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U OF M REGENTS TO HOST OPEN FORUM JAN. 11

The University of Minnesota Board of Regents will host an open forum beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Thursday, Jan. 11, in room 238 Morrill Hall on the Minneapolis campus.

Individuals wishing to address the board about any subject related to the University of Minnesota should write or call the Regents Office at 220 Morrill Hall, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN 55455, (612) 625-6300 with their name, address, phone number, topic and affiliation (if any). Written materials must be submitted to the Regents Office in advance for duplication.

Time will be limited to those speakers who best represent views on a variety of issues.

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MCKNIGHT GRANT TO U OF M HELPS DISABLED

The McKnight Foundation has awarded the Institute for Disabilities Studies at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, \$179,000 to establish a Technical Assistance Program for disabled children and young adults with severe behavior problems.

The program will bring together experts from a variety of disciplines, who will devise means by which communities, families and those who care for behaviorally disturbed young people can better deal with their disabilities.

"The Technical Assistance Program addresses critical unmet needs," said institute director Travis Thompson. "There is no place in Minnesota for parents of children and young adults with severe disabling conditions and disturbed behavior to turn for expert, multidisciplinary service. The cost savings of a program of this kind will be enormous. Children and adults with serious behavior problems consume tax resources at a rate seven times that of other people with mental retardation. By acting effectively when the children are young, the savings over a lifetime will be between \$2 million and \$4.9 million per person, depending on the severity of the behavior problem.

"While the institute has successfully worked with clients on a case-by-case basis, the grant from the McKnight Foundation provides the start-up money necessary to run the program on a much broader scale," Thompson said.

For further information on the grant or the services it provides, contact the Institute for Disabilities Studies at (612) 627-4500.

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U OF M's NINTH ANNUAL MLK CONCERT SET FOR JAN. 14

Marion Isaac McClinton's play, *The Rondo Strykers and the Wishing Pond Story* will be performed by the Penumbra Theater Co. at the ninth annual Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial concert at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 14, in Northrop Auditorium on the U of M's Minneapolis campus. The concert is sponsored by the university and Penumbra.

The play, directed by Lou Bellamy, was commissioned for the concert, and features music of the university's late music professor Reginald Buckner, under the direction of Frank Wharton. David V. Taylor, dean of the university's General College, will provide opening remarks.

McClinton is the winner of the 1989 Cornerstone Project, a national playwriting competition sponsored by Penumbra, for his play *Who Causes the Darkness?* He recently produced another of his plays, *Walkers*, at New York's Hudson Guild.

The concert is free and open to the public. Shuttle bus service will be available from the Oak St., Harvard St. and River Road parking ramps.

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U OF M's GASSMAN NEW AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY PRESIDENT

Gov. Rudy Perpich will speak at a Jan. 5 reception honoring Paul Gassman, Regents' Professor of Chemistry at the University of Minnesota, who became president of the 140,000-member American Chemical Society (ACS) Jan. 1.

The reception will be at the Humphrey Center, 310 19th Ave. S., on the west bank of the Minneapolis campus. University President Nils Hasselmo will also be among the speakers, who will address the topic "Chemistry in the '90s." A social hour will begin at 2:30 p.m., with speakers' remarks starting at 4 o'clock.

The ACS presidency caps a year in which Gassman was also named Regents' Professor and elected to the National Academy of Sciences. He said he will use the presidency to push for such reforms as getting Congress to allow national implementation of New Jersey's "alternate certification" program, which allows people with bachelor's degrees in science (rather than science education) to teach their subject in high school.

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U OF M COLLEGE OF VET MEDICINE RECEIVES PEW GRANTS

(FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE)

The University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine has received two of 10 grants awarded nationally by the Pew Charitable Trusts of Philadelphia, a national foundation established to encourage the nation's colleges to respond to economic and social challenges to veterinary medicine.

The Pew Foundation reviewed 64 proposals from 27 North American colleges of veterinary medicine. Of \$3 million awarded, Minnesota received \$300,000 for two of the proposals it submitted. The three-year grants, each for \$150,000, will establish a Center for Companion Animal Health and a Center for Population Health Management.

"In terms of total dollars awarded, the college got three times its share," said David G. Thawley, interim dean of the college. "But the real message of the grants does not center on dollars and cents. It's the endorsement of the college's focus that these awards represent. They recognize the college's leadership in both the companion animal and food animal fields."

One grant establishes a Center for Companion Animal Health to increase knowledge and understanding of diseases that afflict pets. The center will develop teaching and research programs to increase student interest in companion animal population medicine; improve companion animal health care; improve the quality and relevance of companion animal research; and foster interdisciplinary collaboration among veterinary medicine, public health and epidemiological researchers.

The second grant establishes the Center for Population Health Management to develop readily accessible, epidemiologically accurate database management systems to answer diagnostic and therapeutic questions about animal disease conditions, particularly those of food animals. The interdisciplinary center will be formed around the core of the faculty in the swine, dairy, epidemiology and public health divisions of the large animal clinical sciences department.

Major contributors to the successful Pew proposals were William Marsh, assistant professor of large animal clinical sciences, and Jeffrey Klausner, acting chair of small animal clinical sciences.

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U OF M LIBRARIES OFFER AFFIRMATIVE ACTION INTERNSHIPS

The University of Minnesota's Twin Cities campus libraries have established an Affirmative Action Internship Program to provide professional work experience to recent graduates of accredited library science programs.

The internship aims to improve the representation of minorities and other underutilized groups at the university's libraries, and will seek minority candidates interested in careers in research libraries. The two-year program will introduce new librarians to a wide range of library services and research operations in order to help them plan careers and select an area of specialization in research librarianship. The internship also includes a mentoring system, opportunities for involvement in professional associations, service on library and university committees and other professional development activities.

"The Affirmative Action Internship Program underscores the libraries' commitment to building a staff that reflects the diversity and multi-culturalism of the university," said university Librarian Tom Shaughnessy. "It is also indicative of the high priority the libraries place on staff development."

Recruitment efforts to attract qualified candidates for the internship are under way.

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U OF M REGENTS MEET WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY (JAN. 10, 11 AND 12)

- UNDERGRADUATE REFORM - FRIDAY
- ART MUSEUM GIFT - FRIDAY
- LEAVE/TERMINATION POLICY - FRIDAY
- ON-CAMPUS BASKETBALL/HOCKEY ARENA PROPOSAL - THURSDAY
- OPEN FORUM - THURSDAY

University of Minnesota President Nils Hasselmo will present a series of first steps toward undergraduate curricular reform in his "Initiative for Excellence in Undergraduate Education" report before the university's board of regents Friday.

Los Angeles-based art collector Frederick R. Weisman, who has pledged a \$3 million challenge grant to the University of Minnesota Art Museum building fund, will present his gift to the regents and Hasselmo at about 10:30 a.m. Friday in 238 Morrill Hall. Weisman will be honored at a reception at the University Art Museum in Northrop Auditorium from 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. Friday.

Regents will vote Friday on faculty and transitional leave and severance policies proposed by university administration and reviewed by the Citizens Task Force on Administrative Leaves and Severance Policies. Douglas K. Amdahl, former state Supreme Court justice, was appointed Nov. 10 to chair the committee.

The on-campus basketball/hockey/convocation arena, proposed by the university's Long-Range Planning Committee for Sports and Recreational Facilities, will be discussed Thursday. The arena would be financed by private contributions and with bonds that would be repaid by the facility's revenues.

Regents will host an open forum at 9:30 a.m. Thursday in 238 Morrill Hall.

Here's a sample of agenda items:

Wednesday, Jan. 10

-- 3 p.m. Regents Policy Committee, 300 Morrill Hall.

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Thursday, Jan. 11

- 9:30 a.m. Committee of the whole open forum, 238 Morrill.
- Noon. Lunch with University of Minnesota Hospital and Clinic Board of Governors.
- 1:30 p.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill. On-campus athletic facilities discussion.

Friday, Jan. 12

-- 8:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill. Transitional leave and severance policies vote; administrative leadership and development program report; Initiative for Excellence in Undergraduate Education report.

Regular monthly meeting after committee of the whole meeting.

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THAWLEY NAMED VETERINARY MEDICINE DEAN

David G. Thawley has been named dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine at the University of Minnesota. Thawley, whose nomination was approved by the university's Board of Regents Jan. 12, has been interim dean since August 1988. He succeeds Robert Dunlop.

Thawley came to the college as chair of the department of large animal clinical sciences in 1986 from the University of Missouri, where he was a professor of veterinary microbiology, as well as director of research for the College of Veterinary Medicine and assistant director of the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station. He holds a Ph.D. in veterinary epidemiology and microbiology from the University of Guelph, Guelph, Ontario, Canada, and a veterinary degree from Massey University, Palmerston North, New Zealand.

"Minnesota is an outstanding veterinary college, one that is evolving to meet the challenges of the 21st century," Thawley said. "With the support of an outstanding faculty and staff, I look forward to meeting those challenges associated with the rapid evolution of veterinary medicine."

In making the recommendation, Cherie Perlmutter, acting vice president for health sciences, cited Thawley's experience and qualifications as important factors in the selection.

"Dr. Thawley's experience in academic administration and research will serve the college well," Perlmutter said. "His leadership during the past 18 months, his commitment to the college, and the respect he holds among his colleagues make us look forward enthusiastically to his tenure as dean."

Thawley is married and the father of two children.

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GABBERT GIFT PERMANENTLY ENDOWS U OF M REGENTS' PROFESSORSHIP

The University of Minnesota Foundation recently announced a \$1 million gift from Donald H. and Louise Gabbert to provide a permanent endowment supporting the University of Minnesota Regents' Professorship program. The Gabbert gift, matched on a two-for-one basis by the Permanent University Fund, together with previously designated contributions, will create a \$4 million Don and Louise Gabbert Regents' Professorship Endowment Fund.

The gift enables the University of Minnesota Foundation to fund in total the Regents' Professorship program, which was established in 1965 by the Board of Regents. Regents' Professors are selected upon the recommendation of a committee of faculty peers and official designation by the Board of Regents. The annual stipends, currently \$10,000 for each of the 20 Regents' Professors, have been provided in part from voluntary contributions to the University of Minnesota Foundation and from the President's Endowment Fund.

Regents' Professor is the highest distinction accorded to university faculty for contributions to education and research. "The Regents' Professorship program is vitally important in assisting the university in recruiting and retaining the most talented professors in each of the fields that we serve," says Don Gabbert.

"This most generous gift to endow the Regents' Professorship program is another example of Don and Louise Gabbert's long-standing commitment to promote academic excellence and achievement at the University of Minnesota," says Leonard Kuhl, university provost and senior vice president for academic affairs. "We are most grateful for their continued support."

Don Gabbert is founder and former chair of Gabberts, Inc., one of the nation's largest home retailing firms, and a partner in the real estate company Gabbert & Beck. A graduate and long-time contributor to the university, he is a board member of the University of Minnesota Foundation, the university's Raptor Center and the Viking Council of Boy Scouts. Gabbert was the first president of the Edina Chamber of Commerce and is active in the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, the Minneapolis Rotary Club and the Boys & Girls Club of Minneapolis.

The University of Minnesota Foundation is a nonprofit charitable corporation formed in 1962 to encourage private support for the university. Gifts from individuals, foundations and corporations are used to maintain and improve the university's teaching, research and public service programs.

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TV NETWORK NEWS SHAPED BY CONSERVATIVE MEN, SAYS U OF MINNESOTA STUDY

Television news is shaped predominantly by a small number of white, male, ex-government officials from Republican administrations and conservative think tanks, according to a study of network television newscasts by University of Minnesota associate journalism professor Lawrence Soley.

Only a fifth of the "news shapers" accounted for nearly a half of all network news appearances. Of the 426 appearances by the top 16 news shapers, 114 were by conservative think tank fellows, 198 were by Republican consultants or ex-officials and 78 were by Democrats. When Democrats did appear, Soley found they were more often described as "Democratic consultants," while Republicans were more often described as "analysts."

Soley also found networks favored men over women by 94 percent, and professors from private universities over those from public universities by 90 percent.

People identified as "expert analysts" on television news programs can have enormous influence on the slant given to the news issues, Soley says. The results suggest, "that the networks repeatedly use the same people to shape the news. In effect, the vast majority of news is shaped by individuals who have politically conservative viewpoints. Minorities and representatives of liberal think tanks were conspicuously absent."

An article co-authored by Soley and Marc Cooper, California State University professor, which profiles the top 10 news shapers will appear in the February/March issue of *Mother Jones* magazine. Soley's study, "The News Shapers: The Individuals Who Explain the News," will be available after Jan. 22.

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U OF MINNESOTA PRESS HAS NEW DIRECTOR

Lisa Freeman, editorial director at Unwin Hyman, Inc., in Winchester, Mass., has been appointed director of University Press at the University of Minnesota. Pending Regents approval, Freeman will assume the position March 19.

Freeman is the first full-time U.S.-based editor for the London-based publishing company and manages its long-term editorial growth and development in the United States. Since joining Unwin Hyman in October 1985, Freeman has published more than 50 new titles in the social sciences and humanities while starting new lists in media and communication studies, gender studies and industrial and organizational psychology. Four of her recent acquisitions were designated *Choice* Outstanding Academic Books for 1988, and three of her latest titles were reviewed in the *New York Times Sunday Book Review*. Freeman currently serves on the board of directors at Unwin Hyman.

Freeman received a bachelor's degree in Russian and political science from Middlebury College in Middlebury, Vt. Before joining Unwin Hyman, Freeman worked as an acquisitions editor for Sage Publications from 1981 to 1985 and was managing editor of Welt International's *Soviet Business and Trade*, a bi-monthly newsletter on East-West trade.

Freeman will replace John Ervin, who resigned June 1988. University Press has been jointly managed by Terry Cochran and Beverly Kaemmer.

A seven-member search committee conducted a seven-month search.

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UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA TO FILL WILKINS CHAIR

With fundraising for the \$2 million Roy Wilkins Chair and Center in Human Relations and Social Justice nearly completed, the University of Minnesota has launched a search for the first Wilkins chairholder. The chairholder will direct teaching, research and citizen education on issues that were the focus of the career of the late Roy Wilkins, longtime president of the NAACP and graduate of the university. The issues include race relations, employment policy, institutional racism, housing, criminal justice, education, affirmative action and social policy. The search will end Feb. 28

Fundraising for the position, which will be housed in the university's Hubert H. Humphrey Institute, has been a joint effort of the Roy Wilkins Foundation, chaired by Vernon Jordan, and the Humphrey Institute. Significant donations to the chair have been received from Honeywell Inc., the Roy Wilkins Foundation, the Burlington Northern Foundation, the General Mills Foundation, the Taconic Foundation and the Cowles Media Foundation. In addition, a number of individuals have raised funds for and made contributions to the chair.

The University of Minnesota's administration played a key role in the funding campaign, said Humphrey Institute Dean G. Edward Schuh. "Because the university is committed to the concept of fairness and justice among all segments of society, gifts to the Wilkins chair and center have been matched on a 2-to-1 basis. For every dollar donated, the university committed two dollars from the Permanent University Fund," Schuh said.

The search committee, chaired by Humphrey Institute Associate Dean Paul C. Light, includes graduate student Ellen Hiniker, Professor Barbara Nelson, and Senior Fellow T. Williams from the institute; Afro-American studies professor John Wright; Law School Professor David Weissbrodt; and economics Professor Ken Wolpin. The committee also includes Yusef Mgeni of the Urban Coalition and Ron McKinley of the Minnesota Minority Education Partnership.

Two senior consultants have been appointed by Schuh to help evaluate the three to five finalists. They are: Eddie Williams, president of the Joint Center for Policy Studies in Washington, D.C., and Cliff Wharton, former president of Michigan State University and current chair and chief executive officer of TIAA-CREF, a public employees pension plan.

Finalists for the position will be interviewed by university President Nils Hasselmo, Senior Vice President and Provost Leonard Kuhl and Schuh.

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U OF MINNESOTA ONLINE CATALOG GETS 2 MILLIONTH RECORD

The 2 millionth bibliographic record was entered into LUMINA (Libraries of the University of Minnesota Integrated Network Access) Jan. 12.

The record describes the AGRICOLA (Agricultural OnLine Access) computer files available on computer laser optical disks located in the university's St. Paul campus central library. It contains bibliographic records of materials acquired by the National Agricultural Library and cooperating institutions in the agricultural and related sciences; the materials are the machine-readable counterpart of the *Bibliography of Agriculture*.

LUMINA records include every officially cataloged Roman alphabet title held in University of Minnesota libraries and all titles on order. About 1.35 million records came from the libraries' card catalogs, and the libraries are now adding records for titles not previously included in any union catalog, such as U.S. Government Printing Office records describing government documents and records for archival and manuscript materials. In addition, the university libraries are now installing online circulation, which will provide information on the circulation status of specific titles in the collection.

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U OF M THEATER PRESENTS 'A FLEA IN HER EAR'

The University of Minnesota Theater will present Georges Feydeau's "A Flea In Her Ear" Feb. 2 through 4 and 8 through 11.

The play begins when a pair of suspenders, delivered from the seedy Hotel Coq d'Or, arouse Madame Chandebise's suspicions that her husband is having an affair. Her scheme to catch him in the act entangles the whole household in an endless game of near misses, hide and seek, and mistaken identities -- all the elements of a superb bedroom farce. The University Theater production will be directed by Lee Adey.

Performances will be at 3 p.m. Feb. 4 and 11, 8 p.m. all other days, in the Whiting Proscenium Theater in Rarig Center, on the west bank of the Minneapolis campus. Tickets are \$7, \$6 for students and seniors. For reservations call (612) 625-4001.

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FORMER U OF TENNESSEE VICE PROVOST NAMED U OF MINNESOTA VICE PROVOST

Anne Hopkins, the University of Tennessee-Knoxville's vice provost since 1984, has been named University of Minnesota vice provost for arts, sciences and engineering of the Twin Cities campus, pending approval by the Board of Regents.

Hopkins, who will begin the newly created position in May, was chosen from a pool of 51 applicants by a search committee chaired by William Gardner, dean of the university's College of Education. Her salary will be \$115,000 and she will report directly to Leonard V. Kuhl, senior vice president for academic affairs and provost.

Hopkins will be the chief academic and administrative officer for the College of Biological Sciences, the College of Liberal Arts, General College and the Institute of Technology. She will share administrative responsibility for the College of Architecture and Landscape Architecture and will serve as dean of University College. In addition to joining the political science department as a tenured professor, Hopkins will serve on the university president's 16-member cabinet and will be instrumental in setting overall policy for the university.

"I am very pleased that we have been able to enlist fine leadership in a new position of great importance in the development of the university," said university President Nils Hasselmo. "It is especially important as we launch an initiative in undergraduate education that we will have the leadership of a new vice provost."

As UT's vice provost, Hopkins developed the school's academic hiring procedures, coordinated special minority hiring programs, oversaw all academic administrative hiring and directed the school's summer school and summer programs. She also developed and supervised the campus's Social Science Research Institute and chaired its task force. Between 1983 and 1984 Hopkins was the school's assistant to the chancellor. Hopkins joined UT in 1974 as an assistant political science professor.

Prior to her work at UT, Hopkins was chair of Geneva, N.Y.-based Hobart and William Smith College's political science department. Hopkins received a bachelor's, master's and doctorate degree in political science from Syracuse University in 1963, 1965 and 1969, respectively.

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U OF MINNESOTA PHYSICAL PLANT ASSISTANT VP FINALISTS NAMED

Four finalists for the University of Minnesota's position of assistant vice president of the Twin Cities physical plant have been announced. They are:

-- Otis Anderson, University of Minnesota's director of engineering and architecture for physical planning since 1987.

-- John Kirk Campbell, University of Minnesota Twin Cities campus physical plant interim director since 1989. Before that he was the university's Twin Cities campus physical plant assistant director since 1981.

-- James Christenson, University of Iowa physical plant director since 1987.

-- Susan Markham, Hennepin County's director of property management since 1984.

The successful candidate, expected to be named by early March, will oversee one of the country's largest physical plants, with a \$57 million budget and 1,300 employees. In addition to custodial, maintenance, groundskeeping and utilities management responsibilities, the assistant vice president will oversee policy development, financial planning, employee relations and communication with university faculty and administration, legislative committees and the university's Board of Regents.

The search committee was formed last September and chaired by Neil Bakkenist, the university's support service and operations administration assistant provost. The position was created last summer by the resignations of physical plant associate vice president Bill Thomas and physical plant director Charles Bailey. The successful candidate will report to the university's senior vice president for finance.

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U OF M ENROLLMENT DOWN SLIGHTLY FROM LAST WINTER

Winter quarter enrollment at the University of Minnesota's five campuses is down 382 students -- from 51,603 to 51,221 -- compared to the same time last year.

The Twin Cities campus has 39,266 students, a drop of 648 from last year's 39,914. Figures for the four other campuses were:

Crookston: 1261, down from 1309 last year (decrease of 48).

Duluth: 7,415, up from 7,138 last year (increase of 277).

Morris: 1,984, up from 1,951 last year (increase of 33).

Waseca: 1,295, up from 1,291 last year (increase of 4).

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U OF M REGENTS MEET WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY (FEB. 7, 8 AND 9)

- INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS REVIEW AND REPORT - THURSDAY
- UNDERGRADUATE REFORM - FRIDAY

The University of Minnesota's Board of Regents Thursday will hear university President Nils Hasselmo's report on the Big Ten university presidents' athletic agenda, and progress reports by the university's athletic directors and the university's Assembly Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics. Hasselmo is expected to announce the appointment of a committee to review the status of intercollegiate athletics on the university's Twin Cities campus.

Hasselmo will also present the second in his series of first steps in the area of curricular reform for undergraduate education in a report on his "Initiative for Excellence in Undergraduate Education" before the university's board of regents Friday (Feb. 9).

Here's a sample of agenda items:

Wednesday, Feb. 7

-- 2 p.m. Audit committee, 300 Morrill Hall.

Thursday, Feb. 8

-- 10:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill. Intercollegiate athletics reports.

-- Noon. Lunch with Civil Service Committee, Coffman Union.

-- 1:30 p.m. Educational planning and policy committee, 300 Morrill. College of Home Economics report.

-- 1:30 p.m. Finance and legislative committee, 238 Morrill. University Grove vote; quarterly management report.

The following committees meet after the 1:30 meetings adjourn:

-- Faculty, staff and student affairs committee, 300 Morrill.

-- Physical planning and operations committee, 238 Morrill.

Friday, Feb. 9

-- 8:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill. Academia in Review presentation and legislative report by Rick Heydinger, vice president for external relations; Initiative in Undergraduate Education report; tuition policy discussion.

Regular monthly meeting after committee of the whole meeting.

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U OF M ANIMAL RIGHTS CONFERENCE IS THURSDAY, FEB. 22

Ethical considerations of children and animals and animal rights in agriculture will be among the topics discussed at a Thursday (Feb. 22) University of Minnesota conference called Ethics of Animals in Our Lives.

The conference, sponsored by the university's Center to Study Human/Animal Relationships (CEN/SHARE), will begin at 9 a.m. at the Earle Brown Continuing Education Center, on the university's St. Paul campus.

A teleconference discussion featuring Arthur Caplan, director fo the university's Center for Biomedical Ethics, and Samuel B. Ross Jr., director of Green Chimneys, Brewster, N.Y., will begin at 10 a.m.

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FURCHT NAMED LAB MEDICINE/PATHOLOGY HEAD AT U OF MINNESOTA

Leo T. Furcht, Allen-Pardee Professor of Cancer Biology at the University of Minnesota, has been named the head of the university's laboratory medicine and pathology department.

Furcht, who replaces the retired Ellis Benson, will assume his new duties March 1.

A New York native, Furcht also is director of the university's biomedical engineering center and the laboratory medicine and pathology medical fellowship training program.

A 1968 graduate of Columbia University and a 1972 graduate of the medical school of the State University of New York Upstate Medical Center-Syracuse, Furcht came to Minnesota in 1972 for his laboratory medicine and pathology residency. He became an instructor of laboratory medicine and pathology in 1974, an assistant professor in 1975, an associate in 1978, and a full professor in 1982. He was awarded the Allen-Pardee Professorship in Cancer Biology in 1987.

Furcht's main research interests concern specific biological and biochemical functions of certain cell parts as they relate to cell adhesion. He has published more than 120 articles in scientific journals.

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MATH PROFESSOR GETS SOVIET HONORARY DEGREE

George Sell, professor of mathematics, has received an honorary doctorate from Leningrad State University.

V.A. Pliss, a member of the Faculty of Mathematics and Mechanics at Leningrad State, said the degree was "a symbol of the great respect held by the faculties of Leningrad State University for the scientific accomplishments of Professor Sell." Sell has lectured in Leningrad on several occasions and has collaborated extensively with faculty from Leningrad State. Pliss, who delivered the award to Sell, is visiting the University of Minnesota's Institute for Mathematics and Its Applications for winter and spring quarters.

Sell has been on the university faculty since 1964. He is a co-founder and first associate director of the institute and a fellow of the Supercomputer Institute.

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U OF M REGENTS MEET THURSDAY, FRIDAY (MARCH 8 AND 9)

- TUITION POLICY RESOLUTION - FRIDAY
- UNIVERSITY GROVE VOTE - THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

A proposal to change the way the University of Minnesota's tuition rates are structured will be presented by university President Nils Hasselmo at the university's Board of Regents meeting Friday (March 9). Tuition *rates* will be set in the spring.

Among the proposals by the university's Tuition Study Group is a single undergraduate tuition rate for each campus.

Under the proposal, "Educational policy can be advanced because students are not presented with an incentive to enroll in low-cost colleges at the expense of their career goals. Retention to graduation can be advanced because the cost of education will be spread more evenly across the several years of the student's career," Hasselmo wrote in a Jan. 30 letter to the board.

Hasselmo will also present the third in his series of steps in the area of curricular reform of undergraduate education in a report on his "Initiative for Excellence in Undergraduate Education." This step deals with the teaching-learning environment.

Options for renovating or replacing Williams and Mariucci arenas will be discussed at the **April** meeting.

Here's a sample of agenda items:

Thursday, March 8

- 11 a.m. Non-public to discuss legal matters.
- 1:30 p.m. Educational planning and policy committee, Room 300, Morrill Hall. Training program for teaching assistants. Law School report.
- 1:30 p.m. Finance and legislative committee, 238 Morrill. University Grove vote. Full board vote Friday.

The following meetings convene after the 1:30 meetings adjourn:

- Faculty, staff and student affairs committee, 238 Morrill. University Police report.
- Physical planning and operations committee, 300 Morrill. Landscape projects discussion.

Friday, March 9

- 8:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill. Tuition policy vote; Initiative in Undergraduate Education report by Hasselmo.
- Regular monthly meeting after committee of the whole meeting. Reports of the chair and the president and votes on committee actions.

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U OF M POLL: MINNESOTANS' ECONOMIC CONCERN IS DECREASING; MORE ARE CONCERNED WITH SOCIAL PROBLEMS

While the economy remains the single most important problem facing Minnesota, an increasing number of Minnesotans cite social problems as the state's top concern, according to a new University of Minnesota Center for Survey Research poll.

The center's telephone survey of 804 Minnesotans conducted between November and December reveals that 31 percent of Minnesotans cited the economy as the state's top problem. More than half of these people mentioned employment concerns; job availability in general was mentioned by 6 percent; job availability in the Iron Range was mentioned by 3 percent; and concern over wages was mentioned by 2 percent.

Twin Cities area residents are more concerned than their outstate Minnesota counterparts with the economy by 6 percent. Concern over unemployment and jobs runs higher among younger people, households with children, lower-income groups and Democrats.

The second most frequently cited problem and fastest growing concern at 22 percent is social -- in the form of concern over drugs (11 percent), crime (5 percent) and other problems (6 percent). Social concern has increased from 12 percent last year and 7 percent from the year before. Nearly all the growth is in increased concern over drugs. Social concerns are higher in outstate Minnesota -- 28 percent versus 16 percent in the Twin Cities area.

Concern over taxes is ranked third at 19 percent, and environmental concerns are fourth at 13 percent. The largest components of the environmental concern are pollution (5 percent) and waste management (3 percent).

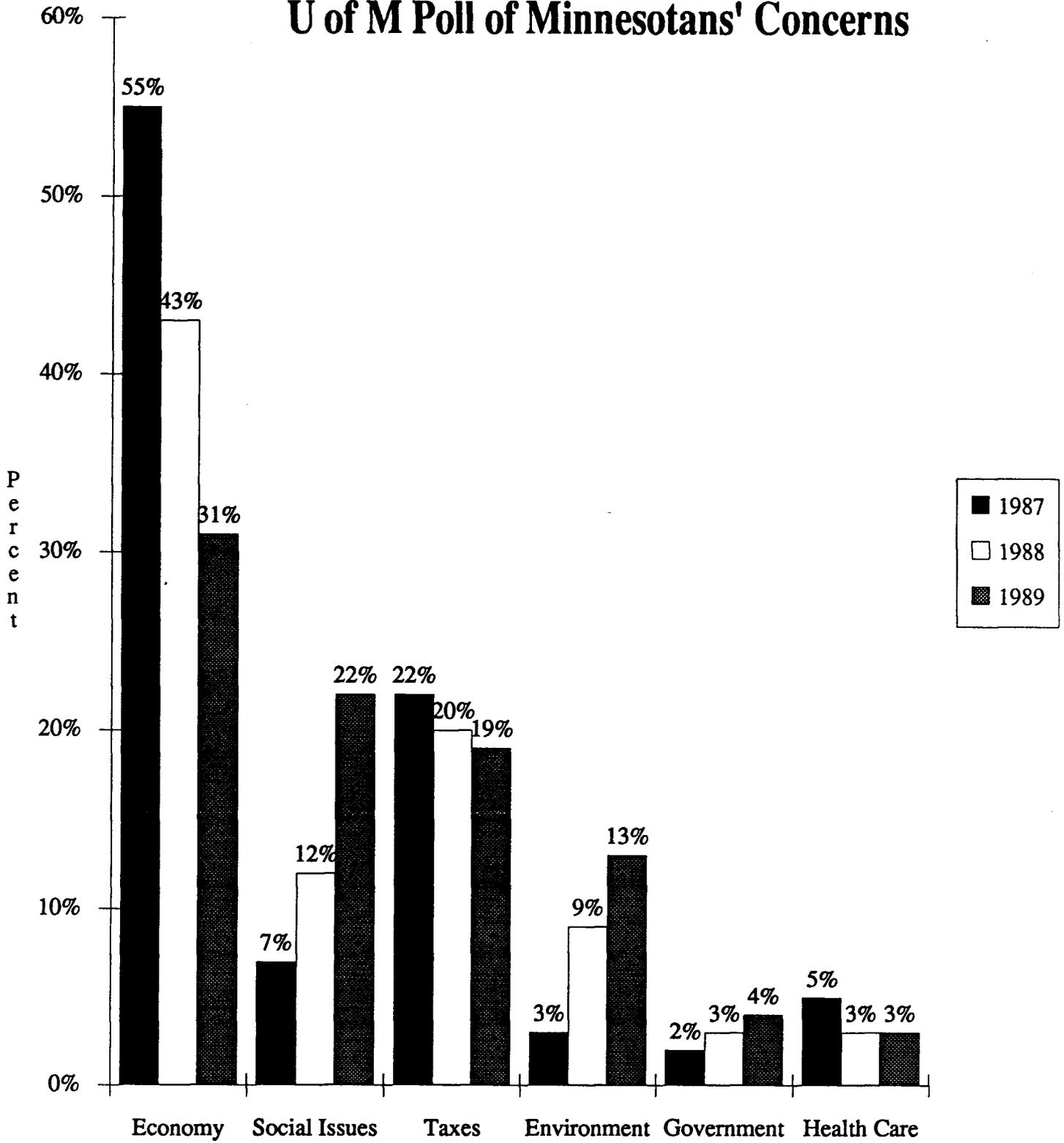
The Minnesota Center for Survey Research conducted two surveys in November and December 1989. This survey has a sampling error of plus or minus 3.5 percent. A related release dated March 2 issued by the Metropolitan Council focuses on the problems faced in the Twin Cities metropolitan area.

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U of M Poll of Minnesotans' Concerns



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Editor's note: A complete list of patents received by University of Minnesota researchers in 1989, with a description of the potential application of each, is available from Michael Moore at (612) 624-9398.

U OF MINNESOTA PATENTS UP 50 PERCENT IN 1989

University of Minnesota researchers were issued 41 patents in 1989, up from 27 in 1988. For the fourth straight year, the university remained among the top 10 U.S. universities in patenting activity, placing seventh in 1989, down from fourth in 1988.

"The fact that we received 50 percent more patents, yet fell a little bit in the national ranking, indicates the tremendous emphasis many universities are placing on seeking practical applications of research developments," said John Thuente, director of the university's Office of Patents and Licensing. The total number of patents issued to the top 10 schools has more than doubled since 1986 -- from 233 to 502. Patents issued to all public and private universities has increased from 619 in 1986 to 1,145 in 1989.

The top 10 schools in patents issued during 1989 are:

1. Massachusetts Institute of Technology	102
2. University of California	81
3. California Institute of Technology	59
4. University of Texas	51
5. Stanford University	43
6. University of Florida	42
7. University of Minnesota	41
8. Iowa State University	28
9. University of Wisconsin	28
10. Johns Hopkins University	27

The ranking was compiled by Kay Terry, assistant director of the Office of Patents and Licensing, and John Butler, assistant librarian in the university's Institute of Technology.

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Embargoed by the Journal of the American Medical Association until 4:30 p.m. (CST)
Thursday (March 15) for print media; Friday morning for electronic.

Note: Dr. John Bantle is available the week of March 12 at (612) 626-0476.

MINNESOTA STUDY FINDS SINGLE INSULIN INJECTION SITE MAY REDUCE BLOOD SUGAR VARIATION FOR DIABETICS

Diabetics who restrict insulin injections to the abdomen may have smaller and fewer blood sugar fluctuations than those who vary the injection site, a finding that could allow for more precise insulin dose adjustments, according to a University of Minnesota study.

The study, published in the March 16 issue of the Journal of the American Medical Association, showed that blood glucose (sugar) fluctuations were significantly smaller when the study's 12 adult subjects were told to inject their insulin into their abdomens for a three-day period than when these same subjects were asked to rotate their injections among their arms, abdomens and thighs for three days.

During these three-day periods, all of the subjects were hospitalized in the university's National Institutes of Health Clinical Research Center. Insulin was administered according to assigned injection protocols, meals and exercise amounts were regulated, and blood glucose and insulin levels were sampled nine times a day. When the insulin injections were given in the abdomen, blood glucose levels again varied less in all 12 subjects.

Fluctuations in blood glucose levels that at times can be quite large are common occurrences for type I (insulin-dependent) diabetics. Such fluctuations are thought to hinder the effective treatment of this form of diabetes, though it has not been absolutely proven that intensive maintenance of near-normal blood sugar levels will prevent or retard such diabetic complications as limb and sight loss.

One potential cause of day-to-day blood glucose level fluctuations is variation in the rate at which insulin is absorbed from subcutaneous (under the skin) injection sites. The Minnesota researchers thought it possible that these fluctuations might be reduced if insulin was injected into the same anatomic region daily rather than in different regions, as is the current commonly accepted medical practice.

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"Inexplicable fluctuations in blood glucose concentration are a major problem in treating type I diabetes," said John P. Bantle, associate professor of medicine-endocrinology at the university and the study's principal author. "Our study demonstrated that fluctuations in blood glucose were significantly reduced when all insulin injections were given in the abdomen. Reduction of these fluctuations should allow greater precision in the adjustment of insulin doses and thereby help in the effort to achieve good control of diabetes."

The study's other researchers include: Marilyn S. Weber, a university medical fellow in physical medicine and rehabilitation; Shailaja M.S. Rao, research assistant in applied statistics; Manas K. Chattopadhyay, research assistant in theoretical statistics; and R. Paul Robertson, professor of medicine-endocrinology. The study was supported by grants from the National Institutes of Health General Clinical Research Center and Eli Lilly and Co.

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U OF M POLL: TWIN CITIANS INCREASINGLY OPTIMISTIC ABOUT PROVIDING ELDERLY CARE

Twin Cities residents are increasingly optimistic about their ability to care for elderly relatives, according to a study by the University of Minnesota's Center for Survey Research.

Forty-five percent of the Twin Citians surveyed said they were optimistic they could provide their elderly relatives with appropriate health care -- a 6 percent increase over a similar survey taken in 1981.

More than half -- 51 percent -- of the Twin Citians between ages 18 to 24 and 35 to 44 said they could provide their elderly relatives with appropriate health care, as compared to only 39 percent of those between ages 25 and 34. Of those aged 45 and older, 44 percent said they could provide the care.

More than half of the families with incomes between \$30,000 to \$40,000 were optimistic. When incomes fell outside that range, only about 40 percent of the respondents were confident they could provide appropriate care.

The study also found that 20 percent of Twin Cities residents provide some kind of care to an elderly family member at least once a month. Contrary to previous research, care giving is equally divided among men and women. Care givers were generally over age 45 and only 20 percent of them were employed full-time. Thirty-three percent of Twin Cities caregivers were retired.

The types of care requiring most of the caregivers' time were: instrumental care, including transportation and household tasks (58 percent); social support (20 percent); and personal and health care (17 percent).

Previous research has shown U.S. families provide as much as 80 percent of all long-term care of the elderly. This new survey was conducted by the Minnesota Center for Survey Research between November and December 1989 and has a sampling error of plus or minus 3.5 percent.

For more information contact George Gordon, the study's principal investigator, School of Public Health associate professor and coordinator of the university's Center for Long Term Care Administration, at 612/624-5159 or 612/624-7925. For more information about the specifics of Twin Cities caregivers contact Patricia Tomlinson at (612) 624-6688 or Sandra Edwardson at (612) 624-2147, both associate professors in the School of Nursing.

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NEW U OF M CONSORTIUM TO ATTRACT BLACK TEACHERS TO TWIN CITIES

The Bush Foundation has awarded the University of Minnesota's College of Education a \$187,000 grant to establish a consortium with nine historically black colleges (HBCs) and Minneapolis/St. Paul public schools to attract black teachers to the Twin Cities area.

The Common Ground Consortium, which will be headquartered in the college, aims to recruit HBC education graduates into college postbaccalaureate and graduate teaching programs and HBC education seniors into student teaching experiences in Twin Cities public schools. It will also encourage collaborative research on minority education issues among summer faculty institutes.

The consortium was founded last fall by HBC representatives to explore ways of addressing the critical shortage of teachers of color in Twin Cities public schools, as well as low enrollment among black students in college teaching programs.

"We think we've come up with a novel plan to meet the needs of all the schools involved," says William E. Gardner, College of Education dean. "Public schools will have access to a new pool of student teachers of color, some of whom we hope decide to stay in the Twin Cities. The college will be able to enroll more students of color in its teaching programs, and again, many of those students may choose to remain in the area. HBC students will have an unusual opportunity to teach in a different region of the country, and HBC graduates will be able to apply for incentive packages that allow them to attend one of the top 10 colleges of education in the country. Lastly, faculty at all the schools will have the chance to dovetail and expand their research interests in minority education."

The consortium represents the following schools: Alcorn State University, Elizabeth City State University, Fisk University, Grambling State University, Morgan State University, Morris Brown College, Tuskegee University, Wiley College and Xavier University.

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ROGER PARK AWARDED U OF M LAW SCHOOL PROFESSORSHIP

Roger Park, a University of Minnesota Law School professor since 1973, has been named to the Fredrikson & Byron Professorship in Law. The professorship was made possible by a \$250,000 gift from the Minneapolis-based Fredrikson and Byron, a commercial and litigation law firm established in 1948.

Park, a nationally known scholar in evidence law, has been at the forefront of computer-aided legal instruction, serving on the Center for Computer-Aided Legal Instruction's national board of directors. Before joining the Law School faculty, he was in private practice and a clerk to Chief Judge Bailey Aldrich of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the First Circuit. He has also been a visiting professor at Stanford Law School, Boston University School of Law and the University of Michigan Law School.

Park is the reporter for the Minnesota U.S. District Court's Local Rules Advisory Committee and is a member of the Governing Council of the Civil Litigation Section of the Minnesota State Bar Association; the Minnesota Supreme Court's advisory committee on the Minnesota Rules of Evidence; the American Bar Association Criminal Justice Section's Rules of Criminal Procedure and Evidence Committee, Subcommittee on the Federal Rules of Evidence; and the American Law Institute. He is also the author of numerous articles on evidence and teaching materials on evidence and civil procedure.

Park is a magna cum laude graduate of Harvard Law School, where he served as case editor of the Harvard Law Review.

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C. EUGENE ALLEN NEW AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND HOME ECONOMICS VICE PRESIDENT AT U OF M

C. Eugene Allen, acting vice president for agriculture, forestry and home economics at the University of Minnesota, has been appointed to the permanent position, pending approval of the university's Board of Regents.

His appointment follows a yearlong search headed by Paul T. Magee, dean of the university's College of Biological Sciences. Allen was chosen by university President Nils Hasselmo from three finalists whose names were forwarded to Hasselmo by the search committee.

"Gene has demonstrated his commitment to the welfare of the entire university," Hasselmo said. "He has already made significant contributions to the university in his acting position, and I know he will continue his fine work as vice president."

Allen, a native of Burley, Idaho, received a bachelor's degree in animal husbandry from the University of Idaho and master's and doctoral degrees in meat and animal science from the University of Wisconsin. He joined the University of Minnesota in 1967, where he served as a professor of animal science and of food science and nutrition, dean of the College of Agriculture from 1984 to 1988, and acting vice president of the institute.

"I look forward to working with the diverse elements that make up the institute," Allen said. "Our programs directly affect the lives of all Minnesotans, whether the issues involve family relationships, agri-business or conservation of natural resources."

The institute comprises the colleges of agriculture, home economics and natural resources; the Minnesota Extension Service; the rural sociology department; and seven agricultural experiment stations.

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U OF M COMMISSION ON WOMEN HONORS FIVE PROJECTS

The University of Minnesota Commission on Women has awarded five \$2,000 grants for projects to improve the working and learning environments for university women.

The commission received 57 applications from all five university campuses. Awards were granted for proposals that promised a long-term impact on university women and recognized diversity on campus.

Projects receiving awards were:

--A symposium sponsored by the American Indian Learning Resource Center on the achievements of and challenges to American Indian women in higher education.

--A speaker series at the Duluth campus on women as leaders of change in higher education.

--"Women on the Move," a series of forums sponsored by General College that bring together female leaders from diverse communities with non-traditional female students and General College staff.

--A symposium on career advancement for women in the health sciences, sponsored by the schools of medicine, public health, veterinary medicine and nursing.

--A project to integrate women's history into undergraduate survey courses, sponsored by a coalition of graduate students in the history department.

The Commission on Women is a cooperative effort of the university's Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs and the Office of Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action.

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MEMO TO NEWS PEOPLE

The University of Minnesota Carlson School of Management's MBA Association is sponsoring a Lip Sync Contest to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association at 7:30 p.m. Saturday (April 7) in Willey Hall Auditorium on the university's west bank campus.

Faculty, students and staff, imitating popular singers, will compete in more than 20 acts toward a fundraising goal of \$3,000. The contest is the finale of Business Week, a student-organized event now in its 30th year.

Gene Boissenin, the event's student organizer, says his committee has solicited corporate sponsors and in-kind contributions for the program. "We hope this comes off well and that it becomes an annual event," said Boissenin. "We want to show that MBA students can also put a lot of effort into doing something for others."

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GENERAL MILLS CEO TO TALK ABOUT '90s GROWTH

Bruce Atwater, CEO of General Mills, will speak on "Commitment to Growth in the 1990s" at 4 p.m. Monday (April 2) in the Humphrey Center's Cowles Auditorium, on the west bank of the university's Minneapolis campus, as part of the University of Minnesota Carlson School of Management's Business Week celebration.

The lecture is sponsored by the Carlson School's MBA Association as part of its Executive Speakers Series. Atwater will be available for questions after his lecture.

Business Week, a 30-year-old student-organized event, brings together faculty, students, staff, alumni and members of the business community to discuss current business topics.

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FORMER KOREAN FINANCE MINISTER TO SPEAK AT U OF MINNESOTA APRIL 4

Il SaKong, former South Korean finance minister, will present a seminar, "The Korean Economy: Recent Performance and Policy Implications for U.S. Business," from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Wednesday (April 4) in Room 170 of the Humphrey Center at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

SaKong has been in the United States for the past year as a visiting fellow at the Institute for International Economics and the Brookings Institute. In addition to serving as finance minister from 1987 to 1988, SaKong taught economics and finance for four years at New York University and then returned to Korea, where he served in the Korea Development Institute and as an economic adviser in the Korean government. SaKong received master's and doctoral degrees from the University of California at Los Angeles in 1966 and 1969, respectively.

SaKong's visit to the university is sponsored by the Carlson School of Management. He is also speaking to the 21st Century Program, a private lecture series sponsored by the school's Executive Development Center.

SaKong will be available after the seminar for interviews until 5:15 p.m.

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SPORTS AND BUSINESS SUBJECT OF PANEL DISCUSSION HOSTED BY U OF M SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

Professional, collegiate, amateur and national sports and their economic impact on Minnesota is the subject of this year's Business Week/Business Day panel discussion sponsored by the University of Minnesota Carlson School of Management Thursday, April 5 at 3:45 p.m. at the Radisson University Hotel, 615 Washington Ave. S.E., Minneapolis.

The focus of the discussion, moderated by Mike Gelfand, writer and humorist on KQRS radio's "Sports Friday," will be on the messages sports activities communicate and related business implications.

Panelists include:

- Paul Erickson, Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission director
- Chris Voelz, University of Minnesota Women's Athletics director
- Jay Weiner, Star Tribune reporter
- Jack Kelly, Olympic Festival 1990 president
- Tom Duffy, IBM Corp. manager of external programs
- Dave Mona, Mona Meyer McGrath CEO

Business Week, now in its 30th year, brings together faculty, students, staff, alumni and members of the business community to discuss current business topics. This year's theme, "Communication: Challenges in the '90s," will examine communications in the context of strategic planning, entrepreneurship, pollution control, information technology, unionization, financial markets, quality management in the service sector and public policy.

Parking for the event is available in the Harvard Street ramp behind the Radisson Hotel.

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U OF M CARLSON SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT BUSINESS WEEK BEGINS APRIL 2

The University of Minnesota's Carlson School of Management is hosting its annual Business Day Thursday, April 5, beginning at 11:30 a.m. at the Radisson University Hotel on the east bank of the university's Minneapolis campus. The event is the highlight of the school's annual Business Week, which begins April 2.

The student-organized event, now in its 30th year, brings together faculty, students, staff, alumni and members of the business community for discussion of current business topics. This year's theme, "Communication: Challenges in the '90s," will examine communications in the context of strategic planning, entrepreneurship, pollution control, information technology, unionization, financial markets, quality management in the service sector and public policy. A special panel discussion will look at Communication and the Business of Sports in Minnesota.

The keynote speakers at Business Day will be Ginger Howard, pharmaceutical strategic planning director, of Eli Lilly & Co.; and Ron James, vice president and CEO-Minnesota, of U.S. West Communications.

Business Week activities include a presentation by General Mills CEO Bruce Atwater, a seminar by Il SaKong and a lip sync contest to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Students have also organized a volleyball tournament, a barbeque, a party at the Alpha Kappa Psi House and a dean's luncheon to recognize student leadership.

The schedule for Business Week follows:

Monday, April 2

--4 p.m. Lecture by Bruce Atwater, CEO, General Mills, Cowles Auditorium, Humphrey Center.

Wednesday, April 4

--3 p.m. Seminar by Il SaKong, former South Korean finance minister, room 170 Humphrey Center.

Thursday, April 5

--11:30 a.m. -8 p.m. Business Day, Radisson University Hotel, 615 Washington Ave. S.E., Minneapolis.

--3:45 p.m. The Business of Sports in Minnesota. Radisson University Hotel.

Saturday, April 7

--7:30 p.m. Lip Sync Contest, Willey Hall Auditorium, west bank of the Minneapolis campus.

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**University of Minnesota Carlson School of Management's
Business Day scheduled events
Thursday, April 5**

12:15 p.m. Ginger Howard, Eli Lilly and Co. pharmaceutical strategic planning director, will speak on "Dedicated to Life: Communication within the Business and Health Care Industries."

1 p.m. and 2:15 p.m. Concurrent sessions:

"Building a Better Mousetrap: Entrepreneurship from Two Perspectives" with Richard Cardozo, Carlson School of Management Carlson chair in Entrepreneurship, Dick Schulze, Best Buy Co. president, CEO and chair and Art Kidd, St. Croix Management Group president.

"Pollution Control: An Opportunity or a Constraint?" with Gordon Rands, Carlson School graduate student, Jerry Rick, Delta Environmental Consultants and John Twele, IDS Financial Services financial analyst, Russ Susag, Environmental Regulatory Affairs director.

"Information Technology in the '90s" with Gary Scudder, Carlson School operations and management science professor, Clifford Rudolph, US West Minnesota vice president of marketing and Rick Holtmeier, On-Line Software International senior executive vice president.

"Employee Dissatisfaction: Are Unions the Answer?" with Carlson School Labor Education Service's Labor and Urban Affairs director Ken Gagala, AFL-CIO secretary/treasurer Bernard Brommer and Don Bauerm FMC Corp.'s industrial relations manager.

"High Speed Communications and the Securities Market" with Pat Hess, Carlson School finance professor, and Dick McFarlan, Inter-Regional Financial Group's chair, Mitsy Malavich, IDS Advisory Groups's executive vice president and Matt Moran Chicago Merchantile Exchange institutional marketing director.

"Quality Management in the Service Sector" with John Anderson, Carlson School operation and management sciences professor, s Harvey Breline, First Bank System's vice president of quality and Jim Thompson 3M Quality Management Services Group manager.

3:45 p.m. The Business of Sports in Minnesota" panel discussion with Mike Gelfand, Minnesota Amateur Sports Commission's Paul Erickson, University of Minnesota Women's Athletics director, Star Tribune report Jay Weiner, Olympic Festival president Jack Kelly, Dave Mona, Mona, Meyer and McGrath CEO and former Minnesota Viking, Joe Senser.

6:15 p.m. Banquet and talk by Ron James, vice president and CEO of U.S. West Communication on "Homesteading in the Global Village: How Communication Has Made the World Smaller." Awards ceremony follows.

All events will be held at the Radisson University Hotel,
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U OF MN POPULATION CENTER RECEIVES MAJOR GOVERNMENT GRANT

The Center for Population Analysis and Policy at the Hubert H. Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota, has been awarded a four-year \$2.5 million grant from the National Institutes of Health's National Institute on Aging (NIH/NIA).

The grant will support an interdisciplinary, international research effort to determine patterns of mortality among people aged 85 and older. The study will involve researchers from six departments at the University of Minnesota, as well as experts from six countries: the United States, Sweden, Denmark, China, Mexico and the U.S.S.R.

"The results of this study will help policymakers in the United States and other countries establish comprehensive and accessible mortality data bases, better understand mortality patterns at advanced ages, and assess the prospects for and implications of lifespans averaging 100 years," said James Vaupel, director of the Center for Population Analysis and Policy.

The center, co-founded in 1987 by Vaupel and Dianne Goodwin, assistant director, has begun to play a leading role in the emerging field of population sciences. Its researchers study the dynamics and policy implications of population change and are currently developing the mathematics of population sciences.

For further information on the center and its work, or on the NIH/NIA grant, contact Judy Pakes, coordinator, at (612) 625-7314.

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U OF M TO HOST CHINESE BUSINESS MANAGERS, SCHOLARS

Business managers representing 25 Shanghai-based enterprises and two Fudan University faculty members will visit the Twin Cities between April 1 and 11 as part of an exchange program sponsored by the University of Minnesota's China Center and Fudan University's Center for American Studies.

The program was designed as an opportunity for Chinese business leaders to learn about American management practices, labor/management relations, operations management and employee incentives, as well as a bridge between university students from China and China's business leaders.

In addition to scheduled lectures and discussions on management with university faculty and business leaders, the group will tour Twin Cities business and entertainment facilities. Business leaders to be visited include: Alfred Checchi, Northwest Airlines Inc. CEO; Randy Carlock, Audio King chair; and John Marshall, 3M Corp.'s international business development director. Highlights of their visit include:

Sunday, April 1

-- 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Twin Cities sightseeing tour.

Tuesday, April 3

-- 9 a.m. Norwest Bank, Minneapolis.

Wednesday, April 4

-- 9 a.m. Ford Motor Co. plant, St. Paul.

Thursday, April 5

-- 10 a.m. Northwest Airlines, Eagan.

Friday, April 6

-- 9 a.m. 3M Corp., St. Paul.

-- 7:30 p.m. St. Louis Park Target store.

Saturday, April 7

-- 9:30 a.m. NSP's Bayport plant.

Monday, April 9

-- 9 a.m. Byerly's St. Louis Park store.

Tuesday, April 10

-- 8:45 a.m. 3M's Cottage Grove industrial waste treatment facility.

-- 6:30 p.m. Banquet and awards ceremony, Coffman Union, University of Minnesota.

Thursday, April 12

-- Noon. Chicago departure.

The group will continue its visit with management leaders in Chicago and Los Angeles after April 12. For more information about the visitors and their itineraries, call Patricia Needle, University of Minnesota China Center director, at (612) 624-1002.

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U OF M REGENTS MEET THURSDAY, FRIDAY (APRIL 5 AND 6)

- ON-CAMPUS ARENA PROPOSALS - FRIDAY
- TUITION POLICY VOTE - FRIDAY

Options for renovating or replacing Williams and Mariucci arenas for basketball and hockey activities will be presented by University of Minnesota senior vice president for finance Gus Donhowe at the university's Board of Regents meeting Friday (April 6).

All proposed plans would be financed by private contributions and with bonds that would be repaid with revenues from the facility. The university won't seek state funds for a new arena.

Proposals by the Metropolitan Sports Facilities Commission, St. Paul Civic Center and Minnesota Timberwolves for access to off-campus facilities will be presented at 7 p.m. **April 16** in room 42 Earle Brown Center on the university's St. Paul campus. A vote on the facility is expected in June.

Regents will vote on the *structure* of university tuition rates, with the resulting new rates to be set in the spring. Among the proposals is a single undergraduate tuition rate for each campus.

Upcoming meetings include:

Wednesday, April 4

-- 1:30 p.m. Audit committee, Room 300 Morrill Hall.

Thursday, April 5

-- 9 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill. Report on women's issues and post-consent decree planning; tuition policy vote; Initiative in Undergraduate Education report.

-- 1:30 p.m. Faculty, staff and student affairs committee, 238 Morrill. New university grievance policy.

-- 1:30 p.m. Physical planning and operations committee, 300 Morrill.

The following meetings convene after the 1:30 meetings adjourn:

-- Finance and legislative committee, 300 Morrill. University Grove discussion; legislative update.

-- Educational planning and policy committee, 238 Morrill. Minnesota/Manitoba reciprocity agreement; Center for Advanced Feminist Studies report; College of Science and Engineering report.

Friday, April 6

-- 8:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill. Athletic facilities/arena discussion.

-- Regular monthly meeting after committee of the whole meeting. Reports of the chair and the president and votes on committee actions.

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Monday, April 9

-- 4 p.m. Intercollegiate athletics open forum, 238 Morrill. Regent Alan Page and professor Jack Merwin co-chair an open forum with regents, faculty, students and staff.

Monday, April 16: Special Meeting

-- 7 p.m. Committee of the whole, Room 42 Earle Brown Center, St. Paul campus. Presentation on alternate sites for university athletic events: 7 p.m. Minnesota Timberwolves; 7:30 p.m. City of St. Paul/St. Paul Civic Center; 8 p.m. Metropolitan Sports Facilities Commission.

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TWO U OF M WOMEN CHOSEN FOR BRYN MAWR SUMMER INSTITUTE

Two University of Minnesota women will be nominated by university President Nils Hasselmo to participate in the Summer Institute for Women in Higher Education Administration at Bryn Mawr College. They are Suzanne Bardouche, assistant to the deans in the Faculty Affairs Office in the College of Liberal Arts (CLA), and Marsha Lynn Odom, assistant communications professor and director of the Academic Assistance Center on the Crookston campus. They were selected by a competition open to more than 300 women in administrative positions at the university.

The institute, which runs from July 1 to 26, offers women in administration intensive training in educational administration and issues of higher education. It is designed to improve the status of women in the middle and executive levels of higher education administration.

"It is my hope that this educational opportunity will prepare those who participate for additional responsibilities and opportunities within the university," Hasselmo said. The President's Office will provide funding for Bardouche and Odom to attend the institute.

Bardouche, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin at Eau Claire, holds a master's degree in library science from the University of Minnesota. A former manager of newsroom operations at WCCO Television, Minneapolis, she works closely with the associate dean for faculty affairs on hiring, tenure, promotion, benefits, leaves, grievance procedures and other policy and planning issues that affect CLA faculty and professional/administrative staff.

Odom received bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees from the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville and worked as a lecturer in the university's College of Education from 1982 to 1987, when she joined the University of Minnesota faculty. As director of the Academic Assistance Center, she is responsible for developing skill courses in reading, studying and writing; coordinating the peer tutor program; and supervising the basic skills assessments of all entering students.

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LESLEY STAHL TO ADDRESS U OF M ANNUAL MEETING

Veteran CBS News correspondent Lesley Stahl will be keynote speaker at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Alumni Association May 8.

This meeting will be in the Bierman Field Athletic Building, Sixth Street and 15th Avenue S.E., in Minneapolis. It begins with a reception at 5:30 p.m. and dinner at 6:30 p.m. Stahl's address is expected to begin at about 7:30 p.m. Her topic will be "Inside the White House."

Stahl has been with CBS News since 1972. She is best known as White House correspondent, a post she held from 1979 to 1986, and to which she was re-named in 1989. She was national affairs correspondent in the interim. She also has hosted the Sunday public affairs show "Face the Nation" since 1983.

Stahl's first big break was covering Watergate for CBS. In November 1974, Stahl became the first woman to serve as anchor for CBS News election night regional coverage.

Stahl is a native of Swampscott, Mass., who graduated from Wheaton College in Norton, Mass. in 1963.

Tickets for the event are \$30 per person and are available by calling (612) 626-ALUM.

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ABORIGINAL ART EXHIBIT OPENS AT U OF M

"Contemporary Aboriginal Art," an exhibit of Australian works, opens Friday (April 20) at the Bell Museum of the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

The works represent a traditional Aboriginal concept called Dreamings, which forms the foundation of Aboriginal culture. According to Aboriginal tradition, the world was created by many and varied ancestors, some human, some animal or plant or even inanimate, such as ancestral digging sticks that traveled the landscape and created water holes. Creation is ongoing and is continuously being renewed and transformed. Art in Aboriginal society is a serious and integral part of the culture, and painting, itself an important ritual, is often accompanied by other ritual activities such as singing sacred songs. The right to paint has legal ramifications and is related to an individual's status.

Artists represented in the exhibit use modern media to express traditional imagery; for example, acrylics on canvas replace earth pigments on bark. Also, artists from different regions have distinctive cultures and styles, which are discernible in the exhibit. They portray the Dreamings in styles at once highly symbolic and literal.

The exhibit, which runs till June 3, is sponsored in part by the Australian government, Harvard University and Qantas Airlines. The opening celebration April 20 features a daylong workshop on Australian culture for K-12 school teachers and administrators, developed with assistance from the Minnesota Department of Education. Museum hours are Tuesday through Saturday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Sunday 1 to 5 p.m. Admission is \$2, \$1 for seniors and children 3 to 16; free for children under 3. Admission is free Thursdays.

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U OF M COSTUME DESIGNERS STAGE GUTHRIE SHOW

The University of Minnesota Costume Design Club will present a fashion exhibition at 7:30 p.m. April 23 at the Guthrie Theater, Minneapolis.

The show will feature the work of costume design students from the university's College of Home Economics. Admission is \$10, and tickets are available at the door. For more information, call Andrea Nelson at (612) 624-8732.

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DISCOVERER OF PLUTO TO SPEAK AT U OF M

Astronomer Clyde Tombaugh, who in 1930 discovered the planet Pluto, will deliver the third annual Karlis Kaufmanis Lecture at 7:30 p.m. April 27 in Mayo Auditorium, at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

When Tombaugh made his momentous discovery at the Lowell Observatory in Flagstaff, Ariz., the news caused a sensation around the world. Tombaugh, who also designs telescopes, will speak about Pluto and other highlights of his 60 years of exploring the skies.

The Karlis Kaufmanis Lecture Series is supported by friends and former students of Kaufmanis, a retired University of Minnesota astronomy professor who is best known for his "Star of Bethlehem" lecture. Admission is free, but tickets must be obtained in advance by calling (612) 624-8379 or (612) 624-0211.

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U OF M THEATER PRESENTS *A LITTLE NIGHT MUSIC*

University of Minnesota Theater presents Stephen Sondheim's *A Little Night Music* April 27 through May 13.

The musical, an intrigue-filled love story set in turn-of-the-century Sweden, includes Sondheim's hit "Send in the Clowns." A collaboration with the university's School of Music, the production will be directed by music professor Vern Sutton.

Performances will be Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m., Sundays at 3 p.m. in the Proscenium Theater of Rarig Center, 330-21st Ave. S., Minneapolis. Tickets are \$7, \$6 for students and seniors. For ticket information call (612) 625-4001.

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U OF M CONFERENCE FOCUSES ON LABOR, MANAGEMENT

Changes in unions, industry and government in U.S. labor-management relations in the past 50 years are the subject of a two-day symposium Friday and Saturday (April 27 and 28) at the University of Minnesota's Humphrey Center, 301 19th Ave. S., Minneapolis.

The symposium, sponsored by the university's Carlson School of Management's Industrial Relations Center and the Humphrey Institute's Center for Labor Policy, will address the issues of labor/management cooperation, labor's reaction to environmental issues, union substitutes, local labor unions, labor law reform and the role of labor unions in Eastern European countries. Highlights include:

☐ F. Ray Marshall, University of Texas-Austin economics and public affairs professor and former U.S. Secretary of Labor, speaking on "The Future Role of Government in Industrial Relations," 8:30 a.m., Cowles Auditorium.

☐ An open discussion for the media with Marshall and John Step, deputy undersecretary of the Labor-Management Relations and Cooperative Programs in the U.S. Department of Labor, 10:45 a.m., room 205.

☐ Charles McDonald, executive assistant to the secretary-treasurer of the AFL-CIO, speaking on "The Future Role of Unions in Industrial Relations," 1 p.m., Cowles Auditorium.

☐ An open discussion for the media with McDonald and John T. Dunlop, Harvard University professor emeritus and former U.S. Secretary of Labor, 3:15 p.m., room 205.

☐ Dunlop speaking on "The Future Role of Unions, Government and Industry in Industrial Relations," 6:45 p.m., atrium.

Sessions will be held in the Humphrey Center's auditorium, atrium and room 205 from 7:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday and 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday.

Funding was provided by the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Management Relations and Cooperative Programs and the Twin Cities Area Labor-Management Council.

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U OF M LION RESEARCHERS AWARDED GUGGENHEIMS

Craig Packer and Anne Pusey, associate professors in the University of Minnesota's ecology, evolution and behavior department, are among the recipients of this year's Guggenheim Fellowship Awards.

Packer and Pusey, who have studied the social lives of lions for several years, were featured on a CBS television documentary last year.

Given by the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation, the 1990 awards honored 143 artists, scholars and scientists for "unusually distinguished achievement in the past and exceptional promise for future accomplishment."

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UNRELATED DONOR BONE MARROW TRANSPLANTATION SUCCESSFULLY TREATS SOME ADULT LEUKEMIA

Unrelated donor bone marrow transplants often can help sufferers of a common adult leukemia who lack a suitable sibling donor, according to results from a University of Minnesota-based study.

Among 102 people with chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML) who received unrelated donor bone marrow transplants between April 1985 and February 1989, 92 experienced engraftment of their transplant, according to the study, published in the April issue of *Blood*. Engraftment is an indication of blood cell production, which is one measure of a bone marrow transplant's success. Of the 102 original patients, 46 are still alive. The median survival rate for this group is 26 months. The transplants were done at the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center at the University of Washington, Seattle, the Medical College of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, and the Hammersmith Hospital in London, England, as well as at the University of Minnesota.

CML is one of the most common adult leukemias, accounting for approximately 35 percent of all adult leukemia, and it is the disease for which physicians have the most experience in using bone marrow transplantation (with related donors). However, fewer than 40 percent of all CML patients who might benefit from a bone marrow transplant have a sibling who possesses blood cell markers known as human leukocyte antigens (HLA) that are identical to their own. Such a match is crucial to the success of any bone marrow transplant.

Advances in tissue typing within the past decade have made it possible for scientists to determine that people who are not related by blood can have identical HLA types. The recent establishment of a national unrelated bone marrow donor registry, headquartered at the University of Minnesota and at the St. Paul (Minn.) Chapter of the American Red Cross, has enabled physicians from around the country and the world to locate possible donors for patients needing bone marrow transplants who lack related donors.

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"This is the largest study published to date testing the efficacy of unrelated donor bone marrow transplantation," said Philip McGlave, associate professor of medicine, director of adult bone marrow transplantation at the university, and the study's principal author.

"It suggests that curative therapy for chronic myelogenous leukemia will be available not only to patients with matched siblings, but also to patients for whom an unrelated donor can be found. Since unrelated donor bone marrow transplants can be performed successfully for this disease, it is likely that these transplants also can be applied to other lethal diseases commonly treated with matched sibling donor bone marrow transplantation, such as acute leukemias, aplastic anemia, and other bone marrow and immune system diseases," McGlave said. "Efforts must now be directed to expand the National Marrow Donor Program registry and to refine bone marrow transplant techniques."

The study's other researchers include: Patrick Beatty of the University of Washington; Robert Ash of the Medical College of Wisconsin; and, Jill M. Hows of the Hammersmith Hospital, London.

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'KILLING FIELDS' SUBJECT TO SPEAK AT U REFUGEE HEALTH CARE SEMINAR

Dith Pran, subject of the award-winning film "The Killing Fields," will be the keynote speaker at the University of Minnesota Students International Health Committee 1990 spring symposium May 5.

The seminar, entitled "Issues in Refugee Health Care: Mental Health and Human Rights," will begin at 8:30 a.m. It will be held in 2-650 Malcolm Moos Tower, 515 Delaware St.S.E., on the university's Minneapolis campus. Pran, who now is a photographer for the New York Times, will speak at 9 a.m.

For registration and cost information, call (612) 625-7941 or (612) 625-7100.

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U OF M SPONSORS 2,300-MILE MISSISSIPPI RIVER EXPLORATION

A six-week expedition of faculty and students from the University of Minnesota and three other schools to study more than 30 communities along the Mississippi River -- from New Orleans to the river's source at Lake Itasca in northern Minnesota -- will take place June 9 through July 23.

The Mississippi River, considered the "Fourth Coast" after the Atlantic and Pacific oceans and the Gulf of Mexico, touches 10 states with a combined population of 40 million people. To urban design scholars it symbolizes the border between purely European traditions and design based on the American landscape.

The 2,300-mile expedition is an exploration of the American urban experience through art, literature, history, geography, policy, architecture, landscape architecture and natural history. Students will read literature about the river, draw and sketch river communities, visit pre-European settlement sites, early settlements and historic districts, compare original townsites with new communities and study past economic cycles. Their account of the journey will be published in a special edition of the Minneapolis-based Walker Art Center's *Design Quarterly*.

The first leg of the expedition, from New Orleans to St. Louis, will be made in small vans. The group will then follow the river northward through Louisiana, Mississippi, Arkansas, Tennessee, Kentucky, Illinois and Missouri.

The second leg of the trip, from St. Louis to St. Paul, will be traveled by river on board the Viking Explorer, a 112-foot, 45-bunk boat piloted by Capt. William D. Bowell Sr. States visited will be Missouri, Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Specific visuals will include:

- ✓Visits to the mouth of the Mississippi River
- ✓A retracing of the Natchez Trace
- ✓Visits to Native American settlements
- ✓Visits to early Spanish and French settlements
- ✓A visit to a 200-acre model of the river in Clinton, MS
- ✓Meetings with city officials in selected towns
- ✓Tours of the Atchafalaya Basin flood control structure, LA
- ✓Tours of historical districts

Expedition organizers hope to cultivate an appreciation of the Midwestern landscape through first-hand exposure to its natural and human heritage, as well as serve as a catalyst for community design forums for students, scholars and the public. Expedition leaders are William Morrish, director of the University of

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Minnesota Design Center for American Urban Landscape and College of Architecture and Landscape Architecture associate professor, and Catherine Brown, the center's coordinator of special projects.

Morrish has degrees from the University of California at Berkeley and Harvard Graduate School of Design. He's taught at the University of Southern California School of Architecture, Tulane University School of Architecture in New Orleans and the University of California Graduate School of Architecture and Urban Planning in Los Angeles.

Brown received her master's degree in landscape architecture and urban design from the Harvard Graduate School of Design and has worked for numerous public and private planning and urban design centers. She's taught at the University of Southern California, Morgan State University and Tulane University. She was a regional coordinator of the Design Arts Program for the National Endowment for the Arts from 1982 to 1988.

The university's Design Center for American Urban Landscape was established in 1988 by a grant from the Dayton Hudson Foundation to the University of Minnesota's School of Architecture and Landscape Architecture.

Funding for the expedition was provided in part by the National Endowment for the Arts, as part of its Discover America program and by the Dayton Hudson Foundation, for Dayton's and Target Stores.

Before June 9, Morrish and Brown can be reached at 612/626-0333. During the trip they can be reached aboard Viking Explorer.

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- June 9-12 New Orleans, LA
- June 13 St. Francisville & New Roads, LA; plantation tours
- June 14 St. Francisville, LA & Natchez, MS; plantation tours
- June 15 Natchez & Vicksburg, MS
- June 16 Vicksburg, MS
- June 17 Greenville, MS & Helena, AK
- June 18 Memphis, TN
- June 19 New Madrid & Ste. Genevieve, MO
- June 20 Ste. Genevieve, MO
- June 21-24 St. Louis, MO
- June 25 Board the Viking Explorer. St. Charles & Portage des Sioux, MO
- June 26 Louisiana, MO
- June 27 Louisiana & Hannibal, MO
- June 28 Hannibal, MO & Quincy, IL
- June 29 Quincy, IL & Keokuk, IA
- June 30 Keokuk, IA & Nauvoo, IL; Keokuk Power Plant tour
- July 1 Nauvoo, IL & Burlingtgon, IA
- July 2 Burlington & Muscatine, IA
- July 3 Muscatine, Davenport & Bettendorf, IA; Moline & Rock Island, IL
- July 4-6 Davenport, Bettendorf, Clinton, IA; Moline & Rock Island, IL
- July 7 Clinton & Sabula, IA
- July 8 Sabula & Dubuque, IA
- July 9-10 Dubuque & Guttenberg, IA; Galena, IL
- July 11 Guttenberg & McGregor, IA
- July 12-13 McGregor & Effigy Mounds, IA; Prairie du Chien, WI
- July 14 LaCrosse, WI
- July 15-16 LaCrosse, WI & Winona, MN
- July 17 Winona & Wabasha, MN
- July 18 Wabasha, Lake City & Old Frontenac, MN
- July 19-20 Red Wing & Hastings, MN
- July 21 Hastings, MN & Prescott, WI
- July 22 Minneapolis & St. Paul, MN

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ROBERT STEIN NAMED TO U OF M LAW SCHOOL CHAIR

University of Minnesota Law School Dean Robert A. Stein has been named the school's William S. Pattee Professor of Law.

A member of the Law School faculty since 1964, Stein is a nationally recognized expert in estate planning and probate law. Before becoming dean in 1979, Stein was the university's vice president for administration and planning.

Stein has served as the Minnesota commissioner to the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws since 1973 and is a member of the Council of the American Bar Association Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar and of the Council of the American Law Institute. He is a fellow and board member of the American Bar Foundation, a fellow of the American College of Probate Counsel and the American College of Tax Counsel and an academician in the International Academy of Estate and Trust Law.

Stein received his bachelor's and law degrees from the University of Minnesota. He is the author of several books, including *Stein on Probate* and *In Pursuit of Excellence: A History of the University of Minnesota Law School*.

The chair was established in honor of William S. Pattee, the first dean of the Law School, who served from 1888 to 1911.

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5K RUN TO BENEFIT U OF M VARIETY CLUB CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL MAY 26

A 5K run to benefit the Child-Family Life Unit at the University of Minnesota Hospital and Clinic-Variety Club Children's Hospital will be held May 26, starting at 10 a.m. The run, part of Sigma Chi fraternity's "Derby Days," will start and finish on East River Road near Harvard Street, on the university's Minneapolis campus. The run will have men's and women's divisions, but no age groupings. T-shirts featuring a design by Pulitzer prize-winning cartoonist Mike Peters will be given to the first 100 registrants. The entry fee is \$5. Participants may register on the day of the race beginning at 9 a.m., or by calling (612) 331-5460.

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U OF M LAW SCHOOL STUDENTS WIN REGIONAL COMPETITION

University of Minnesota Law School students Sandy Botcher and Thea Rademacher captured first place honors at the American Bar Association's Appellate Advocacy Program regional competition in Omaha, Neb., April 6 and 7.

Botcher and Rademacher competed against 12 teams from seven law schools in legal research, appellate brief writing and oral argument on a hypothetical case before a panel of judges. They will advance to the national finals in Chicago in August. Law School students Dan Weiss and Paul Savereide finished in fourth place in the competition.

The university's teams were coached by Steve Penrod, University of Minnesota Law School professor; Mark S. Olson and Mike Vanselow, lawyers with St. Paul-based Oppenheimer Wolff & Donnelly; and Patricia Rogin, a lawyer with the city of St. Paul. Law School students Mike Tomsche and Chris Knapp were student directors.

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PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS TOPIC OF U OF M CONFERENCE MONDAY (APRIL 30)

Recent and controversial research on the cause and impact of parental involvement in Minnesota's public school system and the need to increase that involvement are the topics of a statewide conference from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday (April 30) at the University of Minnesota's Humphrey Institute.

Conference keynote speaker Joyce Epstein is a Johns Hopkins University research scientist and sociology professor. She is also director of the Effective Middle Schools Programs at the Johns Hopkins University Center for Research on Elementary and Middle Schools. She will present research that demonstrates:

□ A majority of parents -- regardless of income, education or marital status -- get involved in their child's school when they feel welcome and valued by it.

□ Parental involvement has a dramatically positive impact on student achievement.

"Schools will be surprised by how much help parents can be if the parents are given useful, clear information about what they can do, especially at home," Epstein said. "All schools have the opportunity to build strong partnerships with parents."

Other conference speakers include Minnesota State Rep. Ken Nelson, DFL-Minneapolis, and Minnesota Education Commissioner Tom Nelson. Conference panels and workshops will address how various Minnesota communities are developing partnerships between homes and schools.

The conference is sponsored by the University of Minnesota and 28 private and public state organizations.

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U OF M PROFESSOR RUTTAN ELECTED TO NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES

Vernon W. Ruttan, Regents' Professor of Agricultural and Applied Economics at the University of Minnesota, has been elected to the National Academy of Sciences.

Election to the academy is widely considered the highest honor for an American scientist, second only to the Nobel Prize. Ruttan's election brings to 14 the number of University of Minnesota faculty who hold academy membership.

Ruttan, a university faculty member since 1965, conducts research for the university's Agricultural Experiment Station on the technical and institutional constraints on agricultural production in foreign countries. He is well known in economics circles for his work on induced innovation, or technical change. Simply stated, his major theory in that area holds that when resources are limited, people invent new devices or systems to substitute for that which is scarce.

Among Ruttan's numerous awards are the U.S. Department of Agriculture's top honor, the Distinguished Service Award; the Alexander von Humboldt Award; and the Distinguished Policy Contribution award from the American Agricultural Economics Association. Besides his position as professor of agricultural and applied economics on the university's St. Paul campus, he is a professor in the economics department on the Minneapolis campus and in the Humphrey Institute.

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U OF M ESTABLISHED \$1 MILLION ENDOWMENT TO STUDY HIGH RISK CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Two University of Minnesota faculty positions have been established to study the influence of such factors as poverty and neglect on child development through a \$1 million endowment. A \$500,000 gift from Irving B. Harris, chair of the executive committee of Chicago-based Pittway Corp., and a \$ 500,000 matching grant from the university's Permanent University Fund created the endowment.

University College of Education professor Byron Egeland will be named to the Irving B. Harris Professorship in Child Development, and College of Education professor Alan Sroufe to the William Harris Professorship in Child Development. Both professorships will encourage study in areas of child development and poverty including developmental consequences of neglect, maltreatment and failure of early caregiving relationships.

Harris, born and raised in St. Paul, is well known for his creation of Chicago's innovative Center for Successful Children Development, known as the Beethoven Project, which focuses on intervention in the lives of deprived children. He is also chair of The Acorn Fund, The Harris Foundation and the Pittway Corp. Charitable Foundation. He is the former chair of Harriscope Broadcasting Corp, a former executive vice president of the Toni Co. and a former director of Gillette Safety Razor Co.

Harris is co-founder and chair the Ounce of Prevention Fund, an Illinois public/private partnership, and chair emeritus and trustee of the Erikson Institute for Advanced Study in Child Development. He has served on the board of directors of The Bush Foundation.

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ROWING REGATTA TO BENEFIT U OF M LEUKEMIA RESEARCH

The Minnesota Boat Club's 31st annual Memorial Day regatta, to be held May 27 at Lake Phalen, St. Paul, will benefit leukemia research at the University of Minnesota.

The event, sanctioned by the United States Rowing Association, will feature 300 participants from clubs in the Upper Midwest and Canada, who will row in six categories. Winners will later compete at the U.S. Rowing Nationals.

The club decided to join forces with the university-based Minnesota Medical Association and the university's Internal Medicine Residents' Council to raise funds for leukemia after three club members were found to have the disease.

"We hope to establish the Memorial Day regatta as an annual major fundraiser for leukemia research," said event organizer Charlene McEvoy, a long-time rower who is also an internal medicine resident at the university. "Rowing has enriched the lives of many in our community. We now feel it is our turn to reciprocate."

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Note: Reporters and photographers are welcome to cover the regatta. There will be a press tent at the event, where boat riding privileges will be assigned and interviews arranged.

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JOHN MOOTY TO RECEIVE U OF M ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

John W. Mooty, managing partner of the Minneapolis-based law firm of Gray, Plant, Mooty, Mooty & Bennett and former president and CEO of International Dairy Queen, will be awarded the University of Minnesota's Outstanding Achievement Award at the university's Law School commencement ceremony at 2 p.m. Saturday (May 12) in Northrop Auditorium.

Mooty will be given the award for "academic excellence, personal integrity, professional achievement and public service as expressed through his work as president of the Minnesota Alumni Association from 1982 to 1983 and chair of the Law School's \$20 million Endowment for Excellence campaign from 1985 to 1989," according to the awards committee.

He is also being recognized for his work with numerous state and civic organizations and commissions, including the Minnesota Higher Education Coordinating Board, the Governor's Task Force on Education, the Citizens League and the Minneapolis Rotary Club.

Mooty received his bachelor's degree and law degree from the University of Minnesota in 1943 and 1944, respectively. He is married to Jane Mooty and has one daughter and four sons.

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U OF M REGENTS MEET THURSDAY, FRIDAY AT LANDSCAPE ARBORETUM (MAY 10 AND 11)

- 1990-91 BUDGET PLAN — THURSDAY
- ATHLETIC FACILITY RECOMMENDATION — FRIDAY
- ROTC RESOLUTION — FRIDAY

University of Minnesota regents will discuss the university's proposed \$1.7 billion 1990-91 budget and its impact on tuition, faculty and civil service pay and student services fees at the university's Landscape Arboretum in Chanhassen Thursday and Friday (May 10 and 11).

The budget plan proposes an average 9 percent increase in tuition rates and increases in student services fees ranging from \$2.75 to \$7 per quarter. It also proposes an average 7 percent increase in total compensation for faculty, and an average 6.7 percent increase in total compensation for Civil Service, including 1.7 percent pay equity distributions to about half the civil service employees. **The budget plan will be discussed Thursday at 1:30 p.m. and presented to the regents for approval in June.**

The university administration Friday will recommend the development of a \$37 million on-campus sports facility consisting of a new hockey arena and the renovation of Williams and Mariucci arenas. The proposed plan would be financed by private contributions and with bonds that would be repaid from revenues from the facility. The university won't seek state funds for a new arena. A vote on the facility is expected next month.

Also on Friday, University President Nils Hasselmo will ask the regents to support a national higher education effort to repeal the military's prohibition of homosexuals participating in ROTC because the policy contradicts university equal opportunity guidelines.

Regents will also hear a report on the university's external relations units by Vice President Rick Heydinger.

Here's a sample of agenda items:

Thursday, May 10

-- 1:30 p.m. Committee of the whole, auditorium. 1990-91 budget plan discussion, including information on tuition policies, compensation and student services fees.

Friday, May 11

-- 8:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, auditorium. Athletic facilities recommendation; External Relations report.

Regular monthly meeting after committee of the whole meeting. ROTC resolution.

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U OF M SETS SPRING TERM COMMENCEMENT DATES

Approximately 4,000 students from the University of Minnesota's Twin Cities campus will be eligible to participate in spring term commencement ceremonies, which begin with the Law School's at 2 p.m.

Saturday (May 12) in Northrop Auditorium.

Walter Mondale, former U.S. vice president and partner in the Minneapolis law firm of Dorsey & Whitney, will deliver the College of Liberal Arts commencement address at 5 p.m. June 10 in Northrop.

David A. Bernlohr the McKnight-Land Grant Professor in the College of Biological Sciences biochemistry department, will speak on "The Advanced Degree: Expectation and Realities" at the Graduate School commencement at 3 p.m. May 18 in Northrop.

Commencement dates and locations follow:

Saturday, May 12 -- **Law School**, 2 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Friday, May 18 -- **Graduate School**, 3 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Wednesday, May 30 - **College of Agriculture**, 7 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Friday, June 1 -- **Medical School**, 2:30 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Friday, June 1 -- **Institute of Technology**, 7 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Saturday, June 2 -- **University College**, 1:30 p.m., Willey Hall Auditorium.

Saturday, June 2 -- **College of Natural Resources**, 5 p.m., St. Paul Student Center Theater.

Saturday, June 2 -- **College of Home Economics**, 7 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Saturday, June 2 -- **General College**, 8 p.m., Willey Hall Auditorium.

Sunday, June 3 -- **School of Pharmacy**, 2 p.m., Willey Hall Auditorium.

Monday, June 4 -- **College of Education**, 7:30 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Friday, June 8 -- **Mortuary Science**, 5 p.m., Coffman Union.

Friday, June 8 -- **School of Public Health**, 7 p.m., St. Paul Student Center ballroom.

Saturday, June 9 -- **School of Architecture and Landscape Architecture**, 11 a.m.,
Architecture Building.

Saturday, June 9 -- **College of Biological Sciences**, 7:30 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Sunday, June 10 -- **School of Management**, 1 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Sunday, June 10 -- **College of Liberal Arts**, 5 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Friday, June 15 -- **School of Dentistry**, 2 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

Friday, June 15 -- **ROTC**, 7 p.m., Willey Hall Auditorium.

Saturday, June 16 -- **School of Veterinary Medicine**, 2 p.m., Northrop Auditorium.

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Reed, a sophomore majoring in Spanish and linguistics and minoring in Chinese and Portuguese, has a 3.95 grade-point average. She is active in University Scholars, La Organizacion de la Raza and the President's Distinguished Faculty Mentor Program.

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DEAN R. ANDERSON, ANIMAL NUTRITION INNOVATOR, RECEIVES OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FROM U OF M

Dean R. Anderson, founder of Zinpro Corp., received the Outstanding Achievement Award from the University of Minnesota Board of Regents May 5. The award, the highest given to alumni, recognizes exceptional achievement in the recipient's professional field.

Born and raised in Howard Lake, Minn., Anderson received a bachelor's degree in agricultural economics from the university in 1959. He came up with the idea that trace mineral nutrients would be better absorbed if complexed to organic nutrients such as protein or the amino acid methionine. In 1964 he formed the Zinpro Corp. in Iowa to produce zinc complexes, but dissolved the company the next year because test results were inconclusive. He continued to experiment, however, and in 1969 patented a zinc-methionine complex. In 1971 he again started Zinpro, now in Bloomington, Minn. Zinc methionine has become an important feed supplement in swine, beef and dairy cattle, and the company also produces organic complexes of such mineral nutrients as manganese, iron and cobalt.

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GERALD FISCHER NAMED U OF M FOUNDATION DIRECTOR

Gerald B. Fischer, former executive vice president, chief financial officer and treasurer of Minneapolis-based First Bank System, has been named the University of Minnesota Foundation's chief executive officer and the university's associate vice president for development.

Fischer will report to the foundation's 40-member board of trustees and will be responsible for the foundation's overall fundraising, as well as its operating budget of \$4 million. The University of Minnesota Foundation is a non-profit charitable fundraising corporation raising in excess of \$50 million annually for the exclusive support of the University of Minnesota.

Fischer, 47, began his career with analytical assignments in the controller's office of Ford Motor Co. In 1974 he was made manager of economic, debt and investment analysis with Ford, and in 1978 he was made assistant treasurer of the company. Fischer became senior vice president for finance for First Bank System in 1985 and executive vice president, chief financial officer and treasurer in 1986.

He received his bachelor's degree from the College of Wooster in Ohio and his master's in business administration from the University of Michigan Graduate School of Business Administration. He attended the Yale Divinity School between 1965 and 1966 and is a recipient of a Rockefeller Fellowship. He is a former trustee of the College of Wooster and a former trustee and current chair of the financial and budget committee for the Interlochen Center for the Arts, Interlochen, Mich.

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DANIEL DRUCKER NEXT SWEATT LECTURER AT U OF M MAY 17

Daniel C. Drucker, a University of Florida graduate research professor of aerospace engineering, mechanics and engineering science, will present a talk "On Educating Engineers for Leadership and Leadership in Engineering Education" at 4 p.m. Thursday (May 17) in room 3-120 of the Electrical Engineering/Computer Science Building at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

Educated at Columbia University, Drucker has written many articles on engineering and society. He is a former co-technical editor of the *Journal of Applied Mechanics*, a member of the National Academy of Engineering, a foreign member of the Polish Academy of Sciences and a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. He received the National Medal of Science in 1988 and currently serves on the National Science Board.

His talk is the 12th Distinguished W.R. Sweatt Lecture in Technology Leadership. The lectures are supported by a gift by the Honeywell Foundation to the Minnesota Campaign for the Institute of Technology at the University of Minnesota.

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PETER DORSEY RECEIVES U OF M LAW SCHOOL DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

Peter Dorsey, a partner in the Minneapolis-based law firm of Dorsey & Whitney, was awarded the University of Minnesota Law School's Distinguished Service Award at the Law School commencement ceremony May 12.

Dorsey was given the award for his leadership and service to the Law School as co-chair of the Building Fund Campaign in the 1970s, which made the Law Building possible, and as deputy chair of the Law School Endowment for Excellence Campaign, which raised \$20 million of new program endowment for the school.

In his commencement remarks, Law School Dean Robert A. Stein thanked Dorsey for "his tireless work on behalf of the Law School to help develop it as one of the outstanding law schools in the United States."

Dorsey, a graduate of Harvard Law School, is a member of the Law School Board of Visitors. He is a leader in local and national business, social, educational, political, legal and judicial communities.

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U OF M SPONSORS ROUNDTABLE ON CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION (MAY 18 AND 19)

The University of Minnesota's Center for Early Education and Development and Early Childhood Studies Program will sponsor the 1990 "Minnesota Roundtable on Child Abuse Prevention: Facing the Issues" Friday and Saturday (May 18 and 19) at the Radisson Hotel South in Bloomington.

Friday's roundtable panelists will include: Anne Cohn, executive director of the National Committee for Prevention of Child Abuse; Patricia Crittenden, assistant professor of pediatrics at the Mailman Center for Child Development; Richard Krugman, director of the Kempe Center for Prevention and Treatment of Child Abuse and Neglect; and Joyce Thomas, president of the Center for Child Protection and Family Support.

Roundtable topics will include primary prevention programs; "at risk" factors that contribute to child abuse; the role played by community institutions such as the legal system, schools and the media in the development and implementation of prevention programs; professional training, pre-service training, continuing education and support systems; and obstacles to prevention programs.

The second day of the conference will feature workshops on legal, legislative and child care issues.

The conference fee is \$55. For more information call Terri Smith, (612) 624-5780.

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3M'S LESTER C. KROGH RECEIVES HONORARY DEGREE FROM U OF M (MAY 18)

Lester C. Krogh, vice president and senior vice president for research and development at 3M, will receive an honorary doctor of science degree at 3 p.m. Friday (May 18) in Northrop Auditorium at the University of Minnesota Graduate School's commencement.

Krogh received bachelor's and master's degrees in chemical engineering from the University of Nebraska and a doctorate in organic chemistry from the University of Minnesota. He has spent his entire career at 3M, joining in 1952 as a senior chemist in the company's Central Research Laboratories and rising to senior vice president in 1988.

"3M has received many awards for its excellence of management, (including being listed) by *Fortune* magazine as one of the 10 most admired companies in the United States. The vice president for research and development, of course, is crucial in a company like 3M, and Dr. Krogh must be given considerable personal credit for the great records of success of that company," Graduate School Dean Robert Holt said.

A member of the Graduate School's board of advisers, Krogh in 1985 spearheaded a successful effort to win legislative approval of \$2.5 million for tuition fellowships for graduate students. He is also a member of the American Chemical Society, a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and the Minnesota Academy of Science.

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LYNN ANDERSON NAMED CARLSON SCHOOL'S ASSISTANT PROGRAM DIRECTOR

Lynn D. Anderson, former general manager of the St. Paul Chamber of Commerce, has been named assistant program director of the University of Minnesota Carlson School of Management's Executive Development Center.

Before her job with the St. Paul Chamber of Commerce, Anderson was a public affairs manager for the U.S. Chamber of Commerce from 1981 to 1987. She has also served as executive vice president of the Spencer and Le Mars, Iowa, chambers of commerce.

The Executive Development Center's programs -- the Minnesota Executive Program, Minnesota Management Program, Minnesota Management Academy and 21st Century Program -- focus on multi-level business management issues for executives and managers.

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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TOPIC OF U OF M SYMPOSIUM MAY 24

Leaders from civil and criminal courts, social service agencies, family therapy professions, the academic community and the state Legislature will discuss domestic problems in Minnesota from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Thursday (May 24) in the University of Minnesota Humphrey Institute's Cowles Auditorium.

"Response to Domestic Violence: A Working Symposium on Policy Change" will address such topics as the lack of support for abuse victims, ineffective enforcement of anti-abuse statutes, delays in justice and sentencing, failure to prosecute misdemeanors and reluctance of victims to testify.

The symposium will mark the first time Minnesota leaders have met to develop domestic abuse policy in accordance with current state legislation.

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U OF M NAMES FOUR TO GENERAL COLLEGE STAFF

The University of Minnesota's General College, a non-degree granting entry point for academically under-prepared university students, has appointed four new staff members.

--Louis Bellamy, president of the St. Paul-based Penumbra Theater company since 1977, has been named the college's teaching fellow in arts, communication and philosophy.

--LeRoy Gardner, acting director of the university's special counseling office from 1987 to 1988, has been named an administrative fellow. He will be responsible for a range of activities and programs designed to assist students in transferring to degree granting programs.

--Esther Peralez, Eastern Montana College's director of student opportunity services since 1982, has been named director of student services. She will be responsible for planning, training, coordination and management of a range of student service activities, including advising, counseling and entrance assessment.

--Melanie Peterson-Hickey has been named assistant counselor advocate in student services. Her responsibilities will include educational planning, counseling, advocacy and brokering services to students. Peterson-Hickey will focus on retention of minority and high-risk students. She was St. Olaf College's director of minority student services from 1986 to 1989.

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TRANSITION TO ADOLESCENCE IS TOPIC OF U OF M LECTURE THURSDAY (MAY 24)

Developmental psychologist Jeanne Brooks-Gunn will speak on "How Stormy and Stressful is the Transition to Adolescence?" at 4 p.m. Thursday (May 24) in the North Star Ballroom of the St. Paul Student Center Theater at the University of Minnesota.

Her talk is the 13th annual Gisela Konopka Lecture, honoring the retired University of Minnesota professor for contributions in the field of youth services. Gov. Rudy Perpich has proclaimed Thursday "Dr. Gisela Konopka Day" in Minnesota, and Lt. Gov. Marlene Johnson will present the proclamation to Konopka just before the lecture.

Brooks-Gunn is known for her studies of adolescence and the influence of the family environment on children's development. She has focused on intervention efforts to prevent developmental delays seen in poor children and is co-author of the only four-generation study of the long-term consequences of unplanned pregnancies on teen-aged girls, their children and their grandchildren.

Brooks-Gunn is a senior research scientist at the Educational Testing Service's (ETS) division of education policy research in New Jersey, director of ETS' and St. Luke's Roosevelt Hospital Center's Adolescent Study Program in New York City and a member of the pediatrics faculty at the University of Pennsylvania.

The lecture is sponsored by the University of Minnesota's Center for Youth Development and Research and is free to the public.

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UPDATE - SOVIET EXPERTS AT U OF M

Here's a list of the University of Minnesota's Soviet sources. Feel free to contact them for stories relating to Mikhail Gorbachev's visit to Minnesota.

Soviet History and Politics

Duluth -- **Alexis Pogorelskin**, associate history professor, specializes in Russian history and has insight into the intellectual, cultural, social and political development of the country over the last two centuries. She's married to a Soviet immigrant, who she met while teaching in the Soviet Union. Most recently, she lectured at the University of Moscow in March and April. She can be reached at work at (218) 726-7548 or at home at (218) 728-6061.

Twin Cities -- **Thomas Noonan**, chair, department of Russian and East European studies, has a wide-ranging knowledge of past and current events. Office numbers: (612) 624-5712, 625-9870, 625-3328. Home number: (612) 831-7446. **Geri Joseph**, Humphrey Institute fellow and former ambassador to the Netherlands, is director of the institute's Mondale Policy Forum, which will feature a series on Soviet-American relations beginning this fall. Joseph can talk on a wide range of Soviet and international political issues. She can be reached at (612) 625-2530.

Visiting Soviet Scholars

Duluth -- **Vladimer Gavrilov** is a visiting professor from Petrozavodsk State University in the Soviet Union. Petrozavodsk, Duluth's sister city, is near the Soviet border with Finland. Gavrilov has a nine-month appointment to teach Russian at UMD.

Twin Cities -- **Nikolai Petrov**, visiting scholar from the Soviet Academy of Science's Geography Institute, is on a four-week stay, during which he is working with geography professor John Adams. The two will co-author a book about urban geography in the United States and USSR. Petrov can be contacted through Adams' office at (612) 625-9308, or the geography department at (612) 625-9308.

Cooperative Educational Ventures with Soviets

Duluth -- UMD's Institute for International Studies plays an active role in Duluth's sister city exchanges with Petrozavodsk. Among other things, the institute is administering a three-year grant from the U.S. Information Agency to finance a faculty exchange between UMD and Petrozavodsk State University. As part of the exchange, history professor **Roy Hoover** is spending a month lecturing in Petrozavodsk. Also headed to the USSR are institute director **Doug Nord** and associate director **Joyce Benson**, a former Duluth city council member who has been active in the sister cities program for many years. Both will be in Petrozavodsk when Gorbachev is in Minnesota. Until Friday (May 25), Benson can be reached at (218) 726-8229.

Twin Cities -- The 50-member university Symphonic Wind Ensemble will perform in Leningrad during a European tour scheduled for June 13 through 28. The concert will kick off what is hoped will be an ongoing cultural exchange between the university's School of Music and the Leningrad Conservatory. **Frank Bencriscutto**, director of bands, is leading the tour. He led a similar tour in 1969. He will be happy to let members of the media sit in on rehearsal sessions. He can be reached at (612) 624-2030.

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Cooperative Educational Ventures with Soviets (continued)

A team of researchers in the family social science department is collaborating with a team of Soviet researchers on a book titled "Families in the U.S. and USSR - On the Threshold of the 21st Century." It will be a comparative study of social problems such as alcoholism and divorce. Two Soviet scholars, **Anatolyi Antonov** and **Makhail Mateskovesky** from the Soviet Academy of Sciences in Moscow, will be in St. Paul from May 28 through June 5 as part of that effort. To arrange interviews, call **Andrea Nelson** or **Linda Dietz** at (612) 624-9707.

Eight university scholars visited Moscow and Vologda last September to work on the project. **Jan Hogan**, associate dean of the College of Home Economics, headed the delegation. She's at (612) 625-6766. Others included **David Olson**, (612) 625-5289; **Sharon Danes**, (612) 625-9273; and **Pauline Boss**, (612) 625-0291 (work) or (612) 644-3024 (home).

Soviet Business Experts

Twin Cities--**Frederick Beier**, logistics management professor, Carlson School of Management, can talk about the Soviet transportation industry. He's at (612) 625-0352. **Karen Brooks**, Soviet agriculture specialist in the department of Agriculture and Applied Economics, published a research paper on "Agriculture and Five Years of Perestroika" in February. She can be reached at (612) 625-9267. The 39-page paper can be obtained by mail or by stopping at the department office, 248 Classroom Office Building, St. Paul campus. **Bruce Erickson**, strategic management and organization professor, Carlson School, can talk about business opportunities between Minnesota and the Soviet Union. He can be reached at (612) 624-4531. **Arthur Hill**, associate operations and management sciences professor, Carlson School, can talk about plant operations inside the Soviet Union, specifically Leningrad. He's at (612) 624-4015.

Soviet Business Ventures

A ten-member delegation of Soviet business leaders will be treated to lunch and a tour at the university on May 31. The tour begins at 9 a.m. at the Minnesota Supercomputer Center, followed by stops at the Scanning Tunneling Microscopy Laboratory in Amundson Hall, the Microelectronics Laboratory, and the Radisson University Hotel for lunch at 11 a.m. The Amador Corporation of Taylors Falls, which is involved in joint ventures with the Soviets, invited the delegation. **Peter Zetterberg**, associate to the dean in the Institute of Technology, is coordinating their visit to campus. He can be reached at (612) 624-5032.

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UNIVERSITY EMBARKS ON NEW CHILD CARE INITIATIVE

The University of Minnesota's Task Force on Child Care has approved a \$2.2 million plan to more than double the capacity for on-campus child care, and to greatly expand assistance to students, faculty and staff in finding off-campus alternatives.

The program, which needs final approval from the Board of Regents, has two major components: construction of a new child care center near the east bank, and participation in the Minnesota Child Care Resource and Referral Network, which provides parents with computerized listings of child care options based on type of care desired, hours, location and other factors. Some of the funding will be used to provide low-income parents with "scholarships" to help them pay for child care.

University President Nils Hasselmo congratulated the task force for providing leadership in an area of increasing concern to the university and society at large. "This is an important step for the university in its efforts to work with the state and the community in providing proper child care facilities," he said. "It helps to ensure that both students and academic and civil service staff are able to take full advantage of the opportunities at the university."

If approved by the regents, the new facility will be located at the corner of Rollins and 15th avenues S.E., Minneapolis. When it opens in September 1992, it will serve 152-164 children ages 2 months to 6 years. The present facility serves 68, with a waiting list of 325.

Even greater numbers of university parents are in the market for off-campus child care facilities. Subscribing to the Minnesota Child Care Resource and Referral Network will make it easier to assist them, according to task force member Carol Weisberg. "Finding good child care is time-consuming," she said. "The network provides counselors who interview parents for their special needs, then provide them with a computerized list of licensed facilities that have openings in their area. It saves time and trouble."

Use of the referral service will be free for most faculty, staff and students, the only exceptions being very high-income families, who will be charged a co-payment. Task force leaders say they hope to begin offering the service this summer.

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NEW U OF M NATATORIUM IS WAVE OF THE FUTURE

Members of the University of Minnesota swimming and diving teams will be the first ones in the pool when the new University Natatorium is dedicated at 2 p.m. Friday, June 1, 1990.

The natatorium, located east of Cooke Hall on the Minneapolis campus, represents "Phase 1-A" of a master plan for upgraded and new sports facilities approved by the Board of Regents in 1986. It was built to meet or exceed Olympic standards so that it could host swimming events at the Olympic Festival this July.

"You have to see it to believe it," said Jim Turman, director of recreational sports on the Twin Cities campus. "It's already regarded as one of the top three swimming facilities in the country. The building itself is an architectural statement."

Nearly two acres in size, the natatorium houses a 50-meter competition pool, a separate diving well, 1,346 permanent seats and room for 1,200 temporary bleachers. It has 24 permanent handicap spaces with room for up to 100 additional wheelchairs. Skylights run the length of the ceiling, reducing the need for expensive electric lighting at daytime events. Fifty-four loudspeakers surrounding the pool give it "the best acoustics in the country," according to aquatics director Duane Proell.

The new facility can also boast a schedule unique for its variety. Besides the Olympic Festival swimming events this summer, it will be the site for university men's and women's swimming meets, Minnesota amateur and high school meets and a full schedule of recreational sports for both campus and community. "There'll be everything from kayaking to water polo; scuba to synchronized swimming," said Turman. "We'll be busy from 6 a.m. to midnight almost every day of the year."

It all starts at the dedication ceremony. Following the national anthem sung by the 40-member Apollo men's chorus, welcoming remarks by dignitaries and awards of special recognition, about 40 students representing recreational and intercollegiate sports will participate in the "inaugural swim and dive."

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JAN SMABY TO SPEAK ON CRIME, POLITICS AND THE MEDIA JUNE 7

Jan Smaby, director of the Minnesota Department of Public Safety's Office of Drug Policy, will discuss "Crime, Politics and the Media" with Jack Coffman, St. Paul Pioneer Press Capitol bureau reporter, at that Humphrey Institute Citizen Education Breakfast lecture at 7:30 a.m. Thursday (June 7) in the Humphrey Center's Dining Room.

Smaby coordinates the activities of all drug agencies in Minnesota and allocates federal and state anti-drug funds. She also was president of the Spring Hill Conference Center from 1986 to 1989, director of the Hennepin County Department of Economic Assistance from 1982 to 1986 and director of Hennepin Country Community Corrections Act program from 1978 to 1982. Smaby co-hosts "Almanac," KTCA-TV's weekly public affairs program.

Coffman has worked as a reporter with several newspapers including the Minneapolis Star Tribune from 1973 to 1984, the Des Moines Register and Tribune from 1966 to 1971, the Topeka Capital-Journal from 1966 to 1971 and the Hutchinson (Kan.) News from 1960 to 1964.

Tickets are \$8 per person. Call (612) 625-1806 for reservations.

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DUANE KULLBERG TO RECEIVE U OF M OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Duane R. Kullberg, former managing partner and chief executive officer of Chicago-based Arthur Andersen & Co., will be awarded the University of Minnesota's Outstanding Achievement Award at the Carlson School of Management's commencement ceremony at 1 p.m. June 10 in Northrop Auditorium. Kullberg also will deliver the ceremony's address, "Where Do You Go From Here?" an examination of the importance of continuing education.

Under Kullberg's direction Arthur Andersen & Co. grew in revenues from \$650 million in 1980 to more than \$2.8 billion in 1988. He is a member of the board of trustees of The Committee for Economic Development, the board of directors of the Chicago Council on Foreign Relations and the New York-based Conference Board.

Kullberg, who retired last year, graduated with honors from the University of Minnesota's Carlson School of Management in 1954. He is a trustee of Northwestern University and the University of Minnesota Foundation, and is a member of the board of overseers of the Carlson School of Management and the Art Institute of Chicago. He is chair of the board of governors of the School of the Art Institute of Chicago.

"Although many graduates of the school are deserving, the singular achievements reached by Mr. Kullberg throughout his professional and civic life attest to his commitment to excellence," said Carlson School Acting Dean Timothy Nantell. "Furthermore, Mr. Kullberg provides substantial ongoing leadership and support within the university community."

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VIRGINIA'S GOV. WILDER TO GIVE U OF M CARLSON LECTURE JUNE 18

L. Douglas Wilder, the Virginia politician who made history when he was elected the nation's first black governor last year, will deliver the next University of Minnesota Carlson Lecture at 12:15 p.m. June 18 at Northrop Auditorium, on the east bank of the Minneapolis campus.

Wilder's talk, "The National Political Terrain: Focusing on 1992," will address contemporary politics and issues that concern mainstream America. Wilder was elected to the Virginia Senate in 1969 and re-elected in 1971, 1975, 1979 and 1983. He was elected Virginia's lieutenant governor in 1985 and governor in 1989. He has a bachelor's degree in chemistry from Virginia Union University and a law degree from Howard University School of Law.

Free general admission tickets are available at the Minneapolis YWCA, St. Paul's Town Square information booth, Odegard Books of Minneapolis and Odegard Books St. Paul, Dayton's seven metro stores ticket offices and these university locations: Coffman Union information desk, room 130 Humphrey Center and room 42 St. Paul Student Center. Tickets also can be obtained by calling the Humphrey Institute at (612) 625-7514. Remaining tickets will be distributed at the door.

The lecture will be broadcast live on KUOM radio (770 AM) and aired June 19 on Minnesota Public Radio's "Midday" program. Public parking for the lecture is available at the Church Street Garage, directly east of Northrop. Free shuttle bus service will be provided every 10 minutes, beginning at 10:45 a.m., from the municipal ramp adjacent to the Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza Metrodome, near the west bank of the Minneapolis campus.

The Carlson Lecture Series brings national and international leaders to the university to speak on current topics and is made possible through a \$1 million grant from from Curtis L. Carlson, founder and board chair of the Minneapolis-based Carlson Companies.

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MEDICAL SCHOOL GRADS RECEIVE U ALUMNI AWARD; AUTHOR DAVID HILFIKER TO ADDRESS MEDICAL SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

John La Bree, professor of medicine and director of hospital outreach at the University of Minnesota, and Edmund Flink, Benedum professor of medicine at West Virginia University, received the University of Minnesota's highest alumni honor, the Outstanding Achievement Award, at the medical school's June 1 commencement.

La Bree, a cardiologist, graduated from the university's medical school in 1940. He was dean of the school of medicine at the University of Minnesota, Duluth, from 1975 to 1980. In 1951, he co-founded the St. Louis Park Medical Center. He was a flight surgeon in the Army Air Force from 1942 to 1946, and was awarded the Bronze Star for his efforts. From 1972 to 1973, he was president of the Hennepin County Medical Society. He was assistant vice president for health sciences at the university from 1980 to 1987, when he became director of medical outreach for the University of Minnesota Hospital and Clinic.

Flink, a 1938 graduate of the university's medical school, did his internship and residency at the university, and was a professor of medicine before he left for West Virginia University in 1960 to become professor and chair of medicine. He became the Benedum professor of medicine at West Virginia in 1976. Flink is renowned for his work in nutrition, mineral metabolism and endocrine function.

Speaking at the 2:30 p.m. commencement was David Hilfiker, a 1971 graduate of the university's medical school who is the author of *Healing the Wounds*. The book won acclaim for its examination of the lack of adequate medical care for the poor. He is now a family practice physician in Washington, D.C., clinics that provide care for the indigent.

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SANDRA EDWARDSON NAMED INTERIM DEAN OF U NURSING SCHOOL

Sandra Edwardson, associate professor of nursing at the University of Minnesota, has been named interim dean of the university's School of Nursing, pending approval by the university's Board of Regents.

Edwardson is scheduled to assume her new duties Aug. 1. She will replace Ellen Fahy, who recently resigned after serving as dean since 1980.

Edwardson has been on the university faculty since 1979, and has been an associate professor since 1985. From 1981 to 1983, she was interim assistant dean for nursing graduate studies. She received a bachelor's degree in nursing from St. Olaf College in 1963, a master's degree in nursing from the University of Washington in 1964 and a doctorate in hospital and health care administration from the University of Minnesota in 1980.

"Dr. Edwardson has demonstrated her commitment to the school and has earned the respect of her colleagues in the school as well as from her colleagues throughout the university," said Cherie Perlmutter, university acting vice president for health sciences. "She is well respected by the greater nursing community, and I am convinced that she will do an outstanding job as interim dean."

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CANADIAN PHYSICIAN WINS U OF MINNESOTA AWARD

Norma K. C. Ramsay, professor of pediatric hematology-oncology at the University of Minnesota, has been named the first winner of the Clinical Scholar Award of the university's hospital and clinic and medical school.

Ramsay, a specialist in leukemia and the use of bone marrow transplantation in children, was presented the award at the university's medical school commencement June 1. The award will be presented on an annual basis to those who achieve outstanding accomplishments in patient-based scholarship, research and patient care.

A native of Minnedosa, Manitoba, Ramsay has been at the University of Minnesota since 1969. She received her medical degree in 1968 from the University of Manitoba.

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U OF M PHYSICIAN TO WORK WITH SOVIETS ON CHOLESTEROL MANAGEMENT

A cholesterol management study using oat bran and long-acting niacin has been developed for the Ministry of Preventive Medicine in Moscow by a University of Minnesota researcher.

Joseph Keenan, assistant professor of family practice and community health, has designed a study for Soviet physicians based on his research on the role of diet in the management of high cholesterol, with specific emphasis on the use and role of oat bran and long-acting niacin in such diets. Approximately 300 Soviet adults will participate in the six-month study, which will begin this fall.

The program is part of the Corporation for Soviet-American Enterprises (CSAE) "Heart to Heart" program, which will seek to provide American enterprise and products to the Soviets to meet their cardiovascular health needs. Keenan's program is one of the first medical ventures attempted by CSAE. Further assistance will be provided by Quaker Oats Co., which will supply the oat bran, and Endurance Products, which will supply the niacin.

While the number of deaths from cardiovascular disease has declined over the past 20 years in most Western nations, the reverse is true in the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe. The average male life expectancy in the Soviet Union is 62 years, compared to 71 years in the United States. Much of the increase in Soviet mortality rates is attributable to an increase in heart disease.

"I have enjoyed working on this program, in that it has been an opportunity to demonstrate the humanitarian side of capitalism to our Soviet friends and colleagues," said Keenan. "We have encountered some bureaucratic red tape in getting the required official approvals and clearances, but things now seem to be set for the program to begin in earnest this fall."

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U OF M REGENTS MEET THURSDAY, FRIDAY (JUNE 7 AND 8)

- 1990-91 BUDGET PLAN VOTE -- FRIDAY
- ATHLETIC FACILITIES VOTE -- FRIDAY
- SUMMARY OF UNDERGRADUATE REFORM -- THURSDAY

University of Minnesota regents will vote on the university administration's proposed \$1.7 billion 1990-91 budget and its recommended \$37 million on-campus sports facility plan at the **Earle Brown Center on the St. Paul campus** Thursday and Friday (June 7 and 8).

Regents will vote on the budget plan, which proposes an average 9 percent increase in tuition rates. In dollar terms, the biggest hike will be for liberal arts undergraduates carrying a 15-credit load -- they'll pay \$78 more per quarter.

Student service fee increases will range from \$2.75 to \$7 per quarter. The budget plan also proposes an average 7 percent increase in total compensation for faculty, and an average 6.7 percent increase in total compensation for Civil Service, including 1.7 percent pay equity distributions to about half the civil service employees.

Regents also will vote on the university administration's plan to develop a \$37 million on-campus sports facility consisting of a new hockey arena and the renovation of Williams and Mariucci arenas. The proposed plan would be financed by private contributions and with bonds that would be repaid from revenues from the facility. The university won't seek state funds for a new arena.

Regents will hear the last in university President Nils Hasselmo's six-part series of first steps toward undergraduate curriculum reform in his "Initiative for Excellence in Undergraduate Education" report.

Here's a sample of agenda items:

Thursday, June 7

-- 10:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 42 Earle Brown Center. Initiative in Undergraduate Education summary; MSPAN discussion; support services review.

-- 1:30 p.m. Faculty, staff and student affairs committee, 32 Earl Brown Center. Status report on search processes.

-- 1:30 p.m. Physical planning and operations committee, 52 Earle Brown Center. University Building Energy Efficiency Project (U-BEEP) discussion.

The following meetings convene after the 1:30 p.m. meetings adjourn:

-- Educational planning and policy committee, 32 Earle Brown Center. College of Natural Resources and Minnesota Extension Service reports.

-- Finance and legislative committee, 52 Earle Brown Center. External investment review.

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Friday, June 8

-- 8:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 42 Earle Brown Center. 1990-91 Budget plan vote; athletic facilities vote.

Regular monthly meeting after committee of the whole meeting.

The Regents' Assessment Committee (RAC) will meet with the university's president and the regent's executive director in closed session at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday (June 6) to review the board's accomplishments and goals. RAC will also meet on June 14 at 6:30 p.m. with student representatives and at 7:30 p.m. with legislative representatives; and on June 15 at 7:30 a.m. with alumni and University Foundation representatives, at 8:30 a.m. with civil service representatives, at 9:15 a.m. with academic staff employee representatives, at 10 a.m. with faculty representatives, at 11 a.m. with deans and at noon to discuss the final report.

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FOUR RECEIVE ALUMNI SERVICE AWARDS AT U OF M

Pamela Nichols, Carol Pine, Kenneth "Chip" Glaser and Fred R. Friswold have received alumni service awards from the University of Minnesota.

-- Nichols, a member of the Minnesota Alumni Association (MAA) for 15 years, is president of the Council of Governors for the Minnesota Alumni Club and has served as a board member, national secretary and treasurer of the MAA. She led efforts to improve club operations and worked on the committee to plan its 25th anniversary in 1988. A graduate of the College of Business -- now the Carlson School of Management -- she is the director of human resources at ADC Telecommunications.

-- Pine, a graduate of the School of Journalism and Mass Communication, joined the school's alumni board in 1978. She was president of the Journalism Alumni Society in 1984-85 and carried out many projects, including the highly successful student mentoring program. She co-wrote a 1982 regional bestseller, *Self-Made: The Stories of 12 Minnesota Entrepreneurs*, and is currently vice president of publications in the Minneapolis public relations firm of Yaeger, Pine and Mundale.

-- Glaser joined the MAA national board in 1983 and is the immediate past president of the 36,000-member organization. He rejuvenated the MAA's annual meetings by inviting such prominent guest speakers as Art Buchwald and Walter Cronkite and chaired the gala celebration, *There's Just One 'U,'* for Homecoming 1988. The president of K. Charles Development Corp. and Izaty's Golf & Yacht Club, Glaser is a graduate of the School of Management.

-- Friswold, a graduate of the College of Business, joined the MAA board of directors in 1983 and served on its finance and executive committees. After terms as treasurer, vice president and president, he left the board in 1989. He has been credited with doing much to strengthen the alumni legislative network and alumni morale. Friswold is president and CEO of the Minneapolis firm of Dain Bosworth.

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U OF M CENTENNIAL SHOWBOAT PRESENTS 'THE MOONSTONE'

The University of Minnesota Centennial Showboat will present *The Moonstone* June 19 through Aug. 26.

The play is based on a gothic novel by Wilkie Collins, adapted by Barbara Field and directed by Jeff Steitzer. Field is nationally known for creating the Guthrie Theater's innovative adaptation of *A Christmas Carol*. Steitzer is also nationally reknowned for his work in the Twin Cities, Chicago, San Francisco and presently as artistic director of a contemporary theater in Seattle.

The plot of the play revolves around the theft of a sacred gem called the moonstone and the exploits of a memorable cast of characters, including Sgt. Cuff of Scotland Yard, a prototype for Sherlock Holmes. It will be performed in the melodramatic style common to showboat productions of yesteryear, complete with high suspense, a beautiful heroine and a thrilling conclusion.

Performances are Tuesday through Saturday at 8 p.m., Sunday at 2 and 7 p.m. There will be no shows Mondays or July 4. Tickets are \$8, \$7 for children and seniors, except Sundays, when both categories will be \$2 lower. Dinner packages, available for \$27.50, include valet parking at the Meadows restaurant in the Radisson University Hotel and transportation between the hotel and the showboat. A brunch package for McCormick's restaurant, also in the Radisson, is available for \$15 before Sunday matinees. The showboat is moored on the Mississippi River off East River Road, below University Hospital and Clinic on the east bank of the Minneapolis campus. For tickets call (612) 625-4001.

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GORDON GINDER NAMED U MEDICAL ONCOLOGY HEAD

Gordon Dean Ginder, professor of internal medicine at the University of Iowa College of Medicine, has been named professor and head of medical oncology at the University of Minnesota.

He will assume his new duties Aug. 1, pending the retirement of B.J. Kennedy as department head and the approval of the university's Board of Regents. Kennedy, who has been Masonic professor and head of medical oncology at the university since 1967, will remain as Masonic professor until July 1991.

Ginder, a 1975 graduate of the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, completed internship and residency at Case Western Reserve University. He did a fellowship in hematology-oncology at the University of Iowa, and has been a member of the faculty at Iowa since 1980. He also has been on the staff of the Veterans Administration Medical Center in Iowa City since 1981.

Ginder's research interests include bone marrow transplantation and gene regulation during normal and abnormal cell differentiation.

"The University of Minnesota has played a key role in the development of the field of medical oncology and I would like to see the program carry that pioneering spirit forward into the 21st century," said Ginder. "I believe this can be accomplished by exploiting the recent advances in understanding the molecular basis of cancer to develop innovative new strategies to effectively diagnose, prevent and treat cancer. With the support of the university and the people of Minnesota, I think we can succeed in this effort."

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FOUR U OF M FACULTY RECEIVE PRESIDENTIAL YOUNG INVESTIGATOR AWARDS

Four members of the University of Minnesota's Institute of Technology faculty have received Presidential Young Investigator Awards from the National Science Foundation (NSF) for the coming fiscal year.

The awards, given to faculty members near the beginning of their careers, are intended to encourage them to remain in higher education. Each investigator receives \$25,000 from NSF, plus matching funds for up to \$37,500 raised from private sources. The 211 awards given across the country this year bring the total to about 1,200 since the program began in 1983.

The four University of Minnesota recipients and their fields of research are:

--**Kevin Buckley**, assistant professor of electrical engineering. He studies ways to enhance speech with digital hearing aids, which have more potential for removing noise and cancelling feedback than conventional hearing aids. He's also finding ways to pinpoint sources of signals in sonar, radar and communications systems. One area of application would be to help air traffic controllers get a better fix on locations of planes with radar.

--**Jeffrey Derby**, assistant professor of chemical engineering and materials science. Derby, a theoretician, researches the conditions that allow optimal growth of crystals such as silicon, which is used in computer chips. He also studies ways to grow large, pure crystals of a material used to guide laser beams.

--**James Kakalios**, assistant professor of physics. A specialist in solid-state physics, he studies the properties of materials such as "amorphous" silicon, a material that is relatively disordered on an atomic scale. His work could eventually lead to increased efficiency in solar cells that employ amorphous silicon.

--**Alon McCormick**, assistant professor of chemical engineering and materials science. He studies the production and behavior of catalysts and ceramic materials. Typical of his interests are zeolite catalysts, which help break crude oil down into fractions such as gasoline and chemical feedstocks. He is also interested in silicon ceramics, which have a wide variety of uses.

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Bonde and his wife, Doris, live in Falcon Heights.

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U OF M CREATES LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE

The University of Minnesota's Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs has created a Legislative Staff Management Institute (LSMI) with a \$110,500 grant from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation and a \$60,000 grant from the National Conference of State Legislatures.

The LSMI will provide leadership and management skills training to senior state legislative staff members over two-weeks each summer for the next three years. In addition it will assist the Humphrey Institute in providing programs in public responsibility, public affairs, ethics and career development. The LSMI will be staffed by 12 faculty members and fellows from throughout the Humphrey Institute.

"This is the first executive management institute created for and tailored to the needs of top level staff members of state legislatures across the country," said institute director John Ellwood. "Its goal is to improve the analytical and managerial capacity of state legislators by improving the capabilities of legislative staff."

One of the largest private philanthropic organizations in the world, the W. K. Kellogg Foundation has distributed more than \$1.2 billion in support of international programs in agriculture, education and health. The National Conference of State Legislatures is a Washington D.C.-based organization designed to improve the quality of state legislators and their staffs.

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U OF M REGENTS MEET THURSDAY, FRIDAY (JULY 12 AND 13)

- OPEN FORUM - THURSDAY
- REPORT ON MINORITY AFFAIRS - FRIDAY
- DISCUSSION ON SHARED DEBT SERVICE - FRIDAY

University of Minnesota regents will discuss the 1990 Legislature's mandate to require the university to pay one-third of the debt service on the \$71.5 million of bonds approved to fund new facilities during their monthly meeting Thursday and Friday (July 12 and 13) at the Earle Brown Center on the St. Paul campus.

Regents will also hear five-minute talks on university-related topics from people who have signed up for an open forum, beginning at 11 a.m. Thursday.

A report on minority affairs will be given by Dolores Cross, associate provost and associate vice president for academic affairs, at the Friday morning meeting.

A vote is expected on a name change for the College of Home Economics.

Here's a sample of agenda items:

Thursday, July 12

-- 9:30 a.m. Audit committee, 42 Earle Brown Center.

-- 11:00 a.m. Open forum, 135 Earle Brown Center.

-- 1:30 p.m. Faculty, staff and student affairs committee, 32 Earle Brown Center. Trades agreement review; female academic employees policy vote.

-- 1:30 p.m. Physical planning and operations committee, 52 Earle Brown Center.

The following meetings convene after the 1:30 p.m. meetings adjourn:

-- Educational planning and policy committee, 32 Earle Brown Center. Reciprocity agreements vote; College of Home Economics name change vote; UMD Medical School report.

-- Finance and legislative committee, 52 Earle Brown Center. Eastcliff resource committee report.

Friday, July 13

-- 8:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 135 Earle Brown Center. Support services review; minority affairs report; debt service discussion.

Regular monthly meeting after the committee of the whole meeting.

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U OF M'S MISSISSIPPI EXPEDITION TO ARRIVE IN ST. PAUL SUNDAY (JULY 22)

After six weeks of study and 2,300 miles of travel northward along America's fourth coast -- the Mississippi River -- by riverboat and van, a University of Minnesota expedition of students and faculty will celebrate its journey's end with a picnic at 5 p.m. Sunday (July 22) at Harriet Island Padelford Landing, St. Paul.

Led by faculty from the university's College of Architecture and Landscape Architecture's (CALA) Design Center for American Urban Landscape, the Mississippi River expedition set out on June 6 to study the cultural and natural heritage of more than 30 communities along the Mississippi River from New Orleans to the river's source at Lake Itasca in northern Minnesota. Along the way, students analyzed the communities' design and architecture, visited historic settlements and met with urban planners and city officials.

Funding for the expedition was provided in part by the National Endowment for the Arts, as part of its Discover America program, and by the Dayton Hudson Foundation, for Dayton's and Target Stores.

An account of the journey will be published in a special edition of the Minneapolis-based Walker Art Center's *Design Quarterly*.

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U OF M HUMPHREY INSTITUTE ANNOUNCES PROJECT TO REVITALIZE CITIZEN PARTICIPATION IN POLITICS

A national effort to revitalize grassroots local and community politics has been made possible by a \$499,500 grant from the W.H. Kellogg Foundation to the University of Minnesota Humphrey Institute.

"Project Public Life," a five-year project to be headquartered in the Humphrey Institute's Commonwealth Center, will produce and disseminate citizen-designed training programs aimed at empowering such groups as low income and minority parents, youths and college-aged citizens and voluntary organizations for effective action in local and community affairs. The project will rely on scholars as well as ordinary citizens for input in combating such trends as low voter turn-out, loss of support for careers in public service and a declining knowledge of governmental processes.

"The Commonwealth Center and our national partnership represent citizen-based efforts to find solutions to the crises in American politics today," said Harry Boyte, project director and Humphrey Institute senior fellow. "All of the projects will demonstrate how we can tap the civic common sense, practical skills and ingenuity of ordinary citizens for leadership in substantial public problem-solving."

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U OF M PRESIDENT HASSELMO TO PRESENT ALAN PAGE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS WEDNESDAY (AUG. 25)

Thirty-one minority high school students will be presented with the 1990-91 Alan Page Education Foundation scholarships by University of Minnesota President Nils Hasselmo at 4 p.m. Wednesday (July 25) in room 238 Morrill Hall on the university's Minneapolis campus.

Recipients are given up to \$2,000 in partial scholarships to attend a post-secondary institution in Minnesota. Nominees are chosen by Twin Cities metropolitan teachers from a pool of students considered "at risk" in their pursuit of education beyond high school. Recipients are required to do community service work as mentors to younger minority students.

"I sincerely believe that education is one of the few avenues that offer minorities a way to overcome poverty, discrimination, crime and persistent dependence on government assistance," Page said.

The Page Education Foundation is a non-profit foundation dedicated to advancing Minnesota's urban minority youth in post-secondary education pursuits. It focuses on students who have great academic potential and works with junior and senior high schools in identifying potential recipients. Its founder and director is Alan Page, assistant Minnesota attorney general and member of the NFL's Hall of Fame and the university's Board of Regents.

"There's nothing more important than helping young people get the best possible education they deserve," Hasselmo said. "I congratulate Regent Alan Page on his commitment to higher education, as well as his work on the university's Board of Regents."

Page received a bachelor's degree from the University of Notre Dame in 1967 and a law degree from the University of Minnesota while playing for the Minnesota Vikings. In 1971 he was named the NFL's Most Valuable Player and was elected to the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1988.

For more information, call the Page Education Foundation at (612) 933-6745.

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MORRIS KLEINER NAMED TO U OF M'S AFL-CIO CHAIR IN LABOR POLICY

Morris Kleiner, University of Minnesota Humphrey Institute professor and director of its Center on Labor Policy, has been named to the institute's AFL-CIO Chair Professor in Labor Policy.

Kleiner was an associate in employment policy at the Brookings Institution from 1976 to 1987, a visiting scholar in Harvard University's economics department from 1983 to 1984 and a research economist at the National Bureau of Economic Research. Kleiner is also a member of the University of Minnesota's Industrial Relations Center faculty.

He received his bachelor's degree from Bradley University and his master's and doctoral degrees in economics from the University of Illinois.

Kleiner is a 1985-86 University of Kansas School of Business Byron Shutz Award winner for distinguished university teaching in employment policy. He is co-author of *Labor Markets and Human Resources Management* and co-editor of *Human Resources and the Performance of the Firm and the Future Role of Industrial Relations*.

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U OF MINNESOTA RECEIVES GRANT FOR CANCER PREVENTION RESEARCH UNIT

The University of Minnesota School of Public Health has received a five-year, \$7.6 million grant from the National Cancer Institute to study risks and prevention of colon polyps and large bowel cancer.

The studies will be conducted by a newly formed Cancer Research Prevention Unit, which also will be funded by the grant. The School of Public Health departments of epidemiology, biostatistics and human development and nutrition, as well as the College of Agriculture and the medical school, will be study collaborators. John Potter, associate professor of epidemiology, will be the unit's principal investigator.

Working with the university to provide patients for the studies will be Digestive Healthcare, a Minneapolis private gastroenterology practice. Approximately 2,000 Digestive Healthcare patients with colon polyps will participate in study projects, which will include: a study of the role of environmental and genetic factors in the occurrence of polyps; studies to establish the feasibility of major dietary intervention (such as increasing the intake of fruits and vegetables) to aid primary prevention of polyps and cancer; and a double-blind study to determine whether dietary calcium supplements can protect against probable early polyp development.

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Media note: Hasselmo will be available to reporters between 11:15 and 11:45 a.m. at St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Redwood Falls.

U OF M PRESIDENT HASSELMO TO SPEAK IN REDWOOD FALLS, LAMBERTON THURSDAY (AUG. 23)

University of Minnesota President Nils Hasselmo will meet with members of the public and community and education leaders Thursday (Aug. 23) at noon at St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Redwood Falls. He will visit Lamberton that afternoon.

Hasselmo's itinerary follows:

- 7:55 a.m. Arrive in Redwood Falls.
- 8 - 10 a.m. Breakfast meeting and question-and-answer session with Minnesota Extension Service officials, county commissioners and community advisory board members at Evangelical Lutheran Church of America in Redwood Falls.
- 10:15 - 10:45 a.m. Live interview on KLGR radio.
- 11:15 - 11:45 a.m. Meeting with media at St. Catherine's Catholic Church in Redwood Falls.
- Noon - 1:30 p.m. Hasselmo will deliver a 20-minute talk on the university in the 1990s followed by a question-and-answer session at a public luncheon at St. Catherine's. The event is sponsored by the local University of Minnesota alumni chapter and the Redwood Area Development Corp. Tickets are \$5.25 and are available before Aug. 17 from Mary Flinn at (507) 637-8497, from the Redwood Area Chamber of Commerce at (507) 627-2828 and from the Minnesota Extension Service office at (507) 637-8323.
- 2 - 4 p.m. Tour of the University of Minnesota Southwest Experiment Station at Lamberton.

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U OF MINNESOTA RECEIVES GRANT FOR INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS PROJECT

The reproductive rights of women in developing countries is the topic of a new project made possible by a three-year, \$390,000 grant from the MacArthur Foundation's World Population Program to the University of Minnesota's Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs.

The project, Women's Leadership Development and Reproductive Rights, will provide leadership training to women from developing countries in reproductive rights issues. Through workshops the project will examine the relationship between human rights and reproductive rights using the 10-year-old international treaty, the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women, as a framework. The treaty guarantees the female citizens of its 103 member countries reproductive and other rights. Senior Humphrey Institute fellow Arvonne Fraser is the project's director.

Project trainees will come from Latin America, South and Southeast Asia and sub-Saharan Africa, the geographic focus of the MacArthur Foundation's World Population Program. The trainees will attend a summer program at the institute and shorter seminars in New York and Vienna, Austria. The project will also provide intensive follow-up assistance and support systems for alumni in their home countries.

"The grant is both a tribute to the success of our international women's project in building a truly global network of scholars and activists concerned with women's issues, and a new departure in thinking about reproductive rights internationally," said Humphrey Institute Dean G. Edward Schuh. "We are pleased that the MacArthur Foundation's new population program chose the institute project as one of its early grantees."

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AMERICAN INDIAN TRIBAL LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE TO BE SPONSORED BY U OF M HUMPHREY INSTITUTE

The Reflective Leadership Center of the University of Minnesota's Humphrey Institute and the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe will sponsor a conference for elected American Indian tribal leaders and their senior staff Sept. 6 and 7 at Cragun's Lodge and Conference Center in Brainerd, Minn.

Conference highlights will include workshops on new approaches to leadership and the use of power, both led by Marcia Cushmore, director of the Humphrey Institute's Leadership for State and Local Elected Officials Program, and Larry P. Aitken, a University of Minnesota-Duluth American studies professor.

"The goal of the conference is to bring tribal leaders, program directors and staff together to explore the challenges and opportunities of leadership in the 1990s and the 21st century," Cushmore said. "This seminar continues our elected officials program, which provides opportunities for Minnesota's elected leaders to reflect on the changing world and their changing responsibilities."

For more information call Victoria White, Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, (218) 335-8581, ext. 35.

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U OF M REGENTS MEET THURSDAY, FRIDAY (SEPT. 13 AND 14)

- BIENNIAL REQUEST TO THE LEGISLATURE-THURSDAY
- SEXUAL HARASSMENT SURVEY DISCUSSION-FRIDAY
- SEXUAL VIOLENCE TASK FORCE REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS-FRIDAY
- RESOLUTION ON SHARED DEBT SERVICE-FRIDAY

The University of Minnesota Board of Regents will be presented the administration's biennial budget request at its monthly meeting Thursday and Friday (Sept. 13 and 14) in **238 Morrill Hall on the Minneapolis campus**. The budget will be up for discussion this month, in preparation for a vote and formal submission to the Legislature in October.

Regents will discuss a university sexual harassment survey conducted by the Minnesota Center for Survey Research. In addition, a task force report on sexual violence and campus security will be presented to regents, along with university President Nils Hasselmo's implementation plan

The university administration will propose a resolution on shared responsibility for debt service as required by the 1990 Legislature. Basically, the resolution calls for funding sources to be identified for the debt service and operating costs of each building project at the university.

News people are invited to join regents on a one-hour "transitway tour" at 8 a.m. Thursday. Meet in 220 Morrill Hall. The transitway is the proposed link between the Minneapolis and St. Paul campuses.

Here's a sample of agenda items:

Thursday, Sept. 13

- 8 a.m. Transitway tour. Meet in 220 Morrill Hall.
- 9:15 a.m. Non-public meeting to discuss legal issues.
- 10:15 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill Hall. Biennial request information.
- 1:30 p.m. Educational planning and policy committee (300 Morrill) and finance and legislative committee (238 Morrill) meet. After the 1:30 committees adjourn: faculty, staff and student affairs committee (300 Morrill) and physical planning and operations committee (238 Morrill) meet.

Friday, Sept. 14

- 8:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill Hall. Sexual harassment survey and sexual violence task force report and shared debt-service responsibility proposal.

Regular monthly meeting of the Board of Regents follows committee of the whole meeting.

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Media note: Hasselmo will be available to reporters between 1:30 and 1:45 p.m. at the Albert Lea Inn in Albert Lea.

U OF M PRESIDENT HASSELMO TO SPEAK IN ALBERT LEA FRIDAY (SEPT. 21)

University of Minnesota President Nils Hasselmo will meet with members of the community and civic and education leaders at a public luncheon at the Albert Lea Inn in Albert Lea at noon Friday (Sept. 21).

Hasselmo's itinerary follows:

10:15 a.m. Arrive in Albert Lea.

10:15 - 10:45 a.m. Meet with Freeborn County Extension staff and faculty at the Freeborn County Courthouse in Albert Lea.

10:45 - 11:45 a.m. Meet with Minnesota Extension Service representatives and university regent Charles Casey at Albert Lea Inn.

Noon - 1:30 p.m. Hasselmo will deliver a talk on the university in the 1990s followed by a question-and-answer session at a public luncheon at the Albert Lea Inn. The event is sponsored by the Albert Lea Rotary Club. For ticket information call the Freeborn County Extension office at (507) 373-1475.

1:30 - 1:45 p.m. Meet with local media at the Albert Lea Inn.

1:45 - 2:45 p.m. Live radio interview on KATE AM 1450.

2:45 - 3:45 p.m. Minnesota Extension Service test plot presentation in Hayward, Minn. For more information call Pat Stumme, Freeborn County Extension director at (507) 373-1475.

3:45 p.m. Depart for Twin Cities.

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ROY BROOKS, MARY LOUISE FELLOWS AND MICHAEL TONRY NAMED TO U OF M LAW SCHOOL FACULTY

Three nationally known legal scholars -- Roy L. Brooks, Mary Louise Fellows and Michael H. Tonry -- have joined the University of Minnesota Law School faculty this fall.

□ Brooks, a University of San Diego School of Law professor since 1979, has been appointed a tenured professor. A nationally recognized civil rights scholar of color, Brooks has made significant contributions to the debate about the status of racial minorities in America. A 1975 Yale Law School graduate, Brooks was an editor of the Yale Law Journal. After law school he served as a judicial clerk on the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania before joining the Wall Street law firm Cravath, Swaine & Moore.

□ Fellows, a University of Iowa law professor, has been named the Everett Fraser Professor of Law. She is the first woman to hold a permanent appointment to an endowed chair at the university. Fellows is an expert in the area of trusts and estates. She graduated magna cum laude from the University of Michigan Law School, where she was managing editor of the law review and a member of the Order of the Coif. She has held academic positions in the law schools of Illinois, Michigan, Columbia, Iowa and Harvard universities. She is a member of the American Law Institute and the executive committee of the Association of American Law Schools.

□ Tonry, an internationally known criminologist, has been appointed the Marvin J. Sonosky Professor of Law and Public Policy. A graduate of Yale Law School, Tonry has held academic posts in the law schools of Chicago, Birmingham (U.K.) and Maryland universities and has practiced as a commercial lawyer for major law firms in Chicago and Philadelphia. In 1983 he created the Castine Research Corp., which, among other projects, conducts the Program on Human Development and Criminal Behavior, an interdisciplinary program of research on the causes and prevention of crime, antisocial behavior and conduct disorders. He also co-founded and edits *Crime and Justice -- A Review of Research*, a leading international scholarly journal.

"The addition of these three pre-eminent scholars and teachers is an important development for the Law School," said Law School Dean Robert A. Stein. "Their work will add to the outstanding reputation for excellence the Law School enjoys throughout the country."

The professorships were made possible by private contributions and matching grants from the university's Permanent University Fund.

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FORMER U OF M WASECA CHANCELLOR NAMED U OF M HUMPHREY INSTITUTE SENIOR FELLOW

Edward C. Frederick, former chancellor of the University of Minnesota, Waseca, has been appointed a senior fellow at the university's Hubert H. Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs.

During his appointment, which will extend from Sept. 16 to June 30, Frederick will promote community economic development activities and business ventures between the university and the private sector. He will also study the university's role in rural economic development.

Before his resignation in March, Frederick had been the Waseca campus's chief administrative officer since program planning began in 1969. He was an animal scientist and instructor at the Northwest School and Experiment Station in Crookston from 1958 to 1964 and is a recipient of the National Association of Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture's (NACTA) Distinguished Educator Award.

Frederick is past president of NACTA and the Minnesota Association of Community and Junior Colleges, past director of the Minnesota Association of Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture and past chair of the Minnesota Council for Coordinating Education in Agriculture. He is a member of the American Dairy Association, American Society of Animal Production, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Rotary Club, Toastmasters and Knights of Columbus.

Frederick received his bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees from the University of Minnesota. He is married and lives in Waseca.

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PHILIP FRICKEY NAMED U OF M JULIUS DAVIS LAW PROFESSOR

Philip P. Frickey has been named the University of Minnesota Law School's 1990-91 Julius E. Davis professor of law.

Frickey, a member of the Law School faculty since 1983, teaches in the area of American Indian law, civil rights, constitutional law and legislation. A University of Michigan Law School graduate, Frickey is co-author of a book on legislation and forthcoming books on law and public choice and on constitutional law, as well as numerous law review articles.

The Julius E. Davis Chair in Law, the Law School's first endowed chair, was established in 1981 by the family, friends and law firm of the late Julius E. Davis, a 1936 Law School graduate. The chair rotates annually among faculty members in recognition of excellence in teaching and scholarship.

"Professor Frickey's selection to occupy the Davis chair is in recognition of the excellence of his teaching and scholarship," said Law School Dean Robert A. Stein. "He is one of the leading legal scholars in the area of public law in the country and we are proud he is a member of the faculty of the Law School. His appointment continues the high standards of excellence established by previous Law School faculty who have held the chair."

In recognition of his selection to the Davis Chair, Frickey was honored at a reception hosted by Mrs. Julius E. Davis and Stein. Guest included member of the university Board of Regents, university administration, Law School faculty and leaders in the law community.

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BARRY FELD TO DELIVER U OF M CENTENNIAL PROFESSOR OF LAW INAUGURAL LECTURE MONDAY (SEPT. 24)

Barry C. Feld, a University of Minnesota Law School professor and nationally known criminal law and juvenile justice scholar, will deliver his Centennial Professor of Law inaugural lecture, "The Transformation of the Juvenile Court," at 3:30 p.m. Monday (Sept. 24) in the Law Center, 229 19th Ave. S., on the west bank of the Minneapolis campus.

A member of the Law School's faculty since 1972, Feld has been a visiting scholar at the U.S. Department of Justice's National Center for Juvenile Justice and a reporter for the American Bar Association - Institute of Judicial Administration Juvenile Justice Standards Project. He's served on the Minnesota Department of Corrections Special Committee on Serious Juvenile Offenders, the Hennepin County Juvenile Justice Task Force and the Minnesota Supreme Court's Advisory Committee on Legal Representation of Juveniles.

Feld is a member of the American Law Institute, the American Sociology Association, the American Society of Criminology and the National District Attorneys Association Juvenile Justice Advisory Committee. He is a director and secretary/treasurer of the university's Cooperative Learning Center and author of numerous books and articles on criminal law and juvenile justice.

The professorship was been made possible by contributions from leaders among the Law School alumni during the 1986-89 Endowment for Excellence Campaign.

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U OF M JOINS *NeXT* COMPUTER NETWORK

The University of Minnesota has entered a partnership with NeXT Inc. of Redwood City, Calif., to develop teaching software on the NeXT computer platform. NeXT was founded by Steven Jobs, a founder of Apple Computers.

The project, called MinNeXT, will allow faculty access to about 50 new machines to develop software for teaching in their disciplines. About 15 of the machines will be placed in public laboratories around campus as part of a network, said project director Shih-Pau Yen.

"We believe that higher education computing in the '90s will use networks of desktop systems for research, information sharing and education," said Mark McCahill, manager of the Microcomputer and Workstation Networks Center and project coordinator. "MinNeXT will allow groups of desktop computer users to more effectively collaborate to realize their academic goals."

Yen said he plans to invite faculty to apply for access to MinNeXT in about two weeks.

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U OF M MONDALE POLICY FORUM INAUGURAL CONFERENCE TO BE HELD SEPT. 27 & 28

Changes in the Soviet Union and implications for the United States are the topics of the first conference of the Mondale Policy Forum Thursday and Friday (Sept. 27 and 28) at the University of Minnesota's Humphrey Institute, 301 19th Ave. S., on the west bank of the Minneapolis campus.

The conference, "Old Antagonists, New Allies?: Changing U.S./Soviet Relations," will feature discussion on recent Soviet reforms with such national and international leaders as Sen. Sam Nunn, chair of the U.S. Senate Armed Services Committee; Sergei Stankevich, deputy chair of the Moscow City Council, and Walter F. Mondale, former U.S. vice president and Humphrey Institute fellow.

Other speakers will include William Hyland, editor of *Foreign Affairs*; Robert Legvold, director of Columbia University's W. Averell Harriman Institute for Advanced Study of the Soviet Union; Marshall Goldman, Wellesley College economics professor and associate director of Harvard University's Russian Research Center; Gail Lapidus, chair of University of California at Berkeley's Center for Slavic and East European Studies; Seweryn Bialer, Columbia University international relations professor and director of its Research Institute on International Change.

Mondale and the Humphrey Institute established the Mondale Policy Forum to promote informed discussion of major public policy issues, both domestic and international. "The Mondale Policy Forum is an effort to improve the quality of our public dialogue about many of the major domestic and international challenges that confront us," said Mondale. "By bringing together top leaders and thinkers from around the world, I hope we might be able to inform and advance public understanding of these important issues."

For registration information call Janna Wallin Haug by Sept. 25 at (612) 625-0576.

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U OF M HOSTS MISSISSIPPI RIVER / FOURTH COAST EXPEDITION EXHIBIT

Artwork and artifacts from the University of Minnesota College of Architecture and Landscape Architecture's Mississippi River Expedition will be on public display Oct. 14 through Oct. 21 in the Architecture Courtyard, 89 Church St. S.E., Minneapolis.

"Expedition Report from the Fourth Coast: A Mississippi River Exhibit" will feature the artwork and discoveries of 16 architecture and landscape architecture students, faculty and staff of the university's Design Center for the American Urban Landscape, who participated in a 2,300 mile, six-week journey up the Mississippi River this summer. The exhibit will feature drawings, photographs, color slides, videotapes, journals, maps and assorted artifacts.

A reception with a discussion by the expedition's leader Bill Morrish and art instructor Michael Mercil will take place from 4 to 7 p.m. on opening day. Exhibition hours are Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday noon to 5 p.m.

Funding for the exhibition was provided by the Dayton Hudson Foundation on behalf of Dayton's and Target Stores and the National Endowment for the Arts.

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U OF MINNESOTA REGENTS MEET THURSDAY, FRIDAY (OCT. 11 AND 12) IN ROCHESTER

- OPEN FORUM - 10 A.M. THURSDAY
- PRE-SPEECH MEDIA BRIEFING -- 5 P.M. THURSDAY
- PRESIDENT HASSELMO'S HIGHER EDUCATION SPEECH -- 8 P.M. THURSDAY
- BIENNIAL LEGISLATIVE REQUEST - FRIDAY

University of Minnesota President Nils Hasselmo will examine "The Silent Crisis in Minnesota's Higher Education" in an 8 p.m. speech Thursday (Oct. 11) at the Kahler Hotel in Rochester. News people are welcome to cover the speech, which will follow a 6 p.m. invitation-only social hour and dinner. Copies of the speech, which will outline Hasselmo's objectives for the university in the '90s, will be available at a 5 p.m. media briefing Thursday in the Salon Room of the Kahler Plaza. At the briefing, Hasselmo and regents chair Charles Casey will discuss problems in Minnesota education and will answer questions.

The university Board of Regents monthly meetings will be at the Rochester Continuing Education Center and the Rochester Community College Thursday and Friday.

Thursday morning, regents will host an open forum, during which the public will address the board on a range of university-related issues.

The board will vote on the university administration's Biennial Request Friday (Oct. 12). Last month university administration proposed a resolution on shared responsibility for debt service as required by the 1990 Legislature. The resolution calls for funding sources to be identified for the debt service and for operating costs of each building project at the university.

The university is not requesting new funding as part of its biennial request. Instead, Hasselmo will present the university's objectives in the coming decades and the university administration's plans for a 2 percent across-the-board reallocation to shift resources to underfunded academic units.

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Here's the meeting schedule:

Thursday, Oct. 11

-- 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Meeting between Marvalene Hughes, university vice president for student affairs and southeastern Minnesota school board members, superintendents, administrators and counselor. Rochester Schools Administration Building. The university's admission policies, preparation requirements, financial aid and related issues will be discussed.

-- 10 a.m. Committee of the whole open forum, Coffman Education Center, Rochester Community College. Those wishing to address the board are to contact the Regents' Office, 220 Morrill Hall, Minneapolis, MN 55455, (612) 625-6300.

-- 11 a.m. Tour of the Rochester Center project site.

-- 11:30 a.m. Lunch at the Coffman Education Center. Regents will present an overview of the Rochester Center Project.

-- 2 p.m. Committee of the whole, Rochester Continuing Education Center. University programs in Southeast Minnesota discussion; senior vice presidents' monthly reports.

-- 6 p.m. Social hour and dinner with Rochester community, Kahler Hotel. Hasselmo's talk on the university's objectives in the coming decade.

Friday, Oct. 12

-- 8:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, Rochester Continuing Education Center. Biennial request to the Minnesota Legislature vote; a report on the looming faculty shortage; and the university's priority for Rochester in the 1990s.

Regular monthly meeting of the Board of Regents will follow.

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'TAMING OF SHREW,' 'WAITING FOR GODOT' AT U OF M THEATER

The University of Minnesota Theater will present Shakespeare's *The Taming of the Shrew* and Samuel Beckett's *Waiting for Godot* in repertory Nov. 2 through Dec. 2.

Shrew, one of Shakespeare's most popular comedies, will be directed by theater arts professor H. Wesley Balk. *Godot*, the story of two men who have tramped around together for 50 years in an endless wait for the shadowy Godot, will be directed by Erin Mee from the Guthrie Theater of Minneapolis.

Shrew will be presented in the Thrust Theater of Rarig Center, 330 21st Ave. S., Minneapolis. Performances are at 3 p.m. Sunday and 8 p.m. Thursday through Saturday on Nov. 2, 3, 4, 10, 15, and 17. *Godot* will be presented in the Arena Theater of Rarig on the same day and time schedule Nov. 9, 11, 16, 18, 24, 25, 29 and 30 and Dec. 1 and 2. Tickets are \$7, with discounts for students, seniors, University of Minnesota faculty and staff, and season ticket holders. For ticket information call (612) 625-4001.

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ETHICS CENTERS RECEIVE LARGEST FEDERAL BIOETHICS GRANT

The University of Minnesota Center for Biomedical Ethics and the University of Pittsburgh Center for Medical Ethics have received a three-year, \$1.6 million grant from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to study organ and tissue donation. The grant, to be administered by the Agency for Health Care Policy Research, is the largest government grant ever made in the field of bioethics.

Legislation in 42 states and the federal government requires hospitals to ensure that family members or guardians are presented with the option of organ and tissue donation when a death occurs in a hospital, but little is known about the implementation of these laws. Moreover, little is known about the actual number of persons medically eligible for donation who die each year in American hospitals. The study's findings are expected to play a major role in the development of public policy on identification of organ and tissue donors and the development of strategies for increasing the supply of organs and tissues available for transplantation and research.

Goals of the joint project include: a determination of how many eligible donors die in 10 randomly selected hospitals in the Twin Cities and Pittsburgh; assessment of compliance with laws and regulations concerning organ and tissue procurement; identification and assessment of factors affecting the success of requests to family members or guardians for donations; and recommendations to enhance compliance with laws and regulations and to boost success in making requests.

The project is the first large-scale collaborative academic bioethics research effort. Primary investigators are Laura Siminoff and Robert Arnold of the University of Pittsburgh, and Arthur Caplan and Beth Virnig of the University of Minnesota. Victoria Butterworth of the University of Pittsburgh is the project coordinator. A preliminary report concerning the study's findings will be available in June 1992; final results will be ready in June 1993.

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TED MANN, RHONDA FLEMING TO ATTEND U OF M CONCERT HALL GROUNDBREAKING

Actress Rhonda Fleming and her husband, Ted Mann, will attend groundbreaking ceremonies for the University of Minnesota's Ted Mann Concert Hall at 10 a.m. Wednesday (Nov. 7) next to Ferguson Hall, 2106 4th St. S., Minneapolis.

Mann, chair of Mann Theaters of California, is a theater builder whose \$2 million gift to the university in February 1989 helped it secure funding in the 1990 legislative bonding bill. The bill provided \$6.7 million and required a mixture of university and private funding for a total construction cost of \$11.1 million.

The three-level hall will provided 1,250 seats, with two balconies and side gallery seating on all levels, and will include improved rehearsal and support space. Architects are Hammel, Green and Abrahamson of Minneapolis, and Artec Consultants of New York, known for its work on the recently completed Dallas Symphony Hall, will be acoustic consultants.

The performance hall will be a necessary "laboratory" for completion of coursework for all music majors and minors. It will also provide free educational programs for the community and attract national and regional educational music conventions and professional meetings.

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U OF M REGENTS MEET THURSDAY, FRIDAY (NOV. 8 AND 9)

- REVIEW OF PROGRESS TOWARD AFFIRMATIVE ACTION GOALS-THURSDAY
- REPORT ON COMPENSATION LEVELS FOR FEMALE STAFF-FRIDAY
- REVISION OF MISSION STATEMENT-FRIDAY
- UNIVERSITY LIBERAL EDUCATION ISSUES FOR THE 1990s-FRIDAY

The University of Minnesota Board of Regents will hold its monthly meeting Thursday and Friday (Nov. 8 and 9) in **238 Morrill Hall on the Minneapolis campus**. University officials will update regents on the search process used to meet affirmative action goals.

Also, the university's mission statement -- last updated in 1980 -- will be discussed. The statement is designed to help describe the university's responsibilities. Further discussion of the mission statement will take place within the university before a final revision is made.

A task force will report to regents on progress made in defining liberal education issues for the 1990s. Undergraduate curriculum and the delivery of teaching are being looked at specifically.

A report on compensation levels for female staff at the university will be presented. Salaries for women have been 6 percent below the average salary of men employed at the university, according to President Nils Hasselmo. But the inequities have been eliminated.

Here's a sample of agenda items:

Thursday, Nov. 8

--7:30 a.m. Audit committee, 300 Morrill Hall.

--9:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill Hall. Non-public meeting on matters in litigation.

--10:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill Hall. Routine reports.

--1 p.m. Educational planning and policy committee (300 Morrill) and finance and legislative committee (238 Morrill) meet. After the 1 o'clock committees adjourn, the following committees meet: faculty, staff and student affairs committee (300 Morrill) and physical planning and operations committee (238 Morrill).

Friday, Nov. 9

-- 8:30 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill Hall. Discussion of mission statement and progress report on liberal education issues for the 1990s. Also a report on compensation for female employees.

Regular monthly meeting of the Board of Regents follows committee of the whole meeting.

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MARK LUKER NAMED U OF M ACTING ASSOCIATE VICE PRESIDENT FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

Mark Luker, assistant vice chancellor for academic administration and chief information officer at the University of Minnesota, Duluth, has been named acting associate vice president for academic affairs at the University of Minnesota.

Luker will have responsibility for all academic computing and information systems, including the university's microcomputer labs and campus computing network. He will also play a leadership role in establishing plans and policies to support instructional telecommunications and electronic access by students, staff and faculty of all five campuses.

Luker received a bachelor's degree in mathematics from the University of Minnesota, and a doctorate from the University of California at Berkeley. He held several positions on the Duluth campus, including professor and department head of computer science, acting dean of the College of Science and Engineering and director of information services.

"Mark Luker comes to this position with the competencies necessary to successfully move the university into a new era of computing and information systems coordination and management," said Leonard Kuhi, the university senior vice president and provost. "I am confident that we will benefit significantly from his leadership at this critical time."

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NOBUYA TSUCHIDA NAMED COORDINATOR OF OF U OF M'S OFFICE OF MINORITY AND SPECIAL STUDENT AFFAIRS

Nobuya Tsuchida has been named the coordinator of the University of Minnesota's Office of Minority and Special Student Affairs (OMSSA). Tsuchida has served as OMSSA's acting director for the past two years.

OMSSA provides academic advising, tutoring and counseling for 2,000 students of color qualifying for OMSSA services. The office runs a seven-week Summer Institute designed to help incoming freshmen and lower-division students of color develop academic skills necessary to make satisfactory progress at the university. Tsuchida will also be responsible for the supervision of the university's four ethnic Learning Resource Centers.

Tsuchida received a bachelor's degree from International Christian University, Tokyo; master's and doctoral degrees from the University of California, Los Angeles; and a law degree from the William Mitchell College of Law. He was director of the Asian/Pacific Learning Resource Center at the University of Minnesota from 1979 to 1988.

"Tsuchida's record of commitment to higher education speaks for itself," said Dennis Cabral, who oversees OMSSA's programs as the university's acting associate provost and associate vice president for academic affairs. "He has a well-rounded set of educational credentials, and his interest in promoting diversity is clearly evident in his record of performance both within the university and in the community at large."

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STUDENTS AND MEN'S ATHLETICS SPONSOR FOOD SHELF DRIVE AT U OF M FOOTBALL GAME NOV. 24

The University of Minnesota men's athletics department will join the Minnesota Student Association in a food shelf drive at the Minnesota vs. Iowa football game Saturday (Nov. 24) at the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome in Minneapolis.

Student volunteers will be stationed at barrels located at each Metrodome entrance. Non-perishable food and cash donations are welcome.

The food drive will benefit the Emergency Food Shelf Network, a United Way agency that benefits 26 Hennepin County food shelves. This year the agency aims to distribute more than 4 million pounds of food to approximately 120,000 needy people, two-thirds of whom are children. Ninety percent of the network's budget comes from individual and corporate donations.

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GILLMOR NAMED U OF M SILHA PROFESSOR

Donald M. Gillmor, professor at the University of Minnesota since 1965, is the first Silha Professor of Media Ethics and Law in the School of Journalism and Mass Communication. The Silha Professorship is funded by a gift from Otto and Helen Silha with a matching grant from the Permanent University Fund.

"It is most appropriate that Don Gillmor is the first Silha Professor," said Craig Swan, acting dean of the university's College of Liberal Arts. "He has made a significant impact through his writings and his influence on students. His commitment to media law and ethics will set a standard for future holders of the position."

School of Journalism and Mass Communication Director Dan Wackman said, "Don Gillmor's writings shaped the major contours of mass communication law. His appointment is fitting because of the preeminent position he occupies in his field."

Twice awarded the Minnesota Press Club's Distinguished Teaching Award, Gillmor encourages his students to examine problems in journalism and mass communication. His many books and publications include *Mass Communication Law: Cases and Comment*, now in its fifth edition; *Media Freedom and Accountability*; *Enduring Issues in Mass Communication*; and *Free Press and Fair Trial*. He has directed the university's Silha Center for the Study of Media Ethics since 1984.

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TWO ELECTED TO UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA FOUNDATION BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Diana E. Murphy and Josie Robinson Johnson have been elected to the University of Minnesota Foundation Board of Trustees, which oversees the university's private fund-raising efforts.

Murphy, a U.S. district judge, is a magna cum laude graduate of the University of Minnesota Law School and past president of the Minnesota Alumni Association. She is a regent of St. John's University, chair of the American Judicature Society and president of the Federal Judges Association. Murphy also is a director of the American Bar Association, Bush Foundation, Minnesota Science Museum, Twin Cities Public Television and Minneapolis United Way.

Johnson, a senior fellow in the University of Minnesota department of educational policy and administration, has been a University of Minnesota regent, chair of the U.S. League of Women Voters, director of the Urban Coalition of Minneapolis, commissioner of the Carnegie Corporation and vice chair of the Urban League of Colorado. She was executive assistant to the lieutenant governor of Colorado, deputy campaign manager for the 1980 Carter/Mondale presidential campaign in Tennessee and a community organizer with Project ENABLE and the Minneapolis Urban League.

Other board appointments are:

- Marvin Borman, a senior partner in the law firm of Maslon, Edelman, Borman & Brand, was elected to chair the foundation's board. He succeeds Russell M. Bennett, Minneapolis attorney with Gray, Plant, Mooty & Bennett, who served as board president from 1985 to 1988 and chair from 1988 to 1990.
- Duane R. Kullberg, a former managing partner and chief executive officer of Arthur Andersen & Co. and recipient of the university's 1990 Outstanding Achievement Award, was elected to the newly created position of vice chair.

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• James R. Campbell, president and chief executive officer of Norwest Bank Minnesota, was elected treasurer, and Luella G. Goldberg, a member of numerous boards of directors, continues as secretary.

Retiring trustees are Sandra K. Butler and Sages F. Cowles, who served on the board for six and three years, respectively. The foundation's professional staff is led by Gerald B. Fischer, president and chief executive officer.

The University of Minnesota ranked second in private support among public higher education institutions in the United States, according to 1988-89 figures released by the Council for Aid to Education. Total giving of \$100.2 million ranked the university 10th among all colleges and universities. Stanford University has ranked first among public and private institutions since 1985, and the University of Wisconsin-Madison ranked first among public institutions, reporting \$102.2 million.

The University of Minnesota Foundation is a non-profit corporation formed in 1962 to encourage private support for the university. Gifts from individuals, foundations and corporations are used to maintain and improve the university's teaching, research and public service in areas for which other funds are not available.

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GAMBLING IN MINNESOTA TOPIC OF U OF M CONFERENCE

Minnesota's policies on horse race betting, the lottery, off-track betting and other issues of lawful gambling are the topics of a conference beginning at 8:30 a.m. Friday (Dec. 14) in the University of Minnesota Humphrey Center's Cowles Auditorium. Minnesota Gaming Commissioner Tony Bouza is expected to release a report on the state's gambling industry at the conference.

The conference, "Gambling in Minnesota: An Issue for Policy Makers," will feature the following speakers and panelists: William Eadington, director of the University of Nevada's Institute for the Study of Gambling and Commercial Gaming; Leonard Prescott, chair, Shakopee-Mdewankanton Sioux Community, Minnesota; Betty George, executive director, Minnesota Council on Compulsive Gambling; George Andersen, director, Minnesota State Lottery; John Brandl, professor, Humphrey Institute; Michael Shagan, vice president of development, Ladbroke Racing Corp., New York; Eugene Christiansen, industry consultant, New York; Henry LeSieur, researcher, St. John's University, New York; Ralph Strangis, chair, Minnesota Racing Commission, and chair of the Association of Racing Commissions International's Sports Betting Committee; Jim Klobuchar, Star Tribune columnist; and Robert Franklin, Star Tribune reporter.

The conference is sponsored by the Humphrey Institute and the Minnesota Department of Gaming. Advanced registration is \$40; \$50 at the door. For information call Yvonne Cheek, (612) 625-1326, or Patricia O'Bryan at (612) 639-4091.

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DALE OLSETH RECEIVES U OF M REGENTS' AWARD

Dale Olseth, president and chief executive officer of Bio-Metric Systems, has received the University of Minnesota Regents' Award for his volunteerism and philanthropic contribution to the growth and development of the university.

During his 15 years on the University of Minnesota Foundation's Board of Trustees, Olseth served as treasurer, president and chair. As chair from 1985 to 1988, he oversaw the Minnesota Campaign, which raised \$365 million in private gifts for the university.

Olseth is a member of the board of directors of Lee Data Corp. and the Toro Co. and a former director for Norwest Corp. and Graco Inc. He is a member of the Minnesota Business Partnership and the Minneapolis-based Venture Economic Development Corp. He is a former president and chief executive officer of Medtronic Inc. and Tonka Corp., and former director and vice president of Dain, Kalman, and Quail (now Minneapolis-based Dain Bosworth, Inc.).

Olseth received a bachelor's degree from the university in 1952 and a master's degree in business from the Amos Tuck School of Business Administration at Dartmouth College in 1956. Olseth and his wife, Nancy, a graduate of the university's College of Education, are members of the Minnesota Alumni Association and the University Presidents Club and Trustees Society.

The Board of Regents, the university's 12-member governing body, has awarded 32 Regents' Awards since the program was established in 1957.

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U OF M PHYSICIAN TO RECEIVE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF NEPHROLOGY AWARD

Dr. Louis Tobian, professor of medicine at the University of Minnesota, has been named co-recipient of the John P. Peters Award, the highest award of the American Society of Nephrology.

The award, to be given to Tobian Monday (Dec. 3) in Washington, D.C., recognizes his contributions to research on the role of the kidney in the genesis of high blood pressure.

Tobian, a Texas native who has been on the university faculty since 1954, is well known for his many pioneering research achievements, including his discovery of excessive amounts of sodium and water in the arterial walls of hypertensive people. More recently, he has received attention for studies indicating that potassium not only lowers blood pressure but reduces arterial injury. He was a member of the committee that prepared the 1989 Surgeon General's Report on Diet and Health, which remains the most comprehensive compilation of scientific data in the field.

Tobian also has received the International Society of Hypertension's Volhard Award, the American Heart Association's Ciba Award and the Karger Memorial Foundation Prize for his work in hypertension.

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U OF M REGENTS MEET THURSDAY, FRIDAY (DEC. 13 AND 14)

- GOVERNOR-ELECT CARLSON VISITS-FRIDAY
- REPORT ON MINORITY AFFAIRS AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION-THURSDAY
- LRT AND TRANSIT ISSUES-THURSDAY
- RECOMMENDATION FOR TC STEAM SYSTEM-FRIDAY

The monthly meetings of the University of Minnesota Board of Regents will be highlighted by an address Friday by Gov.-elect Arne Carlson and a discussion of a new steam system for the Twin Cities campus. The meetings will be held Thursday and Friday (Dec. 13 and 14) in **238 Morrill Hall on the Minneapolis campus.**

Carlson is scheduled to address the board at Friday's committee of the whole meeting, starting at 8:30 a.m.

Alternatives for steam service for the Twin Cities campus also will be discussed at the 8:30 a.m. meeting Friday. An internal university committee has recommended that the university negotiate a 25-year contract with Minnegasco. A major advantage of the proposal is environmental; the university's aging coal-fired plant would be replaced with a facility to burn much cleaner natural gas and fuel oil. Three other proposals were submitted. Regent action on the issue is expected in February.

In committee activity, the equal opportunity and affirmative action committee will provide an update on minority affairs. Regents also will be updated by the committee reviewing intercollegiate athletics.

Also, a report on the federal Drug-Free Campus and Workplace Compliance Act will be discussed.

Here's a sample of agenda items:

Thursday, Dec. 13

--9 a.m. Committee of the whole, 238 Morrill Hall. Reports on minority affairs and intercollegiate athletics.

--1 p.m. Educational planning and policy committee (300 Morrill) and finance and legislative committee (238 Morrill). After the 1 o'clock committees adjourn, the following committees meet: faculty, staff and student affairs committee (300 Morrill) and physical planning and operations committee (238 Morrill).

Friday, Dec. 14

-- 8:30 a.m. committee of the whole, 238 Morrill Hall. Arne Carlson's visit and recommendations on a steam system contract for the Twin Cities campus.

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UPPER MIDWEST'S TRADE ACTIVITY SUBJECT OF U OF M STUDY

Over the past three decades, the Upper Midwest has experienced a growth in its service and manufacturing sectors and a decline in the number of retail businesses, according to a study by the University of Minnesota's Center for Urban and Regional Affairs (CURA).

The study analyzed 29 years of business development in nearly 4,000 trade centers in Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota, Nebraska and Montana, ranging in size from major metropolitan areas to hamlets. The study found that since 1960 the region has shown dramatic growth in the service sector, a significant decline in the number of retail establishments and a substantial rise in the number of manufacturing establishments.

The study also showed that:

- Fewer than 10 percent of the towns and cities in the Upper Midwest have changed their relative commercial importance since 1960.
- Metropolitan areas and regional centers have increased their share of business activity in nearly all industry categories.
- Larger trade centers saw an increase in consolidation of retail establishments toward larger, one-stop shopping centers.
- Smaller communities have shifted from general stores to specialty stores.
- The trade center hierarchy as a whole has shifted -- hamlets and small towns occupy a less important position in the regional economic system than they did a generation ago. Metropolitan areas and primary and secondary regional centers play a far more dominant role than they did three decades ago.
- The population continues to shift from rural to urban areas, resulting in more redistribution than increase in population.

For more information on the report call Tom Anding, the study's principal investigator and CURA's associate director, at (612) 625-1551.

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