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AREA LABOR-MANAGEMENT GROUP TO RECEIVE FEDERAL GRANT

The Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service has selected the Southern Indiana Labor-Management Education Forum as one of 14 committees, along with a national conference, to receive \$1 million in grants in support of labor-management cooperation programs. **Mr. Peter Regner,** FMCS director of staff operations and programs, said FMCS "sees four areas this year that are emerging as key concerns among our applicants: using new technology to increase productivity, coping with a shrinking workforce, employee empowerment and organizational effectiveness, and economic development."

The \$38,000 grant to expand Southern Indiana Labor-Management Education Forum programs is among four awards to committees which have economic development as a primary focus. **Mr. Timothy B. Mahoney,** coordinator of the forum headquartered at USI, said their goals are to educate the labor-management community on the benefits of cooperation, improve the labor-management image in order to enhance economic development, and assist current economic development efforts in order to improve the climate and diversify the economic base, thus creating new jobs. Specific 1989-90 objectives, he said, have been:

- * Development of a data base listing features of contract negotiations and settlements, including time frames, innovations, significant changes, work stoppages, and effects on the work force.
- * Completion of a survey of labor, management, and the community (public and private sectors) identifying problem areas and educational and training needs in the 10-county service area.
- * Development of at least three specialized education programs in response to needs identified in the survey.
- * Creation of a newsletter and resource guide for service area distribution, emphasizing cooperative labor-management efforts and promoting networking opportunities.
- * Expansion of the statewide and national network in which to disseminate information about the current status of area labor-management relations and their progress in cooperative efforts.

The forum-sponsored "Partners for Success" series last spring, focusing on employee involvement, attracted 975 representatives from more than 65 Tri-State organizations. The initial program this fall -- "How Labor and Management Can Deal With the Media" -- will be held at 8 a.m. Wednesday, November 15, in the University Center.

GE MANAGER TO BE EXECUTIVE-IN-RESIDENCE. Mr. Brian J. Derry, site general manager for GE Plastics at Mt. Vernon, will be the featured guest on Tuesday, October 17, for the fall Executive-In-Residence program in the University Center. The program will begin at 9 a.m. with coffee and donuts in UC350, followed by discussion periods at 9:30 and 11 a.m. in UC352. A luncheon program and presentation will be held at 12 noon in UC350, followed by a closing discussion period at 1:15 p.m. in UC352. All programs are open to the public. Discussion sessions are free. Luncheon reservations are \$10 and may be made by calling the School of Business, extension 1718. The registration deadline is Friday, October 13.

The USI Executive-in-Residence program is designed to stimulate students' thinking and to broaden their education through discussions and interaction with leaders in business, industry, and government. Mr. Derry is a native of Washington, D.C., and an engineering graduate of Kenyon College in Gambier, Ohio. A Navy veteran, he joined GE in 1973 and held various engineering and manufacturing positions in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Mr. Derry was transferred to the Mt. Vernon plant in 1977 and has been manager of both the LEXAN and VALOX resin manufacturing operations. He also has held managerial positions in Mt. Vernon at the BPA plant and the LEXAN resin chemical and finishing operations.

NAMES IN THE NEWS. Dr. Charles T. Barber, chair of the Philosophy and Political Science Department, represented USI at the fall meeting of the Indiana Consortium for International Programs (ICIP) Board of Directors meeting at Marian College, Indianapolis, where Ms. Kathy Cregor, international programs consultant

for Eli Lilly, was luncheon speaker. USI membership in ICIP entitles faculty members to consideration for curriculum development grants and honorarium funds for internationally-oriented lecturers from member institutions.

Mr. Subhash P. Desai, assistant professor of engineering technology, has been elected 1989-90 chairman of the Evansville/ Owensboro Chapter of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE), and will represent IEEE on the Tri-State Council of Science and Engineering.

Mr. Abbas Foroughi, assistant professor of business, will present a paper on "Growing Frequency and Complexity of Negotiations" at the 23rd Hawaii International Conference on Systems Science, to be held January 2-3 on the theme, "NSS Solutions to Major Negotiation Stumbling Blocks."

Dr. Robert L. Reid, vice president for Academic Affairs, presented a lecture on the "Farm Security Administration Photographers in Indiana" on September 21 at Purdue University, in conjunction with his "Back Home Again" exhibit being shown in the Purdue Union Gallery.

CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. Steve Bridges, staff accountant in the Business Office, and his wife, Rosemary, on the birth September 29 of a son, Cory Daniel.

CURRICULAR COMMITTEE. The Curricular Committee generally will meet at 8:15 a.m. on the first and third Tuesday of each month, unless no meeting is needed. At the first meeting on September 28, the committee approved the following new course:

BIOL 285 - Animal Behavior

Since the meeting, the following course modification has been received:

ETHS 415 - Coal Geology and Exploration - 3 hours; rationale: de-emphasis of mining and engineering application with more emphasis on coal exploration (deposition, coal petrology, and distribution) and techniques of coal exploration, drilling, geophysical logging, mapping, and economic analysis; additional prerequisite - computer programming course.

Several X courses which require no action from the committee have been forwarded to **Dr. Robert L. Reid,** vice president for Academic Affairs.

SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY DAY. The first fall Southern Hospitality Day, to allow Tri-State high school students and their families to become acquainted with USI, will be held from 12 noon to 3 p.m. Saturday, October 21, in the University Center, sponsored by the USI Admissions Office. The day's activities will include tours of the campus and adjacent student housing, meetings with the academic deans, and information sessions on extracurricular opportunities. Families may participate in "For Parents Only," a question-answer period led by Mr. James Browning, director of Counseling Services, which will address specific concerns of parents whose children are about to "leave the nest" for the first time. No reservations are reguired. Call the Admissions Office, extension 1765, for information.

NEW HARMONY GALLERY OF CONTEMPORARY ART. Mr. Jeffery Wolin of Bloomington, Indiana, and Mr. Ronald Leax of St. Louis will be featured artists in the next exhibition at the New Harmony Gallery of Contemporary Art, which will open with a reception from 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday, October 22, and continue through November 15. Mr. Wolin will show his photographic works and Mr. Leax will display sculptures created in mixed media. For information, contact Ms. Connie Weinzapfel, Gallery director, 812/682-3156.

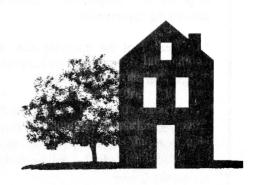
USI PSYCHOLOGY CONFERENCE.

The sixth annual Mid-West Conference for Teachers of Psychology will be held Friday and Saturday, October 13-14, in the University Center. The featured speakers will be Dr. Charles Brewer of Furman University and Dr. Barbara Nodine of Beaver College. Dr. Brewer, editor of the journal, Teaching of Psychology, will speak at 10:45 a.m. Friday on "Distinguished Pioneer: John B. Watson." Dr. Nodine will speak at 4:30 p.m. Friday on "Doing It All: Teaching Writing and Teaching Psychology." Saturday's agenda includes poster presentations at 8:30 a.m. and demonstrations for use in Introductory Psychology at 9:30 a.m. The conference will close with the USIPsi Chi presentation of "Psych Follies" at 12:45 p.m. Contact Mrs. Linda

Cleek, conference coordinator, extension 1863, for information.

DISCUSSION OF DRUG PROBLEMS OPENS FALL FORUMS. The first of three town hall meetings on national issues will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, October 12, in Forum I, cosponsored by Leadership Evansville, USI, and the USI Sociology Department. "The Drug Crisis: Public Strategies for Breaking the Habit'' will be the discussion topic. A brief videotape will outline choices -- international drug war, crack down on dealers, say "No" to drugs, and legalize drugs; the discussion will follow, led by Dr. Charles F. Petranek, Sociology Department chair. USI faculty and students and the public are invited to discuss the public policy implications of these choices. Booklets on each choice are available in the USI Bookstore for anyone wanting advance preparation. For information, contact Dr. Petranek, extension 1719.

"DARK OF THE MOON" TO CLOSE NEW HARMONY THEATRE SEASON. New Harmony Theatre's final 1989 production, "Dark of the Moon," opens Friday, October 13, in Murphy Auditorium and will be USI Theatre's first entry in the American College Theatre Festival. This classic of rural America, set in the Smokey Mountains -- the story of an elfin witchboy who falls in love with a beautiful mountain girl -- is full of love, laughter, and folk songs celebrating the joy and pain of being human. The play will be presented at 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays and 2 p.m. Sundays through October 29. Tickets are \$8; a group rate (20 or more) of \$6 per person is available. Call the theatre hot lines, extension 1635 (weekdays) or 812/682-3115 (New Harmony). Dinner/ theatre packages are available from Red Geranium Enterprises, 812/425-1314 or 682-4431.



SMOKING POLICY REVISED. The University Smoking Policy has been revised in response to compliance with the Indiana Clean Indoor Air Law. Beginning November 1, smoking will be allowed only in designated areas. Signs are being posted at University building entrances during October, indicating "Smoking is Permitted Only in Designated Areas." Signs indicating "Designated Smoking Area" will be posted clearly in the approved areas. Copies of the revised Smoking Policy and Guidelines will be distributed to staff members during October and will include the list of designated smoking areas.

OUR TURN FOR EDUCATION. Mark your calendar today! On Tuesday, November 14, classes will not be in session and it will be "Our Turn for Education!" Several workshops have been planned for faculty and staff members, including an intermediate DOS class, a basic course in Wordperfect, an introduction to Desktop Publishing, and a hands-on workshop presented by Media Services. There also will be a field trip to New Harmony and a panel discussion with representatives from Student Services, Academic Affairs, and the Business Office addressing questions most frequently asked by students and visitors. Several other activities are being planned. Additional information will be announced in University Notes.

FACULTY WORKSHOP. Faculty members are invited to participate in an informal workshop, "Writing to Learn vs. Learning to Write," to be held from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Friday, October 20, in UC308. Conducted by Dr. Steven R. Cox, professor of economics, the workshop will introduce faculty to the use of writing to improve learning.

BIWEEKLY SEMINAR. The School of Science and Engineering Technology invites interested faculty and staff members to participate in an informal biweekly seminar series in which the school's faculty and University colleagues will discuss professional topics of general interest. Although most of the series will deal with science or engineering topics, presentations will be directed to interested lay people rather than toward the technical expert. Participants are encouraged to bring a brown-bag lunch, an open mind, and one hour of uncommitted time. The first semi-

nar will be held at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, October 19, in L100, when Mr. Jay Fredrich, chair of the Engineering Technology Department, will present "Everything I Needed To Know About Civil Engineering I Learned on My Sabbatical."

ATTENTION FACULTY! The national newspaper, USA Today, will compile its first annual outstanding academic talent for the USA Academic Team. We as faculty members need to help identify these students at USI and encourage them to complete the nominating process. Monday, November 6 is the deadline to submit nominations. For information and nomination forms, contact your individual school office or call Mrs. Marjorie O. Labhart, chair of the Student Academic Affairs Committee, extension 1602.

AUTOGRAPH PARTY. An autograph party will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, October 25, in the USI Bookstore honoring Mr. Jay Fredrich, chair of the Engineering Technology Department, whose book, Sons of Martha, was published recently by the American Society of Civil Engineers. The book, an anthology of civil engineering works, is available in the Bookstore.

LIBERAL ARTS FORUM. Dr. Sherry B. Darrell, associate professor of English, will present the first 1989-90 Liberal Arts Forum at 12 noon Monday, October 16, in Forum II. Dr. Darrell will present a reading, "Speaking Their Peace: Ancient Greek Women Tell All," which is a series of short monologues she has written, giving voice to women who appear in Greek mythology but never had a chance to speak.

OKTOBERFEST. The Activities Programming Board will sponsor an Oktoberfest for USI students, faculty, and staff on Saturday, October 14, at the Grimes Haus in the Bent Twig Outdoor Education Center. Events from 3:30 p.m. to 12 midnight will include free food -- a pig roast, bratwurst, and a chili cook-off; a hayride from 3:30 to 7:30 p.m.; hot-air balloon rides, 4-6 p.m.; horseshoes and tug-of-war, 4:30 p.m.; volleyball; and a dance from 8 p.m. to midnight, featuring Band X. In case of rain, events will be moved to the University Center.

COLLEGE FAIR. USI will be among more than 60 colleges and universities which will have representatives at the annual

Greater Evansville College Fair, to be held from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Sunday, October 15, in Carson Center at the University of Evansville.

WELLNESS IN THE WORKPLACE.

The public is invited to participate in a conference from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, October, 18, in UC350, offering assistance in starting or expanding an employee program. Mrs. Sandra Lawrence, director of USI Health Services, and Mr. Bob Pawlowski, health educator with the Evansville-Vanderburgh Health Department, will provide information on local and national programs, employee motivation, and implementing a program on a limited budget. The \$30 registration fee is payable in advance and will cover materials, refreshments, and lunch. Tuesday, October 10, is the deadline to register. Contact Mrs. Lawrence, extension 1807, for information.

INTERVIEW SEMINAR. Evansville high school students are invited to participate in a job interview seminar from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday, October 20, in UC350, sponsored by the Evansville-Vanderburgh School Corporation's Business Education Advisory Committee in cooperation with USI. More than 20 representatives of business and industry in the community will participate in a panel discussion, mini information sessions, and one-on-one mock interviews. For information, contact Mr. Bob Scheller, BEAC representative, in the Deaconess Hospital Personnel Office, 426-3311.

USI SECRETARIES' APPLEBUTTER STIR SLATED. Visitors are invited to watch or participate on Sunday, October 15, when the USI Secretaries and Associates Club holds its annual Applebutter Stir, using the old-fashioned method of cooking apples in large kettles over open fires. The event will be held rain or shine at Eicher Barn, starting at 6 a.m. The applebutter is expected to be ready for sales or pickup between 12 noon and 2 p.m. The price is \$2.50 a pint, with proceeds used for USI Advance orders will be scholarships. accepted until Friday, October 13, by Mrs. Jackie Pender at the switchboard.

FALL FILM SERIES -- "Playtime," 1972, French; director: Jacques Tati. Mr. Hulot returns, only to become lost amid the fast pace of '70s Paris, where he is confronted

by vacuum cleaner salesmen, glass doors, and other mysteries of modern life. Mr. Tati's film is a smorgasbord of clever sight gags that parody the uniformity of the modern world. The film will be shown at 2 and 6 p.m. Tuesday, October 17, in Forum I; it is free and open to the public.

STRASSWEG FIELD DEDICATION.

USI's soccer field will be dedicated in a 6:45 p.m. ceremony on Friday, October 20, prior to the USI Eagles' 7 p.m. game with Northern Kentucky. Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Strassweg, whose gift to the University enabled USI to add lighting and seating to the soccer field, will be recognized during the ceremony.

WALKATHON - FOR WOMEN ONLY.

Volunteers will gather Saturday, October 14, on the UC Mall for a Walkathon to benefit women's athletics, primarily basketball, at USI. Registration at 8:30 a.m. is open to any woman wishing to sign up sponsors and participate in the 1.2-mile stroll around the USI campus, starting at 9 a.m. For information, contact Mr. Ray Simmons, sports information director, extension 1622, or Ms. Felicia Cavallini, women's basketball coach, extension 1895.

MIDNIGHT MADNESS. The second annual basketball season tip off will get under way at midnight Saturday, October 14, in the Physical Activities Center. Men's and women's basketball teams will hold scrimmage games launching practice periods leading into their respective season starts on November 17 and 18. The men's team will have an exhibition game at 6 p.m. November 12 with Lexington AAU. For information, contact **Mr. Ray Simmons,** sports information director, extension 1622.

SPORTS THIS WEEK. Baseball -- 50-inning intrasquad game, 9 a.m. Saturday, October 14.

Cross Country -- USI in Indiana Intercollegiates, Friday, October 13, Lafayette.

Soccer -- Bellarmine at USI, 7 p.m. Wednesday, October 11; IU/PU-Fort Wayne at USI, 7 p.m. Friday, October 13; University of Indianapolis at USI, 2 p.m. Sunday, October 15.

Volleyball -- USI at Wabash Valley, 6 p.m. Wednesday, October 11; USI and Northern Kentucky at University of Indianapolis, Friday-Saturday, October 13-14; USI at Kentucky Wesleyan, 7 p.m. Wednesday, October 18.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

The following positions are available as of October 6, 1989. The University of Southern Indiana is subject to the requirements of Executive Order 11246 and is an Affirmative Action Employer. Interested individuals should contact the Personnel Employment Office, Lower Level, University Center, Room UC 113, extension 1844.

FACULTY/ADMINISTRATIVE

Budget Officer - Business Affairs

Full-time administrative position; will assist in the preparation of the University budget, monitor expenditures, and assist with grants and contracts. Bachelor's degree in accounting or business required, with accounting degree preferred; previous accounting experience and knowledge of personal computers desired. Submit letter of application, resume, and the names of three references by October 25 to: Mr. Richard W. Schmidt, Assistant Vice President for Business Affairs, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

Associate/Professor of Communication - School of Liberal Arts

Tenure-track position beginning August 1990 as associate professor or professor to chair the Department of

WSWI (AM 820) features a daily "Afternoon Rock" program from 12:30 p.m. until the 6 p.m. sign-off. The call-in request number is 464-1836. Special programming this week includes:

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12

*11:00 a.m. - Common Ground: A World at Risk, Part 2

11:30 a.m. - Next 200 Years: Chinese Crisis

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13

7:00 a.m. - Portfolio 11:00 a.m. - Blues from the Red Rooster: Magic Sam: The Inheritors

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14

10:30 a.m. - Broadway Bandwagon: "Camelot," Richard Burton, Julie Andrews, Robert Goulet, original cast

11:30 a.m. - Radio Theatre: Bob Hope Show with guest, Herbert Marshall; Sherlock Holmes, "Solitary Cyclist;" Whistler, "Until Death Do Us Part"

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16

7:00 a.m. - Special Assignment 11:00 a.m. - Newsweek on the Air

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17

*11:00 a.m. - Asian Communique: Sectarian Groups in Modern Hinduism 11:30 a.m. - Soundings: Old Money and New

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18

11:00 a.m. - Dimensions in Science: Anti-Cancer Foods

11:15 a.m. - 19th State: (not available) *11:30 a.m. - Dialogue: The Changing Soviet Citizen

* Also aired at 7 a.m.

Communications, which consists of ten full-time and several part-time faculty members in the areas of radio/TV, journalism, theatre, public relations, and speech communication. Ph.D. in Communications with teaching abilities in mass communication required; administrative experience desirable. Responsibilities include schedule development, monitoring curriculum, budgeting, planning, and personnel management. Teaching load is nine hours per semester. Submit letter of application, resume, and the names of three professional references to: James R. Blevins, Dean, School of Liberal Arts, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

Instructor/Assistant Professor - School of Liberal Arts

Tenure-track position as instructor or assistant professor of psychology with a specialty in developmental psychology; Ph.D. required for assistant professor rank. Will teach undergraduate courses beginning August 1990; interest in supervising undergraduate internships desirable; opportunities to teach graduate courses may be available in the near future. Submit letter of application, curriculum vitae, three letters of recommendation, and evidence of teaching effectiveness by November 1 to: Dr. Joseph J. Palladino, Chairperson, Psychology Department, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

CLERICAL/SUPPORT

Senior Secretary - Business Affairs

Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday; will type correspondence, prepare special accounting reports, budgets, and travel documents, and perform secretarial and fiscal secretarial duties. High School diploma with three years of office experience, typing skills of 55-60 w.p.m., and word-processing equipment experience required; knowledge of spreadsheet and D-Base programs desired. Application deadline: October 13.

Senior Clerk - Physical Plant

Full-time position 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday; will process and schedule work and vehicle requests and perform other general clerical duties. High school diploma and two to three years of office experience, typing of 35 w.p.m., and computer data entry experience required. Application deadline: October 20.

MARKETPLACE

For Rent

Studio space - 2 miles west of USI; 16' x 32', equipped for pottery production, convertible to other uses; wood stove; telephone. Rent negotiable. Call extension 1774.

For Sale

1984 Honda Interceptor 1000CC - red, white, and blue; 15,000 miles; new rear tire; need to sell fast!! Asking \$2,700. Call extension 1772 or 423-0252 after 5 p.m.

Freezer - 15.9 cubic feet; excellent condition. \$100. Call extension 1774.

Shrine Circus tickets - Save - buy now - get yours or buy a "Mom & Dad" book and send 20 underprivileged kids to see Lassie. Call Ray Walker, extension 1945 or 426-2044.

Free

Five fluffy feminine furballs fatally facing filler as fertilizer unless friendly folks furnish fitting families for fuzzy felines. Call extension 1840 or 424-8547 after 5 p.m.