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"WORKSHOP WITH THE MEDIA" TO BE NEXT LABOR-MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

A "Workshop With the Media" will be the next program in the Southern Indiana Labor-Management Education Forum series, to be held from 8 to 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, December 19, in UC350. The program again is co-sponsored by the Society for Professional Journalists and was organized in response to comments and suggestions that developed from a November session which featured **Mr. Peter Jacobi**, an Indiana University professor of journalism and media consultant to business and industry.

The December program will present three panels -- one made up of media representatives who will discuss the mechanics and constraints of news gathering, and one panel each from labor and management, discussing their issues and concerns in dealing with the media. Panelists will be:

Media -- **Mr. Mark Mayhew**, WIKY radio assignment editor; **Mr. Bill Riales**, WEHT-Channel 25 business reporter; and **Mr. Tom Ryder**, The Evansville Courier assistant managing editor for features.

Labor -- **Mr. Roy Mabrey**, AFL-CIO Central Labor Council president; **Mr. Larry Scott**, IBEW Local 16 business representative; and **Mr. John Wilkinson**, Machinists District 153

business representative.

Management -- **Mr. Jerry Clewlow**, GenCorp Plastic Extrusion plant manager; **Mr. Ron Dame**, Faultless Caster manufacturing director; and **Mr. Joe Marotti**, American National Can human resources division manager.

The program is designed to provide an understanding of the different perspectives in the media, labor, and management in the way news stories are generated, how the information is conveyed to the public, and the impact on specific issues and the community at large. The Forum wants to address many issues and encourages wide participation, including asking those who plan to attend to submit questions in advance to assure their inclusion in the general question/discussion session that will follow the panelists. **Dr. Kenneth C. Creech**, chair of the USI Communications Department, will be the discussion leader.

The registration fee for the workshop is \$5 per person. Reservations may be made by calling extension 1863. Send advance questions to the attention of **Mr. Tim Mahoney**, coordinator of the Labor-Management Forum, Office of Continuing Education, extension 1863.

NEW TELEPHONE SYSTEM TO START DECEMBER 29. The new telephone system is expected to be in operation by the evening of December 29. After that date, only new ROLM telephone sets will work. The new phones will have been delivered to each workplace prior to that date. The phones presently in use will not work on the new system but will work at residences. The University will sell all the present phones. Each employee may buy the phone he or she is using.

The deadline for personal phone purchases will be the close of business on Friday, December 15. A check or money

order should be made out to the University and sent to the Purchasing Department, along with the order form to be found at the back of the December 6 University Notes. If you do not have a form, send a memo listing the name of the buyer, station number, and inventory tag peeled from the phone you wish to purchase.

On Monday, December 18, the Purchasing Department will determine how many phones have not been sold. Employees wishing to make additional phone purchases may state the quantity and type of phone desired on the order form. The Purchasing Department will attempt to allocate additional

phone purchases in the fairest manner possible, should there be more orders than phones available. Any phones left over after the above procedures will be made available to the public or sold at auction.

USI INCLEMENT WEATHER CANCELLATION NOTICE. Occasions when University functions will be cancelled will be extremely rare. Thus, even in severe weather -- heavy snow, ice storms, extreme cold -- the University's academic programs, courses, classes, and seminars will continue and administrative offices will remain open.

Even though inclement weather may result in hardship and inconvenience for students, faculty, and staff, the overall interests of the University are best served by keeping to the regular class schedule (day and night), except in the rarest circumstances. The primary consideration is the safety of students traveling to and from classes. Conditions of area highways and city streets will be considered, along with campus conditions.

The decision to cancel classes will be made by the vice president for Academic Affairs. When such a decision is made, the following procedures will be observed:

(A) All campus offices and departments will remain open and function on their normal schedules.

(B) Members of the administrative and clerical/support staffs are expected to fulfill their University assignments.

(C) Members of the faculty are expected to fulfill their responsibilities in pursuit of scholarship, in research activities, and in class preparation.

The decision to close administrative offices will be made by the University president. In that event, the departments which provide essential functions must continue to operate; departmental supervisors will be responsible for maintaining sufficient staff to accomplish these functions. **If there is a decision to cancel classes OR to close the University, all area media will be notified -- stayed tuned for reports.**

NAMES IN THE NEWS. A paper submitted by **Mr. Subhash P. Desai**, assistant professor of electrical engineering technology, has been accepted for presentation at a national seminar January 12-13 in Vallabh Vidyangar, India, sponsored by Division III, Vallabh Vidyangar Chapter of the Computer Society of India. The paper, entitled "P-CAD Applications in ASIC Layout Design," will be published in the conference proceedings.

Mr. Abbas Foroughi, assistant professor of business, and **Dr. William C. Perkins**, Operations Systems Management professor at Indiana University, are co-authors of a paper, "An Empirical Study of the

Effects of Computer Negotiation Support Systems (NSS) on Negotiation Outcomes and Negotiator Attitudes," which Mr. Foroughi presented at the Decision Sciences Institute November 20-22 in New Orleans. The paper was recognized as one of the ten most outstanding papers among 600 accepted for the conference and will be published in conference proceedings.

Mr. Foroughi also was a discussant at the meeting for a paper on "The Role of Demographic Variables in a DSS Decision Making Environment," written by **Dr. Peter P. Mykytyn, Jr.**, of the the University of Texas-Arlington. Mr. Foroughi also was a participant in the International Conference on Information Systems, held December 4-6 in Boston.

CAMPUS SHUTTLE SERVICE

Campus Security will operate a free shuttle around campus from 5 to 10 p.m. through Friday, December 15, for anyone wanting a ride to their car, to Campus or MASH apartments, or to a campus building. Watch for the red-and-white van marked "Campus Shuttle" and hop on.

WELCOME. **Mr. Billy N. Littlefield II** has joined the University staff as a heating and air-conditioning operator with the Physical Plant. A graduate of North High School and ITT Technical Institute, he previously worked as a security investigator with ADT and in apartment maintenance in Evansville.

HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE. **Dr. and Mrs. David L. Rice's** annual Holiday Open House for University faculty and staff will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Friday, December 15, at the University Home. Join in the Holiday cheer!

"TOYS FOR TOTS." The U.S. Marine Corps has dropped off containers for collection in their annual "Toys for Tots"

campaign. You will find the boxes placed in the President's Office for the Administration and Science Annex buildings; in the Student Activities Office in the University Center; in the Library Services office at the Library; in the Engineering Technology office at the Technology Center; and at the front counter, under the bulletin board, at the Physical Activities Center. **The deadline for contributions is Friday, December 15, when the containers will be picked up.**

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE. With Christmas and New Year's Day both falling on Monday this year, the holiday schedule will be: the University will be closed Monday through Wednesday, December 25-27, reopening on Thursday and Friday. The University will be closed again on Monday, January 1, reopening on Tuesday. **HAPPY HOLIDAYS!**

NOTES SCHEDULE. The University Notes will NOT be published during Christmas Week. The January 3 issue will include the January calendar. Please call extension 1999 on or before Thursday, December 28, if you have items for the January calendar.

PRINTING SERVICES TO CLOSE. Printing Services, including the Copy Center, will be closed Monday through Monday, December 25-January 1. Departments can make arrangements for auditrons through **Mrs. Mabel Hawkins**, Copy Center operator, extension 1889, and requests for printing through **Mrs. Stephanie Fuelling**, Printing Services director, extension 1893.

SECRETARIES' REMINDER. Reservations for the USI Secretaries and Associates Club Christmas party are due Friday, December 15. Contact **Mrs. Jackie Pender** on the switchboard. The party will be at 12 noon Wednesday, December 20, at Bockelman's Restaurant. See you there!

ART FACULTY EXHIBITION. The USI art faculty has again joined with the University of Evansville art faculty for an "Eastside Westside '89" exhibition at the Evansville Museum of Arts and Sciences. It opened Monday, December 11, and will continue through January 7. Participants

include: Mr. Michael Aakhus, Ms. Anne Dowhie, Mr. Lennie Dowhie, Mr. Bill Leth, Mr. John McNaughton, Mr. Curt Uebelhor, and Ms. Kathryn Waters of USI, and Mr. Larry Barnfield, Mr. Bill Brown, Mr. Clay Furches, Mr. Les Miley, Mr. Bill Richmond, Ms. Caroline Roth, and Mr. Mark Timmis of UE.

NOTICE TO ACADEMIC ADVISORS.

Students who receive federal or state financial aid must enroll in courses required for their degrees. When all elective course requirements have been met, only courses specific to the students' majors may be used in determining financial aid enrollment status. Students who are unable to enroll in 12 credit hours required for their degrees may not fill out their schedules with coursework not needed for their declared major. This rule also applies to part-time enrollment.

CAREER FAIR. College and university graduates can get a jump on the area job market at "Opportunities Evansville," a career fair co-sponsored by the Metropolitan Evansville Chamber of Commerce, Evansville Personnel Association, and WFIE-Channel 14. The fair will be held Thursday, December 28, in the Executive Inn International Room. USI will be among regional employers who will have representatives on hand to discuss regional job opportunities. The Evansville Personnel Association will present job-interviewing workshops and resume-critiquing services throughout the day. Attendance prizes will be awarded. Students may pre-register by calling the Chamber of Commerce, 425-8147.

SPORTS THIS WEEK -- SHOOTOUT TICKETS ON SALE. Advance ticket sales have started in the USI Athletics Office for the USI/Executive Inn National Shootout on Friday and Saturday, December 29-30, at Roberts Stadium. The tournament will feature Virginia Union University meeting University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee in the Friday opener at 5:30 p.m. USI will play Ferris State College at 7:30 p.m. The consolation and championship games will be at 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

Double-session tickets for chairbacks are \$12.50 for adults and \$5 for students.

Single-session tickets for chairbacks are \$8 and \$3, respectively. USI students who show a valid USI ID at the windows of Gates 1 and 2 will receive free tickets. Tickets also are available through Select-a-Seat outlets, with a \$1 handling charge. For information, contact Mr. Ray Simmons, USI sports information director, extension 1622.

Men's Basketball - USI at IU/PU-Fort Wayne, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, December 16.

Women's Basketball - USI at IU/PU-Fort Wayne, 6 p.m. Saturday, December 16.

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An ignorant person is anyone who doesn't know anything about the things you know.
- Unknown



WSWI (AM 820) features a daily "Afternoon Rock" program from 12:30 p.m. until the 4:30 p.m. sign-off. The call-in request number is 464-1836. Special programming this week includes:

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14

*11:00 a.m. - *Common Ground*: Working

MARKETPLACE

For Sale

Just in the "Nick" of Time - SEGA Master System - 11-months-old; includes master control deck, two hand controllers, laser pistol, full instructions, all-purpose TV adapter cables, and great software, including "Rambo II," "Duck Hunt," "Flying Falcon," "Helicopter Rescue," "Double Dragon," and "Gran Prix Motorcycle Race." \$350 value - yours for only \$200 if you act before December 14! (All equipment and software in perfect working order. Sale due to child moving up to computer.) Call extension 1765 or 985-5355 after 6 p.m. - free local delivery.

Immaculate 1985 Mazda RX7-GSL - charcoal gray w/maroon leather interior; 50,000 miles. Call extension 1893 or 838-6286 after 3:30 p.m.

1982 Buick Century Ltd. - white w/maroon top & interior. Must see. \$2,400. Call 473-0068 or 479-8447.

Together
11:30 a.m. - *Next 200 Years*: Changing Family Structure, part 2

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15

7:00 a.m. - *Portfolio*
11:00 a.m. - *Blues from the Red Rooster*

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16

10:30 a.m. - *Broadway Bandwagon*: Jerome Robbins' Broadway, part 2
11:30 a.m. - *Radio Theatre*: Fibber McGee and Molly, "A Package from Uncle Sycamore;" Campbell Playhouse, "A Christmas Carol"
1:00 p.m. - *Big Band Music*

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18

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

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19

*11:00 a.m. - *Asian Communique*: Democracy in Pakistan
11:30 a.m. - *Soundings*: Southerners

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20

11:00 a.m. - *Dimensions in Science*: The Chemistry of Blue Jeans
11:15 a.m. - *19th State*: (not available)
*11:30 a.m. - *Dialogue*: Impact of Television News on American Life

* Also aired at 7 a.m.

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POSITIONS AVAILABLE

The following positions are available as of December 11, 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

Director, Technical Assistance Center - Extended Services

Full-time administrative position with responsibility for the successful development, implementation, and management of the Technical Assistance Center, which will be operated through USI to assist regional businesses and industry in a variety of applied research, technical assistance, development, and training activities. Candidates should have a bachelor's degree in technology, engineering, business, or a related field, with a master's degree preferred, and at least five years of significant experience in manufacturing management, industrial training, or directing and organizing research and development projects. Strong management and organizational skills are required. Submit letter of application, resume including salary requirements, and the names of three professional references by December 18 to: Dr. Edward Jones, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

Instructor of Mathematics - School of Science and Engineering Technology

Non-tenure track position beginning in August 1990. Responsibilities include teaching 12 semester hours of algebra, trigonometry or basic mathematics and assisting in development of the Department and the University. Position requires a master's degree with strong mathematics emphasis; teaching experience preferred. Submit letter of application, resume, transcripts, and the names of three references by December 19 to: Dr. Victoria M. Pohl, Chair, Department of Mathematics, University of Southern Indiana,

8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

Director of Theatre - School of Liberal Arts

Full-time position; individual should have an MFA in Theatre with emphasis in directing, acting, and voice, and background in theatre history and dramatic literature. Position requires a minimum of two years of college-level teaching experience to chair a young but rapidly expanding department. Duties include leading a team of four faculty members and teaching courses in beginning and advanced acting, voice, diction, and Introduction to Theatre, and directing two to three productions per year. Submit letter of application, resume, and the names of three professional references by January 31 to: Dr. James R. Blevins, Dean, School of Liberal Arts, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

Instructors in Business - School of Business

Part-time positions; teaching assignments will include courses in accounting, business law, economics, finance, management, marketing, computer information, and statistics. MBA, master's in related field, or JD required. Submit letter of application, resume, and the names of three professional references to: Dr. Glenn A. Pitman, Dean, School of Business, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

Chairpersons, Department of Accounting and Business Law; Department of Management and Marketing - School of Business

Full-time positions beginning August 1990; positions require a doctorate, concentration in appropriate field; record of successful administrative experience; record of scholarship and teaching commensurate with appointment as associate or full professor. Responsibilities include chairing cross-disciplinary departments with six to ten FTE faculty; promoting faculty development with a focus on increasing research productivity; providing leadership in efforts to obtain AACSB accreditation; assisting in development of disciplinary areas, including faculty recruitment; and maintaining and expanding positive relations with external constituencies. Submit

letter of application, resume, and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three references to Dr. Glenn A. Pitman, Dean, School of Business, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, Indiana 47712.

Associate/Assistant Professors - School of Business

Full-time positions beginning August 1990 as associate/assistant professors of accounting, business law, and marketing. Rank dependent upon qualifications. Terminal degree in appropriate discipline required or within 12 months of completion; senior ranks will require a record of research and publication. JD required for business law, specialty in auditing preferred for accounting. Submit letter of application, resume, and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three references to Dr. Glenn A. Pitman, Dean, School of Business, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, Indiana 47712.

CLERICAL/SUPPORT

Receptionist - Admissions/Financial Aid

Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; individual will receive and greet visitors and callers, schedule appointments, answer inquiries, and disseminate and collect various forms. Will perform general secretarial duties and assist as needed with registration. Position requires a high school diploma with one to two years of office experience, interpersonal skills, and typing skill of 40 w.p.m. Application deadline: December 20.

