



SUGGESTION PLAN—Robert J. Buwalda, Personnel Department, has awarded Robert H. Peterson, left, manager of residence hall facilities, a certificate of recognition for his suggestion dealing with communicating voluntary payroll deductions to employees' specifications. Peterson suggested that at the end of each calendar year, the University mail to each employee a summary of the total amount of voluntary deductions authorized by each employee, to aid in the preparation of income tax forms. Reviewing samples of the summaries with Peterson is Michael A. Weber, right, payroll administrator, who will be responsible for implementing the program. Peterson's proposal was submitted through Western's Employee Suggestion Plan. Employees who wish to submit suggestions may do so on forms available in the Personnel Department.

Harary to be Visiting Scholar June 6

Frank Harary, professor of mathematics at the University of Michigan, will speak at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 6, in the Dalton Center as part of the 1983-84 Visiting Scholars Program.

Internationally recognized for his work in pure and applied graph theory, Harary will address the topic "Achievement and Avoidance Games: Fun, Learning and Research." His visit is sponsored by the Department of Mathematics.

As well as his Visiting Scholars lecture, Harary will present a talk on "Graph Theoretic Approaches to Finite Mathematical Structures" to participants in the Fifth International Conference on the Theory and Applications of Graphs at 1:10 p.m. Friday, June 8, in 1104 Rood Hall. The conference, scheduled for June 4 to 8, will feature 63 speakers from 13 nations and is expected to attract about 200 participants.

Harary is the author of 10 books and more than 400 research articles. A member of the University of Michigan faculty since 1948, he developed a course for gifted freshmen that

Poel named organization officer

Robert H. Poel, professor of natural science, in the College of General Studies and coordinator of graduate science education, has been named president-elect of the Michigan Science Teachers Association (MSTA).

He will plan and direct the 1985 annual conference of the MSTA, and will become president and past-president in coming years.

Poel has been a WMU faculty member since 1970. He earned the B.A. from Kalamazoo College and the M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from WMU. Previously, he was a board member of the MSTA.



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Tate Center to be dedicated Wednesday

Merze Tate, a 1927 graduate of Western who retired in 1977 from Howard University in Washington, D.C., after a distinguished career as an author, teacher and historian, will participate in ceremonies Wednesday, June 6, dedicating the Merze Tate Center for Research Information Processing in the College of Education.

The dedication coincides with the annual spring meeting of the WMU Foundation. Tate is a director emerita of the Foundation's board of directors.

Participating in the dedication at 4 p.m. Wednesday in the Education Library in Sangren Hall will be President Bernhard, who will give the welcome; Richard E. Riebel of Grand Rapids, chairperson of the WMU Foundation; Alfred L. Edwards, chairperson of the WMU Board of Trustees; John E. Sandberg, dean of the College of Education; and James J. Bosco, director of the Tate Center.

Tate will give the address, and a reception will follow.

The center located in 3210 Sangren Hall, was made possible with a gift of \$150,000 from Tate as part of Western's successful "Partners in Progress" capital campaign. It will make services and facilities for advanced research available to faculty members and graduate students in the College of Education.

"We welcome this significant addition to the teaching and learning resources of the College," Sandberg said. "Dr. Tate's gift represents a special kind of generosity, as



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well as special insight into the needs of graduate students, for which we are deeply grateful."

Tate, the first black woman to receive an advanced degree from Oxford University in England, holds a master's degree from Columbia University and a doctoral degree from Harvard University and Radcliffe College. She has a honorary doctoral degree from Western and in 1970 was named a Distinguished Alumni Award recipient at Western.

In 1981 Dr. Tate received the Distinguished Alumnus Award of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities, an honor that also has gone to the late President Lyndon B. Johnson among other distinguished Americans. She is the author of a number of books and many articles.

"This is truly an innovative concept in the support of an assistance to the research of faculty members and graduate students," said Bosco, professor of education and professional development. "Eventually, such facilities will be commonplace, but they're not now."

Services will include word and information processing, research consultation, and workshops and seminars on research issues and topics. Funds for the center have provided for all equipment, furnishings and for remodeling of the space.

Education Library to be closed

The Education Library in Sangren Hall will be closed from noon to 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 6, for the dedication of the Merze Tate Center.

Boothroyd re-appointed

Gregory W. Boothroyd, University ombudsman at WMU for the past four years, has been re-appointed to that position for a third and final two-year term.

Boothroyd's re-appointment, effective June 30, was approved May 18 by the Board of Trustees. Guidelines for the position limit the appointment of an ombudsman to two two-year terms or to a third term in "exceptional circumstances."

A counseling psychologist in the Counseling Center since 1970, Boothroyd holds bachelor's and master's degrees from Western. He earned a Ph.D. degree in counselor education in 1970 at the University of Michigan.

The position of ombudsman, a part of the Office of the President at Western, was established in 1970 as the result of recommendations from the WMU Faculty Senate. It was established to investigate and mediate grievances and to provide justice for all members of the University community.

Boothroyd, has served as a faculty member of the Division of Continuing Education since 1980 and of the Michigan Judicial Institute since 1978, the latter by which he was awarded distinguished-faculty status.

In other action, the Board approved a leave of absence without pay for Phyllis Rapoport, professor of music, from Aug. 13, 1984, to April 27, 1985, to teach at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Fulbright information available

Research and Sponsored Programs now has 1985-86 Fulbright awards announcements describing research, lecturing and travel opportunities. Application forms also are available at the DRSP. Application deadlines range from June 15, 1984, through Feb. 1, 1985, depending on the program. Call 3-1632 or stop by the office for further information.

combines mathematics, achievement and avoidance games. His theories on the topics are the basis for his Visiting Scholars lecture.

Western's Visiting Scholar's Program was established in 1960 and has provided more than 300 visits by scholars representing some 65 academic disciplines. Chairing the program committee is James J. Bosco, education and professional development. Committee members are appointed by the vice president for academic affairs.

Stratford trips planned

The 22nd annual trips to Stratford, Ontario, have been scheduled by the Division of Continuing Education for June 22 through 24 and July 27 through 29.

Participants will spend a three-day weekend beginning with an air-conditioned bus trip to Stratford. They will stay two nights in residents' homes, see three plays performed by the world-renowned Shakespearean acting company and return via the St. Clair Inn where a Sunday brunch will be served.

Cost of the trip is \$185. For more information, persons should call the Office of Conferences and Institutes at 3-0795.

Scholarships named for Coakley

Michael J. Coakley, assistant director of residence hall life, was honored this past spring when three scholarships were named after him by the WMU Residence Hall Association and awarded to Western students.

The first three Michael J. Coakley Scholarships went to: Darcy L. Alexander, of Grand Rapids; Tracy A. Connelly, of Flint; and Lisa J. Michael, of Troy.

The scholarships, three \$200 awards, were presented to students for outstanding leadership and service to WMU's residence halls and were named for Coakley "to honor him for his work with residence hall leaders."



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Continuing Ed. program cited

"Rape on Trial," a program sponsored by the Division of Continuing Education and the Sexual Assault Program Advisory Committee of the Kalamazoo YWCA has been cited for excellence by the National University Continuing Education Association (NUCEA). Competing in the NUCEA's division of women's education short-term program category, "Rape on Trial" earned a second-place award. The award was presented to Margaret M. Bernhard, conference coordinator, at NUCEA's annual meeting in Atlanta, Ga.

April gifts and grants reported

Western received \$351,194 in gifts and grants in April, according to a report presented to the Board of Trustees at its May 18 meeting. April's figures of \$93,606 for gifts and \$257,588 for grants brings WMU's fiscal 1983-84 gifts-and-grants total to more than \$9.1 million.



FUND RUN—Mike W. Fowler, center, a senior from Dearborn, presented Joyce B. Nichols, second from left, administrative director of the Sara Swickard Pre-school, with a check for \$300, the proceeds from a "Fund Run" for the school, as Sally V. Pippen, left, director of residence hall programs, looks on. The race was sponsored by French-Zimmerman Halls, Hotshot Pizza and T's Specialty Printing and was organized by Fowler and other French Hall residents Steven J. Sarnacki, second from right, a junior from Wyandotte, and David E. Peterson, right, a senior from Benton Harbor. The money will be used to purchase carpeting for the school's creative playroom.

Board approves 42 faculty promotions

The promotions of 42 faculty members at Western were approved May 18 by the Board of Trustees.

Of the 42, 26 are male, 16 are female and three are members of minority groups, according to Philip Denenfeld, vice president for academic affairs, who made the recommendation to the Board.

The number promoted this year compares with 45 faculty members promoted last year; of them, 32 were male, 13 were female and seven were members of minority groups.

Here are the names of those promoted and the academic rank to which each is promoted, by college and in the alphabetical order of their academic departments:

Arts and sciences—Chemistry: Michael E. McCarville, professor; English: Martin E. Gingerich, professor; Robert C. Hinkel and Elise B. Jorgens, both associate professor.

Mathematics: Dwayne E. Channell, associate professor; philosophy: Gregory R. Sheridan, professor; political science: Ralph C. Chandler and Chester B. Rogers, both professor; and sociology: Ellen Page-Robin, professor.

Business—Business information systems: Kuriakose K. Athappilly, associate professor; Bernadine P. Branchaw, professor; and Marcia Mascolini, associate professor; finance and commercial law: Leo J. Stevenson, associate professor; and management: Daniel J. Farrell, associate professor.

Education—Counseling and Personnel: Beverly A. Belson, professor; education and professional development: Alfred Balkin, professor; educational leadership: Mary Anne Bunda, professor; and health, physical education and recreation: Mary L. Dawson, associate professor.

Engineering and applied sciences—Engineering technology: Peter J. Strazdas, assistant professor; industrial engineering: Bob E. White, associate professor; and mechanical engineering: Frederick Z. Sitkins, associate professor.

Fine arts—Art: Donald E. King, professor; dance: Jane T. Baas, assistant professor; Wendy L. Cornish, professor; and Nina M. Nelson, assistant professor; music: Trent P. Kynaston, professor; and Judy L. Moonert, assistant professor; and theatre: Daniel J.

Fleischhacker, professor.

General studies—Social science: Francis L. Gross, professor; George L. LeBonte, associate professor; and Larry L. Tyler, professor.

Health and human services—Occupational therapy: R. Claire Callan and Barbara J. Hemphill, both associate professor; social work: Thomas J. Blakely, associate professor; Nathaniel McCaslin, professor; and Deloris Phillips, associate professor; and speech pathology and audiology: Shirley N. Sparks, associate professor.

Academic services—John R. Provancher, professor.

Counseling Center—Gregory W. Boothroyd, professor.

Libraries—J. Gregory Fitzgerald and Michael P. McDonnell, both assistant professor; and Mary L. Taylor, professor.

Steen publishes second edition

A second edition of the book, "Anatomy and Physiology, Volume I," co-authored by Edwin B. Steen, professor emeritus of biology, has been published by Barnes & Noble Books, a division of Harper and Row Publishers, Inc., New York.

Volumes I and II originally were published in 1959 as part of Barnes & Nobles' College Outline Series for study, reference and review. A revision of volume two currently is in production, according to Steen. His co-author is educator and writer Ashley Montagu.

The revised and enlarged volume is designed as a comprehensive summary of anatomy and physiology, covering the fundamentals of the combined subject. It is aimed at college-level students, particularly those in biological sciences, nursing, occupational therapy and physical education. It also is designed as a reference for medical and dental students at all stages of their education.

Steen was a faculty member at WMU from 1941-72, and served as head of the Department of Biology in 1964-65. He also is the author of several other publications.

Seven elected to emeriti board

Seven emeriti have been elected to two-year terms on the Emeriti Council.

The newly-elected council members, who will serve from now until May, 1986 are Dominic B. Leonardelli, Thomas C. Slaughter, E.L. Marietta, Helen G. Sellers, Vera J. Russell, Donald C. Weaver and alternate Robert S. Bowers.

The terms of the remaining council members — Martin Cohen, John W. Gill, Arthur J. Manske, Hermann E. Rothfuss and Russell H. Seibert — expire in May, 1985.

Jobs

The listing below is currently being posted by the Personnel Department for regular full-time or part-time employees. Applicants should submit a "Job Opportunities Application" during the posting period.

S-01 and S-02 clerical positions are not required to be posted. Interested employees may register in the Personnel Office for assistance in securing these positions.

(R) Building Coordinator, (part-time), S-06, Kanley Chapel, 84-177, posted 5/29-6/4/84.

(R) Replacement
WMU is an EEO/AA Employer

Netter to try for Olympics

Sophomore Amy Yeast, of Galesburg, a member of the Western's 1984 women's tennis team, has received an invitation to try out for the U.S. Olympic tennis team. The trials run from May 28 through June 2 at Flushing Meadow, N.Y., the site of the U.S. Open. A total of 128 athletes have been invited to try out for two positions on the U.S. women's squad, as 12 of 14 available spots already have been filled.

Senior 'scholar-athletes' named

Tennis player Dave Sommerville and softball pitcher Bonni Kinne are WMU's 1984 senior "scholar-athletes." These awards are presented annually to a male and female student-athlete at each of the 10 Mid-American Conference institutions.

Calendar

MAY
Thursday/31
thru July 13, Advance registration for 1984-85 school year at Sara Swickard Preschool
Academic Computer Center workshop (there is a prerequisite) Ninah Miller, instructor, 2213 Rood Hall, noon-1:30 p.m.

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Friday/1
*and 2 University Theatre Lab Production, "A Coupla White Chicks Sitting Around Talking," York Arena Theatre, 8 p.m.

Monday/4
Alberta Brown Public lecture, "Aspects of Genealogical Librarianship," Michael Clegg, Allen County Public Library, Fort Wayne, Ind., 2059 Waldo Library, 9:30 a.m.
*thru 8 Fifth International Conference on Theory and Applications of Graphs.

Tuesday/5
*Women & Health program IV, "Women and

Depression," Susan Weaver, therapist, Center for Mental Health Services, 157 Student Center, 7-9 p.m.
Academic Computer Center workshop, Introduction to SPSS/part 1, Nancy Ollila-Glenn, 3309 Rood Hall, noon-1:30 p.m.
*Seminar, "Planning and Managing Organizational Change," Kenneth F. Connell, Upjohn Co., Fetzer Center, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Wednesday/6
Academic Computer Center workshop, Introduction to SPSS/part 2, Nancy Ollila-Glenn, 3309 Rood Hall, noon 1:30 p.m.
Dedication of Tate Center, 3210 Sangren Hall, 4 p.m.
*Seminar, "Self Management: A Productive Person's Key to Time Management," Earl E. Halvas, business information systems, Fetzer Center, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Thursday/7
*and 8 Seminar, "Functional Management,"

Raymond E. Alie, management, Fetzer Center, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
Academic Computer Center workshop, Introduction to SPSS/part 3, Nancy Ollila-Glenn, 2213 Rood Hall, noon-1:30 p.m.
*Admission charged.

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