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Jerome Cain named dean of Science and Engineering Technology

Dr. Jerome R. Cain, assistant to the provost at Illinois State University since 1986, assumed duties as dean of the School of Science and Engineering Technology on August 1.

Dr. Cain was at Illinois State -- a doctoral degree-granting university of 19,000 students -- for 20 years. He joined the faculty as an assistant professor in the Department of Biological Sciences and continued to serve as a tenured professor after accepting full-time administrative duties.

Dr. Cain holds a firm commitment to high quality teaching and research. As assistant to the provost, he proposed, established, and chaired a University Teaching Committee which among other things studied problem areas in teaching and the ISU teaching evaluation and reward system, implementing programs for improvement in each.

He established an annual University Teaching Workshop for faculty and graduate assistants, redesigned the Outstanding Teacher Awards program to make awards parallel to those available for research excellence, oversaw construction of a \$29.2-million Science Laboratory Complex and related \$2-million remodeling project, and wrote a \$1-million foundation grant proposal to obtain equipment for the complex.

Dr. Cain also was chair of the University Scholarship Committee and administered the Presidential Scholarship Program and Competition which in 1994 was successful in recruiting for ISU 90 percent of the top 45 first-year academic prospects in Illinois.

A native of Piqua, Ohio, he earned B.A. and M.S. degrees in botany from Miami University at Oxford, Ohio, and a Ph.D. in biology from the University of Connecticut at Storrs. Dr. Cain's past research included an algae project funded by an Environmental Protection Agency grant, with the report included among his numerous publications and presentations.

Dr. Cain also was a member of the editorial board (1983-92) for *Environmental and Experimental Botany* (an international journal), a reviewer the past 20 years for eight scientific journals, and a member since 1991 of the Statewide Planning and Status Determination Committee for Multicultural Education.

Tribute planned for theatre director

Historic New Harmony benefactor Ms. Jane Blaffer Owen will honor the departing artistic director of The New Harmony Theatre by hosting a Tribute to Steven Williford on Wednesday, August 16, at Thrall's Opera House in New Harmony, Indiana. The event will include a reception at 6:30 p.m. and buffet dinner at 7 p.m.

Mr. Williford has been with The New Harmony Theatre since 1989, helping to turn it into one of few professional theatre programs in Indiana, and director of theatre at the University of Southern Indiana since 1990, leading the effort to expand the student theatre program. He plans to leave for New York City at the end of August to continue his work in theatre.

"Steven has led the academic program, the USI Theatre, and The New Harmony Theatre to impressive heights," noted Dr. James R. Blevins, dean of the School of Liberal Arts. "He will be difficult to replace. I hope his many friends will come to say goodbye and to wish him well."

Tickets for the Williford tribute are \$50; proceeds will go to The New Harmony Theatre. Call the USI Special Events Office, extension 1930, for information or reservations.

While overseeing the blossoming program at The New Harmony Theatre, Williford directed *Foxfire*, *Driving Miss*

Daisy, *Painting Churches*, *The Trip to Bountiful*, *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof*, *Eleemosynary*, *Lend Me a Tenor*, *Agnes of God*, *Lettice and Lovage*, *Marvin's Room*, *A Streetcar Named Desire*, and *Born Yesterday*. He also appeared as Tom in the company's 1992 production of *The Glass Menagerie*.

While director of USI Theatre the past five years, his credits have included student productions of Shakespeare's *The Tempest*, Anouilh's *Antigone*, and *Buried Child*, *Two Rooms*, *Reckless*, and the musical *The Robber Bridegroom*.

Before coming to southern Indiana, Mr. Williford's directing credits included productions for New York's Ensemble Studio Theatre, Tacoma Actors Guild, The Plaza Theatre in Dallas, Seattle's New City Theatre, The Bucks County Playhouse, and The Colonial Theatre in Rhode Island. He also was the producing director for the East Carolina Summer Theatre and has appeared as an actor in Off-Broadway and regional theaters, touring productions, daytime television, and several commercials.

Mr. Williford has a Master of Fine Arts in directing from the University of Washington at Seattle and a B.F.A. in acting and directing from East Carolina University. He is a member of the Society of Stage Directors and Choreographers.

Fall meeting August 21 — classes begin August 28

The Fall Faculty/Administration Meeting will be held at 8:30 a.m. Monday, August 21, in Mitchell Auditorium, with 1995 fall classes slated to start Monday, August 28.

The featured speaker for the fall meeting will be Dr. Marshall Gregory, who holds the Harry Ice Chair of English at Butler University, Indianapolis. For the past 12 years, he has been co-author with Wayne Booth of successive editions of *Harper & Row Reader* and *Harper & Row Rhetoric*.

Other University-wide activities leading up to the start of fall classes include:

Tuesday, August 22 -

Human Resources: new faculty orientation, 8 a.m., UC350

Wednesday, August 23 -

Enrollment Services: new student orientation, 8 a.m., PAC122A

Health Services: new student immunizations, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. McDonald West rec room

Thursday, August 24 -

Registrar's Office: new student registration, 8 a.m.

Friday, August 25 -

Registrar's Office: open registration, 8 a.m.

Health Services: new student immunizations, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., UC118

Monday, August 28 -

Fall classes begin; schedule revision period continues through September 1

Special programs include:

Saturday, August 5 -

New Start Seminar for older students, 9 a.m., HP1006

Saturday, August 12 -

Greek advisor training, 10 a.m., UC

Friday, August 18 -

CAPE Learning Center: new student placement testing/registration, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (writing and algebra classes begin August 29)

Respiratory Therapy reception, 2 p.m., UC Dining Room

Wednesday, August 23 -

Medical Education: new student orientation, 8:30 a.m., UC352

USI Foundation Board orientation luncheon, 11:45 a.m., UC350

Student Housing orientation: welcome, 7 p.m., PAC

Thursday, August 24 -

Student Housing: orientation/policy/social meeting, 9 a.m.-12 midnight

Athletics: academic-alcohol-compliance policy meetings, 1 p.m., Forums I-II-III; all-athletes picnic, 6 p.m., UC Mall

M.B.A. program: new student orientation, 5:30 p.m., UC Dining Room

Friday, August 25 -

All-athletes meeting, 9 a.m., Forum I, with individual team meetings to follow

Student Housing: orientation/policy/social meeting, 9 a.m.-12 midnight

Sunday, August 27 -

Occupational Therapy picnic, 11 a.m., Outdoor Education Center

Student Housing Association picnic, 2 p.m., sand volleyball court

Campus Ministry: Newman mass, 7 p.m., O'Daniel rec room

Monday, August 28 -

Multicultural Center orientation, 5 p.m., UC113F

Wednesday, August 30 -

Multicultural Center Orientation, 5 p.m., UC Dining Room

Cookout volunteers needed:

The Student Life Office and Student Alumni Association are co-sponsoring a cookout for new students from 12 noon to 1:30 p.m. Thursday, August 24, at the McDonald West recreation area. Volunteers are needed to help with food preparation. Please call Ms. Melissa Burch, secretary in Alumni Affairs, extension 1924, or Ms. Julie Dunn Crawford, Student Life program advisor, extension 1862, to sign up.

New Start Seminar:

The fall New Start Seminar will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, August 5, in the Health Professions Center, a program to assist in decision-making for those age 25 and older who are considering college classes as the avenue for a new start in life. The three-hour program will cover career planning and placement opportunities, financial aid grants, USI support programs for adult students, how to enroll in one class, and how to work toward a degree as a part-time student. The Strong Campbell Interest Inventory will be available for those who want to learn where their aptitudes lie; a \$10 fee is charged for the inventory. The seminar is free but reservations are requested. Call extension 1765 for information or to register.

Introductory classes at CAPE:

USI will offer two introductory fall classes — Strategies for Writers and Introduction to Algebra — at the CAPE Learning Center, 114 NW Martin Luther King Boulevard, in the program that has supplanted the Gateway project to bring classes to near-downtown students who otherwise might not consider going to college. The classes will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays, writing at 6 p.m. and algebra at 7:30 p.m. Fall placement tests and registration will be available from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Friday, August 18, at CLC. For information, call University Division, extension 1606, or CAPE Learning Center, 421-9866.

Names in the news:

Three USI artists -- Mr. John W. McNaughton, professor of art, Mr. Curtis R. Uebelhor, assistant director at the New Harmony Gallery of Contemporary Art, and Ms. Kathryn M. Waters, associate professor of art -- have been awarded \$5,000 individual artist master fellowships by the Indiana Arts Commission, a state agency funded by the Indiana General Assembly and the National Endowment for the Arts. The commission recently announced more than \$2.58 million in arts grants to Hoosier non-profit organizations, including \$13,070 for University-sponsored programs -- \$5,296 to help fund exhibits at the New Harmony Gallery of Contemporary Art, \$4,988 to help defray Season '95 expenses for The New Harmony Theatre, and \$2,786 for scholarships for the 1996 RopeWalk Writers Retreat at New Harmony.

— *Young Abe Lincoln* —
— *Big River* —

The outdoor musicals, *Young Abe Lincoln* and *Big River*, are being presented on alternating nights through Saturday, August 19, at Lincoln Amphitheater, Lincoln City, Indiana. Curtain time is 8 p.m. daily; the amphitheater is closed Mondays.

The final community night on Sunday, August 6, will feature a watermelon social. The USI Dubois County Alumni Chapter plans a family-and-friends excursion Saturday, August 12, with a Railsplitter Supper at 6:30 p.m. to be followed by the performance of *Big River* at 8 p.m.

Amphitheatre tickets are \$10, adults; \$9, senior citizens; \$6, children; on community night, an adult ticket is \$8 (a \$2 discount), other prices are the same. A \$25 season ticket is available, allowing the holder to return again and again to see the outdoor musicals, including community night. Call 800/246-4ABE for information.

Lunch reminder:

Guests attending the first clerical support luncheon on Monday, August 7, are reminded that vans will be available for transport to the University Home, beginning at 11:30 a.m. and departing from the Orr Center and Physical Plant. For information, call Special Events, extension 1930.

Pakistan report:

Dr. Joseph DiPietro, assistant professor of geology, will give a one-hour talk at 12 noon Tuesday, August 15, in SC253, an update on his work in the mountains of Northern Pakistan and the people who live there. Working under a \$250,000 grant from the National Science Foundation, he is searching for clues to earth formations and movements the last 200 million years and their effect on climate, including the greenhouse effect. Dr. DiPietro first went to Pakistan nine years ago while studying for his Ph.D.

Poise is the difference between flipping your wig and raising your eyebrows.

at Oregon State University. Under the NSF grant, he returned there three months each in the fall of 1994 and 1995, and will spend 45 days there in 1996 and 1997.

Talent show:

The Children's Center talent show, featuring youngsters involved in summer programs sponsored by the center, will be held at 9 a.m. Friday, August 11, in Forum 1. The University community is invited.

Historic New Harmony:

Mr. Noel L. Smith of Mt. Vernon, Illinois, muralist and master demonstrator, will paint and answer questions about his work from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, August 5, at The Atheneum.

Founders Day will be observed Tuesday, August 8, with free admission all day at the various Historic New Harmony exhibits and projects. Special hands-on programs will be available.

The annual Hagemann Awards for Music Concert will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, August 10, in Thrall's Opera House. The public is invited.

Human Resources reminder:

The Human Resources Department reminds employees to notify them immediately of any address change, change in marital status, or the birth of a child (if enrolled in a health insurance program). Your benefits coverage or taxes may be affected by the changes, so it is important to be timely with notifications. Thank you for your cooperation.

If you are a member of the Evansville Teachers Federal Credit Union and want to change your name or address, or to add someone as joint owner of your account, you must contact the credit union directly.

Lecture series:

The final lecture in the USI Center for Com-

The New Harmony Theatre

Thornton Wilder's *Our Town* will open at Murphy Auditorium on Friday, August 4, as the final production of The New Harmony Theatre's Season '95. Curtain time at Murphy is 7:30 p.m. Thursdays, 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, and 2 p.m. Sundays. A single general admission is \$14, student/senior citizen, \$13, and groups of 20 or more, \$12 each. A \$2 discount on the adult ticket price is available to the University community. For tickets or reservations, call Murphy Auditorium box office, 682-3115; VISA and MasterCard are accepted.

munal Studies free public lecture series in New Harmony on Saturday, August 19, will feature Ms. Rachel Summerton discussing "Padanaram Settlement near Bedford, Indiana: A Current Community." The lecture will be at 10 a.m. in the Beal House, across from Thrall's Opera House. Inquiries may be sent to the Communal Studies Center in the School of Liberal Arts, or call extension 1727.

Articles, artwork sought:

Submissions are being solicited for the 1995-96 edition of *Southern Indiana Review*, a USI publication highlighting some of the best work by faculty, alumni, graduate students, and participants and faculty of the RopeWalk Writers Retreat. Poetry, short stories, essays, photography, or artwork are sought; the submission deadline is October 1. Ms. Martha W. Chapin, senior administrative secretary in the School of Liberal Arts, is accepting submissions and can answer queries; call extension 1630.

Join alumni at Ellis:

Tuesday, August 8, is the deadline to make reservations for the USI Alumni Association Day at the Races on Sunday, August 20. USI graduates, faculty, and staff members are invited to gather in the Sky Theater, overlooking the Ellis Park grounds, for an afternoon of fun and racing. Ellis gates open at 11:30 a.m.; post time is 1 p.m. A chef's buffet will be available from 12 noon to 3 p.m., along with a cash bar. Tickets are \$20 per person and will be held at the will-call gate at the track's main entrance. Call extension 1924 for information or reservations.

This year's review is available for \$6 from the USI Bookstore on campus; the gift shop at The New Harmony Theatre; Books-a-Million in Towne Square Shopping Center, Evansville; or by mail or telephone. For mail orders, send a check or money order and your return address to *Southern Indiana Review*, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville IN 47712. For phone orders, call 812/465-1630; VISA and MasterCard are accepted.

Theme parks:

The Human Resources Department has theme park brochures and discount cards available to all USI employees at no cost to the employee or University, including:

Anheuser-Busch theme parks: Sea World, Busch Gardens, Cypress Gardens, Adventure Island, Sesame Place, and Water Country USA

Disney Magic Kingdom Club/theme parks

Dollywood theme park

Holiday World theme park

Opryland USA Family Savings Club/theme park

Shoe Carnival discount cards

The level of discount varies. Coupons and theme park information may be picked up in Human Resources, FA166.

Welcome:

The University community welcomes Mr. Jon Mark Hall, assistant athletic director and men's tennis coach. Mr. Hall received a B.A. from Murray State University and

The following positions are available for July 28, 1995. 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.

Positions available

service to the University and the community. Position requires master's degree in physical education; college teaching experience preferred. Application deadline is August 29, but applications accepted until position filled. Submit letter of application, curriculum vitae, and names and addresses of three professional references to Dr. Jane Davis-Brezette, Chair, Physical Education Department.

FACULTY/ADMINISTRATIVE

Assistant Registrar - A5012 - Registrar's Office - OP: 7/10/95 - AD: 8/10/95

Instructor of Mathematics - F5018 - School of Science and Engineering Technology - OP: 7/17/95 - AD: 8/15/95

Staff Accountant - A5013 - Business Affairs Office - OP: 7/24/95 - AD: 8/22/95

Instructor in Physical Education - F5019 - School of Education and Human Services One-year temporary position beginning August 1995. Individual will teach physical activities courses and courses in the major. The University is committed to excellence in teaching, scholarship and professional activity, and

CLERICAL/SUPPORT

Assistant in Biochemistry - B5035 - Medical Education - OP: 7/24/95 - AD: 8/4/95

Senior Clerk - B5036 - Registrar's Office - OP: 7/24/95 - AD: 8/4/95

Teacher - H5033 - Children's Center Part-time, 12-month position, 1-5 p.m. Will be responsible for planning programs and activities for 2- and 3-year-old children, supervising student workers, and assisting with record keeping. High school diploma or equivalent and associate degree in early childhood education or comparable childcare experience required. Application deadline: August 11, but applications accepted until position filled. G999A/\$6.50/hr.

an M.A. from Ohio State University. He previously was assistant athletic director at the University of South Carolina at Spartanburg.

Soccer alumni vs. Eagles:

The annual match of USI soccer alumni and the current soccer Eagles will be at 2 p.m.

Sunday, August 20, at Strassweg Field. Other activities will be available for this Muscular Dystrophy Campaign benefit.

When your work speaks for itself, don't interrupt.

MARKETPLACE

For Rent

2 vacancies in 4-apartment building - 2 miles west of USI off Highway 62; 1-bedroom units; stove/refrigerator/dishwasher; quiet setting. \$285 a month w/\$285 security deposit. Call 985-2131.

For Sale

2-bedroom house - 2114 W. Columbia; new bath; central heat/air; glassed-in front porch; 1 1/2-car garage w/auto. opener; many updates over last four years. \$32,500. Call Billie Collins, 473-6249 weekdays, 858-1110 nights/weekends.

'94 Nissan Sentra - 2-door, 5-speed, 33 mpg, well-equipped. Call Walt at 812/724-2227 or WWISNEWS on Email.

'87 Ford Escort - good condition, 4 new tires. \$1,000. Call extension 7193.

'85 Chrysler LeBaron - 4-dr, blue. \$1,250 or best offer. Call extension 2179 or 428-2676 after 5 p.m.

Camper shell - Hop Top fiberglass, 72"x99", tan, sliding glass in front and sides, overhead light, good condition. \$400. Call extension 1209 or 985-7665.

Garage sale - Solartron Pointe Retirement Center, giant garage sale, 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, August 5, in east garage; benefit for

Habitat of Evansville; sale items include clothing, baskets, household items, jewelry, dishes, lamps, pictures, books, toys, one-of-a-kind items, and more; silent auction for attic window quilt made by residents, with starting bid of \$100.

Giant rummage sale - St. James West UM Church, 3101 Hillcrest - 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Friday, August 11, and 7 a.m.-12 noon Saturday, August 12 - w/bake sale (cookies, candies, cakes); food for sale (includes barbecued chicken, home-made bean soup/cornbread)

Lessons

Tennis lessons - for elementary-school-age children; \$2/hour. Call Nathaniel Rivers, 423-7101.