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**USI EXHIBIT SLATED FOR STATE FAIR.** USI will be participating in the State University Exhibit at the Indiana State Fair this year for the first time. Several staff members have volunteered to work at the USI booth during the fair, August 14-25. If you are planning to attend the fair this year and would like to help -- even if for just a couple of hours -- please call **Mrs. Nancy Allen**, coordinator of donor relations, extension 1928.

August 19 will be Collegiate Day at the fair and discounts will be offered to students, faculty, staff, alumni, and prospective students of USI. If you attend the fair that day and register at the USI booth, you will receive an ID bracelet entitling you to free shuttle bus rides and two-for-one discounts on tickets for harness racing and for the Neil Young concert at 8 p.m. in the grandstand.

USI Day at the fair will be Friday, August 23, with concerts slated at 11 a.m. and 1 and 3 p.m. by the Mid-America Singers under the direction of **Mrs. Sue Schriber**.

**NEW CAMPUS MINISTRY STAFF IN PLACE.** **Father Anthony B. Kissel**, new director of Campus Ministry and philosophy lecturer, and **Ms. Leslie A. Shiel**, a second minister and coordinator of communications, have joined the University family, succeeding **Father Bernard Lutz**.

Father Kissel and Ms. Shiel have been at the Newman Center at the University of Evansville and plan to set up combined programs for the two universities. Ms. Shiel will develop a joint newsletter, Newman Connections. In addition to developing student religious life programs on campus, Father Kissel lives at 8134-A O'Daniel Lane and will be resident advisor in the student housing. He will work with **Mr. Robert Harper**, director of student counseling, to develop community spirit and peer support programs at MASH, and retreats for student advisors.

Father Kissel said he expects to maintain office hours four days a week, but will be available seven days a week since he lives at MASH. Ms. Shiel will be on campus 32 hours a week, in addition to teaching freshman composition classes.

Father Kissel was at Mater Dei High School prior to joining the Newman Center staff seven years ago; he now is president of the Indiana Newman Foundation, which provides support for colleges and universities. Ms. Shiel, of 916 SE Second Street, has been at the UE Newman Center a year.

Also working with them at USI will be Mrs. Katherine Fuchs, who formerly was a secretary in the USI Division of Science and Mathematics for two years. She now is Father Kissel's secretary with the Newman Foundation and will spend two days a week in the USI offices. She and her husband, Gilbert, live at 3320 N. Red Bank Road. They have five children.

**MEDIA SERVICES DIRECTOR HERE.** Mr. Larry W. Ordner assumed duties Monday as the new director of media services. He is a graduate of Indiana University with a bachelor's degree in journalism, and master's degree in instructional systems technology. He previously was with the University of Kentucky college system for four years, then at Madisonville (Kentucky) Community College prior to becoming media services director in 1980 at Ursuline College in Cleveland. He is a native of Corydon, Indiana, and delighted to be back in Southern Indiana. He and his wife, Debra, a native of Morton's Gap, Kentucky, live at 344 Kimber Lane. They have a son, David, 4, and expect their second child in mid-August.

**NAMES IN THE NEWS.** Mr. Paul Bennett, associate professor of electrical engineering technology, recently presented a paper on Practical Engineering Education in West Germany at the annual conference of the Association for Engineering Education. Mr. Larry Goss, professor of engineering technology, also attended the conference.

Dr. Robert E. Gehring, associate professor of psychology, was the featured speaker at a seminar on July 9, 1985, of the Cambridge University MRC Applied Psychology Research Unit, Cambridge, England. The seminar topic was "High Learning and Memory Rates from Video Methods in Basic Research, Teaching, and Training."

On July 11, Dr. Gehring spoke at the University of Aberdeen, Scotland, on "Relating Video/Audio Research to Eyewitness/Earwitness Experiments."

**UNIVERSITY MEETING TO BE AT NEW HARMONY.** The fall University Meeting will be held August 19 in New Harmony, starting at 8:30 a.m. with coffee and donuts at the Atheneum. The program will include announcements, introductions of new faculty, and tours of Historic New Harmony. The meeting will conclude with lunch. Transportation is being arranged through the office of Dr. Robert Reid, vice president for Academic Affairs.

**CHILDREN'S DAY IN NEW HARMONY.** USI's Super Summer program for children will feature a day in Historic New Harmony on August 7 for youngsters in grades three through six. They will learn from New Harmony's resident experts about the Rappite settlement and their crafts, Robert Owen's Harmonie Society, and the various types of architecture found in New Harmony. The New Harmony Music Festival will be in full swing, and a performance of the University of Evansville's Children's Choir will be a feature of the day. The registration fee is \$25. Interested persons may contact the USI Office of Continuing Education, extension 1863, for details or to register.

**USI TO HOST 1985 WRITERS' CONFERENCE.** Mr. Stephen Birmingham, who made publishing history by having two books on The New York Times bestseller list at the same time, will deliver the keynote address for the Ohio River Writers' Conference, which will be held Friday through Sunday, August 2-4, in the University Conference Center. Birmingham will speak at the conference banquet at 6 p.m. Friday and also lead workshops on non-fiction writing.

The public is being invited to the banquet and the public readings which will be led Friday at 8 p.m. by non-fiction author Ms. Andrea Darvi, and Saturday at 8 p.m. by poet Ms. Rita Dove and fiction writer Mr. Michael Martone. The three also will lead workshops in their fields. Other participants will include Mr. Peter Jacobi, professor of journalism at Indiana University, in a Public Relations Forum; Ms. Jane Jordan Browne, a Chicago literary agent with advice on product marketing; and state and local authors -- Mr. Gary Devon, Ms. Jo Frohbieter-Mueller, Ms. Maggie Greenwood-Robinson, Ms. Sandra Hermann, Ms. Rebecca Carson Kelley, Mrs. Marilyn Kluger, Ms. Ann Stuart, and Father Joseph Ziliak -- who will lead topic workshops.

Reservations for the Friday banquet are \$10 per person, and must be made by Tuesday, July 30; call the Evansville Arts and Education Council (422-2111), which is co-sponsoring the conference with USI. There is no charge for the public readings. A complete schedule of the conference and registration fees for the various seminars may be obtained from Dr. Sherry Darrell, assistant professor of English at USI and chairperson for the conference.

**CREDIT UNION HIGHLIGHTS.** The Credit Union offers many different savings plans, including regular shares at 6.5 percent APR, Christmas Club at 6 percent APR, and share drafts at 5 percent APR. Insured Money Market changes weekly and is 1 percent lower than the Money Market rate on 18-, 30-, and 60-month certificates, and six-month Money Market Certificates.

**TUTORS AVAILABLE.** Writing and math tutors are available from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily in L103, during the second summer session of classes.

**PARKING DECALS AVAILABLE.** USI parking decals now are available from cashiers in the Business Office. The cost is \$10 for two decals.

**WANDER INDIANA --** Festivals are held throughout Indiana during the summer, celebrating heritage and community pride. Other events in southern Indiana will include:

**Antique Steam and Gas Engine Show --** July 26-28, Thresherman Park, Boonville; old-time steam engines, model steam engines, separators, baker fan, old tractors, shingle mill, old gas engines, teeter board, broom making, tobacco stick making, chair caning, horse-drawn equipment.

**Strassenfest --** August 1-4, Jasper; canoe races, carp contest, volleyball, golf, and tennis tourneys, horseshoe pitch, bed and bar-stool races, crafts, German band, bierstube.

**Zoar Mosquito Fest --** August 2-3, Pike County; gospel and country music, flea market, broom making, old-time games, anything goes, volleyball tourney, turtle derby, flower and cake show, homemade ice cream, country store.

**UNIVERSITY CENTER DINING.** The University Center Dining Room remains closed, with American Food Management offering food service in the main-floor Snack Bar, open from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**WSWI PROGRAM SCHEDULE.** Tune to AM 82 for your listening pleasure. The WSWI schedule for the week of July 24-30 will be:

**Wednesday, July 24**

12:30 p.m. ...THE NINETEENTH STATE ...Hoosiers from Old Cuba--Part 2  
12:45 p.m. ...DIMENSIONS IN SCIENCE ..The Case for an Open Universe  
3:30 p.m. ...CAMBRIDGE FORUM .....Human Rights in the Philippines  
4:30-8 p.m. ...ALBUM ROCK

**Thursday, July 25**

- 12:30 p.m. ...COMMON GROUND ..... Lebanon -- the Roots of the Problem  
3:30 p.m. ...DIALOGUE ..... Dialogue on History and Biography: Truth and Objectivity  
4:30-8 p.m. ...ALBUM ROCK

**Friday, July 26**

- 12:30 p.m. ...820 MAGAZINE  
12:45 p.m. ...CORNELL FORUM ..... A New Approach to Energy Conservation  
3:30 p.m. ...ASIAN COMMUNIQUE ..... Cinema in India  
4:30-8 p.m. ...ALBUM ROCK

**Saturday, July 27**

- 11:30 a.m. ...RADIO THEATRE ..... Have Gun, Will Travel: "The Search for Dr. Bradbury;"  
Your Hit Parade: June 5, 1943;  
Temple of Vampires: Episode 2;  
Selected short subjects.

**Sunday, July 28**

- 12:00 noon ...BROADWAY BANDWAGON ..... "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes,"  
Carol Channing, original Broadway cast

**Monday, July 29**

- 12:30 p.m. ...SCIENCE JOURNAL ..... Encouraging Minorities to Pursue Engineering as a Profession  
3:30 p.m. ...FOCUS ..... Focus on Soil Erosion  
4:30-8 p.m. ...ALBUM ROCK

**Tuesday, July 30**

- 12:30 p.m. ...PRIME TIME ..... Barbershop Singing; and more  
3:30 p.m. ...SOUNDINGS ..... Philosophy and Public Policy  
4:30-8 p.m. ...ALBUM ROCK

**MARKETPLACE**

**For Rent**

House -- 6321 Broadway; 3-bedroom, 2-car garage, full basement, central air, large lot. \$400 per month; \$250 deposit. Call extension 1816 or 423-7916.

**For Sale**

1984 Fiero -- Must sell; low miles, AM/FM clock radio cassette player, AC, automatic. \$9,000. Call 424-1196 after 4:30 p.m.

1972 Chevy van -- automatic, PS, PB (new brakes), stereo. \$995. Call extension 1944 or 479-9257.

Chinon Super 8 -- 8 mm projector and camera with zoom lens; never been used. \$180. Call extension 1913 or 422-2059.

1981 Datsun pick-up truck -- 4-wheel-drive, King cab; excellent condition. \$4,800. Call Len at extension 1882 or 853-6629.

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**POSITIONS AVAILABLE.** The following positions are available as of July 23, 1985. 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 Office, Administration Building, Room FWA 29, Extension 1770.

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**FACULTY/ADMINISTRATIVE**

**DEPARTMENT**

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**Coordinator of Health Occupations  
Programs**

**Continuing Education**

**Job Description.** Part-time, 10-month administrative appointment; individual will be responsible for the development and coordination of a self-supporting noncredit program for health occupations personnel. Master's degree in health education, health services management, education, or related area preferred; board certification in a health-care area and a minimum of five years' experience in health occupations continuing education program required. Submit letter of application, resume, and the names of three references by July 26, 1985, to Dr. M. Edward Jones, Continuing Education, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

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**CLERICAL/SUPPORT**

**DEPARTMENT**

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**Administrative Assistant**

**General Instruction**

**Job Description.** Full-time position as administrative assistant to the Vice President for Academic Affairs. Responsibilities include assisting with the coordination and supervision of the operational and administrative details of the office; performing secretarial duties for the vice president and providing secretarial support to various academic committees; coordinating academic travel needs and processing and maintaining confidential materials. Position requires 4-to-6-years' secretarial experience or an equivalent combination of education and experience; typing of 60-65 wpm; must possess excellent interpersonal and organizational skills; knowledge of word-processing desirable.

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**Experience is a hard teacher because she gives the test first,  
the lesson afterwards. -- Vernon Law**

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