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# CLA HONORS DIVISION NEWS

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## W E L C O M E ( B A C K )

A hearty welcome to new students and a just-as-hearty welcome back to all the "oldtimers" in the Honors Division. For those of you new to CLA Honors Division, the Honors Division News appears monthly (except December) during the academic year. It contains a myriad of information about upcoming events, special academic opportunities, the activities of the Honors Student Association, scholarships, Honors Division courses, and future Honors plans. Also, there will be news of some of the many feathers in the hats of our honors students.

The section on the Honors Student Association (which will always begin on the top of page 3) is written by the students. All mistakes, grammatical errors, bad puns, and the like in the rest of the News must be attributed to the director of the Honors Division even though he will undoubtedly try to weasel out of them. You should hope that he will be relatively restrained when it comes to bad puns--a tendency for which he is often (and deservedly) maligned. Special recognition goes to GRETA BAUER for providing the drawings/cartoon characters found in the News.

This has been a busy summer for those of us in the Honors Division. To keep you up to date, you should know about the following developments.

### 1. Freshman-Sophomore Honors Program

The CLA Honors Committee and the CLA Deans have approved a proposal to recognize those who complete at least four honors opportunities in the freshman and sophomore years (first 90 credits) and who earn the grade of A in at least half of their credits. Beginning this fall, students who accomplish this will be deemed to have satisfactorily completed the Freshman-Sophomore Honors Program and will be presented with certificates of achievement. We also hope to have this indicated on their transcripts.

### 2. Honors Colloquia and Seminars for Distribution Credit

In the past no Honors Colloquium or Honors Seminar has counted for CLA distribution credit, even though some were exemplary introductions to the disciplines of the College. Not allowing such courses to count for distribution credit seemed to disadvantage students who took Honors courses. Happily, the CLA Curriculum Committee has agreed with this line of argument and has agreed to consider individual Honors Colloquia and Seminars for distribution credit. Even more happily, it approved four courses for distribution credit for this year. This quarter, Professor Belfiore's Honors Seminar (which is being taught through extension this fall) has been approved for Group D distribution credit. More on the other courses that have been approved for distribution credit will appear in later editions of the News.

### 3. Expanded 3CC's and IAS

This fall we have greatly expanded two programs for incoming Honors Division freshman--the Honors Colloquium "Introduction to the Arts and Sciences" (IAS) and 3CC's--Three Courses in Common. IAS introduces a group of 15 freshman to the arts and sciences through discussions led each week by

a faculty member from a different discipline or program within the College. In 3CC's students register for three courses along with 15 other Honors Division students, thus helping them to get to know others in their classes, helping them to make the transition from high school to college, and helping to build a sense of community among Honors students. Last year, 60 students participated in IAS and about 40 participated in 3CCs. This year, nearly 200 students will participate in either IAS or 3CC's; and most of them will be doing both! There are ten sections of IAS and ten different sets of 3CC's from which to choose.

4. Computerized File Review

While file review continues to be done on an individual basis, this summer we computerized the way in which we computed percentage of A's, credits completed, etc. The result was an enormous savings in tedious work and a significant savings of money.

5. Somewhat Spiffier Honors Division Offices

Carpeting has been installed in the Honors Division offices, and some new chairs are on order. These will clearly add to the comfort and aesthetics of the offices. Moreover, the College agreed to put air conditioning in 115 and 125 Johnston, thereby alleviating working conditions that bordered on (and arguably surpassed) the intolerable. The Honors Division staff is extremely grateful to Fred Lukermann, Craig Swan, Elaine May, and Mary Blomquist for helping us chill out.

**COMING HONORS DIVISION ATTRACTIONS**

**MEDTRONIC CORPORATE ROUNDTABLE.** The CLA Honors Division and the CLA Career Development Office will co-sponsor a Corporate Roundtable at Medtronic, Inc., the world's leading manufacturer of implantable medical devices. The Roundtable will take place on Wednesday, October 19, from noon to 4:30 and will be especially appropriate for students in the biological sciences or who have a strong interest in bio-medical technology. Participation is limited to 25 students. Sign up on the Corporate Roundtable clipboard in 115 Johnston; information about Medtronic will be available when you sign up.

**FALL QUARTER THESIS WORKSHOPS.** Starting to think about your honors thesis, but not sure where to begin? In the midst of it, but need an outside perspective? Come to the Honors Thesis Workshop for an overview of the process, information about thesis grants, and the opportunity to meet others working on their theses. Two workshops will be held in early October: Wednesday, October 5, from 9:15-10:30 a.m. and Thursday, October 6, from 1:15-2:30 p.m. If you plan to attend, please sign up on the clipboard in 115 Johnston.

**THEATRE PARTY.** CLA Honors welcomes honors students and their friends to sign up for our first theatre party of the 1988-1989 academic year. We will be attending Theatre de la Jeune Lune's production of Ubu for President at 8 p.m. Thursday, October 13. Tickets are \$6.00; you can sign up and pay for your ticket in 115 Johnston (deadline: October 7). We will then meet at the theatre (8th floor, Hennepin Center for the Arts, 6th and Hennepin, downtown Minneapolis) between 7:15 and 7:30 on October 13 to distribute the tickets (the seating is not reserved).

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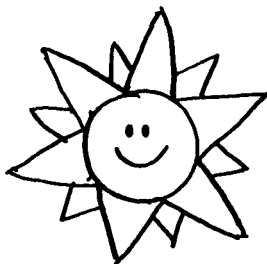
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Dear Honors Student:

Welcome to the start of another great year! This is the second year for the new Honors Student Association and things are off to a rolling start. At this point, there is something you should know. These events are for you. You don't have to have attended any meetings. Don't worry about not knowing anyone; it is easy to meet some wonderful people. So grab a friend or come alone. Just don't miss an opportunity to have a great time. Hope to see you around this fall!

Greta Bauer, President  
Honors Student Association



**HONORS STUDENT ASSOCIATION GENERAL MEETING.** It's the first meeting of the year and we would like to see you there! Need we say more? Actually, yes! It's on Monday, October 10 at 3:30 in Room 320 Coffman Union. You can buy HSA T-shirts after the meeting.

**SECOND ANNUAL PIZZA FEST.** Pizza, pop, cool tunes, fascinating people and interesting conversation! Here's your chance. You'll need to RSVP for this one in the Honors office, 115 Johnston, and contribute \$2.00 (cheap!) toward pizza and pop. But don't worry; it's well worth it!!! Monday, October 10 at 5:00 in rooms 325-326-327 Coffman Union (following the general meeting).

**AUTUMN ANTICS.** Here's your chance to take it easy after three weeks of classes. Join in on a Saturday afternoon of frisbee, volleyball and miscellaneous fun activities! Refreshments will be on hand. Just show up (no RSVP required). It's on October 15 from 2:00-5:00 at the Riverflats (the park located on the east bank between East River Road and the river; it's behind Coffman and Comstock).

**GET YOUR HSA T-SHIRT.** These wonderful T-shirts are available in fashionable turquoise or versatile white 100% cotton. They feature the HSA logo, and the \$6.50 price goes toward more HSA events and programs. They will be on sale before and after the General Meeting on October 10 at 3:30 in room 320 Coffman Memorial Union.



**GOING INSANE.** Yes, Honors students do know how to really have fun! This is the big event of the season, a dance so out of control you'll think you've flipped! WLOL will be there, as well as a lot of Honors people who are ready to have a great time. It's Friday, October 21 at 7:00 in the gym at the Armory. (The Armory is by Bell Auditorium and the Civil and Mineral Engineering Building. Once you get there, we'll have signs posted. You should be able to hear it!) Admission is \$3.00 and includes pop for thirsty dancers. Grab a friend and we'll see you there!! [Will we see Dr. Godow boogeying?]

*LET LOOSE!*

*... Boogie to the Beat ...*

*FLIP OUT!*

**SECOND HSA GENERAL MEETING.** Mark this date on your calendar! The second General Meeting is on Monday, November 7, at 3:30 in 320 Coffman Union.

**HSA OFFICERS FOR 1988-1989**

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| Greta Bauer     | President                         |
| Cathy Lakota    | Vice President                    |
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**OTHER COMING ATTRACTIONS**

**LAW CAREER DAY.** Students interested in a law career should consider attending the Midwest Association of Pre-Law Advisor's Law School Caravan (MAPLA) to be held Thursday, October 20 from 11:00- 3:00 in the Grand Ballroom of Coffman Memorial Union. Representatives from over 100 law schools will be in attendance to answer your questions.

Thinking about medicine? Then you may want to attend a panel discussion on **MINNESOTA MEDICAL SCHOOLS** to be attended by representatives from each of the State's three med schools. It will be held in Tuesday, October 18, from 4:00 until 6:30 in Moos Tower 2-530.

If you are interested in learning more about the Carlson School of Management, there are three information sessions on Wednesdays this month: On October 12, (3:00-4:30, 250 Blegen) information about programs in accounting, finance, insurance, actuarial science, and operations management; on October 19 (again, 3:00-4:30, 250 Blegen), information about marketing, banking, entrepreneurship, and logistics management; and on October 26, information about individually designed and international study opportunities.

The CLA pre-major advising office is sponsoring programs in October concerning exploring the liberal arts and about career planning. They are also offering programs about pre-biology, the health sciences, pre-management, pre-education, pre-agriculture, pre-engineering, pre-home economics, and pre-forestry. The number of programs precludes our listing them all, but the schedule is available in the Honors Division office in 115 Johnston. Also watch the Minnesota Daily (especially on Mondays) for further information.

Honors students interested in joining Minnesota's Psi Chi chapter of the National Psychology Honorary should contact Ruth Thomson at 331-7907 or attend an information/Pizza Party on October 19. The meeting will be held in room N639 Elliot Hall (Conference Room) and will begin at 6:30.

The CLA Honors Division includes a significant number of "students older than average" (SOTAs in University jargon and defined as anyone over 25). Some of you SOTAs have expressed an interest in meeting each other and forming an organizational support group/whatever. To facilitate this, we'd like interested students to stop by the Honors office and sign up on the SOTA clipboard; we will try to set up a get acquainted meeting.

### HONORIFICS

Each year the College of Liberal Arts presents the Allan T. H. Bluhm Award to "a member of the junior class who has shown exceptional leadership and service [and] who has earned funds towards his or her education." The 1988 winner is Maria Carlson, an English and Biology major and an Honors Division Peer Advisor. As winner of the Bluhm award, Maria receives a stipend, plus a special trophy.

We are pleased to announce the winners of a variety of scholarships through the CLA Honors Division office:

**SELMER BIRKELO SCHOLARSHIP:** Karen Bispala, Jill Braithwaite, Maria Carlson, Elizabeth Cumming, Jennifer Delton, Joan DeWitt, Susan Goette, Caroline Mrozla, Michael Murad, Craig Peterson, Lynn Santelmann, Martha Teefy, Lily Vakili, Kip Wennerlund, Scott Wilson.

**ELSIE LAMPERT FESLER SCHOLARSHIP:** Full tuition: Melissa Lord, Jilly Huang-Lin Lai. Partial scholarship: Paul Maki.

**AARON AND HANNAH CENTER SCHOLARSHIP:** Scott Allard.

**CLA ALUMNI SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP:** William Johnson, Alison Lang, Jocelyn Langworthy, Daniel Lewis, Brent Lonson, Suzanne Luedtke, Allen Lueth, Colleen McFarlane, Mary McKinley, Jennifer Miller, Steven Schuknecht, Odin Soli, Shirley Van Sambeck, Michael Vergin, Julia Weis.

**ROTHSCHILD PRE-MANAGEMENT SCHOLARSHIP:** Melanie Fix.

**CAMBRIDGE EXCHANGE SCHOLARSHIP:** Elizabeth Cumming.

Space does not permit us to list all 122 Waller Scholarship winners, but it should be noted that this is the largest number of Waller Scholarships ever given. Also, for the first time, 12 transfer students have been awarded Waller Scholarships.

Ira Segal was selected as one of the students in the new U of M Medical School Early Admit Program. Ira has been provisionally admitted after his sophomore year. All he needs to do is to complete the pre-med requirements, and graduate with a 3.0 or above. Wow! Takes the old pressure off, huh Ira?

T. Mike Davis, an honors senior who is majoring in Scandinavian and German, has been awarded a Fulbright teaching assistantship for the academic year 1988-1989. He will be teaching high school in Mattersburg, Austria.

The University of Minnesota Journalism Alumni Society has given Minneapolis attorney Marshall Tanick its 1988 Award for Excellence. Tanick, senior partner at the Minneapolis law firm of Tanick and Heins, is a 1969 CLA summa cum laude graduate in Journalism.

Ever wonder who is the mysterious person who plays the carillon every weekday noon in Northrop? It is honors sophomore Julia Weis who is majoring in organ.

Kim Mahling, a senior Honors Division student in International Relations, was the University's sole representative to the Democratic National Convention this summer in Atlanta.

Lisa Hartman Brauer, a senior in the Honors program, has been awarded two national honors by the United States Achievement Academy: the National Collegiate Student Government Award and the Scholastic All American At Large Division Award.

#### SCHOLARSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS, AND GRANTS

**TRUMAN SCHOLARSHIPS** are awarded to support undergraduate study permitting admission to a graduate program leading to an elected or appointed career in government. Applicants should be currently enrolled sophomores who are U.S. citizens. The award covers all college fees for up to four years. Successful applicants usually have GPA's of 3.5 to 4.0, a track record of involvement in service activities, and an abiding interest in and knowledge of contemporary public affairs. For more information, see Phil Wagner in the Honors office. The APPLICATION DEADLINE is October 31, 1988.

**MELLON SCHOLARSHIPS** are awarded for up to three years of graduate study at most U.S. and Canadian universities in the traditional humanities disciplines for students preparing for careers in humanistic teaching and scholarship. (Does not include the creative or performing arts.) Applicants must be citizens or permanent residents of the U.S. or Canada who are college seniors or recent graduates who have not begun graduate study. (100-125 scholarships nationwide) For more information contact Phil Wagner in the Honors office. NOMINATION DEADLINE: 7 November 1988; APPLICATION DEADLINE: 5 December 1988.

**CHURCHILL SCHOLARSHIPS** are awarded for one year of graduate study in engineering, mathematics, and science. Applicants must be U.S. citizens between 19 and 26 years. For further information, contact Dr. David Frank, 316 Walter Library (telephone 625-2800). The application deadline is November 14, 1988.

**OCTOBER 1988 CALENDAR**

Wednesday, October 5 and Thursday, October 6 Thesis Workshops (sign up in 115 Johnston).

Thursday, October 6 Annual Fall Reception for New Students (4:00-6:00, Campus Club--5th floor, Coffman Union)

Friday, October 7 Last day to change grading system to or from S/N  
Last day to sign up for October 13 theater party.

Thursday, October 13 Theater Party: Ubu for President (Theatre de la Jeune Lune, 8:00 pm)

Monday, October 10 Honors Student Association (HSA) general meeting (3:30, Room 320 Coffman Union) followed by the second annual HSA Pizza Fest (5:00, 325-326-327 Coffman Union). And if this weren't enough, it is also the celebration of Columbus Day AND Canadian Thanksgiving.

Friday, October 15 HSA Autumn Antics (2:00-5:00 at the Riverflats (the park behind Coffman and Comstock)

Tuesday, October 18 Panel on Medical Schools in Minnesota (4:00-6:00, Moos Tower 2-530)

Wednesday, October 19 Corporate Roundtable at Medtronic (noon-4:30)

Thursday, October 20 Law Career Day (11:00-3:00, Grand Ballroom Coffman Memorial Union)

Friday, October 21 "Going Insane"--HSA fall dance (7:00 in the gym at the Armory)

Monday, October 31 Don't get spooked, today's the deadline for submitting applications for Truman Scholarships

Friday, November 4 Last day to cancel a course without Scholastic Committee approval.

Tuesday, November 7 Election Day--Proof that although Abe Lincoln might have been right in saying that you cannot fool all the people all the time, it still is possible to fool enough people to get elected.

**N O T E:** While no one would want to suggest that this calendar is in the "suitable for framing" category, it has been planned so that you can take this page and put it on your bulletin board, wall, or whatever to remind you of all the terrific Honors Division happenings for this month. We will continue to have a calendar page in the months ahead. We'll even change the colors each month, so you won't get bored.

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## COULD IT BE TIME FOR WINTER REGISTRATION ???

Do you feel like you're just getting into the swing of things for the fall? Well, believe it or not, winter registration is just around the corner.

If you are a freshman, you cannot register for classes without seeing an advisor first; you literally need our stamp of approval. You can sign up now for an appointment. Just come by the Honors office, 115 Johnston Hall, to schedule an appointment. **DO NOT WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE TO SCHEDULE YOUR ADVISING APPOINTMENT.** We encourage you to schedule an appointment with the peer advisor who you saw this summer, but all members of the Honors Division professional and peer advising staff will be available for advising appointments throughout the registration period. Registration materials are available in 202 Fraser Hall. Those materials will tell you where your place is "in the queue"--that is, the earliest day you can register. You should plan on having an appointment with an advisor in the Honors Office a day or two before your "time" for registering.

If you are not a freshman, you do not have to see an advisor in order to register; BUT you should see one of the professional advisors in the Honors office if you have ANY questions about what courses to take, strategies for picking courses to help you decide on a major, etc.

## HONORS COLLOQUIA AND SEMINARS FOR WINTER QUARTER 1989

Honors Colloquia are designed specifically for freshmen and sophomores in the Honors Division. Seven Honors Colloquia will be offered this winter:

- HCol 1020 Gift-Giving, Reciprocity, and Redistribution: The Economics of Non-Western Societies (Barbara Withrow, Anthropology)
- HCol 1030 Art and Mass Media: The Intersection of Fine Art and Popular Culture (Karen Wirth, Studio Arts)
- HCol 1040 Religion, Politics and Community in Minority Cultures of the U.S. (Janet Lindman, History)  
Note: This course counts for Group C-3 distribution credit.
- HCol 1050 Culture and Development (Brian Job and Rhona Leibel, International Relations)
- HCol 1060 Stuttering: Folk Wisdom and Fact (Susan Felsenfeld, Communication Disorders)
- HCol 1070 The Life Sciences and the Liberal Arts Student: An Approach to Learning (Willard Koukarri, Biology)  
Note: This course counts for Group B distribution credit.



The following Honors Seminars, designed for juniors and seniors, will be offered winter quarter:

- HSem 3010 Rhetoric in Plato's Dialogues (Robert Scott, Speech-Communication)
- HSem 3020 Ideology and Social Science in 20th Century American Criminal Justice (Joel Samaha, History)
- HSem 3050 Internationalization of Capital and the Nation-State (Raymond Duvall, Political Science)
- HSem 3060 The Scientific Study of Movement: Implications for Society (Nancy Greer, Physical Education and Recreation)
- HSem 3070 Saints, Sinners, and Madmen: Euripides and the Modern Theatre (Elizabeth Belfiore, Classical and Near Eastern Studies)  
Note: This course counts for Group D distribution credit.
- HSem 3080 Social Justice and Community Service (John Wallace, Philosophy)

These Honors Colloquia and Honors Seminars are listed in the class schedule. For more information, come to the Honors office and pick up copies of our handouts giving detailed course descriptions, plus information about the instructor and the required work for each course.

By the way, non-honors students can take Honors Colloquia and Seminars on a space available basis. They can sign-up on the waiting lists in the Honors Division office, 115 Johnston.

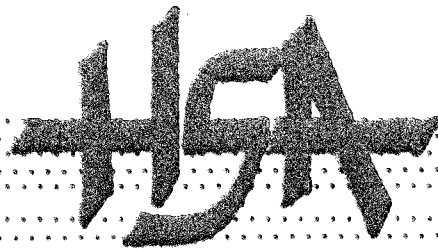
WHAT HAVE WE DONE LATELY?

RECEPTION FOR NEW HONORS STUDENTS. New honors students were welcomed into CLA and the Honors Program at a reception held October 6 in the Library of the Campus Club. Brief welcoming remarks were made by CLA Associate Dean Elaine May, CLA Honors Director Skip Godow, and CLA Honors Student Association President Greta Bauer. Also, copies of the much sought-after CLA "Training Isn't Everything" poster were given to five students. Nearly 300 students, faculty, and staff attended. Special kudos go to the new students who "dressed up" for the occasion--what a dazzling group!!!!

UBU FOR PRESIDENT. A politically astute group of 30 honors students and friends chose to ignore the second presidential debate and attend a sold-out performance of Theatre de la Jeune Lune's Ubu for President. Whether or not the performance had a significant impact on voter preference is unclear at this time, but a very enjoyable evening was had by all.

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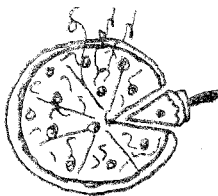


**CLA HONORS STUDENT ASSOCIATION**  
University of Minnesota

Dear Honors Students,

October was a super month!!! Many people got involved in the activities and had a lot of fun doing so! For a recap on past events and more new ones coming up, read on...

**HONORS STUDENT ASSOCIATION GENERAL MEETING.** Our first general meeting was held on October 10, and the room in Coffman was standing room only!!! More than 100 people attended. After an inspiring and comical speech by Kurt Willhome (from SODC), members brainstormed on new ideas for activities this year. Members also had the chance to join committees and buy HSA T-shirts.



**SECOND ANNUAL PIZZA FEST.** Immediately after the General Meeting, everyone devoured approximately 16 liters of pop and 25 pizzas!!! (Planning is hard work!) Many old and new faces were there, and everyone met someone new.

**AUTUMN ANTICS.** With beautiful weather specially ordered, tunes, pop, and plenty of fun-loving people as company, the antics down on the Riverflats, Saturday, October 15, were pretty wild! The events of tag football and killer frisbee weren't Olympic spectacles, but were still challenging.

Now, the **NEW** events for the rest of the quarter...

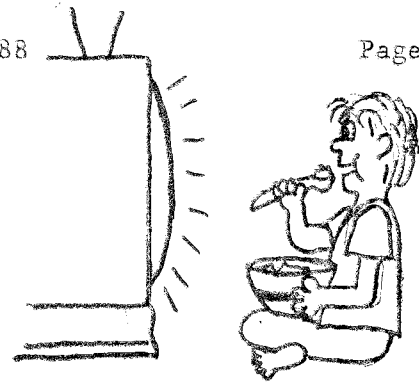
**STUDY PARTIES.** Since getting an education IS the main reason for being here, the Academic Affairs Committee has reserved a place to study in Coffman Union for anyone who wishes to do so. Study parties will be held every Monday night from 7:00-10:00 PM. The room will be announced every week on our HSA bulletin board outside 115 Johnston.

**INFORMAL TRICK OR TREAT.** People who want to relive their childhood this Halloween can put on their most scary costume and meet in front of Coffman Union at 7:00 PM on Halloween night (For those of you with memory lapses, that's Monday, October 31.) The things some people will do for candy!!!

**HAYRIDE.** We are planning an HSA hayride on Friday, November 11. Unfortunately, the specifics were not known at the time of the newsletter printing. More details concerning the time and cost will be posted on the HSA bulletin board. If interested, please RSVP in 115 Johnston by November 4.

**SECOND ANNUAL BOARD GAME NIGHT.** Last year's was a huge success, so we decided to have another one! Join us for refreshments, Twister, or else you can B.Y.O.B.G. (Bring your own board game!) It's on Thursday, November 17, in 320 Coffman from 7:00--???

**CARTOON PARTY.** Ever wish you could just sit and watch Saturday morning cartoons ALL MORNING?! Here's your chance! Come to Coffman Union (room to be announced) anytime Saturday, December 3 from 6:00-11:00 AM. Since we'll be having a continental breakfast, we'll need an RSVP plus \$1 in 115 Johnston by November 26. (PJ's are encouraged and there will be a "Stuffed Animal Contest" too!)



**HONORS STUDENT ASSOCIATION GENERAL MEETING.** Since there are only two "brain-draining" weeks in December, the General Meeting will be on January 9 at 4:00 PM in Coffman Union. The room number will be posted on the HSA bulletin board.

Recently the Carlson School of Management Honors Association has invited the CLA-HSA to attend their activities. Here's a list for all who are interested.

"GENDER IN THE WORKPLACE." Wednesday, November 2 in 240 Blegen Hall at 3:30 PM.

"SUCCESS AND SURVIVAL IN THE WORKPLACE: WHO CLIMBS, WHO FALLS, AND WHY." Speaker: John Knauffe - CSOM Instructor of the Year. Tuesday, November 15 in 235 Blegen from 3:15-5:15 PM.

"FAREWELL TO THE GIPPER." Movie and Food Party in 308-309 Coffman Union, 4:00-8:00 PM. \*Come when you can!\*

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**HONORS STUDENTS "OLDER THAN AVERAGE."** We had a good response to our sign-up clipboard, but scheduling a time to meet that works for everyone (or even most people) proved impossible. What we've done instead is to prepare a roster of interested people and mailed it out to those who had signed up. We also have copies in the office for other interested students. Perhaps mini-groups could form within the larger group to meet at convenient times. Chris Gordon in the Honors office would be happy to help people coordinate this.

COMING HONORS DIVISION ATTRACTIONS

**THEATRE PARTY FOR KIDS 5 TO 105.** Did you ever wonder what happened to the seven dwarfs after Snow White rode off with Prince Charming? Wonder no more! Minneapolis playwright Kevin Kling (creator of the smash hit 21-A) has decided to tell us all about it. Theatre de la Jeune Lune will bring The Seven Dwarfs to life before your very eyes: join us for an Honors and friends theatre party on Thursday, December 8. Tickets are \$6; sign up and hand over your cash (or check) by Friday, December 2. Children are not only welcome, but encouraged to attend--bring all your younger friends.

ACADEMIC AND STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

**THINKING ABOUT LAW SCHOOL?** The University of Minnesota Pre-Law Society has been established to provide a network for University students to meet with others who have similar career goals. Students assist each other in the various stages of pre-law preparation, including selection of possible pre-law courses, the LSAT exam, and law school admissions. There are also forums with guest speakers and the newsletter, The Legal Reader, in which students can actively discuss legal issues. The University of Minnesota Pre-Law Society also directs students to the appropriate resources pertaining to a legal education which may be found on campus. Interested students may call Cheryl Determan at 827-1078 or Joe Ferraro at 781-6722.

**GET PUBLISHED.** The Pittsburgh Undergraduate Review publishes papers of a scientific or analytic nature dealing with any area of the arts or sciences. To submit an article, send four clean copies of the manuscript, with your name removed, plus a one page abstract of the paper, your name, address, telephone number, major, and school, and a \$10.00 correspondence and evaluation fee to: University of Pittsburgh, University Honors College, The Pittsburgh Undergraduate Review, 3500 Cathedral of Learning, Pittsburgh, PA 15260.

**METRO INTERNSHIP PROGRAM.** The Metro Internship Program is a program sponsored by the University of Minnesota YMCA to explore personal and corporate responsibility. Serving the University of Minnesota since 1970, the program places 25 to 30 students annually in a ten-week seminar on ethics, leadership, and power in organizations. The seminar is followed by a full-time, ten-week internship. Students receive five credits for the seminar (three in winter and two in spring); four credits for an optional writing course that satisfies the upper division composition requirement; and 8-12 credits for Directed Study courses taken in the spring quarter. Application material is available at the U-YMCA, 1901 University Avenue. For further information, call Keith Morton at 625-3800.

**THEATER INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY.** A technical running crew is being sought for Theatre de la Jeune Lune's world premiere of The Seven Dwarfs by Kevin Kling, nationally known Minneapolis playwright. Positions are available in lighting and assistant stage management. Work behind the scenes on this season's most talked-about theatrical event, opening Friday November 18th. Receive complimentary tickets, good resume experience, and credit through an internship. For more information, contact Emily or Sherry at 332-3968.

HONORIFICS

1988-1989 CLA ALUMNI SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS: Nathan Birkholz, Lee Ann English, Scott Guttormson, Drew Helmer, Donavon Hess, Michael Howard, Donald Koski, John Keller, Kara Larson, Celia Marshik, David Meisinger, Gretchen Miller, Jennifer Porubcan, Nancy Root, Daniel Sargent, Christopher Slater, Lori Steidl, and Jason Zeaman.

**CLA UNDERGRADUATE INTERNSHIP WINNERS.** Three Honors students have been selected to receive \$750 internship grants for field work to be conducted during fall quarter. The students are **LYNNE RASMUSSEN**, a junior in Political Science, **ANDREA ROSLANSKY**, a junior in Communication Disorders, and **DAVID SANDBERG**, a senior in Psychology. Lynne is interning at the Hennepin County Public Defender's office, conducting interviews of witnesses, researching client histories, and assisting in the construction of exhibits for the defense. Andrea and David are working in the program for Exceptional Children with Communication and Interaction Disorders at Minneapolis Children's Medical Center. Andrea is working one-on-one with an autistic child to promote the development of language, emotional and social development, and motor skills. David is developing his skills in planning and implementing an intervention program, providing therapeutic interventions, and assessing children's needs and behavioral changes.

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## JUDITH WANHALA ACCEPTS NEW POSITION

In November, Judith Wanhala resigned her position as Assistant Director of CLA Honors to become Assistant Director of Educational Development Programs. After five years in the CLA Honors Division, including two years as Assistant Director, Judith's absence will be felt in many ways by Honors Division professional staff, peer advisors, and students. All of us wish Judith well in her new position. If you want to contact her, her office is in 419 Walter Library and her office phone is 625-0088.

To fill the vacancy left by Judith Wanhala's departure, a search has begun for a new Assistant Director. A search committee has been formed chaired by Professor Bud Duvall (Political Science). Others on the committee are Barb Becker (CLA Student Support Services), Judy Burton (CLA Honors), Pam Baker (CLA Prospective Student Services), and Maria Carlson (CLA Honors Division student and peer advisor). For a copy of the position description, contact Judy Burton or Skip Godow in the Honors office. The deadline for applications in January 24, 1989.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

CLA Honors Division Thesis Workshops will be held twice during Winter Quarter-- one on Wednesday, January 11; the other on Thursday, January 12. Each workshop will be held from 1:15 until 2:30 p.m. in the Honors Colloquium Room, 125 Johnston. The thesis workshop, led by Chris Gordon of the Honors Division staff, provides an opportunity for students beginning to write their honors theses to discuss what is involved in doing the thesis, how to organize your time, thesis grants, departmental requirements, etc. Further information is available in the Honors office. If you want to attend, you should sign up on the clipboard in the Honors office, 115 Johnston.

Careers in Business for Liberal Arts Majors will be the topic for a seminar to be given on three different occasions in B-33 Johnston. In the seminar, you can learn about careers in business that are open to liberal arts majors and learn ways to increase your competitiveness for those careers. The dates and times:

January 25	10:15-11:30
February 2	1:15- 2:30
February 28	11:15-12:30

Sign up in advance in B-18 Johnston.

## SPECIAL JOB OPPORTUNITY

Undergraduate Teaching Assistants/Tutors in introductory and 3000 level physics courses are needed for CLA's Martin Luther King (MLK) Program. The position will involve about ten hours a week through the rest of the academic year. This is an excellent opportunity to be of service to the University community and get valuable experience--especially if you are thinking about teaching as a career. If you are interested, contact Jorge Chinaea in the MLK office, 19 Johnston or call him at 635-2300.

ACADEMIC AND STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

"Crisis in the Heartland: The Politics of Food" is the title of the next Honors Semester to be offered by the National Collegiate Honors Council. Honors students from throughout the country will participate in the Honors Semester to be held at Iowa State University from August 20 to December 18, 1989. Students will do independent study and take seminars on such topics as the political economy of food, the farm and the farmer, biotechnology, images of the rural landscape, and ethical issues. Scholarships are available. For more information and applications, see Dr. Godow in the Honors Office, 115 Johnston.

Studying for the GRE, GMAT, or LSAT?? Then you could find it helpful to use some new computer programs which the Learning and Academic Skills Center has in its Research Lab. The programs are designed to help you in preparing for these exams. The Research Lab is in 109 Eddy Hall.

Preparing for the MCAT? Then a special ten-week study seminar entitled (appropriately enough) "Preparing for the MCAT" sponsored by the CLA Prehealth Science Advising Center might be, ahem, just what the doctor ordered. The first session is January 11 from 5:15 until 6:30. The course will meet in Moos Tower, Room 2-690. There is a seminar fee of \$45. For further information, contact Ruth Leathers, Mary Tate, or Ann Kelley in 30 Johnston (624-9006).

Coro Fellows Program. The Coro Foundation will offer twelve fellowships for individuals with a strong commitment to work in public affairs. The fellows serve internships in business, labor, community-based opportunities, media and public campaigns. Complete information and application material is available in the Honors Office. The deadline for application is January 31 for fellowships for the period September, 1989 to May, 1989.

New course: Math 3006H. Professor Jay Goldman, Honors Representative in the Mathematics Department, has asked us to announce a special new course he will offer this winter: The World of Mathematics--a one credit course that will meet Wednesdays at 3:15. A continuation of the course will be offered in the spring (Math 3007H). According to Professor Goldman, "the course will acquaint students with... mathematics [as] a creative vital living subject now going through a golden age of development." The course will also explore career possibilities in mathematics and the various upper division math courses. Prerequisite: Math 3411 or 3511 and permission of the instructor. Professor Goldman will consider late registration, since the course did not appear in the class schedule. For more information, contact him at 625-0131 or 825-0828.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers currently has two openings under the "Federal Stay-in-School Program." These are part-time while the student attends classes and full-time when the student is not in school. Students would work in support of professional sociologists and economists. A position description and information on where to get further information is available in the Honors office.

Undergraduate Papers in Anthropology are being sought for the Eleventh Annual Undergraduate Anthropology Conference to be held May 1-21 at the University of Minnesota Biology and Forestry Station at Lake Itasca. The deadline for submission of papers is February 15, 1989. For more information, contact the Anthropology Club, 215 Ford Hall (625-5032 or 625-3400)

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# HSA

## CLA HONORS STUDENT ASSOCIATION University of Minnesota

January 1989

HAPPY NEW YEAR EVERYONE!!! Hope everyone survived Fall Quarter and learned something, too! Now we're facing a new and exciting 1989! Before we begin our new business, let's do some reminiscing of "Auld Lang Syne" and quickly review November and December 1988.

Our first Programs event for November was the HAYRIDE on Friday the 11th. Everyone who went had a very enjoyable time plus all the cider they wanted, (and then some!) The second HSA event was the BOARD GAME NIGHT on November 17th.

It was a crazy, fun time for all who were there. We think the brain-strain from "Trivial Pursuit", trying to get the little pink and blue pegs into plastic cars during "Life", or just too much caffeine was more than some of us could handle!



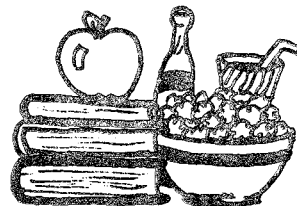
The last event of the quarter was held at 6AM TO NOON on December 3rd. Yes, a completely insane bunch of Bugs Bunny groupies got up on a Saturday morning for the HSA CARTOON PARTY! We indulged in Looney Toons and O.J. all morning....and then took a long nap! Well, for HSA Programs, "That's all, folks!"

HAPPY NEW YEAR

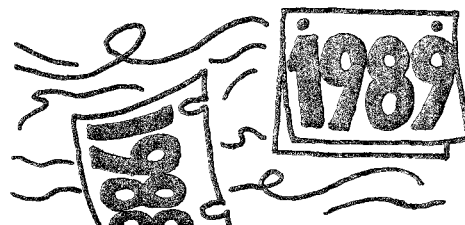
Academic Affairs has been quite busy in 1988 as well. Every Monday night for the past two months, Academic Affairs has sponsored STUDY PARTIES on the 3rd floor of Coffman Union. One room has been reserved for quiet study and another for friendly social activities.\*

On December 4th was an ALL-DAY STUDY PARTY for Finals' Week

which was very useful to all bookworms there. Also, Academic Affairs has been setting up 'tutor' and 'in need of tutor' lists and suggestion boxes in 115 and 125 Johnston. We hope these will be well-used and very helpful to all Honors students!



\*Includes talking, unwinding, FREE FOOD, and basic merriment.



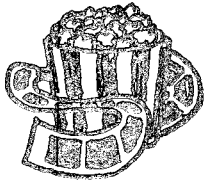
We know what we are,  
but know not what we may be...

--SHAKESPEARE

# New Events

**HSA GENERAL MEETING.** Once again it's time for our monthly meeting to touch base, discuss future activities, and meet more new friends! The meeting will be on **JANUARY 9TH** at 4:00 PM on the 3rd floor of Coffman Union.

## MONTY PYTHON FILM FEST.



Yes, it's true. The Programs Committee brings to you that crazy comedian from England for 6 hours! Join us on **JANUARY**

**21ST** at 7 PM TO 1 AM in the **WOMEN'S LOUNGE** on the 2nd floor of CMU. There will be refreshments and you can RSVP in 125 Johnston with just \$1.

# ATTENTION!

On **APRIL 13-14-15** our little 'ol campus will be hosting the Upper Midwest Honors Convention. **WE NEED YOU!** We'd like Honors students to house visiting students for 2 nights in order to defray their costs. Also, we'd like your ideas for planning workshops and social activities. More will be discussed at the January General Meeting and at the UMHC Meeting on **JANUARY 10TH** at 6:30 PM in **COMSTOCK HALL**.

**HEARD A REALLY GOOD SPEAKER LATELY? AN INTERESTING TOPIC?**

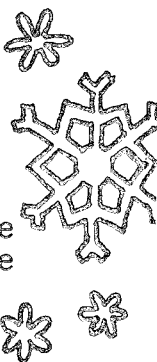


There will be a speaker sponsored by Academic Affairs on **JANUARY 18TH** at 7:00 PM in the President's Room (320 COFFMAN). Professor Bochnirez, a visiting professor from Poland, will be speaking on President Bush, the new administration, and possible relations/actions

with/toward the Soviet Union.

We might even get to hear a debate between him and one of his colleagues from Poland.

**SNOW CARNIVAL:** A week full of winter fun and friendly competition during **FEBRUARY 16-19** including events, awards, and hilarity. It's not completely planned, though, because we want **YOUR** input for event ideas! (Good reason to use the suggestion boxes, right?) There will be meetings about this in the near future.



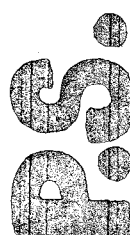
## MEETINGS:

Publicity - **JANUARY 11TH** - 3:30 PM - 309 CMU

Academic Affairs - **JANUARY 6TH** 3:30 PM 306 CMU

\*The position of Academic Affairs is open for Winter and Spring 1989. Elections (with **VERY** short speeches) will be held at the January General Meeting. For more info about Academic Affairs, come to this meeting or call Kim Salls

## DON'T FORGET...



the **SUGGESTION BOXES**, **'TUTOR'** and **'IN NEED OF TUTOR'** LISTS, and **BULLETIN BOARD** in 115 and 125 Johnston Hall



**ACADEMIC AND STUDY OPPORTUNITIES (continued)**

**Fellowships for U.S. Teachers of Spanish.** The government of Spain has just established a summer program for U.S. teachers of Spanish and made \$600,000 in fellowships for the program. Graduating seniors who intend to pursue a graduate degree in Spanish or a graduate Spanish secondary education program may be eligible. The program will integrate language study, culture courses, and curriculum development. For more information, contact Dr. Antonio Ramos-Garcia, the Program Director and Chair of the U's Department of Portuguese and Spanish, 202 Westbrook Hall; 625-3379. Application deadline is MARCH 15, 1989.

**Typing Proficiency Tests** are required by the School of Journalism and Mass Communication for admission into certain journalism courses and for applying for major professional status. Here are the dates and times for the tests to be given this quarter: January 11 (2:30), 17 (12:30), 27 (1:30); February 6 (11:30), 17 (2:15), 22 (2:30) and 28 (12:30); March 6 (11:30) and 10 (1:30). All tests are given in 212 Murphy; students may take the test as often as they wish.

**HONORIFICS**

Among the University's candidates in the Rhodes Scholarship Competition, Michael Heinrich and Kip Wennerland both were selected to participate in the State Rhodes competition. Heinrich also was one of 12 to advance to the District Competition, from which four Rhodes Scholars were selected.

Paul Bernhardt, a sophomore, has been selected to be a peer advisor in the Anthropology Department. Students interested in finding out more about an anthropology major can see Paul in 262 Ford Hall.

We've learned of two more Honors Division students, Jamie Lyn Miller and Sean Anderson, who were accepted last summer to the University's Medical School as part of the new Early Admission program.

Mark Fischenich, an Honors graduate from this past summer has been named the recipient of the first American Express College Journalist of the Year for a series of articles about Eastcliff.

Laurel Luth won the Society of Professional Journalists Mark of Excellence Award in the category of "spot-news photography." Steve Lorismer also won a Mark of Excellence Award--for sports writing.

Honors Director Rew A. Godow, Jr. has been elected to the Executive Committee of the National Collegiate Honors Council.

**IF THE WIND CHILL IS FIFTY BELOW ZERO, THINK SPRING !!!**

Even though you're just beginning the winter quarter, you can already think about registration for SPRING. All freshmen will be required to see an Honors Peer Advisor before registering for spring quarter classes. Registration begins February 15; you can make an appointment beginning February 1.

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## REGISTRATION: HERE WE GO AGAIN

Registration for Spring Quarter will begin on February 15. Registration materials will be available in 202 Fraser Hall beginning February 8.

Once again, freshmen will need the Honors Office stamp of approval on their class registration forms for spring quarter. Pick up your schedule, look up your registration time, and then run--do not walk--directly to the Honors office (or to the nearest phone) to make your Spring Quarter registration appointment with an advisor in the Honors office. Try to schedule the appointment so it comes just two or three days before you register. If you are a freshman, the registration people in Fraser Hall will insist on seeing an Honors office signature with an Honors office stamp, and to get those two things you will need to see an advisor in the Honors office.

As some of you found out last fall, the appointment books fill up fast. Don't wait until the last minute; CALL OR COME TO THE HONORS OFFICE SOON TO MAKE YOUR ADVISING APPOINTMENT.

## HONORS COLLOQUIA AND SEMINARS FOR SPRING 1989

### Honors Colloquia for Freshman and Sophomores

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| HCol 1010 | Freud, Skinner, and the Quest for a Science of Behavior (Skip Godow and Gail Peterson) |
| HCol 1020 | Eating, Food, and the Body: Anthropological Perspectives (Caroline Banks)              |
| HCol 1030 | Philosophy and Humor (Carl Brandt)   |
| HCol 1040 | Political Obligation and Civil Disobedience (Lawrence Biskowski)                       |
| HCol 1050 | Vietnam--The Forgotten Lessons (Mike Davis)  |
| HCol 1070 | Religion and Politics in the United States, 1945-Present (Mark Hulsether)              |
| HCol 1080 | A Well-Written Life: Biographical Research (Penelope Krosch)                           |

### Honors Seminars for Juniors and Seniors

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| HSem 3010 | The Structure of Scientific Revolutions (Gerald Siegel and David Frank)              |
| HSem 3020 | Agnes Smedley: Portrait of an American Woman in Revolution--1892-1950 (Alan Lathrop) |
| HSem 3030 | The Science of Music in the 17th and 18th Centuries (David Damschroder)              |
| HSem 3040 | The Sixties Revisited (Clarke Chambers)  |
| Hsem 3050 | Career and Life Planning for Liberal Arts Students (Lisa Heiser)                     |

EXTENSION: HSem 3040 The Sixties Revisited (Clarke Chambers)

As always, descriptions of Honors Colloquia and Seminars (and the instructors) are available in the CLA Honors Division office, 115 Johnston Hall. Also available is a list of all Departmental honors courses for the coming quarter.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

The International Study and Travel Center's annual **STUDY/TRAVEL FAIR** will be held Thursday, February 23, 1989, from 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. in the Great Hall of Coffman Memorial Union. Over 50 different study abroad programs, work and travel abroad organizations, airlines, and language schools will be represented at the Fair.

The 1989 **CAREER FAIR** will be held Thursday, February 16 from 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. in the Great Hall of Coffman Union. Sponsored by the U. of M. Career Development Network, the Career Fair will give you an opportunity to (1) meet employers from business, government, and non-profit organizations; (2) explore career opportunities; and (3) attend free job-hunting workshops.

The CLA Prehealth Science Advising Center in 30 Johnston is sponsoring **FINANCIAL AID FOR MEDICAL SCHOOL** for students applying to medical school for 1989 or 1990. The session will be held Tuesday, February 7 from 12:15 to 1:15 p.m. in Owre Hall 3-127 and will include a review of financial aid resources and application procedures.

If you'd like to find out what it's really like to be in medical school, then you probably would find it helpful to meet and talk to a currently enrolled medical student. You can do just that on Thursdays during winter quarter from 12:15 to 1:00 in the CLA Pre-Health Science Advising office in 30 Johnston Hall. For more information and to sign up for a conversation, call 30 Johnston at 624-9006.

**ACADEMIC AND SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

**BIRKELO SCHOLARSHIPS.** Approximately 15 Birkelo Scholarships are awarded each year by the Honors Division to students in specified CLA majors who have completed at least 45 credits by the end of Winter Quarter. The awards are not need based and consist of a \$2000 stipend. To be considered, students must be nominated by their major department; so they must apply first to the department. The Honors Division deadline for application is Monday, April 10, 1989. Departmental deadlines are at least one or two weeks earlier. Pick up a flyer in the Honors office, 115 Johnston for more information on eligibility requirements.

**WALLER SCHOLARSHIPS.** Like the Birkelo, the Waller scholarship is based on academic merit, not need. The Waller Scholarship provides a stipend of \$1000 for the academic year to approximately 100 CLA students and incoming transfer students of exceptional academic promise. Students must have completed at least 60 credits by the end of Winter Quarter. Students apply directly to the Honors Division, the deadline for applications is Friday, May 12, 1989. A flyer on eligibility requirements and application procedures is available in 115 Johnston Hall.

**CAMBRIDGE SCHOLARSHIP.** It now appears as though we WILL be able to offer the University of Minnesota/University of Cambridge Exchange Scholarship for 1989-1990. (For some time, it looked as though we might have to wait until next year because of limitations in funds). The scholarship supports one student for a "fifth year" of study in England at one of the Colleges of Cambridge University. Details are still being worked out, but if you are interested check in the Honors office for this year's flyers explaining the scholarship, application deadlines, eligibility criteria, etc.

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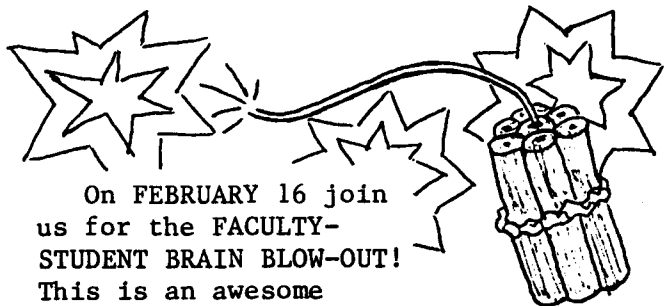
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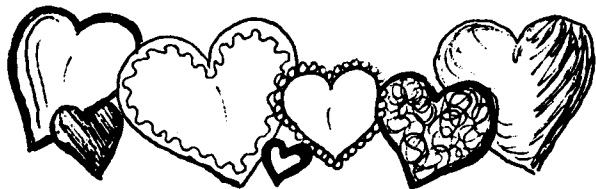
February 1989

Hello once again! It's a new month, and the HSA has some great events planned for it!

The first is the HSA GENERAL MEETING on FEBRUARY 13 at 4:00 PM. (Please note the room has been changed to 353 COFFMAN.) This meeting is very important because we will be electing a new Academic Affairs chair. Also, we will be amending parts of the HSA Constitution. Your attendance and input are essential and welcome!



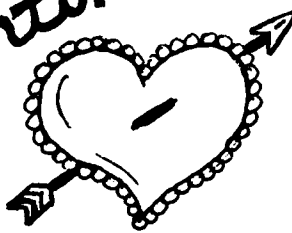
On FEBRUARY 16 join us for the FACULTY-STUDENT BRAIN BLOW-OUT! This is an awesome chance to get to know the faculty here at the 'U' a little better while engaging in some friendly Jeopardy competition. We'll start to mingle at 6:30 PM and compete from 7:00-9:00 PM. (More details about location will be sent to you!) If you are interested, or if you have a favorite professor who'd be interested, please RSVP in 115 Johnston by FEBRUARY 14TH. It'll be DYNAMITE!!!



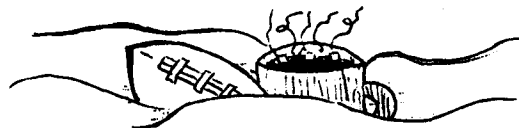
## \*\*REMINDER\*\*



EVERY TUESDAY NIGHT of Winter Quarter, Academic Affairs will be hosting STUDY PARTIES from 7:00-10:00 PM on the 3RD FLOOR of COFFMAN UNION. There's a quiet room to study, and a chance to socialize in another room, too!

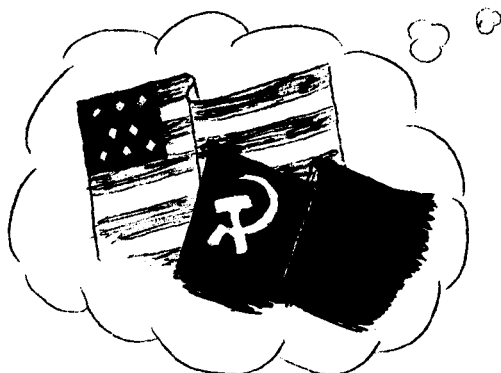
Happy  
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Day 

Our third event of the month will be SNOW DAZE on FEBRUARY 25 from 1:00-??? PM down on the RIVERFLATS. We'll play snow volleyball, football, and tug 'o war, (depending on Mother Nature of course.) The REAL draw though is that it's FREE, and we'll also have hot chocolate with MINI-MARSHMALLOWS! Can't wait, can 'ya???



Here's a quick run-down on the month of January:

On JANUARY 9TH we had our first HSA GENERAL MEETING of 1989. It was held in 320 CMU at 4:00 PM, and the members brainstormed for fund-raising ideas. We also heard from Eric Huong from MSA about letters to the state legislature for 'U' funding. Unfortunately, Kim Salls officially resigned as the Academic Affairs chair, but fortunately Cathy Emery was appointed as acting chair. Thanks for all your hard work, Kim and Cathy!



On JANUARY 18TH at 7:00 PM in 320 CMU, a visiting professor from Poland, Professor Bochniarz, spoke to the HSA about the U.S.-Soviet relations. With the new Bush Administration in the White House, it was very interesting to discuss Eastern Europe's industrial developments and ways the East and West could communicate more openly.

Finally, the HSA finished off the month of January with the MONTY PYTHON FILM FEST. It was held on the 21ST in the WOMEN'S LOUNGE, CMU from 7:00 PM-1:00 AM. Quite a few Monty-fans showed up to enjoy punch, popcorn, and punchlines! (Pardon the pun.) We saw a number of new faces (Wow!), and we're happy they joined us!



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- Programs.....Mike Etten...379-4828
- Publicity...Julie Sukowatey...625-8490

\*If you're interested in joining a committee, give one of us a call!

**ACADEMIC AND STUDY OPPORTUNITIES (continued)**

**NEED MONEY?** (Who doesn't?) If you have financial need, then now is the time to apply for financial aid for 1988-1989 from the following programs: Pell Grant; Minnesota State Scholarship and Grant; Guaranteed Student Loan (GSL); Perkins Loan; Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant; University grants, scholarships, and loans; College Work-Study; Health Professional Loan. Applications are available from the Office of Student Financial Aid, 210 Fraser Hall (Minneapolis) or 197 Coffey Hall (St. Paul).

**UROP GRANTS.** Application materials for 1989-90 Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP) Grants will be available in 220 Johnston early in February. The application deadline is April 10. For more information, go to 220 Johnston.

**INTERNSHIP GRANTS.** Grants of \$750 are available to up to ten students each quarter to assist CLA undergraduate students in carrying out internships that will help them to develop skills and knowledge related to their academic and career goals. To apply students must first see an advisor in the Office of Special Learning Opportunities (OSLO), 220 Johnston Hall. Call 624-7577 for an appointment. The deadline for applications for spring quarter grants is March 1, 1989. CLA Honors Division students have done very well in getting these grants. See "Honorifics" below.

The **AMERICAN COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** annually awards 9 one-time, non-renewable grants of \$1,000, \$3,000 or \$5,000. The recipients are chosen from about 1,700 applicants nominated by faculty members. Completed applications must be postmarked by March 1, 1989. Direct questions about the American College Scholarship Program to: Bill Sprague, Director, American College Scholarship Program, 419 Lentz Court, Lansing, MI 48917, (517) 371-5550.

**TUTORING OPPORTUNITY.** Y-tutors is a University of Minnesota/YMCA program which places college students in volunteer tutoring roles with school-age children and adults. Tutoring is done once a week at an area school or community center for 2-3 hours. Take part in weekly seminars which focus on educational issues and teach valuable tutoring strategies. Develop leadership skills by teaching others! Contact the U-YMCA at 625-3800.

**HONORIFICS**

CLA Honors peer advisor **Lisa Frey** has been named a semifinalist in the Harry S. Truman Scholarship Program. She will participate in regional interviews in Chicago.

Three CLA Honors Students have been chosen to participate in the International Reciprocal Student Exchange Program (IRSEP) for next year: **Rebecca Barniskas** will be the University's IRSEP exchange student to the People's Republic of China; **Tim Hunt** will be the University's IRSEP exchange student to Malaysia; and **Michael Heinrich** will be the University's IRSEP exchange student to Iceland.

**Charles Betz** and **Susan Klein** are the University's two nominees for the 1989-90 Carnegie Endowment for International Peace Student Intern Program.

Three Honors students have been selected to receive \$750 CLA internship grants for field work to be conducted winter quarter:

**Tana Erickson**, a senior in International Relations, is interning at the Mazingiri Institute in Nairobi, Kenya through the Minnesota Studies in International Development (MSID) program. Tanya is working as a teacher's aid, assisting in English and mathematics instruction, and providing child care.

Also through MSID, **Lynne Marek**, a senior in Political Science, is conducting fieldwork at the Centre for Development Studies and Activities in Pune, India and gathering information for her senior honors thesis on the participation of women in Indian political systems.

**HONORIFICS (Continued)**

**Maria Mimick**, a senior with a double major in music and business, is a marketing intern with the Minnesota Orchestra working on the production and distribution of direct mailings and the organization of telemarketing plans for the Orchestra's subscription renewal campaign.

The following students were awarded UROP grants in December for projects to be carried out winter and/or spring quarter:

<u>Name/Research Department</u>	<u>Project Title</u>
<b>Nicholas N. Armstrong</b> Dentistry	Blood Catecholamine-Platelet Receptor Homeostasis
<b>Jennifer Delton</b> American Studies	Vietnam and the Formation of a Collective Memory
<b>Tana Erickson</b> International Relations	Ethnicity in the Educational Development of Kenya
<b>Carol A. Fang</b> Medical School	Differential Sensitivity of Human T Lymphocytes to Hydrogen Peroxide
<b>Rosemary A. Gaynor</b> English	Analysis of Academic Discourse in the Field of English Studies
<b>Richard Gustafson</b> Theater Arts	Hair and Make-up Design for the Stage
<b>Steve Hackett</b> Biological Sciences	Dye-Affinity Chromatography of a Nucleotide Binding Enzyme
<b>Jon Hubbard</b> Child Psychology	Can Children Learn Language from Being Imitated?
<b>Laurie L. Manteufel</b> Psychology	The Role of Racial Ambivalence in Intergroup Behavior
<b>Mark Mitchell</b> Economics	Crime and Punishment: an Indonesian Study
<b>Ruch A. Olean</b> Communication Disorders	Babbling Patterns of Babies with Cleft Palate
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<b>Ruth A. Schiller</b> Psychology	An Idiographic/Nomothetic Analysis of Personality Disorders
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<b>Lily Vakili</b> Political Science	Causes of the Falklands/ Malvinas War
<b>Dawn Marie White</b> Political Science	The Process of Candidate Appraisal: A "Gender" Gap?

**A Perspective on Faculty-Student Relationships**

Several weeks ago, the "About Men" column in the New York Times Magazine offered an essay by Michael Kiefer entitled "Down to Size." It describes Kiefer's experiences with two different professors both when he was a student and when he meets them again years later. It provides an interesting perspective on student/faculty relationships (or the lack of them). If you'd like to read it, Chris Gordon in the Honors office has a copy.

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# CLA HONORS DIVISION NEWS

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March/April, 1989

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## HSA ELECTION TO BE HELD APRIL 3

This month's Honors Student Association General Meeting is a particularly important one, the time for you to elect your student officers for next year. The meeting is set for 4:00 P.M. in 320 Coffman on Monday, April 3. The four MSA student body presidential candidates will also speak at the meeting. If HSA is to be a strong organization, then it must have strong officers and strong participation by the students in the Honors Division. Make sure your voice is heard.

## UPPER MIDWEST HONORS COUNCIL COMES TO MINNESOTA, April 13-15

Approximately 200 Honors faculty and students from Minnesota, Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin, and the Dakotas will be converging on the U of M April 13-15 for the annual Upper Midwest Honors Council (UMHC) Conference. This year's theme is "Honors: A Plethora of Possibilities." HSA Vice President Cathy Lakota, plus Maria Carlson and Skip Godow have been working on the details for almost a year. For the faculty and honors students of the University of Minnesota, there are a "plethora" of possibilities for you to participate in this special event, including workshops, a dinner dance, a special Friday night "out on the town" and hosting an honors student from another university. Here are the details on each:

**WORKSHOPS.** Nearly 20 different workshops will be given by faculty and students from throughout the upper midwest. The workshops will be on a variety of topics, but most of them are either about honors curriculum or honors student organizations. If you are interested in other schools' honors programs and student organizations, you should plan on attending. Some of the workshop titles are:

- "Worlds in Concert - Bridging the Sciences and Humanities"
- "A Student Driven Honors Program"
- "Honors Admissions-Would Einstein Get In?"
- "Honors and the Undergraduate Research Experience"
- "The Pros and Cons of an Honors Core Curriculum"

plus a variety of presentations on various Honors student associations throughout the region.

**HOSTING HONORS STUDENTS.** Visiting Honors faculty and staff will be staying at the University Radisson; but to keep the costs down for visiting students, the Honors Student Association is organizing an effort to allow visiting students to stay in the dorms with our students. WE NEED YOU (if you are a student who lives on campus) to host visiting Honors students for Thursday and Friday nights, April 13 and 14. Students will bring sleeping bags, so all you have to do is spare a little floor space (and check with your roommate!). You can sign up in the Honors Office or contact the following dorm "representatives":  
Comstock - Shannon Fairbanks, 624-9648; Territorial - Kelly Flanagan, 625-7681;  
Frontier - Brad Anderson, 624-7940; Pioneer - Kristen Greene, 625-7488;  
Centennial - Greta Bauer, 625-5120; Sanford - Steve Payne, 625-2401;  
Middlebrook - Dan Stewart, 625-7874; Bailey - Julie Sukowatey, 625-8490 or contact Cathy Lakota, 624-8615. THOSE WHO HOST VISITING HONORS STUDENTS WILL BE GIVEN FREE REGISTRATION TO ALL UMHC EVENTS, INCLUDING THE DINNER, THE DANCE, AND THE LUNCHEON.

**UMHC (Continued)**

**REGISTRATION.** Visiting students will pay a registration fee of \$35.00 to cover attendance at all the workshops, name tag, information packet, an opening banquet and dance at the Radisson University, lunch Friday at the Campus Club, continental breakfast Friday and Saturday morning at the Radisson, and refreshments during breaks. As a way of encouraging Honors students to attend, CLA Honors will subsidize U of M Honors students for attendance at the meetings. Attendance at the workshops will be FREE for U of M students and faculty. Those wishing to attend food events can do so at somewhat reduced prices. Dinner at the Radisson is pretty expensive and so is lunch at the Campus Club. If you cannot afford (or don't want to pay for) these events, we don't want to have that deter you from attending the workshops sessions. Return the special registration form at the back of this newsletter to register for the conference and to indicate whether you want to attend the opening banquet, lunch on Friday at the Campus Club, or the various possibilities for Friday Night Out on the Town in the Twin Cities (see the back of the registration form). Students should know that many of the workshops will be run by and/or for students; though you are encouraged to attend the sessions, you may attend the social events only, if you wish.

**UMHC T-SHIRTS.** HSA has designed a special T-shirt for UMHC and it's not just another one of those white T-shirts, it's a jade green, 100% cotton "Beefy-T" with a special U of M logo on the front and a special conference design on the back. You can use the red conference registration form to order your T-shirt or come to the Honors Office (with your money) by Monday, April 10.

Further information about UMHC is available from Dr. Godow in the Honors office or from Cathy Lakota (624-8615). Since Cathy is also an Honors Division Peer Advisor, you can also contact her from 11:00 to 4:30 on Tuesdays and Wednesdays in the Honors Division office.

**A VERY SPECIAL THANKS TO MARIA CARLSON AND ESPECIALLY TO CATHY LAKOTA FOR ALL THEIR HARD WORK HELPING TO ORGANIZE THE CONFERENCE!!!!!!**

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**REMINDERS**

**UPCOMING DEADLINES:**

- Cambridge Exchange Scholarship -- March 31
- Selmer Birkelo Scholarship -- April 10
- UROD -- April 10
- Waller Scholarship -- May 12.

Further information about any of these programs is available in the Honors Office.

**ATTENTION SENIORS WHO PLAN TO GRADUATE IN FALL '89 OR WINTER '90.** Any student who plans to graduate at the end of the fall or winter terms in the 89-90 academic year, and who has not met with Chris Gordon for a senior balance sheet, should make an appointment to do so during spring quarter. The senior balance sheet is designed to show you what remains to complete for your degree, including credits, distribution requirements, major requirements, and honors requirements. Avoid unpleasant surprises! Make an appointment today.

-----The Staff of the CLA Honors Division-----

- Director.....Rew A. Godow, Jr.
- Academic Advisors.....Christine Mack Gordon, Phil Wagner
- Principal Secretary.....Judy Burton
- Peer Advisors.....Robin Bennett, Maria Carlson, Diccon Conant,  
Lisa Frey, Ruth Hampton, Stacey Horn, Cathy  
Lakota, Steve Thompson, Jessica Vanderscoff

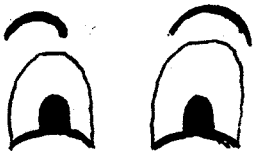
# HSA

## CLA HONORS STUDENT ASSOCIATION University of Minnesota

April 1989

Hi there fellow Honors students!!!  
Hope you all had a relaxing, enjoyable  
Spring Break! Are you ready for Spring  
Quarter 1989?! GREAT! It's gonna be  
INCREDIBLE!!! Here's a peek at the ex-  
citing events we have planned...

CHECK



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OUT!

APRIL 3RD is the date of the monthly  
HSA GENERAL MEETING. This is one you  
won't want to miss! We'll be electing  
next year's officers, so anyone who is  
interested in running should definitely  
attend this meeting! Also, we'll be  
hearing from the four MSA Student Body  
Presidential Candidates. The meeting  
is at 4:00 PM in ROOM 320. See you  
there!

★ VOTE! ★

Academic Affairs' STUDY PARTIES will re-  
sume again during Spring Quarter. STUDY  
PARTIES are times to meet in Coffman  
Union to study. HSA reserves 2 rooms:  
one for quiet study and another for  
group study and FREE refreshments!!!  
(What a bonus!) The STUDY PARTIES will  
begin on APRIL 4TH on Coffman's third  
floor. They will continue to be there  
EVERY TUESDAY NIGHT from 7-10 PM.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU! 🎵  
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Join us on APRIL 22ND for the ALL-  
HSA BIRTHDAY BASH!!!\*  
We'll eat cake (sans  
candles), sing the  
birthday song, and  
just have a joyous  
celebration! (Well,  
it's a good excuse for a party--so  
what the hey!) The place is ROOM  
320 COFFMAN from 1:00-6:00 PM.



\*Formal attire is not required,  
but 'birthday suits' are a bit  
on the casual side.

Just a few reminders...



MARCH 29..CMU 310..Publicity Meeting  
3:15 PM

" " Programs Meeting  
4:15 PM

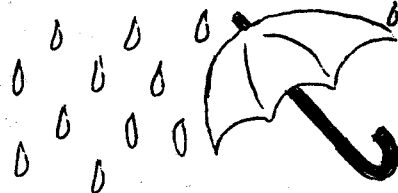
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(What a coincidence, eh?)

MARCH 31...Academic Affairs Meeting  
3:15 PM - 3RD floor of CMU

APRIL 12 & 13..VOTE! All Campus Elections

APRIL 13-15...Upper Midwest Honors  
Council '89

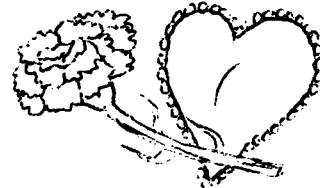


April showers  
bring May  
flowers...

February was a hectic month for the HSA. We started out the month with our GENERAL MEETING on FEBRUARY 13TH and elected a new Academic Affairs Chair-- Steve Payne. Congrats, Steve!

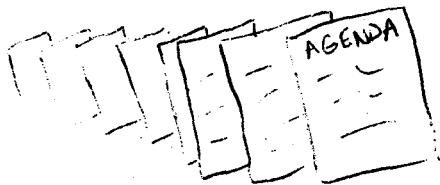
On FEBRUARY 14TH the HSA sold carnations and added some romance to a few couples' Valentine's Day. Happily we also added some money to the HSA treasury!

# FEBRUARY RUN-DOWN



Academic Affairs was quite active last month. The committee held the FACULTY-STUDENT BRAIN BLOW-OUT on FEBRUARY 16TH. Also, two great workshops were offered.

The workshop called "RUNNING EFFECTIVE MEETINGS" was given by Cheryl Sutton from SODC. It was held on FEBRUARY 21ST. We gained some very helpful advice such as creating and sticking to an agenda and how to receive creative feedback. The HSA would like to thank Cheryl for the very interesting workshop!



The second workshop was held on FEBRUARY 27TH and it dealt with "STRESS MANAGEMENT." Kirk Millhone from SODC explained to us what the difference was between the 'drone zone' and the 'panic zone'. (This proved very helpful to some of our members!) Kirk also taught us some self-hypnosis and relaxation techniques. Thanks, Kirk!



Also, STUDY PARTIES were held every Tuesday night in February and on MARCH 12TH, Academic Affairs held an ALL-DAY STUDY PARTY!

## HSA EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

- President.....Greta Bauer...625-5120
- V. President...Cathy Lakota...624-8615
- Sec./Treas...Lisa Schneider...624-9915
- Acad. Affrs.....Steve Payne...625-2401
- Programs.....Mike Etten...379-4828
- Publicity...Julie Sukowatey...625-8490

**SPECIAL HONORS OPPORTUNITIES**

**HONORS PEER ADVISING.** The Honors Division is now accepting applications from CLA Honors Division students for paid positions as peer advisors. Peer advisors help freshman students with registration and other advising questions. They also do a variety of office tasks. The period of employment will begin with the Orientation period from August 17 through September 20 and continue throughout the school year. Peer advisors are expected to work 30-35 hours during orientation and 5-10 hours a week during the school year. If you're interested in applying, pick up an application form in 115 Johnston. Current freshmen and sophomores are especially encouraged to apply. The application deadline is Friday, April 14, 1989.

**SECOND CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR PEER MENTORS.** In the last issue of Honors Division News, we asked you to consider volunteering to be a peer mentor for several of next year's freshmen. Thirty-five of you have already submitted your applications -- thanks! However, many of you are still thinking about it. Or perhaps the application got lost in your backpack, on top of your refrigerator, or was destroyed by your roommate. Now you are embarrassed to show up in the Honors office to ask for another application. Relax. It is still not too late to apply, and we would like to have more volunteers. As a peer mentor, you will contact two or three incoming freshmen during spring and summer to welcome them to Honors and the University. You will then meet with these freshmen on their arrival in fall quarter and be available to them to answer their questions and help them find their way around the U. Come by the Honors office and get your application so that you can volunteer for this worthwhile activity.

**FREE TICKETS.** If you have been by the Honors office lately, you probably know that we have received free tickets for a variety of events at **ORCHESTRA HALL, GUTHRIE THEATER, AND WALKER ART CENTER.** We expect to get tickets for various events from time to time. We get the tickets on short notice and give them out until they are gone. If you are interested in attending such events, you have still another good reason to stop by the Honors Office on a regular basis to see whether we have any free tickets. Boy, isn't it great to be an Honors Division student? We owe our gratitude to **TOM TROW**, Assistant to the CLA Deans and liason to the Arts community for his efforts on our behalf. Of course we are especially to those at Orchestra Hall, the Guthrie Theater, and the Walker Art Center for making the tickets available to us.

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**CORPORATE ROUNDTABLE AT THE WORLD TRADE CENTER.** The Honors Division and the CLA Career Development Office have co-sponsored a series of "Corporate Roundtables" for the last five years. These Roundtables provide students, especially juniors and seniors, with an opportunity to visit and learn about career opportunities in various business settings in the Twin Cities. The spring quarter Roundtable will be held at the World Trade Center in St. Paul. Students will have an opportunity to tour the World Trade Center and to hear from a number of businesses and organizations with headquarters in the Trade Center about international careers for liberal arts graduates. The Roundtable will be held on Tuesday, April 25, from noon to approximately 3 p.m. Transportation will be provided, and space is limited to 25 students. You can sign up on the clipboard or get more information in the Honors office.

**MORE UPCOMING EVENTS**

**SPRING QUARTER THESIS WORKSHOPS.** We will conduct two thesis workshops during the second week of spring quarter. These workshops are intended for anyone beginning or in the process of writing an honors thesis. Discussion includes: finding a topic, finding an advisor and other readers, resources, format, etc. The workshop also provides students with an opportunity to meet others involved in the thesis writing process and to form support groups. The spring quarter workshops will be held on Tuesday, April 4 and Wednesday, April 5 from 1:15 to 2:30 in room 125 Johnston. Please sign up on the clipboard in 115 Johnston if you plan to attend. If you have questions, ask Chris Gordon in the Honors office.

**VIVE LA REVOLUTION! 1789 AT THEATRE DE LA JEUNE LUNE.** It's time for another Honors and friends theatre party. We will attend the Thursday, April 6 performance of 1789, a company-created celebration of the spirit of the French Revolution at Theatre de la Jeune Lune. The show is being staged at the Guthrie lab in the warehouse district north of downtown Minneapolis (maps available!). Tickets are \$6; sign up and cough up the cash in 115 Johnston by Friday, March 31 (if possible). For more information, talk to Chris Gordon in the Honors office.

**THE 31ST ANNUAL PRE-MEDICAL STUDENTS DAY** for all students interested in medical school will be held Saturday, April 8, 1989, 8:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M. in 2-650 Moos Tower. The event is sponsored by the Medical Student Council and the Medical School.

**PRE-MEDS INTERESTED IN COMBINED MD/PH.D. PROGRAMS:** A representative of the University of Alabama Medical School will be on campus to discuss their combined MD/Ph.D. program. All students at all levels are invited to attend this discussion on Thursday, April 6, 1989, at 9:00 a.m. in 30 Johnston Hall. Stop by 30 Johnston or call 624-9006 to reserve a place.

**SIGGELKOW RETREAT.** The 1989 Siggelkow Development Retreat will take place April 28-30 at Camp St. Croix near Hudson, Wisconsin. The retreat is open to all registered University students, but it is particularly designed for students in various leadership roles. The workshop is designed to develop leadership skills, explore one's leadership style, gain an appreciation of leadership differences, and enrich a sense of community. For more information, call 624-5101 or stop by SODC, 340 Coffman Union. There is a \$75.00 registration fee for the retreat. However, it is possible to get a scholarship from CLA. Moreover, the Honors Division will give special scholarships for those who are leaders in HSA. Deadline for registration is Friday, April 21, 1989.

**ACADEMIC AND SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

**PHI BETA KAPPA.** The University's Alpha chapter of Phi Beta Kappa (the national liberal arts honor society) invites all qualified students to apply for membership by Friday, April 14, 1989. Those with 120-149 credits must have a minimum GPA of 3.75 and have at least 45 U of M credits. Those with 150 or more credits must have a minimum GPA of 3.50 and have earned at least 60 credits at this University. All coursework on the student's transcript is used to determine eligibility, and coursework transferred from other institutions must also meet basic GPA requirements. Applications will be reviewed and invitations to about 150 students will be issued by the end of May. Applications are available in the Honors office, 115 Johnston. For information concerning eligibility, contact Marilyn Hofler, Student Relations, 150 Williamson Hall (625-5333).

UPPER MIDWEST HONORS COUNCIL  
1989 Conference  
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**SPECIAL REGISTRATION FORM FOR UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA HONORS STUDENTS**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ City State Zip Code

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

FEES:

_____	Registration for Conference			<u>FREE</u>
_____	Conference T-Shirt with conference logo (see below (These must be ordered in advance. They will not be sold at the conference) Size S M L XL	\$8	\$	_____
_____	Opening Banquet and Dance at the Radisson	\$15	\$	_____
_____	Lunch at the Campus Club (Friday, 4/14)	\$8	\$	_____
_____	Friday morning continental breakfast at the Radisson	\$4	\$	_____
_____	Saturday morning continental breakfast at the Radisson	\$4	\$	_____
	Total Enclosed		\$	_____

Send Completed Form To:

CLA Honors Division--UMHC Registration  
University of Minnesota  
115 Johnston Hall  
101 Pleasant Street, SE  
Minneapolis, MN 55455

You can pick up your registration packet anytime from noon until 6:00 on  
Thursday, April 13. If you want further information, come to the CLA Honors  
office, 115 Johnston Hall or call 624-5522.

**TO HELP US PLAN, PLEASE COMPLETE THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM**



UMHC -- FRIDAY NIGHT -- THE TWIN CITIES: A PLETHORA OF POSSIBILITIES

Please check the one that you think you would like to do. These are preliminary preferences only:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Omni Theater in the Minnesota Science Museum (\$4.50/person) & Heart Throb Cafe--moderately priced food (hamburgers to ribs)
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Theatre de la Jeune Lune  
"1789 - The French Revolution" (Cost \$6.00)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Dudley Riggs Theater (Comedy) in Uptown  
Cost \$12.00 (Special group rate with 20 or more)
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Riverplace/St. Anthony Main (Converted warehouse; shops)
  - A. \_\_\_\_\_ Roxy's (18 up nightclub)  
Cost :\$4.00 with driver's license
  - B. \_\_\_\_\_ Comedy Gallery  
Cost: \$10.95
5. \_\_\_\_\_ The Walker Art Gallery/Uptown
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Other suggestions or interests: \_\_\_\_\_

Please note: For most of the above, there are several restaurants at varying prices near to the "entertainment." The costs for meals and/or entertainment are NOT included in the conference fee. You will have to pay cash wherever you go.

Baseball fans: Sorry, but the Twins will be on the road.

HOUSING:

\_\_\_\_\_ YES, I would be willing to "house" a visiting honors student from another college or university.

**ACADEMIC AND SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES (continued)**

**SPAN (STUDENT PROJECT FOR AMITY AMONG NATIONS)** is now accepting applications to go to Zimbabwe, Venezuela, Spain, and Greece for the Summer of 1990. Students prepare for a full year before going abroad, including undergoing language training when necessary. Upon returning to Minnesota, each student writes a major research paper based on the research done overseas. The paper will be placed in the permanent collection at Wilson Library. Students receive 12 quarter credits from the University after completion of the program. Financial aid is available. Students interested in applying to SPAN for the summer of 1990 should contact: SPAN, 139 Social Science Tower, telephone 626-1083. Completed applications are due by May 1, 1989.

**PUBLIC EMPLOYEES ROUNDTABLE SCHOLARSHIPS.** Applications are available in the Honors Division office for a scholarship program funded by the Public Employees Roundtable (PER) available to students interested in public service careers. Applicants must be full-time students, with a GPA of at least 3.50. Candidates must be planning to enter a career in government service at the local, state, or federal level. Preference will be given to applicants who have had work experience in governmental or community service. Applications must include an essay titled, "How My Chosen Government Career Affects the Quality of American Life." Deadline for submitting applications is May 15, 1989.

**DOING AN HONORS PROJECT AND NEED SOME HELP ON DATA ANALYSIS?** Then you should know about the Statistical Clinic, located in room 133 Classroom Office Building on the St. Paul Campus (telephone 625-3121). It is intended to help students (and others) with research problems. The staff of the Clinic aids researchers on questions of experimental design, analysis and interpretation. Normally, there is no charge for the assistance. Note that assistance on data base management, data entry, computer operation and similar problems is not generally available from the Clinic. The Clinic is open twelve months a year. The facilities are ordinarily available on a walk-in basis, although appointments are recommended. The usual hours for the Clinic are weekdays from 9 to 4, with some blocks of time left uncovered. Exact hours may be obtained by calling 625-7030. Call 625-3121 to make an appointment.

**HONORIFICS**

We have learned of an additional Honors Division student who has been selected to participate in the International Reciprocal Student Exchange Program (IRSEP). Mark Brose is the University of Minnesota IRSEP representative in West Berlin.

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## NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

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The meeting will be held on Thursday, May 11, 1:15 - 2:45 p.m. in room 325-6 Coffman Union. A panel of University faculty and staff, many of whom are involved in the selection of nominees, will present information and field questions on how to apply, what selection committees are looking for, "insider" tips for writing strong application essays, etc. Sometimes, students "prepare" for several years for these scholarships; it's never too early to think about whether you are interested in applying and what you might do to increase your chances of being selected.

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## LAST CALL FOR WALLER SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

If you are a CLA students with 60+ college credits, a 3.5+ GPA, and a declared CLA major, then you should have already applied for a Waller Scholarship. If you have not applied, hurry. The application deadline for 1989-90 awards is Friday, May 12, 1989. Application information and instructions are available in the Honors office in 115 Johnston.

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## EARLY REGISTRATION FOR FALL 1989

Early registration for Fall Quarter will begin on May 11 and run through the middle of June. While it will be possible to register in August and September, you are urged to register this spring in order to maximize your chances for getting the classes you want. Fall class schedules and other registration materials will be available in 202 Fraser beginning May 5.

Registration for Summer Sessions I and II for currently enrolled students will begin on May 8. Summer schedules continue to be available outside the Summer Session office in 135 Johnston Hall. Summer registration is NOT QUEUED; courses are available on a first come, first served basis.

Special note to freshmen: From now on, you are not required to see an advisor in order to register. However, you should feel free to make an appointment to see a peer advisor if you'd like to discuss your fall registration plans. In general, all Honors students are encouraged to use Honors Division advising services when they want assistance in deciding on courses, deciding on a major (or majors), planning what to do after graduation, etc.

Some Reminders:

- (1) If you have completed 75 or more credits and have declared (or are prepared to declare) a CLA major, then you must reapply for Junior-Senior Honors status. If you haven't done so, come by the Honors Division office for an application.
- (2) If you have completed 135 or more credits, make an appointment this summer or early next fall to prepare a senior balance sheet to see what graduation requirements you have left to complete.
- (3) Summer Session I grads must apply for graduation in 150 Williamson by June 9; Summer Session II grads apply for graduation by July 20. Application forms are available in the Honors office.

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 PEER MENTOR APPLICATIONS STILL BEING ACCEPTED

It's not too late for you to sign up to be a peer mentor and do your part to help welcome incoming freshmen to Honors and the University. Peer mentors contact two or three incoming students during spring and summer, meet with these freshmen on their arrival in fall quarter, and answer their questions and help them find their way around the U. Please consider getting involved in this worthwhile activity and fill out an application in the Honors office as soon as possible.

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 ACADEMIC AND SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

There are two more programs scheduled this spring in the "What Can I Do With A Major In...?" series:  
 PSYCHOLOGY: Wednesday, May 10, 11:15-12:45, 150-160 Elliott Hall  
 ECONOMICS: Wednesday, May 24, 11:15-12:45, 25 Law Building

Are you a sophomore interested in going to Medical School here? Are you worried about having to wait two more years before you find out if you'll get admitted? Are you nervous about the MCAT? Well, the University of Minnesota Medical School Advanced Admission Program may be just the ticket. Our Medical School is once again inviting sophomores to apply for advanced admission. Students accepted in this program are guaranteed admission to the U's Med School upon completion of a Bachelor's degree as long as they earn a GPA of at least 3.0 and complete all the pre-med course requirements. Students admitted through this program do NOT need to take the MCAT. Last year, one-third of the 35 students admitted were CLA Honors students.

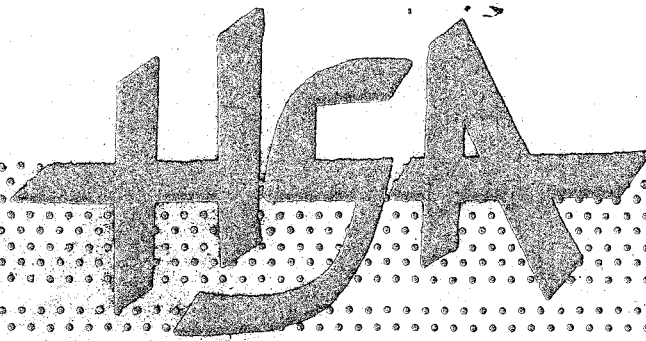
To apply, you have to have a 3.75 GPA and be no further along than the end of your sophomore year as of the end of this quarter. If you are a second year student with "extra" credits from AP tests, credit-by-exam, or the like, you can still apply; but you should attach a note explaining that you are a sophomore in terms of college coursework credits.

The application deadline is JUNE 1, 1989. Along with your application, you will need to submit an essay, your transcript, and three letters of reference. The Medical School Admissions office says that if you submit all your other application materials by the June 1 deadline, then you can wait until the end of spring quarter to submit a transcript with spring grades.

Applications are not available in the Honors office. Write: University of Minnesota Medical School, Box 293 UMHC, 420 Delaware Street SE, Minneapolis, MN 55455; or call 624-1122.

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CLA HONORS STUDENT ASSOCIATION  
University of Minnesota

May 1989

Hi!

Hope you're all having a wonderful Spring Quarter so far! (How can you not with sunny skies and temperatures above freezing?!) April was a very hectic, but exciting, month for the HSA with new officers elected and the Up-Midwest Honors Council. The month of May looks just as fun and adventurous!!!

HSA SPRING  
RETREAT



The theme of our first-ever Honors retreat is called "GO GLOBAL." Though the subjects of Nuclear Weapons and Cultural Differences are serious, the discussions about how they affect international relations can be both fun and thought-provoking. The all-day retreat will be on MAY 6TH tentatively from 8 AM TO 11 PM. Meals will be provided, and the cost (if any) is to be announced. ONLY 30 PEOPLE WILL BE TAKEN ON A FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVE BASIS!! Please RSVP in the Honors Office as soon as possible.

General Meeting

Yes, it's the last one of school year, so if you haven't attended one yet, now's your last chance! (Well, until next fall.) Join us on MAY 8TH at 4:00 PM on the 3RD FLOOR OF COFFMAN UNION, and we'll discuss events for May and the 1989-90 school year!

JAMES  
BOND  
FILM FESTIVAL

Join us for an evening full of adventure with that worldly and witty super-spy, James Bond. Here's the plan: Rendezvous on MAY 12 at 7:00 PM-1:00 AM in the the WOMEN'S LOUNGE OF COFFMAN. Don't miss it! The entire future of the film festival depends on it! (P.S. The cost is ONLY \$1 and there'll be food and drinks, too)

FUN & FROLIC BEACH  
BASH

Awesome friends and jammin' tunes will descend upon the RIVER FLATS on MAY 27TH from 1 TO 6 PM. We'll play some wild games of tag football and frisbee and anything else we decide! Plus great food and cool drinks will be provided. So come on down, stay as long as you like, and have a crazy time!!

# ELECTION RESULTS

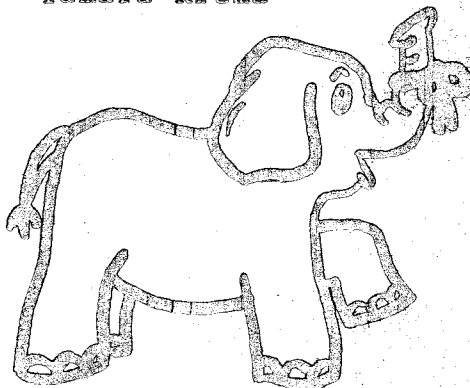
The CLA Honors Student Association held its monthly GENERAL MEETING on APRIL 3RD. We heard from the MSA Presidential candidates and elected new officers for the 1989-1990 school year. Our new CLA-HSA officers are:

- PRESIDENT-  
Steve Payne
- V. PRESIDENT-  
Julie Sukowatey
- SEC/TREASURER-  
Johnna Dieterle
- ACADEMIC AFFAIRS-  
Dan Sargent
- PROGRAMS-  
Michael Schilling
- PUBLICITY-  
Tamara Krcma

# UMHC

The UPPER MIDWEST HONORS COUNCIL was held on APRIL 13TH to the 15TH, and it was a great success! Approximately 225 students and faculty attended the seminars and workshops. The HSA's ad-hoc UMHC committee planned the social events for the Council, which consisted of a dance and a night out in the Twin Cities. The UMHC committee also housed visiting students with Minnesota students for the two nights.

To every Honors student who hosted a guest--thank you! And a great big thanks goes out to Maria Carlson, Cathy Lakota, the UMHC committee, and everyone else who devoted so much time in planning the UMHC! We learned a lot, met some great people, and had a blast!!!



*Don't Forget!*

EVERY TUESDAY NIGHT UNTIL FINALS STUDY PARTIES WILL BE HELD ON THE 3RD FLOOR OF COFFMAN FROM 7:00 TO 10:00 PM.

WATCH FOR POSTERS AND THE HSA BULLETIN BOARD FOR THE SPRING QUARTER ALL-DAY STUDY PARTY FOR FINALS!

### HSA EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

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## ACADEMIC AND SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES (continued)

Applications for Summer Honors College Program Assistants are now being accepted. Program assistants live in the dormitory and serve as personal, social, and academic counselors for students in Summer Honors College -- a three-week, residential program for high ability high school students who enroll in special Honors Colloquia.

Program assistants will receive a salary of \$450, plus free room and board. They will be required to work evening and weekend hours throughout the period of Summer Honors College -- June 12 to June 29. Some daytime hours during the week will be required as well. Applicants must be currently enrolled students who have demonstrated leadership abilities and work well in a team environment.

This is a terrific opportunity for honors students interested in gaining experience in counseling and peer advising. For more information, contact Maureen Noonan (Summer Honors College Program Coordinator) in the Summer Session office, 135 Johnston Hall; or call her at 624-3555.

The Excel Student Leadership Program offers students an opportunity to develop their leadership skill through weekly seminars and a mentoring relationship with a University or community leader. Several HSA leaders participated this year and found it valuable. Fifty students will be selected to participate in 1989-90. For more information or for applications contact Kathleen Rice, SODC (Student Organization Development Center) on the third floor of Coffman (Phone: 624-5101). Applications are due May 10.

The Carlson School of Management continues to offer special pre-management advising and services to CLA students who apply for and receive a special "Pre-Management" classification. As an official pre-management student, you will be invited to workshops to learn about placement opportunities, preparing a strong application for admission to the school, and other relevant topics. To be eligible, you need to have completed 39 credits and have an overall GPA of 2.8 or better.

While being classified a pre-management student will NOT give you any special preference in being considered for admission to the Carlson School of Management, the pre-management advising programs may very well help you to strengthen your application. You can sign up for the Pre-Management classification in B-18 Johnston Hall.

## HONORIFICS

Of the eight students awarded \$750 CLA internships for the spring quarter, FIVE are CLA Honors Division seniors:

LEHN BENJAMIN is a Speech-Communication major doing an internship at CHART, a non-profit career counseling service for women. She is planning programs and leading discussions for a job search support group.

REBECCA CUNNINGHAM, a Spanish major, is teaching conversational Spanish at Centro Cultural Chicano and working as a Spanish tutor at Washburn Senior High School in Minneapolis.

ANN DUNN, a music major, is a marketing intern with the Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra; she is writing press releases, plus assisting with direct mail and telephone marketing campaigns.

JOYCE GABLE (Speech-Communication) is doing an internship working on program development at the Minnesota Worksite Wellness Resource, a non-profit center that provides seminars and training on health issues for businesses, schools, and public agencies.

BENEDICT SCHULTE is a Child Psychology major serving as a "child-life specialist trainee" in the Child-Family Life Program at the University of Minnesota Hospitals and Clinics.

Add one more Honors Division student to the list of those selected to participate in the International Reciprocal Student Exchange Program (IRSEP): LAURA MCLEAN will be the University of Minnesota IRSEP representative to Iceland for the 1989-90 academic year.