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OU CHEMISTRY STUDENT IS DANFORTH FINALIST

Irene Gennick, an Oakland University student from Warren, has been named a finalist in the Danforth Foundation competition for graduate fellowships.

The senior chemistry major is one of 300 finalists selected for interviews from among 1,700 original applicants. The Danforth Foundation will select 65 winners sometime in March.

The 21-year-old student will do graduate work in bio-organic or biophysical chemistry at the University of Wisconsin. She plans to teach at the university level.

OU FACULTY INVITED TO COMPUTER CONFERENCE

Oakland University faculty are invited to submit papers for the "Computer-Based Simulation and Gaming in College Teaching" program to be held April 24 - 25 at the University of Michigan.

Michael Wozny, engineering, is the OU representative to the third annual conference. Written papers and on-line demonstrations are invited. Deadline for submission of materials is Tuesday, Feb. 25.

The Thursday, April 24 topics include: "Identifying Suitable Topics for Simulations and Games and Developing Models," "Relating Simulations and Games to Available Resources and to Conditions for Learning," "Developing and Documenting Programs," "Acquiring and Adapting Programs for Local Use," and "Demonstrations and Discussions."

The Friday, April 25 sessions are: "Simulation in Engineering Education," "Hybrid Computers in Simulation," "Workshops on Computers in Engineering Education," "Introductory and Advanced Workshops on Simulation and Gaming," "Costs and Supporting Facilities," and "Provisions for Program Sharing."

Interested persons can telephone any member of the program committee for additional information. The members are: Andrew Frank, University of Wisconsin, 608-263-1578; Janice Glime, Michigan Technological University, 906-487-2546; John Moore, Eastern Michigan University, 313-487-0254; Ronald Rosenberg, Michigan State University, 517-355-8296; Michael Wozny, Oakland University, 377-2228; and Karl Zinn, University of Michigan, 313-763-4410.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES WILL MEET FEBRUARY 26

The Oakland University Board of Trustees will hold a public meeting Wednesday, February 26 at 8 p.m. in Lounge 11 of the Oakland Center.

BURDICK IS RECITER WITH WIND ENSEMBLE

Dolores Burdick, French, will perform as reciter with the Oakland University Wind Ensemble in a Friday, Feb. 21 concert in Varner Recital Hall.

The free 8 p.m. program will feature "Facade," poems of Edith Sitwell set to music by William Walton. The wind ensemble will be under the direction of James Dawson.

CLIFFORD PFEIL GIVEN COMPOSITION

Clifford Pfeil, music, has been commissioned by Teatro Internacional to write a set of compositions for instruments and voices based on the poetry of Besmilr Brigham. Teatro Internacional is a non-profit corporation concerned with the cultural heri-

age of the Americas.

PETERSENS HEAD MEADOW BROOK COMMITTEE

The Donald E. Petersens will head the Meadow Brook Music Festival and Theatre Executive Committee for 1975. Petersen is vice president and general manager, Truck and Recreation Products Operations, Ford Motor Company.

The Petersens served as vice chairpersons of the 1974 committee under the Eugene A. Cafieros.

STUDENT SLANT

PROSECUTOR, JUDGE TO SPEAK AT FORUM

Oakland County Prosecutor L. Brooks Patterson and Detroit Recorder's Court Judge Justin C. Ravitz will speak on "The Efficiency of the Legal System" at 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 4 in the Sunset Room of the Oakland Center.

The program is being sponsored as part of a weekly lecture series entitled, "Forum: Survival in Metropolitan Detroit." The forum is a university class presented by New-Charter College. The public is invited to attend. For more information call New-Charter College at 377-2450.

DIVORCED, SEPARATED PERSONS HOLD MEETINGS

A rap group for divorced and separated persons has recently been organized. The group meets every Thursday from noon to 1 p.m. in Room 125 of the Oakland Center. The group attempts to provide support, insight, feedback, and input for adjustment and transitional living. For further information call Hal Liphart at 652-1249 (evenings) or Ann Arner at 377-4290 (daytime). All separated or divorced persons are welcome.

WIND MACHINE MAY PROVIDE ENERGY SOURCE

A wind machine capable of generating enough electricity to supply an average size house is being designed by a group of Oakland engineering students for entry in a national collegiate engineering competition.

The national competition is sponsored by the Student Competitions on Relevant Engineering (SCORE). The nonprofit corporation was established in 1971 to sponsor national engineering competition. SCORE has chosen the topic "Energy Resource Alternatives" for the 1975 contest theme. Colleges and universities will present projects utilizing wind, solar energy or synthetic fuels. The wind machine is OU's first entry in the SCORE competition.

Six OU students are working on the project with Robert H. Edgerton, engineering. Additional student help will be welcomed, Edgerton said. The project is still in the planning stage.

Students are needed to do project research and to contact corporations for possible grants or material donations for the wind machine. Students will also be needed in May for the actual construction of the wind machine. Tentative plans call for the construction of a tubular shaped object some 12 feet in diameter by 15 feet. Large rotary blades will be placed at the mouth of the wind machine.

In August, OU students will travel with the completed wind machine to the College of Engineering at the University of Wisconsin in Madison for the competition and judging. Competition dates and prizes will be announced.

FREZZA HEADS COMMUTER COUNCIL

Damon Frezza has been elected Commuter Council president. Thomas Hawn has been selected as vice president.

Frezza, freshman from Rochester, listed his top priority for his 1975 - 76 administration. "We will push for direct funding from the university as opposed to soliciting Student Activities Board monies," said Frezza.

Other concepts the group will work with are getting involved in OU government issues having to do with the commuter and expanding commuter student recreational activities.

STUDENTS GET BREAK ON MEADOW BROOK TICKETS

Meadow Brook Theatre invites the students of Oakland University to see its professional productions at a student discount.

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, OU students may purchase tickets from 8 p.m. on (30 minutes before curtain time) at a 50 percent discount. The \$4.50 ticket will then cost \$2.25; the \$5.50 ticket will be \$2.75. Tickets bought in advance on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday evenings are entitled to a 20 percent discount.

For more information, call the Meadow Brook Box Office at 377-3300.

ADA OFFERS "AFTER THE FALL"

Arthur Miller's controversial "After the Fall" is the new offering of the Academy of Dramatic Art's Studio Theatre. The play runs Feb. 20 through Feb. 23.

Performance times at the Studio Theatre in Varner Hall are 8:15 p.m. Thursday through Saturday and 2 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. on Sunday. Ticket information may be obtained by calling 377-3015.

SINGER SPEAKS AT MEDICAL SCHOOL

Philip Singer, Allport College, has been invited by the faculty of the Medical College of Georgia to speak in Augusta on Tuesday, Feb. 18. His topic will be "The Relationships Between Psychiatric Psychodynamics and the Practice of Witchcraft."

**SHUCARD AND WAGNER
WRITE, SPEAK ON CLASSICS**

Stephen C. Shucard and Cheryl Wagner, classics, have noted their recent professional activities.

Shucard presented a paper to the Women's Classical Caucus of the American Philological Association in Chicago. The paper was entitled "Deianeira: The Literary Evolution of a Murderess." In addition, he also has an article entitled "Some Developments in Sophocles' Late Plays of Intrigue" appearing in a recent issue of Classical Journal.

Wagner presented an outline of classical history in an appearance before students of Seaholm High School.

**CONTINUUM CENTER, UAW
AID AREA SENIOR CITIZENS**

Oakland University and the UAW Retired Workers Centers of Detroit, Inc., are cooperating to offer a new program of mental health services to Detroit area senior citizens.

The model project is supported by a \$29,892 grant from the State of Michigan's Office of Services to the Aging.

The UAW retired workers organization, the primary grantee, will provide the sites and participants for the programs. The university's Continuum Center for Adult Counseling and Leadership Training received the subcontract to develop and staff the sessions. OU staff member Betty White will direct the programs.

The training programs are designed to provide preventive mental health services for senior citizens in a group work format, to provide an outreach counselor to work with individual senior citizens and to provide training for a group of senior citizens who will act as future group leaders.

Four separate programs of three and one-half weeks each will be held during the grant period of Feb. 1 through Sept. 30, 1975.

**LIBOFF EDITS
SCIENTIFIC VOLUME**

Abraham R. Liboff, physics, is the editor of Volume 238 of the Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences. The volume, Electrically Mediated Growth Mechanisms in Living Systems, also contains an article by Liboff and Milton Furst of New York University. The article is entitled "Pyroelectric Effect in Collagenous Structures."

**FORD VICE PRESIDENT
JOINS BOARD OF VISITORS**

W. D. Compton, vice president for scientific research, Scientific Research Staff, Ford Motor Company, has accepted an invitation to join the Board of Visitors of OU's School of Engineering.

The board is composed of industrial leaders in southeastern Michigan. Members assist the School of Engineering in developing educational and research programs. Members are available for consultation on a variety of matters including curriculum, special projects, equipment requirements, and long-range planning.

**LOWY SPEAKS
ON SUBSTANCE ABUSE**

David Lowy, psychology, was guest speaker at the January meeting of the Oakland Psychological Association held at the King's Arms in Southfield. He discussed "Current Treatment Approaches to the Substance Abuser."

**THE BRACES SPEAK
TO WINDSOR HISTORY GROUP**

Richard M. Brace, history, and Joan Brace spoke to the history faculty and the History Club of the University of Windsor on Monday, Jan. 20. He spoke on the "Law and Practice of Slavery in France," and on "the French Antilles from Code Noir to 1794, Emancipation." She lectured on "Plantation Social Life and the Condition of Slaves in the 1820s."

**JACKSON, VAN FLEET
ATTEND NCAA MEETING**

Glenn A. Jackson, engineering, and Corey M. Van Fleet, physical education and Athletics, attended the 69th Annual National Collegiate Athletic Association meeting held in January at the Sheraton Park Hotel in Washington, D. C. Jackson is the OU faculty athletic representative.

**TWO EBERWEIN ARTICLES
ACCEPTED FOR PUBLICATION**

Jane Eberwein, English, has had two articles accepted for publication. One article, "Fishers of Metaphor: Mather and Melville on the Whale," will appear in American Transcendental Quarterly. A second article, "In a Book as in a Glass: Literary Sorcery in Mather's Life of Phips," has been accepted by Early American Literature.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Tuesday February 18	10AM-12:30PM	CC, <i>PERSONAL GROWTH FOR RE-TIREES</i>	Friday February 21	1-5PM	Meadow Brook Art Gallery, <i>ART OF THE T'ANG DYNASTY</i>
	12 noon	Seminar, <i>A BLACK WOMAN'S POINT OF VIEW</i> , 190 OC		7PM	SEFS, <i>FRENZY</i> , 201 DH
	12 noon	Ski Club meeting, Sunset Rm.		7:30PM	Swimming, Wayne State U., home
	12-1PM	<i>WHAT EVER HAPPENED TO SIN?</i> Faculty Lounge, OC		7:30-8:30PM	Meadow Brook Art Gallery, <i>ART OF THE T'ANG DYNASTY</i>
	12:15PM	Lecture, <i>DEPLETION OF THE OZONE LAYER</i> , S. Cafe. Alcove		8PM	Symphonic Wind Ensemble, Varner Recital Hall
	1-5PM	Meadow Brook Art Gallery, <i>ART OF THE T'ANG DYNASTY</i>		8:15PM	ADA, <i>AFTER THE FALL</i> , Studio Theatre
	7PM	SEFS, <i>MACBETH</i> , 201 DH		8:30PM	Meadow Brook Theatre, <i>THE MISANTHROPE</i>
	7:30-8:30PM	Meadow Brook Art Gallery, <i>ART OF THE T'ANG DYNASTY</i>		8:30PM	Concert, <i>WEATHER REPORT</i> , Sports and Rec. Bldg.
	8PM	OU Dancers Concert, Varner Recital Hall	Saturday February 22	9:30AM	Jazz Clinic, 200 VH
	8-10PM	Forum, <i>THE POLITICS OF SURVIVAL</i> , Sunset Room		1PM	Faculty Recital, Varner Recital Hall
	8:30PM	Meadow Brook Theatre, <i>THE MISANTHROPE</i>		1:30PM	Swimming, Bowling Green U., home
Wednesday February 19	11AM-2PM	CC, <i>CAREER DEVELOPMENT FOR WOMEN</i>		2-6:30PM	Meadow Brook Art Gallery, <i>ART OF THE T'ANG DYNASTY</i>
	noon-1PM	Lecture, <i>DECISION MAKING AND CAREERS</i> , OC Alcove		3PM	Basketball, Ferris State College, home
	1-5PM	Meadow Brook Art Gallery, <i>ART OF THE T'ANG DYNASTY</i>		5:30PM	Women's Basketball, Ferris State College, home
	2PM	Meadow Brook Theatre, <i>THE MISANTHROPE</i>		6PM	Meadow Brook Theatre, <i>THE MISANTHROPE</i>
	7:30PM	Basketball, Northwood Institute, home		7PM	SEFS, <i>FRENZY</i> , 201 DH
	7:30-8:30PM	Meadow Brook Art Gallery, <i>ART OF THE T'ANG DYNASTY</i>		8:15PM	ADA, <i>AFTER THE FALL</i> , Studio Theatre
	8:30PM	Meadow Brook Theatre, <i>THE MISANTHROPE</i>		9:30PM	Meadow Brook Theatre, <i>THE MISANTHROPE</i>
Thursday February 20	10AM-12:30PM	CC, <i>PERSONAL GROWTH FOR RE-TIREES</i>	Sunday February 23	1-5PM	Meadow Brook Hall tours, host is Jimmy Launce
	12 noon	Seminar, <i>GANDHI, MARTIN LUTHER KING AND CESAR CHAUZ: MEN OF PEACE IN AN AGE OF VIOLENCE</i> , Gold Room A		2PM	ADA, <i>AFTER THE FALL</i> , Studio Theatre
	12-1PM	Rap Group for Divorced and Separated Persons, 125 OC		2-6:30PM	Meadow Brook Art Gallery, <i>ART OF THE T'ANG DYNASTY</i>
	1PM	Lecture, <i>SPLENDOR OF THE T'ANG CIVILIZATION</i> , Gold Room		6:30PM	ADA, <i>AFTER THE FALL</i> , Studio Theatre
	1-5PM	Meadow Brook Art Gallery, <i>ART OF THE T'ANG DYNASTY</i>		6:30PM	Meadow Brook Theatre, <i>THE MISANTHROPE</i>
	7:30-8:30PM	Meadow Brook Art Gallery, <i>ART OF THE T'ANG DYNASTY</i>		7PM	SEFS, <i>FRENZY</i> , 201 DH
	7:30-10:30PM	CC, <i>PERSONS ALONE</i>	Monday February 24	11AM-2PM	CC, <i>CAREER DEVELOPMENT FOR WOMEN</i>
	8:15PM	ADA, <i>AFTER THE FALL</i> , Studio Theatre		12-1PM	Christian Faculty and Staff Group, 125 OC
	8:30PM	Meadow Brook Theatre, <i>THE MISANTHROPE</i>		7:30-10:30PM	CC, <i>BEG. PERSONAL GROWTH FOR MEN AND WOMEN</i>
				8PM	Music at the Chapel, St. John Fisher

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Hilberry Bonstelle tickets
Metro Passbooks

Music Hall tickets

SEFS membership cards

SEMTA Bus Service tickets

MBT tickets

Entertainment '75 passbooks

Student International I.D. cards

JAMES AND CAROL BEERS ACTIVE PROFESSIONALLY

Second Grade Children's Developing Orthographic Concepts of Tense and Lax Vowels."

James W. Beers, education, recently presented a paper at the Southeast Regional International Reading Association Conference held in Washington, D. C. The paper dealt with the spelling strategies of young children and was entitled "First and

Carol S. Beers, education, is the major author of a monograph entitled Perceptual Motor Development which was written for a performance-based early childhood - special education program at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville.

MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY INTERNSHIPS OPEN

Students in medical technology can obtain internship application forms for 1975 - 76 in Room 370, Dodge Hall of Engineering. Early application for the internship openings is an advantage, spokesmen for the Office of Health Science Programs said. Majors who will be completing the university portion of the curriculum by the winter semester of 1976 must apply for the internships no later than March, 1975.