



# University of Southern Indiana UNIVERSITY NOTES

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## VISITING ARTIST

Mr. Michael Aurbach, associate professor of fine arts at Vanderbilt University, is the Visiting Artist at USI, co-sponsored by the USI Art Department and the New Harmony Gallery of Contemporary Art. He will present an informal slide lecture at 1 p.m. Wednesday, November 6, in the USI Technology Building and a public slide lecture at 7:30 p.m. that day at The Athenaeum in New Harmony. He will conduct sculpture workshops at 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Thursday,

November 7, in the USI Technology Building. All programs are free and open to the public. For information, contact the Gallery, 682-3156.

Mr. Aurbach received an M.F.A. in sculpture from Southern Methodist University in 1982. He was awarded a Tennessee Arts Commission Fellowship in 1990 and is represented by Bernice Steinbaum Gallery in New York. In his "Final Portrait" sculpture series, Mr. Aurbach shifts the context of common objects and symbols to create new meanings. The early works in the series function as symbolic portraits of workers (mail carriers, carpenters, bricklayers) by creating funeral caskets customized to the particular occupation.

## NATIVE AMERICANS TO BE DINNER TOPIC

Dr. R. David Edmunds, educator and author of several books and articles on native Americans, will be the featured speaker at a dinner in the New Harmony Inn Conference Center on Friday, November 22, co-sponsored by Harmonie Associates and Historic New Harmony Society. His topic will be "The American Indian Odyssey."

Dr. Edmunds is professor of history at Indiana University. His books include *The Shawnee Prophet*, published in 1983, nominated for a Pulitzer Prize, recipient of the Ohioan Prize for Biography, and selected for the History Book Club; *The Potawatomis, Keepers of the Fire*, awarded the 1978 Francis Parkman Prize in American History; and *Tecumseh and the Quest for Indian Leadership*.

Dr. Edmunds has degrees from Millikin, Illinois State, and Oklahoma universities. He also has taught at the University of Wyoming and Texas Christian University, and has been involved in many projects focusing on the American Indian. Dr. Edmunds has been a consultant to numerous agencies

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## STUDENT ASSESSMENT DAY TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12

**NEW START SEMINAR.** The fall New Start Seminar, designed for adults who are considering a change in careers, enrolling in a college course, or new challenges, will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, November 16, in the University Conference Center. Topics will include career planning and placement opportunities, financial aid and grants, USI support programs for adults, and how to enroll in one class or work toward a degree as a part-time student.

The seminar is free, but will have available the Strong Campbell Interest Inventory, which indicates personal strengths and weaknesses, for a fee of \$10. Reservations are requested by calling extension 1765.

**ART FACULTY EXHIBITION.** The fourth annual UE/USI Joint Faculty Exhibition opened October 29 and will be available through Sunday, December 8, at the Evansville Museum of Arts and Science. USI participants include Mr. Michael K.

**SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY DAY.** The second fall Southern Hospitality Day to allow Tri-State high school students and their families to become acquainted with USI will be held Friday, November 15. The program will begin at 9 a.m. in the University Center; activities will include tours of the campus and adjacent student housing, meetings with the academic deans, and class visits. No reservations are required. Call the Admissions Office, extension 1765, for information.

## THE NEW HARMONY THEATRE TO PRESENT *IVY ROWE*

The New Harmony Theatre will offer a special Season '91 finale with the presentation of Ms. Barbara Bates Smith in the one-woman performance of *Ivy Rowe*. This adaptation from the novel, *Fair and Tender Ladies* by Ms. Lee K. Smith, will be presented November 22-23-24 at Murphy Auditorium.

Ms. Lee Smith's autobiographical novel tells the story of a young woman with the grit and hard-earned wisdom of coal-country Appalachia. Ivy shares her story through a lifetime of wry and poignant letters to family and friends, real and imagined. Ms. Smith, who is not related to Ms. Barbara Smith, has seen the performance and said, "My book was pretty good, but this is great."

Ms. Barbara Smith has won East Coast acclaim for her performance of *Ivy Rowe*,

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Aakhus, associate professor of art; Mr. Eric Braysmith, part-time lecturer in art and English; Mr. Stephen C. (Clay) Furches, Art Workshop supervisor; Mr. John W. McNaughton, professor of art; Ms. Carolyn Roth, part-time lecturer in art; Mr. John Reynolds, part-time lecturer in art; Ms. Kaiti Slater, part-time lecture in art; Mr. Curt Uebelhor, assistant at the New Harmony Gallery of Contemporary Art; and Ms. Kathryn M. Waters, Art Department chair. Museum hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, and 12 noon-5 p.m. Sundays.

**NAMES IN THE NEWS.** Dr. Aldo Cardarelli, chair of the Teacher Education Department, conducted two workshops for teachers and aides attending the Chapter 1 Regional Conference October 22 at Vincennes University. The workshops were entitled "Diagnostic and Prescriptive Teaching Through the Use of the Cloze and Maze Procedures."

**Mr. Elliot H. Wasserman**, assistant professor of theatre, has had his poem, *Witches*, published in the fall 1991 issue of the *Beloit Poetry Journal*.

**CURRICULAR COMMITTEE ANNOUNCEMENT.** To all faculty:

-- Please note that anyone wishing to submit petitions for new courses or for course modifications to be offered in the fall 1992 semester must submit them to the Curricular Committee chair by January 17.

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which was written and directed by Mr. Mark Hunter. Typical was Variety's comment: "Both funny and heartbreaking . . . brims with Ivy Rowe's unschooled wisdom and fierce spirit . . . Ivy Rowe is a pleasure. She chronicles her surroundings with a freshness that suggests no one, before or since, has seen life quite the way she sees it . . . She refuses to relinquish her passion."

The play will be presented at 8 p.m. Friday, November 22; 2 and 7 p.m. Saturday, November 23; and 2 p.m. Sunday, November 24. Tickets are \$10, general admission, with a special \$8 price for The New Harmony Theatre season ticket holders.

The New Harmony Theatre is managed by the USI School of Liberal Arts. The USI Society for the Arts and Humanities and Mr. John Streetman, society chairman and a personal friend of Ms. Barbara Smith, will host a gala after-theatre supper following Saturday night's performance. Tickets are \$50 per person, with proceeds to be used as a benefit for The New Harmony Theatre.

Call the New Harmony box office, 812/682-3115, for theatre reservations. Call the USI Office of Special Events, extension 1654, for information or tickets to the benefit gala.

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## FINAL WEEK FOR USI THEATRE'S A CRY OF PLAYERS

This is the final week for the USI Theatre production of *A Cry of Players*, Mr. William Gibson's fictionalized account of the life of young William Shakespeare. Performances will be at 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, November 7-8-9, and 2 p.m. Sunday, November 10, at the theatre, 3001 Igleheart. Tickets are \$5 for general admission, \$3 for students and senior citizens. Call extension 1734 for tickets or information.

-- Before submitting a petition, please read the USI handbook regarding development of petitions.

-- A person who has submitted a petition should watch *University Notes* to learn when the petition will come before the Curricular Committee. The committee strongly recommends that the person who submits a petition appear before the committee when that petition is considered.

**FINANCIAL AID WORKSHOP.** The Indiana Student Financial Aid Association will hold a Financial Aid Workshop at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, November 12, at Ivy Tech in Evansville. It is open to counselors in programs ranging from upward-bound through colleges and universities. Call Mr. James A. Patton, USI Student Financial Assistance Office director, extension 1767, for information.

**BUSINESS-EDUCATION FORUM.** Ms. Sandra Byrne, project manager with the National Alliance for Business (NAB) Center for Excellence in Education, will be the

featured speaker for a business-education forum on "Closing the Skills Gap," to be held from 3 to 5 p.m. Thursday, November 7, in UC352. The meeting is sponsored by USI and the Private Industry Council (PIC) and is open to the public. No registration is required.

**SPEAKERS BUREAU REMINDER.** Mrs. Kathy W. Funke, director of News and Information Services, reminds faculty and administrative staff members interested in participating in the USI Speakers Bureau or as consultants to the media and other organizations to return data sheets this week.

**PLADOUGH ECONOMICS.** The Indiana Council for Economic Education will explain its "Pladough Economics" program in a workshop for area primary schoolteachers, to be held at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, November 14, in OC2040. Up to 40 teachers are expected to attend. The USI Center for Economic Education, headed by Dr. Gregory P. Valentine, will be host for the workshop; call him at extension 1610 for information.

**GRANT DEADLINE.** The National Endowment for the Humanities Travel to Collections Program provides grants of \$750 which enable individual scholars to travel

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and organizations, directed summer institutes, and recently was acting director of D'Arcy McNickle Center for the History of the American Indian at the Newberry Library in Chicago.

The New Harmony program will include a cash bar at 6 p.m. and a buffet dinner at 6:45. Dinner reservations (\$12 per person) may be made by contacting Anna Learned, RR 2, Box 120, Poseyville, IN 47633, telephone 812/851-5888, prior to Thursday, November 14.

## **LIBRARY WILL HAVE SPECIAL THANKSGIVING WEEKEND OPENING**

The USI Library will be open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, November 30. This is a change from the schedule previously issued. Reference assistance **WILL** be available, but the Learning Resource Center and Archives will be closed.

Library hours for the rest of the Thanksgiving weekend include closing at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, November 27, and all day Thursday, Friday, and Sunday, November 28-29 and December 1.

to use the research collections of libraries, archives, museums, or other repositories throughout the United States and the world. Awards help defray such research expenses as transportation, subsistence, lodging, photo duplication, and other reproduction costs. For information, call **Dr. Peggy F. Harrel**, coordinator for Grants and Sponsored Research, AD104H, extension 7016. The application deadline is January 15.

**WHITE HOUSE FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITY.** The President's Commission on White House Fellowships is seeking outstanding students, administrators, and faculty interested in opportunities for public service and professional growth. Each year, 11 to 19 outstanding Americans in the early stages of their careers are named by the President as White House Fellows. In addition to work assignments as special assistants, Fellows participate in an education program with the goal of improving each participant's ability to serve in the future. The Fellows program is open to all U.S. citizens not employed by the federal government. Leadership, intellectual and professional ability, and commitment to public service are selection criteria. Interested candidates should request an application packet from **Dr. Peggy F. Harrel**, coordinator of Grants and Sponsored Re-

### **SURPLUS TYPEWRITERS**

The Purchasing Department has in stock six operating typewriters. If your department is in need of an extra typewriter, please contact **Mrs. Deborah J. Weigand**, purchasing assistant, extension 1847, for details. These typewriters are not for personal sale.

search, AD104H, extension 7016. The application deadline is December 15.

**STUDENT TEACHERS MEETING.** The Department of Teacher Education will conduct a brief meeting at 3:15 p.m. Thursday, November 14, in the UC Dining Room for fall 1992 and spring 1993 prospective student teachers. All need to buy the student teaching handbook, *Planning for Student Teaching*, available at the USI Bookstore, and bring it to the meeting. Call extension 1812 for further information.

**HISTORICAL SPEAKER.** The Vanderburgh County Historical Society will hold its tenth annual meeting on Tuesday, November 12, in the University Center. It will begin with a reception at 6 p.m.; dinner will be at 6:30. **Dr. James H. Madison**, professor of history at Indiana University, will speak on "Indiana and the Home Front in World War II." Dr. Madison was the guest speaker at the society's first annual meeting in 1982. Members of the University community are invited to attend. The reception and meal are \$15; reservations can be made at the Historic Southern Indiana Project office, extension 7014, through Monday, November 11.

**ISU CREDIT UNION.** The ISU Federal Credit Union is searching for a member to fill a vacancy on the Board of Directors. The deadline for applications is Friday, November 15. Those interested should send an application, resume, or reply to: Credit Union Board, 318 Cherry Street, PO Box 1524, Terre Haute, IN 47808-1524. For information, contact **Mr. Trent Kerr** or **Ms. Marie Shanks**, 812/234-1021.

For current ISU Credit Union members, special financing is available through De-

ember 25 for "Santa loans" of up to \$1,200 for 12 months, 12 percent APR. Great rates also are available for financing used vehicles (cars, trucks, motorcycles). Call 812/234-1021 for information.

**MISSING.** Since the move this summer to the Technology Center, then back to the Administration Building, **Ms. Annie Krug**, director of Special Events, has been unable to locate a box containing her Honors Day files, a large box of USI coffee mugs, and a large brown wicker basket. If you know where these items are, call Ms. Krug at extension 1654.

**WELBORN WELLNESS.** The Welborn Hospital Wellness program will sponsor "How to Handle Holiday Havoc with Humor & Other Helpful Hints." The program will be presented at 7 p.m. Thursday, November 14, at the Welborn Children's Center, Sixth and Gum streets, by **Ms. Jeanne E. Sexson**,

## **GREAT IDEAS FOR CHRISTMAS!**

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**USI Secretaries  
and Associates**

### **Crafts Fair**

9 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Monday-Friday, November 18-22  
Orr Center Lobby

Proceeds help provide annual  
scholarships

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**Children's Center**

### **Book and Toy Fair**

9 a.m.-3 p.m.  
Tuesday-Thursday, November 19-21  
Administration Building Corridor

Proceeds used in Children's Center  
operation

president of j. e. Sesson Enterprises. The fee is \$10 per person; registration is limited. Call Ms. Mary Beth Davis, coordinator, for information, 426-8247.

**FALL FILM SERIES.** There will be no film on Tuesday, November 12.

**WSWI RADIO THEATRE.** Dr. Gordon E. Kelley, associate dean of Health Professions, hosts the broadcast of his collection of old radio programs at 10 a.m. Saturdays on WSWI. November 9 programs will include: *Can You Top This; The Thin Man, "The Haunted Hams;" Columbia Workshop, "Pepita Inherits the Earth;" Dragnet, "The Drugstore Robber."*

**SPORTS THIS WEEK --** The USI Eagles will meet Derby City USA, a Louisville

AAU team, in an exhibition game at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, November 9, in the PAC arena. In the Eagles next outing, IU/PU-Indianapolis, Lincoln, Purdue-Calumet, and USI will play in the Kenny Kent Toyota Classic on Friday and Saturday, November 22-23. Games will be at 5:30 and 7:30 p.m. daily in the PAC.

**Cross Country --** USI in NCAA Division II Great Lakes Regionals, Saturday, November 9, SIU-Edwardsville host.

**Men's Soccer --** make-up game: **GLVC Champion USI** at U. of Missouri-St. Louis, 4 p.m. Saturday, November 9.

**Volleyball --** USI in GLVC Tournament, Saturday-Sunday, November 9-10, at Ashland host.

## POSITIONS AVAILABLE

The following positions are available for November 6, 1991. 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, FWA174, extension 1844.

Each job has been assigned a reference number. When applying for positions please use the reference number.

### CLERICAL/SUPPORT

#### Senior Secretary - B1029 - School of Science and Engineering Technology

Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday; responsibilities include general secretarial duties for the Engineering Technology Department, answering telephones, maintaining student records, and assisting students. Minimum qualifications include a high school diploma with three years of office experience, typing skills of 55-60 w.p.m., and knowledge of word processing equipment; must have excellent communication skills and the ability to work effectively with students and faculty. Application deadline: November 8.

#### Administrative Secretary - B1031 - Alumni Affairs

Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday; will provide secretarial assistance to the director, maintain computerized records, prepare budgetary reports, and assist with special events. Position requires four years of office experience with two years of college course work preferred or an equivalent combination of education and experience, typing of 60-65 w.p.m., and knowledge of word-processing equipment; experience with spreadsheet programs desired. Application deadline: November 8.

**The most expensive vehicles to operate per mile are supermarket carts.**

-- Unknown

## MARKETPLACE

### For Sale

**3-bedroom brick** - wooded lot near McCutchanville; 3 baths, large kitchen, family room, study, workshop, deck, 2 fireplaces, lots of storage. Upper \$80s. Call 867-2909.

**4-bedroom house** - East Side; two-story; walking distance to Harrison High School. \$99,000. Contact Dr. Foroughi, extension 1667 or 473-0767.

**Garage sale** - 3115 Hillcrest; 4-7 p.m. Thursday, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Friday, 8 a.m.-12 noon Saturday, November 7-8-9 - 2 vacuum cleaners, bike w/child's seat, jewelry, ceramic Christmas ornaments, miscellaneous.

**1987 Dodge conversion van** - 1 owner, 28,000+ miles; loaded. \$10,500. Call extension 1729 or 985-3382.

**1987 Honda CRX** - AM/FM cassette, air, new tires, low mileage, great condition; white w/blue interior. \$5,300. Call 477-5066.

**Chair** - Papasan rattan w/teal chshions; matching footstool. \$50. Call extension

1948 or 867-6770.

**2 garage doors** - 9'x7' plus hardware. \$140 for the pair. **2 Sears garage door openers** - \$100 for the pair. Call 423-7101.

**Stand-up bass fiddle** - excellent condition. \$800. Call 423-5987.

**Holiday ideas** - Christmas will be here sooner than you think! Everyone loves dolls, Raggedy Ann and Andy dolls made with love and care. These are 25" cloth dolls -- just the right size. \$40. What about the person who has everything? Their last name crocheted and framed would be a special gift to treasure. \$17 (includes framing). Call extension 1896 or 1-789-2450 after 6 p.m.

### Wanted

**Candles** - Historic New Harmony is making its annual request for candles to be used in the Christmas Candlelight tours. All sizes of new or used white candles are acceptable; new is preferred. Call Julie Rutherford, 464-9595, or send candles through campus mail.