A "FIRST" FOR P.A. PROGRAM HERE

Western Michigan University's Physicians' Assistants (P.A.) program this fall semester will become the first in the nation to integrate into its regular curriculum information about substance abuse prevention, diagnosis and treatment, as related to primary care. Dr. Norman P. Johnson, P.A. program director here, noted that "this will be a national pilot program which ultimately will be a document for nationwide distribution as a guide for other P.A. programs to utilize in developing their programs." The four-year project will have support during its first year from a $46,170 grant from the National Institute for Drug Abuse (NIDA).

Johnson said knowledge of substance abuse, including alcoholism, will be integrated into the basic science and clinical science courses and into a P.A. senior year clinical experience objectives. He said the document produced here will be based on techniques and knowledge. Western's P.A. program and its Specialty Program in Alcohol and Drug Abuse (SPADA) are working together to accomplish NIDA grant objectives, observed Johnson, who heads the project.

PAPER COURSE ATTRACTS TWENTY-NINE

A two-week, summer course, "Coated Paper Manufacture, Principles and Practices," which runs through Friday, Aug. 17, has attracted 29 persons from the paper and allied industry to the campus, including two from overseas countries—Sweden and Colombia. The course, intended for those new to the industry or who want more training in some areas of paper coating, consists primarily of lectures, but also includes lab sessions and discussion time.

PAPER INDUSTRY LEADERS COMING HERE

Three presidents and a vice president of paper or allied industry firms will be among the 37 speakers at the 9th annual "Specialty Coatings and Laminations Seminar," Aug. 20-24, at the University and the Kalamazoo Center. The speakers will emphasize developments, trends and problem areas in the paper coating and laminations industry. Informal group discussion will follow each subject presentation.

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JOB OPENINGS

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

HA-HD clerical positions are not required to be posted. Interested University employees may register in the Personnel Office for assistance in securing these positions.

- Instructor, (1 year), #79-292, Accountancy, posted 8/10 - 8/16/79
- Secretary II, HE, #79-293, Sociology, posted 8/13 - 8/17/79
- Secretary Executive I, HG, #79-294, Arts & Sciences, posted 8/13 - 8/17/79
- Clerk Assistant Supervisor, HF, #79-295, Academic Records, posted 8/13 - 8/17/79
- Parking Systems Checker, S-1, #79-296, Public Safety, posted 8/14 - 8/20/79
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- Secretary II, HE, #79-307, Financial Aid, posted 8/16 - 8/22/79
- Coordinator-Athletic Promotions, #79-308, E-10, Athletics, posted 8/16 - 8/22/79

DEADLINE NEARING FOR DIRECTORY CHANGES

The 1979-80 University telephone directory is almost ready to be sent to the printer. The names, titles or classifications, campus addresses and telephone numbers of all WMU employees will be included. However, certain options are available as to the amount of home information that may be included, as follows:

1. Complete home information—spouse's name, street address, city and phone number. (NO NEED TO DO ANYTHING IF THIS IS WHAT YOU WANT AND YOUR RECORDS ARE UP TO DATE)
2. No home information of any kind. (PLEASE FORWARD THIS REQUEST TO THE INFORMATION CENTER, 2110 Seibert Administration Building.) THE DEADLINE FOR DELETIONS IS FRIDAY, SEPT. 7.
3. Omission of spouse's name only. (CHANGE YOUR UNIVERSITY PERSONNEL RECORD BY USING THE APPROPRIATE FORM ON THE BACK OF YOUR PAYCHECK ENVELOPE.)

NOTE: Please include your Social Security number on all communications; it speeds up the processing of such requests. Any questions? Call Mrs. Gertrude Peterson, Supervisor, University Switchboard/Information Center—383-1608.

SERVICES HELD FOR DR. W. DAVID KUENZI

Services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 11, in Kanley Chapel for Dr. W. David Kuenzi, WMU professor of geology, who died Aug. 8 in Kalamazoo's Borgess Hospital after an extended illness.

Born May 28, 1937 in Seattle, Wash., Kuenzi graduated in 1959 from Washington State University, and received both his master of science degree (1961) and Ph.D. (1965) from Montana State University. Prior to joining the WMU faculty in 1964, he was a teaching assistant and a National Science Foundation Fellow at Montana State. At the time of his death, he was serving as treasurer of the Society of Economic Paleontologists and Mineralogists (Great Lakes Section), and was a member of the Geological Society of America and the American Association of Petroleum Geologists.

Survivors include his wife, Marilynn; a son, David; and two daughters, Nicole and Michele, all at home; his mother, Mrs. Elsie Kuenzi, and his brother, Hilton Kuenzi, both of Seattle. Those who wish may make contributions to the University's W. David Kuenzi Memorial Fund for geology student research.

ANNOUNCE PROGRAM FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

The Office of International Student Services will conduct a five-day international student orientation and registration program for approximately 150 new foreign students from Aug. 27-Sept. 4. Eleven student leaders from seven countries have been selected to assist the newcomers, according to Jolene Jackson, director of International Student Services. She noted that the foreign student enrollment is expected to exceed 900 for the fall semester, in comparison to 843 last fall.

FANS INVITED TO "MEET YOUR TEAM" DAY

Members of Western's 1979 football squad will be available for autographs and picture taking at "Meet Your Team" Day, at 4 p.m. Monday, Aug. 20, in Waldo Stadium. "We'd like to encourage all football followers to come and meet our players and coaches," said Athletic Director Carl Ullrich.

There will be free soft drinks available, along with free souvenirs for youngsters under 14 years old. Tickets for the upcoming home schedule may also be purchased at the Stadium that day.

The Broncos will play two 1979 road football games at night—at South Carolina on Sept. 15 and at Toledo on Oct. 15.