Unakar, and George Price, Department of Biological Sciences, will present **Arylsulfatases in normal and cataractous rat lens.**

Records System Starts

We have begun intensive Planning Sessions for the development of the university's new Student Information System. The planning team consists of Larry Bartalucci, Registrar; Tom Evans, Controller; Jack Wilson, Associate Vice President for Student Affairs; Bill Morscheck, Assistant Vice President for Computer and Information Systems; and Tony Trojan, Senior Systems Analyst. We will meet regularly through the end of October with the objective of formulating university-wide general user requirements and a master plan for the implementation of the Student Information System. The planning team is now in the process of identifying all users who will be potentially involved in any aspect of the system. As the planning proceeds, we will conduct in-depth sessions with each user to determine their needs and formulate the support they will require.

Students Recognized

On April 13 Oakland University recognized and rewarded student organizational excellence. Awards were presented for: Most Innovative Programming; Most Diverse Programming; Most Original Publicity; Most Organized Membership Drive; Getting Off on the Right Foot Award (best September programming); Campus-Community Relations Award; Best Low Budget Program; Cooperative Programming Award; Most Outstanding Traditional Event; and Most Promising New Student Organization.

Entertainment was provided by the OU Gospel Choir and a member of the OU Forensic Team.

Ten faculty-staff members were recognized for showing strong support

and involvement with student organizations. The faculty-staff members were: Doreen Bieryla, Jean Colburn, May Jackson, Paul Kerchum, Roy Korynek, Manuel Pierson, Karen Seelhoff, Janice Schimmelman, Robert Stewart and Judy Teller.

Students recognized for their "extra special effort" included: Janet Sosnowski, Steve Smith, Tom Vella, and Karen Duddles for their involvement with the Student Activities Board (SAB) and Student Programming Board (SPB).

Calendar change—to conserve funds the Diversions Calendar will no longer be carried as an insert in the **OU News**. The calendar will now run on the back page of the **OU News**.

Faculty Accomplishments Noted

Amit Tagore, modern languages and literatures, addressed the Cranbrook PM Group in March on the subject of "Chinese Poetry and Chinese Poets."

Margaret Twyman, managing director of Meadow Brook Hall, has been elected to her second term as vice president of Southeast Michigan Travel & Tourist Association.

Richard E. Haskell, engineering, recently had his book **PET/CBM BASIC** published by Prentice-Hall, Inc. The book is an introduction to programming the PET personal computer. Two companion books, **Apple BASIC** and **TRS-80 Color BASIC** are also being published by Prentice-Hall.

David Daniels, music, conducted the Battle Creek Symphony Orchestra March 20 in a program of Humperdinck, Ives, Debussy, and Brahms.

Flavio Varani, music, appeared as soloist March 14 with the Warren Symphony. He performed the Gershwin "Concerto in F."

Carl F. Barnes, Jr., art and art history, was recently elected to the position of treasurer of The International Center of Medieval, headquartered at The Cloisters in New York. ICMA has just received a grant of \$15,000 from The Samuel H. Kress Foundation to support its scholarly activities. Barnes was president of ICMA from 1978 to 1981.

Egbert W. Henry, biological sciences, was chosen by the Engineering Society of Detroit and the **Detroit News** to be grand award judge for the Biological and Botanical Science Awards given to area high school student winners of the 25th Annual Science and Engineering Fair of Metropolitan Detroit Inc., held at Cobo Hall on March 25.

Robert Williamson, physics, gave an invited presentation, "Sounds of Music," at the Annual Conference of Michigan Science Teachers Association held recently in Lansing.

Richard Barron and Hal Cafone, human and educational services, presented a paper at the California Reading Association's Annual Conference held recently in Anaheim, CA. In addition to the paper, "Instructional Causation of Reading/Learning Problems," both Barron and Cafone participated in convention activities honoring the achievements of their friend, teacher, and colleague, Professor Emeritus Ruth Strang.

William Connellan, assistant provost, has been reelected to the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Detroit Convention and Visitors Bureau for a term that expires in 1984. Connellan serves on the Executive, Audit, and Nominating Committees of the Board.

Karen Beckwith, political science, participated in the Conference for Economic Alternatives at the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor. She served as a co-chair for the workshop on "The Impact of the Economic Crisis on Women and Minorities." Joyce Kornbluh of the Labor and Industrial Relations Institute was the other co-chair.

Roger H. Marz, political science, and William Morris, an OU graduate and former faculty member, have had their essay, "Treadmill to Oblivion: The Fate of Appointed Senators" published in **Publius: The Journal of Federalism**, Winter, 1981.

Professor Marz' chapter, "The New Deal Realignment and Legislative Tenure," appeared in Volume VI of **Applied Systems and Cybernetics** (New York: Pergamon Press, 1981). The book, edited

by G.E. Lasker, also contains a chapter by Thomas W. Casstevens entitled "Flows in Politics and Government."

Alice Gorlin delivered lectures in REES 396, a course on Eastern Europe, at the University of Michigan, Center for Russian and East European Studies in March.

Karl Gregory was appointed to the Employment/Economic Action Committee of New Detroit, Inc.

Lizabeth Barclay and Mitchell Fields, of Wayne State University have had "Attitudes Toward Equal Employment Opportunity: An Examination of Person and Situation Variables" accepted for presentation at the Midwest Conference on Women and Organizations in May. Barclay's manuscript entitled "Social Learning Theory: A Framework for Discrimination Research" has also been accepted for publication in the **Academy of Management REVIEW**.

Miron Strano and Ronald Horwitz (with Ralph Aten) had the lead article, "Reductions in the Hospital Capacity: Physicians' Behavior and the Administrator's Challenge," in the February 1982 **Hospital Financial Management Journal**.

Teri Spinelli presented a paper at the 1981 National Conference of the American Institute for Decision Sciences (AIDS) in Boston on November 19, 1981. The paper was entitled: "Developing higher education enrollment scenarios at the state level: A Delphi approach." She also addressed the Plymouth Retailers' Association on December 8, 1981 by invitation of the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce. The topic was: "Combating declining holiday sales—or, Is There a Life after Christmas Sales?"

Student Discounts for MB Festival

For the Festival's 1982 season, full-time Oakland University students are eligible to purchase up to two (2) lawn tickets for most Thursday or Sunday Detroit Symphony Orchestra Classical Concerts for \$2.00 on the night of the performance. This offer is available to all Oakland University full-time students who were enrolled during the winter semester or will be enrolled during the spring and/or summer terms.

In order to receive this discount full-time students at OU must receive

a Meadow Brook/OU Student Club discount card. These cards will be available at Room 122 Wilson Hall, beginning May 1, 1982. There is no charge for this membership and all full-time students at the university are eligible for one of these cards, upon request.

Members of the Meadow Brook/OU Student Club may then use this card to purchase, at show-time, up to two (2) lawn tickets at the \$2.00 price for any Thursday or Sunday DSO classical

concert at the 1982 Festival, with the exception of Thursday, July 8 and Sunday, August 1. This card is good for lawn tickets only and can only be used on Thursday and Sunday DSO classical concerts. Student Club members will also be required to show some other form of ID, such as a driver's license, along with this card at the time of purchase.

The Meadow Brook Music Festival hopes that many of the university's full-time students will take advantage of this very special offer.

Hutton Runs

Carroll Hutton, assistant dean, Division of Continuing Education, has announced his candidacy for the State Board of Education.

The Highland, Michigan resident is a member of the State Advisory Council for Vocational Education and has testified numerous times on education matters before U.S. Senate and House education, appropriations and other committees. He directed UAW's Education Department for 20 years.

Author of numerous articles in the field of education, Hutton is a member of Michigan's Association for Career Education, the National University Continuing Education Association, and the Michigan Association of Economic Education Centers.

He also has served as a member of the Presidential Commission on the International Year of the Child, the nationwide Education Commission of the States, the National Task Force of Career Education, and other state and national education committees. In addition, he has been a consultant to the U.S. Education Department's Lifelong Learning Project.

Fair Spoken

Oakland University's Forensic Team participated in the Michigan Intercollegiate Speech League Tournament at Central Michigan University March 26-27, 1982. Of the ten colleges and universities which competed, Oakland came in second behind Eastern Michigan University, which ranks number one nationally.

Students also competed in the University of Miami (of Ohio) Novice Invitational Tournament in March 1982 at Oxford, Ohio. Of the twelve schools competing, the Oakland University team placed fifth.

The forensics program regularly attracts top students in public speaking and the Forensic Team has compiled an excellent record this year in tournaments and contests, in and out of state. Karen Seelhoff coaches the Forensic Team.

Smoking Clinic

Want to kick the smoking habit?

The American Lung Association is holding a May 6 program that will show you how. The Cigarette Send-Off program will be held in Room 202, O'Dowd Hall, starting at 7:00 p.m.

The program features the most successful anti-smoking methods, according to its sponsors. These include hypnotic techniques, cassette tapes, a maintenance manual entitled "A Lifetime of Freedom from Smoking" and presentations by an obstructive lung disease specialist.

Interested persons can call 963-3029 for additional information. Host for the clinic is the Cardiac Rehabilitation Program at Oakland University.

Directories In

The following telephone directories can be picked up in the telephone department between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.: Pontiac (white and yellow); North Woodward Avenue (white only); East (white only); and Detroit proper (white and yellow).

DIVERSIONS

April 22

Forum
Advising for Engineering and CIS Students
245 Dodge Hall
12:00 noon

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
8:30 p.m.

Cultural Arts Society Meeting
O.C. Faculty Lounge
10:00 p.m.

Vocal Jazz Ensemble Concert
Varner Recital Hall
8:00 p.m.

Orientation
New Student Orientation for Spring

Math Colloquium
On the Jacobian Conjecture
219 O'Dowd Hall
3:00 p.m.

April 23

Meadow Brook Hall Stately Dinner
Meadow Brook Hall

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
8:30 p.m.

OU Concert Band
Varner Recital Hall
8:00 p.m.

April 24

Exams End
12:00 p.m.

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
2:00 and 8:30 p.m.

April 25

Public Tours Meadow Brook Hall
Meadow Brook Hall
1:00 p.m.

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
6:30 p.m.

Order of Leibowitz Gaming
O.C. Annex
6:00 p.m.

April 27

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
8:30 p.m.

Focus on the Family
Shaping the Will Without Breaking the Spirit
St. John Fisher Chapel
7:30 p.m.

April 28

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
2:00 and 8:30 p.m.

April 29

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
8:30 p.m.

April 30

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
8:30 p.m.

May 1

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
6:00 and 9:30 p.m.

May 2

Public Tours Meadow Brook Hall
Meadow Brook Hall
1:00 p.m.

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
6:30 p.m.

May 3

Registration

May 4

Classes Begin
8:00 a.m.

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
8:30 p.m.

Focus on the Family
Christian Fathering
Sr. John Fisher Chapel
7:30 p.m.

May 5

Play
Chapter Two
Meadow Brook Theatre
2:00 and 8:30 p.m.

OU Alumni Association Business Meeting
O.C. Meadow Brook Room

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