



University of Southern Indiana

# UNIVERSITY NOTES

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## Dr. John Byrd chosen vice president, Student Affairs

**Dr. John W. Byrd**, who has held leadership positions at the University of Evansville since 1978, has been selected as vice president for Student Affairs at the University of Southern Indiana, replacing **Dr. Donald Bennett**, who is retiring.

Dr. Byrd, UE vice president for Academic Services and Planning since 1993, has had a leadership role in UE's highly successful admissions, financial aid, and student affairs programs. He directed the development and execution of the university's first written and comprehensive recruitment marketing plan; has an extensive

background in grant preparation in support of a variety of programs; developed competitive academic scholarships with an emphasis on affecting under-enrolled programs, faculty involvement, improving student quality, increasing diversity, and reducing financial expenditures; worked closely with programs designed to improve student retention success, particularly with freshmen, and those to aid economically disadvantaged students; and involved faculty, staff, students, and administrators in developing a strategic plan for the 1980s.

**USI President H. Ray Hoops** said, "Dr. Byrd's experience is exactly what we had hoped to find as we began our search. We were fortunate to attract many qualified candidates, but the students, faculty, and staff concurred that Dr. Byrd's exceptional qualifications were the best match for USI's needs. We are anxious to have the benefit of his talents."

Dr. Byrd has been honored by several community and student minority groups, including receiving the Minority Student Association's Outstanding Administrator of the Year award. He is a member of Eta Sigma Gamma health education honorary, Phi Epsilon Kappa physical education honorary, and various professional organizations.

Dr. Byrd received a B.S. and M.Ed. from the University of Missouri, and Ph.D. in education from Southern Illinois University. At UE, he also has held positions of vice president for Planning and Strategic Services, director of Planning and Institutional Research, assistant dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, and assistant professor of health education. He also has taught at the University of Minnesota-Duluth, SIU, University of Wisconsin-Superior, and the University of Missouri.

## Dr. Hoops to speak:

**USI President H. Ray Hoops** will be the featured speaker for the December 14 program in the 1994-95 Leadership Luncheon Series sponsored by Leadership Evansville. His topic will be "University of Southern Indiana: Building on Success." The luncheon will begin at 11:30 a.m. in **Bernie Little's River House**, Walnut and SE First streets -- a change of location from the original schedule. Tickets are \$12 a person for a single luncheon. Call Leadership Evansville, 425-3828, for information.

## Southern Hospitality Day:

The final fall Southern Hospitality Day is slated at 9 a.m. Monday, December 12, in the University Center, allowing Tri-State high school students to become acquainted with the University. Students, families, and friends are invited to join the USI Enrollment Services staff for informational sessions on academic programs, financial assistance, campus activities and tours, free lunch, and more. No reservations are required. For information call Enrollment Services, extension 1765.

## Names in the news:

An article by **Dr. Charles F. Petranek**, chair of the Sociology and Anthropology Department, was published in the December 1994 issue of *Simulation & Gaming: An International Journal of Theory, Practice and Research*. The article was invited by the journal editor and entitled, "A Maturation in Experiential Learning: Principles of Simulation and Gaming."

Dr. Petranek also conducted three recent evaluative research projects. The first, "Youth Needs Assessment Study for Warrick County Step Ahead," surveyed 659 people to determine the needs of young people and to develop recommendations. The second study, "1994 - New Outpatients' Evaluation of Southwestern Mental Health Center with Comparisons

## Give summer theatre treat for holidays . . .

The University community will want to take advantage of The New Harmony Theatre's Season '95 ticket offer which transforms holiday giving into summertime entertainment for special family members and friends.

The \$48 Season '95 ticket -- available to USI employees for \$40 per ticket, with no limit on the number one can buy -- will treat the recipient to drama in June, a musical and a comedy in July, and the classic *Our Town* in August. To order, call 682-3115. The staff will send vouchers directly to the buyer, or to the recipient with personalized greetings from the buyer. Visa and MasterCard are accepted.

Season '95 will continue the American Masters Festival theme as The New Harmony Theatre offers Tennessee Williams' *Orpheus Descending* in June at Murphy Auditorium; the Tony Award-winning musical, *Ain't Misbehavin'*, and Hart/Kaufman comedy, *You Can't Take It With You*, in July at Thrall's Opera House and Murphy, respectively; and Thornton Wilder's enduring *Our Town* in August at Murphy.



## The move begins:

The Communications Department has moved to a new home for the second time in the past six months and now can be found on the second floor of the new Health Professions Center (room 2145). The department moved from Student Housing to the lower level of the Orr Center at the start of the 1994 fall semester. All telephone numbers are the same.

School of Nursing and Health Professions faculty have begun their move to the Health Professions Center. Office and telephone numbers have been assigned as follows (room and telephone numbers in bold):

Dr. Nadine A. Coudret, dean  
- rm. 2078 - 465-1151

Dr. Gordon Kelley, assistant dean - 2087 - 464-1805

Mrs. Deborah Bookout, student affairs - 2091 - 465-1150

Mrs. Diane Glaser, dean's secretary - 2068 - 465-1151

Ms. Pat Cannon, health professions secretary - 2068 - 464-1702

Learning Center - 2038 - 465-1153

Mrs. Deborah C. Henry, dental hygiene director - 2059 - 464-1707

Mrs. Linda O. Matheson, dental assisting director - 2055 - 464-1778

Mrs. Pamela T. Ford, dental assisting instructor - 2050 - 464-1731

Mrs. Phyllis A. Maddox, dental hygiene assistant professor - 2051 - 464-1777

Dr. John Greif, dental lecturer - 2048 - 465-1155

Dental Clinic - 1043 - 464-1706

Mrs. Connie G. Cooper, nursing instructor - 2094 - 465-1157

Ms. Linda K. Evinger, nursing instructor - 2096 - 465-1158

Mrs. Georgie Collins Freese, nursing instructor - 2102 -

465-1159

Mrs. Pennae L. Fuchs, nursing instructor - 2045 -

465-1160

Mrs. Peggy Graul, nursing lecturer - 2101 - 465-1161

Dr. Judith A. Halstead, nursing assistant professor - 2057 - 465-1162

Mrs. Pam B. Koob, nursing assistant professor - 2053 - 465-1163

Mrs. Judi L. Kuric, continuing education coordinator - 2097 - 465-1164

Dr. Sheila D. Melander, nursing assistant professor - 2052 - 465-1165

Mr. Michael D. O'Grady, nursing instructor - 2098 - 465-1166

Ms. Cynthia S. Roberts, nursing instructor - 2049 - 465-1167

Ms. Gina L. Schaar, nursing instructor - 2100 - 465-1168

Mrs. Julie B. St. Clair, nursing instructor - 2047 - 465-1169

Mrs. Mary C. Titzer, nursing lecturer - 2042 - 465-1170

Dr. Melissa L. Vandever, nursing associate professor - 2072 - 465-1171

Ms. Mary Ann Wehmer, nursing instructor - 2044 - 465-1172

Mrs. Ann H. White, nursing instructor - 2089 - 465-1173

Ms. Izetta J. Brakel, nursing secretary - 2068 - 465-1174

Ms. Aimee J. Luebben, occupational therapy director - 2074 - 465-1175

Mr. Rick Hobbs, OT instructor - 2104 - 465-1176

Ms. Linda Kinkade-Bottorff, OT lecturer - 2103 - 465-1177

Ms. Rebecca A. Collins, OT secretary - 2068 - 465-1179

Mr. Curt L. Serbus, radiologic technology director - 2090 - 464-1894

Ms. Charlene H. Tripp, radtech assistant professor - 2099 - 465-1180

Mr. Robert W. Hooper, respiratory therapy director - 2088 - 464-1751

Ms. Jeraldne Leach, respiratory therapy instructor - 2095 - 465-7036

FAX - 2068 - 465-7092

Receptionist - 2068 - 464-1708

to 1989, 1990, 1992," analyzed 998 client responses to a questionnaire. The third study, "July, August, September 1994 Client Evaluation of Stepping Stone," analyzed client assessment of their stays in the residential treatment facility. The studies assisted community leaders in critical decisions about residents and guided them in better services to the community.

Mrs. Sylvia A. Wettmarshausen, employment and employee relations coordinator, and the University were recognized by the Private Industry Council, Indiana Department of Workforce Development, as the Outstanding Business of the Year for Vanderburgh County. The honor bestowed during a recent awards breakfast recognizes University affiliation with PIC and summer youth employment programs the past 16 years and Mrs. Wettmarshausen's efforts on behalf of the programs since 1993.

The Western Traditions faculty conducted faculty development workshops on Assessment Day. Presenters were Mr. Eric vonFuhrmann, "The African Epic;" Mr. John Gibson, "A Saddle on his Back": Failed Visions in Seventeenth Century England;" Mrs. Phyllis Toy, "Native American Literature: Making the subject a Subject;" and Dr. Guillermo Latorre, "This Is the Title of This Presentation."

Mr. vonFuhrmann presented "Omeros: Derek Walcott's Caribbean Epic" at the first English Colloquium of the semester. Mr. Matthew Graham and Mr. Eric Braysmith presented "Fragile Harmony: Words and Images from Southern Indiana" at the second English Colloquium.

## Welcome:

The University community welcomes Mrs. Marsha G. Salee, secretary in Human Resources; and Mr. Darryl Sandage, custodial worker.

Mrs. Salee formerly was secretary at Holy Rosary School for five years.

## Sympathy:

The University community extends its sympathy to Mrs. Ann Cooper, Enrollment Services counselor, in the death November 26 of her mother, Mrs. Sara Scheller.

## University Core Curriculum:

The University Core Curriculum Committee has received the following petition for a course to be added to the program. Faculty wishing to respond should reply in writing to Dr. John H. Gottcent, UCC coordinator. The Committee will consider the petition after 10 instructional days have elapsed:

### For Category A3

Mathematics

MATH 215 Survey of Calculus.

### For Category C5

Global Communities

EDUC 302 Cultural Diversity and Human Relations in Teaching and Learning

## Finals specials:

The Student Housing Association will sponsor a midnight breakfast on Thursday, December 8, for students who are studying for finals. SHA will serve eggs, toast, juice, and coffee, starting at 11 p.m., in the McDonald recreation room. McDonald West recreation room will be turned into a 24-hour study room, open December 11-14. Coffee and hot chocolate will be served from 8 to 10 p.m., and supervision will be provided during night hours. For information on finals programs in housing, call Ms. Laura Berry, resident life program coordinator, extension 2222.

## Historic New Harmony:

The annual Holiday Ball will be held from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. Saturday, December 10, at Thrall's Opal House. Tickets are \$10 per person and may be purchased at Red Geranium



Bookstore (682-4423) or at the door.

### Housing information:

Effective December 1, off-campus housing information is being handled in the Student Housing office. Call extension 2300 to list rental properties for students or to obtain information on what is available.

### Payroll reminders:

Anyone who has moved between states or Indiana counties during 1994 will need to complete a new state/county tax withholding form in the Payroll Department prior to January 1. Also, if your filing status or exemption allowance has changed since your last W-4 was filed, you may want to file an amended W-4 by December 16. Questions may be directed to the Payroll Department, extension 1840.

The Payroll Department asks also that you please assist them in making sure you receive your W-2 in timely fashion. Verify your name, address, and social security number on your next paycheck. Notify the Human Resources Department, extension 1661, if any information is not correct.

### Sports news:

Head soccer Coach Tony Colavecchia will participate December 10 in an NCAA Youth Education through Sports (YES) soccer clinic at Davidson College in North Carolina. He will lead midfield play sessions for the 10- to 18-year-olds. Each coach is allowed to bring one player and Coach Colavecchia will be accompanied by Sean Helliwell, USI captain and senior midfielder.

Senior guard Brian Huebner is the 1994 recipient of the John Hollinden Memorial Scholarship, awarded annually to the basketball Eagle who "best embodies the spirit of John Hollinden." The 7' 6" Hollinden, a star player for USI in the early '80s, was confined to a wheelchair after being in-

jured in an automobile accident in 1982. He worked with various social agencies over the years, between hospitalizations for complications arising from his injuries. He died in 1992, at the age of 34.

Ms. Annette Hull has been appointed an athletic trainer and physical education instructor at USI. She received a bachelor's degree in physical education from California State University-San Bernardino, and master's in educational counseling from the University of Redlands, where she was head athletic trainer for the NCAA Division III Men's Tennis Championships hosted by Redlands. She is certified by the National Athletic Trainers Association, was a trainer for the U.S. National Short Track Championships, and was a sports medicine instructor and academic counselor at Apple Valley High School prior to coming to USI.

USI has had nine student/athletes, five of whom are repeats on individual teams, named Academic All-Great Lakes Valley Conference for fall semester sports. To be eligible, the student/athlete must be a starter or a top reserve, participate in a fall sport sponsored by the GLVC (men's and women's cross country, women's tennis, men's and women's soccer, and volleyball), and have at least a 3.0 grade point average or a 3.2 GPA for the previous two semesters. Academic All-GLVC honors went to (stars denote repeat selection): men's cross country - \*Bill Centifanto, \*Brian Elpers; men's golf - \*Brian Merrill; women's tennis - Robyn Haley, Blythe Schreiber; volleyball - Heidi Bullock, \*Michelle Welp, \*Tanya Broughton, Andrea Miller.

The Mike Goedde pitching and catching camp for ages 10 to 18 will be held from 9 a.m. to 12 noon Tuesday-Thursday, December 27-29. Mr. Kevin Brown, former USI Eagle who is now with the Texas Rang-

## The holidays at USI:

Saturday-Sunday,  
December 24-January 1  
Winter recess - University closed

Historic New Harmony will be closed December 24-25 and December 31-January 1

The Activities Programming Board will hold its annual holiday party for children of USI students, faculty, and staff, beginning at 11 a.m. Saturday, December 10, in the University Conference Center.

The annual holiday open house for faculty and staff will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Friday, December 16, at the University Home.

Children's Center youngsters will do their annual Christmas caroling on Friday, December 16. They will sing at 9:45 a.m. in the Administration corridor, 10:10 a.m. in the Orr Center lobby, and 10:30 a.m. in the University Center lobby.

Student housing winners in the Holiday Decorating Contest were announced Monday: O'Daniel \$50 winners - Wright academic and Dunning freshman; \$25 winner - Whitcomb freshman academic; McDonald West \$50 winners - Ralston and Saletta; \$25 winner - Hanly; McDonald East \$50 winner - Morton/Lane upper classmen; \$25 winner - Baker/Hendricks over 21; and Greek Court \$50 winner - Phi Delta Theta; \$25 winner - Delta Zeta. The cash prizes go into programming budgets for parties and other social events. The decorations will remain up at least a week -- do yourself a favor and drive through!

The USI Secretaries and Associates Club invites the University community to join the members at the annual holiday luncheon from 12 noon to 2 p.m. Thursday, December 15, at Hadi Shrine Temple. Lunch is \$6 for club members, \$8 for non-members; Friday, December 9, is the deadline for reservations. Contact Mrs. Janet G. Duncan, senior clerk in Purchasing, extension 1848.

Nursing Club '94 is conducting a food campaign, with the nonperishable items collected to be distributed to those in need through ECHO (Evansville Community of Health Organizations). The campaign will continue through Finals Week, with collection points in the lobbies of the various campus buildings. For information, call Ms. Mary Hawkins, extension 2022.

ers, will be the guest instructor. Call extension 1943 for information or registration.

### Sports this week:

Men's basketball - Northern Kentucky at USI, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, December 10

### Women's basketball -

USI Holiday Tournament: USI, SIU-Edwardsville, IU/

PU-Indianapolis, NW Missouri play at 6 and 8 p.m. Friday, December 9, and 2 and 4 p.m. Saturday, December 10; USI at Georgetown College, 7 p.m. Friday, December 16

A diet is the penalty for exceeding the feed limit.



*The following positions are available for December 9, 1994. 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 Human Resources Office, FWA166, extension 1844. Each job has been assigned a reference number. When applying for positions please use the reference number.*

**FACULTY/ADMINISTRATIVE**  
**Assistant/Associate Professor of**  
**Mathematics - F4030 - School of**  
**Science and Engineering Tech-**  
**nology**

Tenure-track position beginning Fall 1995. Responsibilities include instructing courses in algebra, precalculus, calculus, and abstract algebra or analysis. Position requires Ph.D. in mathematics or substantial completion of degree; candidates with a specialization in algebra or analysis will be given favorable consideration. The University is committed to excellence in teaching, scholarship and professional activity, and service to the University and the community. Review of applications will begin February 10, and continue until position filled. Submit letter of application, curriculum vitae, and names and addresses of three professional references to Dr. David Kinsey, Chair, Mathematics Department.

**Assistant/Associate Professor of**  
**Mathematics - F4031 - School of**  
**Science and Engineering Tech-**  
**nology**

Tenure-track position beginning Fall 1995. Responsibilities include instructing courses in algebra, precalculus, calculus, and math-

**Positions**  
**available**

ematics for elementary teachers. Position requires terminal degree in mathematics or mathematics education or substantial completion of degree. Candidates with background in teaching a variety of courses at undergraduate level will be given favorable consideration. The University is committed to excellence in teaching, scholarship and professional activity, and service to the University and the community. Review of applications will begin February 10, and continue until position filled. Submit letter of application, curriculum vitae, and names and addresses of three professional references to Dr. David Kinsey, Chair, Mathematics Department.

**CLERICAL/SUPPORT**

**Administrative Secretary - B4059 -**  
**School of Liberal Arts**

Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. Will coordinate and implement all supportive processes for University theaters under direct but limited supervision. Responsibilities include typing correspondence and contracts, monitoring theater budgets, preparing various budget reports, and coordinating activities of clerical staff. Position requires high school diploma or equivalent with four years office experience or an equivalent combination of education and experience, knowledge of word-processing and spreadsheet programs, and excellent communication and organization skills. Application deadline: December 9, but applications accepted

until position filled. F060B/\$7.16/hr.

**Intermediate Secretary - B4060 -**  
**School of Business**

Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. Will type examinations and course-related materials for School of Business faculty. Responsibilities will include duplicating materials, answering telephones, and assisting with student registration. Position requires high school diploma or equivalent plus one year of office experience, knowledge of word-processing software, and excellent organizational and time-management skills; knowledge of desktop publishing and spreadsheet programs preferred. Application deadline: December 9, but applications accepted until position filled. F030B/\$5.76/hr.

**Senior Administrative Secretary -**  
**B4061 - School of Business**

Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. Will perform a variety of administrative, technical, and office support duties for the School of Business dean and faculty. Responsibilities will include determining priorities and coordinating work assignments, monitoring fiscal records, maintaining calendars and scheduling appointments, assisting in the coordination of special programs, and other duties associated with position. Position requires high school diploma or equivalent and four years office experience or an equivalent combination of education and experience; two years of college course work preferred; must have knowledge of word-processing software, dBase, spreadsheet programs, and excellent interpersonal, organizational, and communication skills. Application deadline: December 16; applications will be accepted until position filled. F070B/\$7.68/hr.

**MARKETPLACE**

**For Sale**

4 waterbed mattresses - 2 super singles, 2 king size. Portable dishwasher. Price negotiable. Call extension 1982 this week or 1606 next.

18" Herringbone chain - 14K gold, \$100; price negotiable. Call 424-6528 after 5:30 p.m.

Computer cart - pretend-oak finish, desk side style, \$40. Marlin rifle - .22 cal. model 70P "Papoose;" take-apart model w/scope and soft-pack carrying case. Never fired. \$150. Contact Walt Wisniewski, extension 1735, WWISNEWS on local net, or 812/724-2227 after 5 p.m.

2 IBM Selectric typewriters - correcting, \$75; noncorrecting, \$50. Call extension 1719.

Organ - Lowrey Magic Genie; excellent

condition. \$350. Call 858-3594.

25" color TV - Magnavox console/w remote. Reason for sale: receiving new set for Christmas. \$100. Call 467-0534.

Must sell - 1993 Mercury Grand Marquis, LS, 23,000 miles, loaded, white, red leather, anti-lock brakes, traction control. Call extension 7030.

Tickets - 4 for Indy Colts/Miami Dolphins game December 18, Indianapolis; section 317, row 21; \$26 each. Call extension 1627 or 424-6843 after 5 p.m.

Moving sale - sofa sleeper (tan corduroy), \$225; love seat (cream floral), \$150; washer/dryer (Whirlpool, almond) \$275; twin bed (handmade solid maple), \$150; matching bookcase, \$75; bedroom suite (maple chest, dresser, queen-size bed w/solid brass head-

board), \$395; braided wool rug (8' round, blue), \$25. All in excellent condition. Call Nancy, extension 1812.

6 1/2' artificial Christmas tree - used 3 times; excellent condition. \$50. Exercise bike - beginner's type; good way to determine if you'll use one. \$25. Call extension 1902.

Homemade gingerbread man Christmas ornaments - \$2 each or 6/\$10. Call 421-8625 after 4:30 p.m.

1971 Pontiac - 2-dr hardtop T-37; 350 engine, 2-barrel, automatic transmission, power steering; one owner, 91,000 actual miles; perfect shape, runs and drives great, clean and nice. This car is very rare. Asking \$1,595. Call Willie Dortch, 423-0200 mornings, or 477-9581.