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## **Board approves Senate recommendations**

UBC's two main governing bodies the Senate and the Board of Governors—have approved a total of nine recommendations designed to help the University cope with a deficit estimated at \$9.34 million.

The recommendations, made initially to Senate following a long process of internal University consultations, were approved by Senate during nine hours of meetings on May 25 and 27 and confirmed by the Board at its regular meeting last Thursday (June 6).

UBC's administration is currently working on implementation of the recommendations with a view to

drawing up a 1985-86 operating budget for presentation to the Board of Governors when it next meets on July 4.

The recommendations approved by the Senate and Board are as follows. AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

1. "That the undergraduate and graduate program in Agricultural Mechanics be discontinued, and that the Department of Agricultural Mechanics be renamed the Department of Bio-Resource

2. "That the Department of Poultry Science and the Department of Animal Science be discontinued as separate administrative units, and that the

faculty, programs and students in the departments be transferred to a new Department of Animal Science.

3. "That the Diploma in Agricultural Sciences be discontinued.

#### **COMMERCE AND BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

- 4. "That the degree of Licentiate in Accounting be discontinued." **DENTISTRY**
- 5. "That the program in Dental Hygiene be discontinued.
- (In forwarding this recommendation to the Board, Senate recommended that the Board urge the provincial government "to make every effort to find another

institution within British Columbia to which the program in dental hygiene could be transferred.") **EDUCATION** 

- 6. "That the Bachelor of Recreation Education program be discontinued.'
- 7. "That the Faculty of Education discontinue the offering of content courses in Industrial Education.'
- 8. "That the courses designated as 'Communications Media and Technology' be discontinued.
- 9. "That the Institute of Animal Resource Ecology be discontinued."

Senate resolved that every possible effort be made to enable students currently enrolled in discontinued programs to complete them. Dr. Daniel Birch, UBC's acting vice-president academic, assured students that programs will be phased out as students complete them.

He added that when it is confirmed which institution will offer the Diploma in Dental Hygiene in the future, the University would enrol a first-year class in the two-year program. Students in the second year would complete the diploma program in 1985-86 at UBC and the first-year class would be transferred to the institution where the program will continue to be

The same will apply to students already registered in the Bachelor of Recreation program. Those currently registered and those planning to transfer into the four-year program in the second and third years will be allowed to complete it, providing they do so in a "timely" way, Dr. Birch said.

Enrolment in the Licentiate in Accounting program was suspended last year and the last class in that degree program graduated in May.

At a news conference following last Thursday's meeting of the Board it was noted that the savings that would result from the discontinuance of programs, added to positions removed through attrition, would bring the reduction in the academic budgets of UBC's 12 faculties to about \$6.5 million.

Dr. Birch said at the close of the Senate debate on the recommendations that reducing the size of the University to cope with the deficit was an on-going process and that should the remaining reductions require program discontinuance or enrolment limitations (matters within the purview of Senate), proposals would be considered at future meetings.

A plaque in Chinese and English commemorates the generosity of the David Lam family in creating a management research library in UBC's Faculty of Commerce and Business Administration. The \$1 million gift, Mr. Lam said during opening ceremonies, is a small payment on the debt of gratitude he owes to the faculty and Canada. Mr. Lam, shown above with his wife, Dorothy, and Doreen, one of their three daughters, emigrated from Hong Kong to Canada with his family in 1967. Mr. Lam completed a diploma in real estate from the faculty and Doreen graduated with a Bachelor of Commerce degree from UBC last year. Mr. Lam agreed to make his gift public to encourage other new Canadians to demonstrate their gratitude to their adopted country.

#### The Botanical Garden is holding a special "Celebration Day" in the Main Garden on Sunday, June 16 (Father's

Garden plans 1985

'Celebration Day'

Day) from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

There will be gardening demonstrations and advice, a pipe band, tours of the garden, gate prizes, a vintage car display, face painting and special events for children. Refreshment booths will be set up in the garden and CJOR radio will be broadcasting on location.

Admission is \$1 for adults, free for children accompanied by an adult. Entrance to the Main Garden is at 6250 Stadium Road. For more information, call 228-3928.

## Gifted students participate in UBC Connect

Some 200 gifted students from B.C.'s 75 school districts will get a taste of the resources to be found in a university setting later this month when they take part in the second UBC Connect Program.

The students, chosen by the school districts, will live in UBC residences, hear a variety of daytime lectures on arts, science and professional programs from faculty members and be introduced to campus music, drama and recreation programs in the evening.

Dr. Ron Neufeld, director of the Field Development Office of the Faculty of Education, which arranges the program, says that students will be fully occupied for 12 or more hours a day during the six-day event from June 23 to

UBC started the program last year in

response to requests from a number of school districts who were eager to have the support of universities in challenging students who should be preparing themselves for post-secondary education

"The purpose of the program," Dr. Neufeld said, "is to introduce gifted high school students to the array of resources that provide stimulation and challenge at a comprehensive university.

He emphasized that the UBC Connect Program is not a device for recruiting students to attend UBC. "It's designed to encourage students to think about the possibilities of higher education. A student may decide to enrol at UBC as a by-product of participation, but the program isn't a recruiting device."

At arts day seminars the visiting students will hear lectures on such topics as the greatness of Russian literature, information retrieval, the significance of the Copernican revolution, what art is all about and Chinese religion and philosophy.

Science day seminars include topics such as poison control in B.C., genetic engineering, new discoveries in astronomy and oceanography as well as talks on computer science, physics, chemistry, mathematics and botany.

At professional day seminars, faculty members from medicine, pharmacy, education, nutritional sciences, law and nursing will deal with a variety of topics, including careers in medicine, environmental toxicology, television and society, allergies, city planning and

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#### **Man-in-Motion Tour**

Update: June 12, 1985. Rick Hansen has travelled 3,938 miles on his round-the-world wheelchair tour to raise funds for spinal cord research and rehabilitation, and is currently in De Funiak Springs, Florida. Contributions in B.C. so far total \$264,000. If you'd like to make a donation, call 687-5200.

# Parking changes approved

UBC's Board of Governors, at its meeting on June 6, approved that all parking operations at the University will be handled as an ancillary enterprise, with revenues to be used to cover operating costs and to improve and develop new and existing parking facilities. The practice, which is carried out in other campus units such as Food Services, the Bookstore and Student Housing, is effective from April 1, 1985.

"Fees for parking will continue to be reviewed by the Traffic and Parking Committee with all changes going to the Board for approval," said UBC vice-president for administration and finance Bruce Gellatly. He added that no significant increases are anticipated for 1985/86.

Upgrading activities which will be undertaken this summer include:

- Re-surfacing, re-lining and improved lighting in B Lots, as well as the establishment of controlled access to the lots using a gate entry and exit system which will be in full operation by May 1, 1986. The new system will make control of the lots considerably less labor-intensive. These costs will be fully recovered from parking revenues (no existing or future University operating or capital funds will be used for this purpose);
- Construction of an addition to the SUB Lot in the space currently occupied by the East Mall Annex, which will be demolished in August;
- Installation of parking meters along a short section on the west side of the East Mall;
- Construction of four motorcycle sheds adjacent to SUB Lot.

Over the next year the necessity of a third parkade will be examined and specific recommendations developed. Funds designated for parkade construction will amount to approximately \$860,000 by March 31, 1986.

### **Connect**

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ethical problems in the practice of law.

In the evening, students will have an opportunity to use campus recreational facilities under the supervision of members of the School of Physical Education, see a play at the campus Frederic Wood Theatre and attend a concert in UBC's Music Building.

The program, as it's presently structured, doesn't attempt to give students an intensive, in-depth look at a specific discipline, Dr. Neufeld said. "Initially," he said, "the aim is to make the students aware of university resources in a broad sense. We hope to offer programs that focus on specific areas of study in the future."

Dr. Neufeld sees the UBC Connect Program as a cooperative venture involving many organizations. "The provincial ministry of education, the participating school districts and the Gifted Children's Association provide direct financial support," he said. "The students and their families are asked to pay transportation costs and about \$60 for meals and incidental expenses."

## CAMPUS PEOPLE



Ronald Beaumont

Ronald Beaumont, a senior instructor in the Department of Germanic Studies, is putting the finishing touches on a book aimed at helping the Sechelt Indians of B.C. to revive the use of their native language.

Beaumont has been working closely with the Sechelt Indian Band since 1971, when he began gathering information about the Sechelt language. His interest in Indian languages began while he was a graduate student at the University of California at Berkeley, where he took a minor in linguistics while studying German.

In 1978, the Sechelt Indian Band, in association with the local school district, opened the Native Environmental Studies Program for white and native high school students at Deserted Bay in Jervis Inlet.

"They asked me to create a Sechelt language course for that program," Beaumont said. "At that time, the only fluent speakers of the language were older people. High school students and the younger members of the band didn't know the language at all."

There simply wasn't enough time for Beaumont to get a complete course ready, but working closely with tribe elders, he did manage to create a series of basic lessons on the language. The book he is working on, to be published shortly by Theytus Press in Penticton, is an extension of this work. It can be used as a self-contained course in the Sechelt language or as a source book for teachers teaching any level of the language from kindergarten on.

In addition to a spelling and pronunciation guide, the book includes 30 units of grammer with exercises, proverbial Indian sayings and lore, conversational phrases and sentences, an extensive glossary and three Sechelt Indian stories collected in the early part of this century by pioneer anthropologist Charles Hill-Tout, which Beaumont has translated into Sechelt, and analysed and annotated.

The Sechelt Indian Band honored Beaumont recently when they presented a three-foot model of an Indian racing canoe to him.

**Dr. Pat Crehan**, a sessional lecturer in the education faculty's Department of Administrative, Adult and Higher Education, has received the outstanding dissertation award for 1984 from the Canadian Association of Educational Administration. Dr. Crehan was awarded the degree of Doctor of Education by UBC last year.

**Prof. James P. Taylor** of UBC's Faculty of Law has been appointed Deputy Attorney-General for the Province of Saskatchewan. He replaces Dr. Richard Gosse, Q.C., also a former member of the Faculty of Law, who has been appointed Inspector-General for the new Canadian Security Intelligence Service. Prof. Taylor, who is an expert in the areas of civil litigation, criminal procedure and clinical law, joined the UBC faculty in 1975.

UBC creative writing graduate Ann Ireland has won the \$50,000 Seal First Novel Award for her book A Certain Mr. Takahashi. The award, which ensures world-wide distribution through a network of publishers who contribute to the judging, is presented by Seal/Bantam Publishers. Ms. Ireland, who graduated from UBC in 1976, was among 600 authors who entered the competition.

Dr. N. Keith Clifford of the Department of Religious Studies is the author of The Resistance to Church Union, 1904-1939, published recently by the University of B.C. Press. The book describes the opposition in the Presbyterian Church of Canada to the proposal to unite the Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian Churches in Canada to form the United Church in 1925. Dr. Clifford's study is the first to trace the development of the controversy from its origins to its conclusion in 1939, when the Presbyterians who chose to remain outside union were again allowed to use the designation of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, which had been denied to them under the union legislation.

The UBC Press has been awarded a grant of \$7,500 by the J.Paul Getty Trust to assist in publication of *Peter Stent, London Bookseller, Ca. 1642-1665* by **Dr. Alexander Globe** of UBC's English department. Stent was, in his day, England's most prolific seller of popular engravings, maps and copybooks to the working and rising middle classes. His inventory of some 1,753 copper plates reflected the shifts of popular tastes during the 17th century and commented directly on the turbulent events of the

The Getty Trust, which has its headquarters in Los Angeles, has been formed to support a broad range of scholarly works in the history of art which make a significant contribution to the field.

Katherine Teghtsoonian, a 1979 graduate of UBC in political science is currently at Stanford University, where she has been awarded a Charlotte W. Newcombe Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, which provides financial support for a full year of uninterrupted research and writing for students whose dissertations concern some aspect of ethical or religious values.

Ms. Teghtsoonian, who also holds a master's degree from Stanford, is planning a thesis entitled "Government Response to Nationalist Movements: A Comparative Analysis of the Cases of Quebec, Scotland and Wales."

**Prof. Len Staley**, head of the Department of Bio-Resource Engineering, is currently in China teaching agricultural materials handling at the Inner Mongolia College of Engineering.

**UBC** Board of Governors member Joy McCusker was one of 76 women honored for lifelong community involvement at a recent dinner of the Vancouver YWCA. Mrs. McCusker received the Award of Distinction for her contributions to Vancouver community programs and organizations, including Alexander Neighbourhood House, Cerebral Palsy Kindergarten, B.C. Synchronized Swimming, the Vancouver Art Gallery, Van Dusen Gardens, the Vancouver Public Aquarium, UBC's Museum of Anthropology and the establishment of an underprivileged camp at Sechelt.

**Dawn Carson**, a student in her final year of the five-year special education degree program in the Faculty of Education, was recently elected president of the International Student Council for Exceptional Children for 1985-86. She is only the second Canadian to be elected council president in its 63-year history.

The council is an international organization of professionals, parents and students working to improve the lives of students with special needs. A volunteer professional and student executive committee is elected annually to coordinate national activities.



Brenda Caughlin

**Brenda Caughlin**, a Ph.D. student in UBC's Department of Chemistry, is one of three North American students who have this year been awarded fellowships by the analytical division of the American Chemical Society.

She is only the second Canadian to receive one of the awards. The other award was made to a University of Waterloo student in 1970.

Worth a total of \$8,100 (U.S.), the fellowship will allow Ms.Caughlin to complete her final year of graduate work at UBC. She is associated with a research team headed by Dr. Michael Blades and is doing analytical spectroscopy using high temperature plasma sources.

Each of the fellowships is funded by a major U.S. corporation. Ms. Caughlin's is supported by E.I. Dupont de Nemours and Co., Inc.

**Dr. William Rees** of the School of Community and Regional Planning will be a participant in the first public event of the Forum for Planning Action on Saturday (June 15) at the B.C. Tel Auditorium, 3777 Kingsway, beginning at 10 a.m. He will discuss the representation of public and special interest groups in large-scale allocation and conservation management efforts during the morning session entitled "B.C.'s Resource Lands: Reconciling Forestry and Other Uses."

## Long-time faculty members retire

A total of 25 UBC faculty members, four of them with 35 or more years of teaching and research service will reach the age of retirement in the year that ends on June 30.

Retiring after 40 years of continuous service in the Department of Civil Engineering is Harry R. Bell, who has been responsible for teaching topics in engineering surveying, photogrammetry photogrammetric surveying, air photo interpretation and, more recently, remote sensing, since 1945.

A graduate of UBC (BASc'42) and University College London (MSc'56), Mr. Bell also served as a consultant to the City of Vancouver in the early 1960's and was in charge of a special project related to vertical survey control in the city.

Another UBC graduate who retires after 39 years of teaching and research is Prof. Robert M. Clark, who returned to UBC in 1946 to begin lecturing in the Department of Economics after obtaining his doctorate at Harvard. He was awarded his B.Comm. degree in 1941 and a B.A. with honors in economics by UBC in 1942.

For a decade, from 1965 to 1975, Prof. Clark was director of UBC's Office of Academic Planning (now Budget, Planning and Systems Management) and was a long-time member of UBC's Senate. An expert on government finance and taxation, Prof. Clark has also had a long and close association with theological colleges affiliated with the University, particularly the Vancouver School of Theology.

Other UBC faculty members who retire with 35 or more years of service are:

- Prof. Sidney H. Zbarsky, a member of the Department of Biochemistry in the Faculty of Medicine since 1949, former president of the Canadian Biochemical Society (1967-68), a long-time member of UBC's Senate and a member of numerous UBC committees on radioactive isotopes and radiation hazards, the Library, and numerous Faculty Association committees; and
- UBC graduate (BA'42,BASc'43) Prof. Kenneth C. McTaggart, who returned to the campus in 1950 after graduate work at Queen's University (MSc'46) and Yale University (PhD'48) to begin a 35-year teaching and research career in the Department of Geological Sciences. He was the co-recipient, with two other colleagues, of the gold medal of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy in 1957.

The following faculty members reach retirement age after 30 or more years at UBC.

- Winifred J. Bracher, a member of the School of Family and Nutritional Sciences since 1951, where she specialized in textiles and clothing, is a former president of the Canadian Home Economics Association.
- Prof. John J. Stock, a member of the Department of Microbiology for 34 years. Prof. Stock has been a leading researcher in the field of mycology.
- Dr. Hamish W. McIntosh, a professor in the UBC medical school's Department of Medicine, retires after 33 years association with UBC, which has included periods as director of the division of endocrinology and metabolism and director of the clinical investigation unit at Shaughnessy Hospital. He is a former president of the Canadian Society for Clinical Investigation.
- Dr. Sydney Segal, professor of paediatrics and head of the division of maternal, foetal and neonatal medicine, has been associated with UBC's Faculty of Medicine for 32 years. His special interests include Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS), child abuse and child drug dependency.
- Prof. Ralph Loffmark of the Faculty of Commerce and Business Administration has been a member of faculty since 1954. Elected to the provincial legislature in 1963, he held two cabinet posts between 1964 and

1972, when he returned to teaching duties at UBC. An expert in commercial law, tax planning and government regulation of business, Prof. Loffmark was the co-winner in 1976 of UBC's Master Teacher Award.

• Albert E. Piloto reaches retirement age after 30 years of teaching in the Department of English, where he specialized in the work of Shakespeare.

Faculty members who reach retirement age after 20 or more years of teaching and research at UBC are as follows.

- UBC graduate (BA'52, BEd.'57) Frederick Gornall, who joined the UBC faculty in 1959 after a career as a B.C. teacher and school principal.
- Dr. Edward L. Margetts, professor of psychiatry in UBC's Faculty of Medicine for 26 years, during which time he served as head of psychiatry at the Vancouver General Hospital. Dr. Margetts has served with the World Health Organization in Geneva as medical officer in charge of mental health services and has been associated with the promotion of mental health programs in developing countries, particularly in Africa.
- Elliot Weisgarber, whose association with the UBC Department of Music began in 1960, is widely known as a composer and as an expert in Japanese composition and performance practice.
- Prof. Charlotte David, one of the pioneers of UBC's special education program and the first coordinator of the B.C. Mental Retardation Institute, retires after 23 years in the Faculty of Education. For her role in establishing the institute, the Variety CLub honored her in 1976 by presenting her with its Heart Award.
- Also retiring after 23 years at UBC is Dorothy G. Styra of the School of Rehabilitation Medicine in the Faculty of Medicine. Ms. Styra joined UBC in 1962 on a part-time basis and received a full-time appointment in 1969.
- Catherine Wisnicki, a member of the faculty of the School of Architecture since 1963, first on a part-time basis (1963-67) and from 1967 on a full-time basis. Mrs. Wisnicki, who was the first woman to graduate in architecture from McGill in 1943, joined UBC after practicing architecture in Quebec and Vancouver.
- Dr. Stefan Grzybowski, of the Department of Medicine in UBC's medical faculty, who is widely known for his research on a variety of respiratory diseases, including asthma, lung cancer and tuberculosis. He has been a faculty member for 21 years.
- Prof. Angus M. Gunn of the Faculty of Education, a prolific author of books and booklets for use in schools and journal articles, CBC telecasts and filmstrips on geographic topics, has been a member of faculty for 21 years. He is widely known locally as the compiler of material for the "Topic Today" page which appeared regularly in *The Province*
- Dr. John D. Spouge, a member of the faculty in UBC's dental school since 1963 and former head of the faculty's Department of Oral Medicine, retires after 21 years on campus.
- Dr. Betty Jean Poland, a professor in the medical school's Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology for 20 years, is the co-ordinator of the team that successfully carried out in 1983 the in vitro fertilization and embryo transfer that resulted in the birth of the first "in vitro" baby conceived and born in Canada.
  - Douglas Bankson, a 20-year

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## 'Cheeze factory' dedicated

UBC engineering students and graduates have a new centre for their activities in a renovated building that began life some 65 years ago as a cheese factory.

Originally built at a cost of \$2,000 after the First World War to serve as a vocational training centre for returning veterans, the building was initially occupied by members of the Department of Dairying of the Faculty of Agriculture. It was used as a dairy products manufacturing laboratory.

During the 1930's, two enterprising students of that day, Norman Ingledew and Wilf Tait, began manufacturing a gourmet variety of cheese called Kingston cheese, which had been developed by UBC professor Dr. Wilfrid Sadler, then head of the dairying department.

The cheese was sold from 1932 to 1939 in the grocery department of Spencer's department store (now occupied by Sear's) in downtown Vancouver.

As the years went by the wooden building began to deteriorate and was used for a variety of purposes, including storage and for animal science research involving chickens and rabbits.

Meanwhile, the engineering components of the Faculty of Applied Science had begun the process of relocating on the southern edge of the academic core of the campus. Eventually the old cheese factory found itself completely surrounded by the Electrical Engineering and the Civil and Mechanical Engineering Buildings.

The Engineering Undergraduate Society, forced to give up their common room in the old engineering building (now occupied by computer science), arranged to occupy half of the old cheese factory. In the summer of 1981, with the termination of chicken research in the other half of the building, the EUS was given permission to tear down the dividing wall and occupy the entire building.

Undergraduate students invested some \$35,000 in renovating the building and in 1983 the Engineering Alumni Division established the "Cheeze Factory

Heritage Fund" and raised more than \$13,000 to complete the project. (The EUS spelling of the word "cheeze" comes from the long-standing tradition of misspelling words in the EUS "nEUSlettre.")

On May 23 the Cheeze Factory was officially dedicated as a centre for engineering student and alumni activities. A highlight of the occasion was the cutting of a ribbon by Dr. Neil Risebrough, associate vice-president for student services and former assistant dean of the Faculty of Applied Science.



Dr. Neil Risebrough, associate vice-president for student services, officially opened the refurbished "Cheeze Factory" as an activity centre for engineering students and alumni.

## VSE supports investment research

The Vancouver Stock Exchange has established a \$120,000 research fund in the University of B.C.'s Faculty of Commerce and Business Administration.

Annual earnings from the capital fund will support research in security and capital markets.

VSE President Donald Hudson said the exchange is pleased to provide the unique research fund to UBC. Mr. Hudson said the University is a leading centre for business research in North America and that the finance and urban land divisions in the Faculty of Commerce and Business Administration are internationally recognized.

Dr. Peter Lusztig, who was head of the finance division before becoming dean of the faculty, said the fund is a valuable addition.

"The exchange should be congratulated for pursuing excellence," Dr. Lusztig said. "I should point out that the exchange also supports students through scholarships and awards at the three B.C. universities and at other post-secondary institutions in the province."

A wide range of research is carried out in the faculty with implications for exchanges and the public's understanding of investments.

For example, last year Drs. Michael Brennan and Eduardo Schwartz developed a new approach for evaluating natural resource investments. The technique not only gives the value of the resource but also the optimal policy for managing it. The technique is a management tool as much as a method for determining investment policy, and is based on research into the options market.

The initial gift by the exchange is \$60,000. It will be followed by contributions of \$15,000 a year for four years.

#### **Calendar Deadlines**

The next issue of UBC Reports will be published on Wednesday, July 10, and will cover events in the period July 14 to Aug. 17. Material must be submitted not later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, July 4. Send notices to UBC Community Relations, 6328 Memorial Road (Old Administration Building). For further information, call 228-3131

Items for inclusion in the Calendar listing of events must be submitted on proper Calendar forms which are available from the Community

#### **SUNDAY, JUNE 16** Garden Celebration Day.

The Botanical Garden is holding its Celebration Day in the Main Garden. Entrance to the garden is on Stadium Road. Events include gardening demonstrations, a pipe band, tours, veteran car display and special events for children. Admission \$1 for adults, free for children accompanied by an adult. Call 228-3928 for further information. Main Garden. 11 a.m. to 5

## MONDAY, JUNE 17 Rehabilitation Medicine Lecture.

Maturation of Gait in Normal Infants—EMG and Movement Correlation. Dr. Carol Richards, Neurobiology Research Centre, Laval University. Room G279, Acute Care Unit, Health Sciences Centre Hospital. 12 noon

## TUESDAY, JUNE 18 Psychiatry Grand Rounds.

Hypothalamic-Pituitary Function in Depression. Dr. Athanasios P. Zis, Department of Psychiatry, VGH. For additional information: 875-4515, local 2549. Lecture Hall "B", Faculty of Medicine Building, Vancouver General Hospital. 9:15 a.m.

#### **THURSDAY, JUNE 27** Mathematics Colloquium.

TBA. Prof. Paul Erdos, Hungarian Academy of Sciences. Room 1100, Mathematics Annex

#### **MONDAY, JULY 1** Canada Day.

University closed

#### **TUESDAY, JULY 9 AIESEC-UBC Luncheon.**

Business luncheon. The Hon. Don Phillips, Minister of International Trade and Investment. will speak on Government's Role in Promoting Pacific Rim Trade. Cost is \$25. For reservations, call 228-6256. Hotel Vancouver. 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

#### MONDAY, JULY 29 AIESEC-UBC Luncheon.

Business luncheon. Bruce Howe, President of BCRIC, will speak on Marketing B.C.'s Products Within the Pacific Rim. Cost is \$25. For reservations, call 228-6256. Hotel Vancouver. 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

#### Notices...

#### **Host Families Wanted**

Host families wanted to provide room and board for graduate students from the People's Republic of China who will be studying ESL and Commerce for approximately seven weeks this summer. Families are paid \$13.50 per day. Contact Pat at the Centre for Continuing Education, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 222-5274, for details.

#### Getting to Know Vancouver

English as a Second Language course for visitors and newcomers to Vancouver. Classes begin Tuesday, July 2. For further information, please call the English Language Institute, Centre for Continuing Education at 222-5258.

#### **Parking Changes**

Effective Saturday, June 8, 1985, Sub lot, L lot and Health Sciences parkade will be in operation on weekends and statutory holidays, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. An attendant will be on duty to control visitor parking in these areas

#### **Language Programs**

Three-week, non-credit French intensive daytime programs start June 10 and July 8. Three week, non-credit Spanish and Japanese intensive daytime programs start July 8. For more information, contact Language Programs and Services, Centre for Continuing

#### **Residential French Immersion** Program

The Summer Language Bursary Program (SLBP) in French will be offered July 8 to Aug. 16 by Language Programs and Services, a division of UBC's Centre for Continuing Education. The program, financed by the Secretary of State and administered by the B.C. Ministry of Education, is open to Canadian or landed-immigrant students over 18 years of age who have been full-time students in the 1984-85 academic year. Last minute enrolment to replace no-shows or drop-outs occur each year during the first two weeks of July. If you wish to be considered for such a program, please leave your name and phone number with Barbara Lee at 222-5224.

## **NITEP** program receives grant

The Native Indian Teacher Education Program (NITEP) in the Faculty of Education has received a grant of \$100,000 to upgrade a resource centre that houses teaching and research material on Native Indian education.

The grant came from the estate of Joseph S. Stauffer, a graduate of Queen's University, who died in 1978. His will directed that the residue of his estate should be distributed to charities.

A spokesman for the Toronto law firm which is distributing the estate said Mr. Stauffer had a special interest in Canada's native peoples and that the needs of the NITEP program had been brought to the attention of the executor of the Stauffer estate by the Donner Canadian Foundation of Toronto.

Verna Kirkness, director of NITEP, said the Native Indian Resource Centre was established in the early 1970's. The material housed in the centre is available for the use of anyone interested in Native Indian education.

NITEP, which enrolled its first class of students in 1974, has now graduated a total of 65 Native Indian teachers. This year, seven NITEP students received their degrees at the spring Congregation.

#### **Retirement Gathering**

A retirement party for Winnifred J. Bracher will be held on Friday, June 28, 4 to 6 p.m. Friends of Win are invited to join her for coffee in the Faculty Lounge of the new School of Home Economics Building (Family and Nutritional

#### **Botanical Garden Hours**

The Nitobe Japanese Garden, located adjacent to the Asian Centre, is open daily from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. The Main Garden, located on Stadium Road. is open daily from 10 a.m. to dusk

#### **Volunteers Wanted**

Two separate studies are being conducted by researchers in Dr. Suedfeld's REST Research laboratory, one designed to treat insomnia, the other to treat tension headaches. People suffering either from insomnia or tension headaches are asked to volunteer for the appropriate study. The purpose of the research projects is to develop effective non-drug therapies for insomnia or tension headache sufferers. The study will compare a number of different relaxation treatments, including guided relaxation exercises

and various relaxation environments.

The treatments being used are not experimental, as they have all been reliably shown to induce a deep state of relaxation. What is new is the combination of treatments being studied and their application to either insomnia or tension headaches.

To volunteer for either study, or to get more information, please call 228-6666.

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- Alzheimer's Disease & Related Disorders Assoc., Inc. R.M. Parsons Fdn. Research Grants (8)
- · American Chemical Society: PRF Research Type AC(1)
- American Institute for Cancer Research Research(1)
- Association of Commonwealth Universities Commonwealth Medical Fellowship(31)
- B.C. Cancer Foundation
- Travel Grant for Post-doctoral Fellows(15) • Canada Council: Writing/Public.
- Translation Grant(15)
- Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp. Research Grants Type A (to \$3500)(26)
- · Canadian Diabetes Assoc.
- Charles H. Best Fund(15)
- Deafness Research Foundation
- Research(15) • Deutscher Akadem. Austauschdienst
- (DAAD) Study Visits of Foreign Academics(1)
- Health & Welfare Canada: NHRDP Awards
- National Health Research Scholars(31)
- National Health Scientists(31)
- Postdoctoral Fellowships(31) Visiting National Health Scientist
- Awards(31) March of Dimes Birth Defects Edn.
- (U.S.)
- Clinical Research Human Birth
- Merck Company Foundation
- Fellowships in Clinical Pharmacology(1) • NSERC: Fellowships Division
- E.W.R. Steacie Memorial Fellowships(1)
- **Rhodes University** -- Hugh Kelly Fellowship(31)
- Hugh Le May Fellowship(31)
- SSHRC: Intl. Relations Division International Congresses Held in
- Canada(1)
- Travel to Int'l Scholarly Conferences(1)
- SSHRC: Research Grants Division Major Research Grants(1)
- U.S. Dept. of Health, Educ. & Welfare NIH Grants to Foreign Institutions(1)
- Von Humboldt Fdn. (W.Germany)
- Research Fellowship(1)
- W.T. Grant Fdn.
- -- Faculty Program in Mental Health of Children(1)
- World Cultural Council
- Jean J. Rousseau World Award of Education(3)
- Albert Einstein World Award of Science(31)

#### **Research Forest Tours**

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Why not enjoy an educational outdoor experience at the University of B.C. Research Forest in Maple Ridge this Sunday? Free guided walks begin at 2 p.m. each Sunday, rain or shine, until Sept. 2. The walks are led by registered professional foresters and last approximately two hours. The trails are well constructed. Visitors are encouraged to bring along a camera and a picnic lunch and make a day of it. For further information and directions, contact the Research Forest at 463-8148 or the Canadian Forestry Association of B.C. at 683-7591. The forest is open to the public from dawn to dusk seven days a week for those who wish to explore on their own Groups of 20 or more can arrange for individual guided tours during the week. Dogs are not allowed in the Research Forest

#### **Guided Independent Study**

Please contact Guided Independent Study. 228-3214, for a copy of their 1985/86 calendar of courses offered through correspondence

## **Retirements**

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member of faculty and head of the Department of Creative Writing from 1976-83, wrote, produced and directed numerous plays and was also co-founder and later president of Vancouver's New Play Centre.

Other faculty members who reach retirement age this year are:

- · Prof. James P. Duncan, head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering from 1966 to 1978 and the inventor of a machining method to produce sculptured surfaces (e.g., artificial limbs) in engineering and medicine, after 19 years at UBC;
- Prof. Bernard E. Riedel, who joined UBC in 1967 as dean of the **Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences** and who has also served as Co-ordinator of Health Sciences since 1977, after 18 years at UBC:
- Prof. Frederic J. Grover, a member of the Department of French for the past 18 years and the author of a number of pioneering studies in the field of late 19th and 20th century French literature;
- Dr. Anne O.J. Crichton, a member of the Department of Health Care and Epidemiology for the past 16 years and an expert in the field of health services planning; and
- Doris E. Haslam, who has been a member of the faculty in the School of Nursing since 1981.

Two program directors in UBC's Centre for Continuing Education retire on June 30. They are: MaryFrank Mcfarlane, a 24-year member of the centre's staff who is currently director of educational travel and overseas programs; and Henry M. "Hank" Rosenthal, social science program director at the centre for 23 years and former president of the B.C. division of the Community Planning Association of Canada.

#### Other retirements:

Dr. J.E.B. "Gene" Ryan, former lecturer in the psychology department and a 26-year member of the staff of **UBC's Student Counselling and Resources** Centre; and

Melva Dwyer, first head of the fine arts division of the UBC library and a 31-year member of its professional staff, who was honored by the Canadian Association of Special Libraries and Information Services last year for her "long and distinguished service as a special librarian.