

Graduate, staff member proves **PERSEVERANCE PAYS**

By Mike Krings

To say Sofia Galarza Liu had a bad summer in 2002 is an epic understatement.

Instead of sun, vacation and fun, she had surgery, school and work. Despite the hardships, she still finished her master's degree and helped the Spencer Museum of Art take a technological leap.

Liu, collections manager at the museum, was in the middle of two major projects when she went to the hospital for surgery to repair a knee injury. She was co-managing a digitization project to make the museum's collections more accessible and working on a master's degree in museum studies.

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- Sofia Galarza Liu, collections manager, Spencer Museum of Art

After the surgery, doctors discovered Liu had thyroid cancer. She endured another surgery to remove her thyroid and then underwent radioactive iodine treatment. The treatment is notorious for taking a lot out of a person, but it was not enough to make her stop. She continued working and took three credit hours that fall.

"I didn't want to stop working, because I didn't want to admit defeat," Liu said. "The surgery was actually the easiest part, looking back."

Fortunately, the cancer was detected early, and she is now in remission.

Liu's life and career haven't always been that grim. A Lawrence native, she earned a bachelor's in art history and started working at the Spencer museum as a student in 1997. She



R. Steve Dick/University Relations

Sofia Galarza Liu, collections manager at the Spencer Museum of Art, will walk down the hill next month and take part in the master's hooding ceremony. Liu overcame cancer, surgeries and had a daughter, all while helping digitize the museum's collections and earning her master's in museum studies.

worked as a greeter and in a variety of other roles at a place she'd long wanted to be.

"I've always been interested in museums," Liu said. "My father works at the Natural History Museum. The joke at home is that museum work is the 'family business.'"

After earning her bachelor's, she left Lawrence for short time. She returned to the Spencer museum in 2001 to work in its registrar's office, where she helped implement a new collection management database. For the project, she established data entry standards, organized

records and customized the database to fit the museum's needs. The Spencer museum is one of the first U.S. museums to use the software.

"It's been one of the biggest projects undertaken at the muse-

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Taylor brings pollinators' plight to public eye

By Brendan Lynch

Humans are reducing numbers of pollinators like bees and butterflies by destroying habitats, spraying pesticides and emitting pollution. Now, a KU researcher and a world-famous Kansas-based crop artist are behind a nationwide campaign to publicize the peril faced by species that transfer pollen between flowers.

"This is serious," said Orley "Chip" Taylor,

professor of ecology and evolutionary biology.

"We're losing 6,000 acres of habitat a day to development, 365 days a year. One out of every three bites you eat is traceable to pollinators' activity. But if you start losing pollinators, you start losing plants." Taylor works with the North American Pollinator Protection Campaign. That group has successfully encouraged the U.S. Department of Agriculture and U.S. Senate to

designate June 24-30 as "National Pollinator Week." The protection campaign also has convinced the United States Postal Service to issue a block of four "pollination" stamps this summer depicting a Morrison's bumble bee, a calliope hummingbird, a lesser long-nosed bat and a Southern dogface butterfly. To call more attention to pollinators at risk, Taylor has enlisted help from noted Kansas-

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CAPS available to assist in recovery

Counseling and Psychological Services are available to assist in coping with the Virginia Tech tragedy. Counselors are also available to meet with classes and living groups, and suggest the following methods to cope with the situation.

- Share with people who care for and support you your reactions, thoughts and how the experience affected you.
- Know that reactions to trauma are normal responses to an abnormal experience.
- Seek to gain perspective on the experience through participation in counseling, meditation, reading, spiritual reflection or involvement in support or religious groups. To contact CAPS, call 864-2277

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CAMPUS NEWS

Prof to lead \$7.5 million research center

Grant to expand study of male contraceptive

A professor at the KU Medical Center has received more than \$7.5 million from the National Institutes of Health to lead a team of researchers to develop male contraceptives.

The five-year grant will establish the Interdisciplinary Center for Male Contraceptive Research and Drug Development, a multi-institutional organization that will work to develop non-hormonal, reversible male contraceptive agents for drug production.

The center will involve research teams at the KU Medical Center and Lawrence campus and collaborators from the University of Minnesota, Duke University, the University of California-San Francisco, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School and the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey.

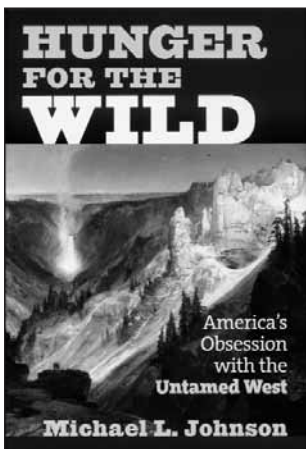
Joseph Tash, associate professor of molecular and integrative physiology at the KU Medical Center, will lead the center. Associate director is Gunda Georg, chair of medicinal chemistry at the University of

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KU IQ: Legions of students will walk down the hill during commencement next month, capping their academic careers. KU annually awards one-third of the bachelor's and master's degrees and two-thirds of the doctorates granted at regents schools in Kansas. The university awards more than 600 doctoral degrees a year.

BOOKSHELF



WILD WEST OBSESSION: In his book "Hunger for the Wild: America's Obsession with the Untamed West," Michael L. Johnson, professor of English, gives a cultural and historical analysis of how ideas of wildness have shaped the way Euro-Americans have perceived, reacted to and acted upon the West for nearly 500 years. He goes on to tell how explorers and settlers brought with them Old World ideas, often full of contradictions, that have led to today's degraded wilderness areas, over-taxed water supplies and sprawling suburbs.

WEB WORKS

CHAMPIONS OF LUXURY: As the KU men's basketball team was making its run to the Elite Eight, Forbestraveler.com had a slide show feature called "Luxury Final Four," which highlighted attractions and accommodations in college towns whose schools were vying for the title. Lawrence's section featured a photo of the Booth Family Hall of Athletics. "Visit the Booth Family Hall of Athletics to learn about KU legends like James Naismith, the game's inventor, who founded the Jayhawks' hoops program and served as its first coach," the article says. www.forbestraveler.com/2007/03/07032701_story.html



HEADLINERS

THE YOUTUBE PRESIDENT: David Perlmutter, professor and associate dean of graduate studies at the journalism school, was quoted in a recent Agence France Presse article about the effect of the Internet and sites such as YouTube on the 2008 presidential cam-

paign. "This probably is the year we learn and write new rules about how to integrate all of these new interactive instant media technology such as blogs, Facebook or YouTube into campaigns and elections," he was quoted as saying.

CAMPUS ROUNDUP

KU MEDICAL CENTER: The findings of a research group led by Lisa Stehno-Bittel, assistant professor of physical therapy, and Ronal MacGregor, professor of anatomy and cell biology, were recently reported in the American Journal of Physiology. Their research looked at islet transplantation as a treatment to cure diabetes. The procedure isolates islets from a healthy donor and places them in a person with diabetes.

KU SCHOOL OF MEDICINE-WICHITA: Judy Johnson, professor of preventive medicine and public health, and her staff are conducting focus group

research in 16 cities on childhood obesity. The Sunflower Foundation: Healthcare for Kansans is funding the project. The goal of the study is to improve understanding of challenges faced by Kansas schools and communities in regards to obesity among children.

EDWARDS CAMPUS: Legendary Jayhawk broadcaster Max Falkenstien will promote his new book "A Good Place to Stop: 60 Seasons with Max and the Jayhawks" from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. May 3, at Jayhawk Central. The event is free. For more information, call (913) 897-8580.

CAMPUS CLOSEUP

Mary Ryan

Associate dean, academic affairs, Edwards Campus

Years at current job: 5 1/2 - 16 years total at KU

Job duties: Academic program development, student services, overall campus management, and campus budget in consultation with the vice chancellor.

The Edwards Campus' student population is primarily working adults. How are your student services different than those for traditional students? Our students are extremely busy juggling work, family and school. We know that many of our students want their services online or take care of them on the one or two nights a week they are on campus. We have an excellent staff at our reception desk that fields many questions for our students until 7:30 p.m. every night.

We have developed a great partnership with Student Success in Lawrence. We have developed student services focused on academic support and retention. Since 2004, we have added consistent onsite services from the Writing Center, Academic Achievement and Access Center/Disability Resources, the University Career Center and the expanded KU Bookstore now available to our students at Jayhawk Central.

We know that nationally the adult learner counts on excellent library and technology services. Our Regents Center library and information technology staff are central to decisions we make about student services. All of our degree programs offer an adviser that works with the student from before they are an applicant to the day they graduate.



Submitted/Elaine Warren

After a decade on the Lawrence campus, Mary Ryan assumed the role of associate dean of academic affairs at KU's Edwards Campus.

You serve as the liaison for several partnerships. Why are these partnerships important to the mission of Edwards Campus? Our mission is to bring the high quality programs, research and service of KU to this community. Every member of our staff understands the importance of this role and makes it a part of their week to connect to the community. We know developing these relationships serves our students and this campus in important ways. This region counts on KU for expertise and to help guide the future of Kansas City.

You chair the campus academic program planning team.

What is the role of this group, and how does it work with other departments throughout the university? This campus is unique because KU has created it with the philosophy that our faculty in Lawrence will travel to teach at KU Edwards. The quality of our faculty is very important to students. Our academic program team works closely with academic units to research, develop and implement new academic programs and services as they relate to the campus, create strategies for maintaining programs and act as an advisory board for strategic issues facing the campus.



March employees of the month celebrated

Elaine Warren Unclassified employee

Started at KU: 1999.

Current title: Director of public relations, KU Edwards Campus.

What that means: Warren is responsible for promoting the campus, its programs and its activities to the greater Kansas City metropolitan area and internal and external audiences.

Notable: For several years Warren has organized Edwards Campus participation in the annual Day of Caring sponsored by United Way. She was also selected for the Overland Park Chamber Foundation Leadership class.



Elaine Warren

Penny Lynn Fritts University support staff

Started at KU: 1993.

Current title: Graduate secretary, Department of Sociology.

What that means: Fritts keeps current on policies and procedures and ensures that faculty, graduate students and staff are informed of changes. She handles a wide variety of correspondence and organizes graduate applicant data so the committee has all necessary information.

Notable: Fritts has taken on responsibility for maintenance of the department's Web site and regularly reviews and updates content, tests the site and links to ensure proper operation.



Penny Lynn Fritts

TECH TIPS

IM A LIBRARIAN: Library help is available online through "IM a Librarian," an instant messaging service available at www.lib.ku.edu/aska librarian. Those with an account through Yahoo! Messenger, MSN Messenger, AOL Instant Messenger or GoogleTalk installed on their computers can add "kullibrarian1" or "kullibrarian2" to their list of contacts or buddies.

SNAPSHOTS

E-mail photos for snapshots to oread@ku.edu. Be sure to include names of individuals in the photo.

Randy Edmonds/University Relations

Sheree Willis, program associate for the Center for East Asian Studies and associate director of the Confucius Institute, lectures during a Chinese language class with employees of Black and Veatch. Employees of the company take the classes through the Confucius Institute located at KU's Edwards Campus in Overland Park.



Mary Jane Dunlap/University Relations

Don Steeples, the Dean A. McGee Distinguished Professor of Applied Geophysics and vice provost for scholarly support, laughs with his wife Tammy, center, and Saralyn Reece Hardy, director of the Spencer Museum of Art. A reception at the museum in March celebrated Steeples' recently awarded distinguished lectureship.

campus news

TOPONYMS: Opened on west campus in 1980 as a geohydrology annex to the Kansas Geological Survey, Foley Hall was named for Frank C. Foley, director of the survey from 1954 to 1970. The Kansas Biological Survey was housed in the one-story, red-brick building from 1989 to 2003, when it moved to Higuchi Hall. Foley Hall is now the home of Monarch Watch, which monitors the migrations and habitats of monarch butterflies.

A solemn tribute



R. Steve Dick/University Relations

Members of the university community gathered April 17 for a candlelight vigil at the Memorial Campanile to honor and remember the victims of the shooting at Virginia Tech and their families. Speakers included Chancellor Robert Hemenway, Jason Boots, student body president; Matt Drake, a KU graduate student who earned a bachelor's at Virginia Tech; and Sean Heston, president of KU Religious Advisors.

Cancer awareness plates to adorn Kansas vehicles

Legislation to create a "Breast Cancer Research and Outreach" license plate designed by a KU professor has passed and is awaiting signing by Gov. Kathleen Sebelius.

Senate Bill 198 will make available a license plate with a pink ribbon, sunflower and the words "Driven to Cure." For every plate sold, \$50 will be contributed to KU Cancer Center for breast cancer research and outreach.

Gregory Thomas, professor and chair of the Department of Design, designed the plate. Sen. Barbara Allen, R-Overland Park, a breast cancer survivor, introduced the bill.

The plates may be available as early as January. Before they can be produced, the sponsoring agency, KU Cancer Center, must guarantee that the Kansas Department of Motor Vehicles will receive \$10,000 — funds will be raised through private sources — and guarantee an initial issuance of at least 500 plates. Allen said she hopes to have both hurdles cleared in time to get the plates on cars in early 2008.

Thomas said he hopes to help with a fundraising effort to cover the initial \$10,000 cost, noting he doesn't want designing the plate to be the end of his involvement in the project. Details on the fundraising project are yet to be determined, but Thomas said he would help make the campus community aware of the project.

Royalty fees from the pink plates will go directly to the KU Cancer Center to support a statewide coordinator for the Midwest Cancer Alliance. The alliance serves as a liaison between the cancer center, hospi-



Submitted/Barbara Allen

Roy Jensen, director of the KU Cancer Center, and Sen. Barbara Allen, R-Overland Park, display a model of what new license plates that raise funds for research at the KU Cancer Center will look like. A bill Allen introduced making the plates possible, was recently passed.

tals, physicians and clinics across the state. Such coordination will assist the cancer center's statewide medical director in getting word out to Kansas breast cancer patients of prevention and early detection protocols, treatment choices and clinical studies.

More information on the license plates will be available on

the Kansas Department of Revenue's Web site: www.ksrevenue.org/vehicle.htm.

Funds raised from the speciality license plates will also help the KU Cancer Center achieve National Cancer Institute designation as a comprehensive cancer center.



KU rises in ranks for NSF research funding

KU rose four places in the National Science Foundation's most recent ranking of national public research universities. KU was 44th — its highest ranking yet — in federally funded science and engineering research expenditures in 2005, with \$111 million. In 2004, KU was ranked 48th.

"This is a significant measure of the quality of our faculty," said Chancellor Robert Hemenway. "Research is central to KU's overall mission. A rise in the NSF rankings demonstrates a competitive spirit and a desire to explore that carries over into the classroom and benefits our students." Jim Roberts, vice provost for research, noted that federal science and engineering grants,

funded by such agencies as NSF and the National Institutes of Health, are the most difficult to get.

"KU has risen in the rankings by 11 places in 10 years," he said. "A one-year increase is good, but it's the long-term trend that matters. KU made steady progress during the past decade, relative to peer universities. It reflects sustained investment in facilities, faculty and doctoral students." KU moved ahead of North Carolina State, Oregon State, Utah State and Florida State in the rankings. KU now ranks fifth among the public Big 12 universities, following Colorado, Texas, Texas A&M and the statewide Nebraska system.

New purchasing guidelines, in effect June 1, should simplify procedures

Recently passed legislation should make purchasing regulations at KU simpler, more cost effective and quicker.

Barry Swanson, director of purchasing, said in a series of recent workshops that Senate Bill 52 will make substantial changes to purchasing procedures.

"(SB 52) makes some dramatic changes to purchasing and how it's handled on

campus. This is a quantum leap forward," he said.

The bill exempts KU from basic state purchasing statutes and from Prison Made Goods Act guidelines. The Kansas Board of Regents chose KU and Fort Hays State to take part in the three-year pilot program.

The new regulations go into effect June 1. Under the project, a few of the current

mandatory purchasing contracts will remain. There will also be "preferred" contracts, as well as optional and cooperative contracts. Swanson said the goal is to create savings for the university by allowing for competition among vendors, which can help ensure KU gets the best price on purchases, whether through state approved vendors or other companies.

"We're trying to put together a system that takes the best of all of them," Swanson said.

Some guidelines will remain. For example, if a purchase is in excess of \$5,000, the same forms will be necessary.

Training for purchasing under the new guidelines will begin later this month.



KUDOS

Ted Frederickson, professor of journalism, received the first Budig Teaching Professorship in Writing for 2007-08. As part of the award, he will present an address on the importance of teaching writing in the fall semester. The professorship is given by former Chancellor Gene Budig.

Ed Wiley, professor of ecology and evolutionary biology and senior curator of ichthyology at the Biodiversity Institute, spoke April 9 and 10 at the University of South Carolina. He will be an inaugural A.C. Moore lecturer.

Peggy Kuhr, professor of journalism, and **Heidi Fedak**, graduate research assistant in journalism, will present an interactive program called "Citizen Journalism: How Newspapers Can Connect With

Communities to Engage Readers" at the Kansas Press Association's 115th annual convention April 21 in Topeka.

Kerry Benson, lecturer in journalism, and **Doug Ward**, assistant professor of journalism, were chosen by the journalism school's graduate students to be honored at the annual Celebration of Teaching reception May 8. It is sponsored by the Center for Teaching Excellence.

Patti Fisher, telecommunications engineer, **Shawna Irwin**, project manager, **Larry Lovell**, assistant director of infrastructure planning and engineering services, and **Steve McCarthy**, telecommunications engineer (all of NTS), have been coordinating quarterly meetings of the first BICSI Breakfast Club

chapter in the United States. BICSI is a professional association supporting the information transport systems industry with information, education and assessment for individuals and companies. The local chapter has also helped cities such as St. Louis, Mo., and Omaha, Neb., kick off their BICSI Breakfast Club meetings.

Ray Finch, assistant director of the Center for Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies, was invited in early April to give two lectures dealing with Russian culture and current Russian foreign policy for the Eurasian Orientation Course, conducted at the U.S. Air Force Special Operations School in Hurlburt Field, Florida.

Bill Tuttle, professor of

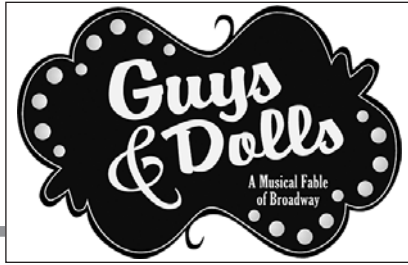
American studies who holds the John Adams Distinguished Fulbright Chair in American History, is teaching at Radboud University in Nijmegen, the Netherlands. On Feb. 27, Tuttle spoke at Leiden University on "America's Red Summers: Racial Violence and Civil Rights in 20th-Century America." On March 2, he spoke on "The Social Sciences, Oral History and Research in American Studies" at Utrecht University. He was invited by the U.S. Ambassador to the Netherlands Roland Arnall to lecture in The Hague on March 13, and on April 13 he joined the Dutch Prime Minister and the U.S. Ambassador at a reception in The Hague.

Brian Rosenblum, scholarly digital initiatives librarian, was interviewed about KU

ScholarWorks for the March 1 newscast on KUJH-TV. He spoke about how KU ScholarWorks makes research conducted by KU faculty and researchers more accessible.

Andrea Herstowski Wertzberger, assistant professor of design, and **Richard Varney**, associate professor of design, were honored Jan. 19 by the American Institute of Graphic Artists' Kansas City chapter. Wertzberger and Varney earned Design Awards for the Web site they created for the Quarked! Adventures in the Subatomic Universe project, initiated in 2003 by Alice Bean, professor of physics, and a team of collaborators. Wertzberger was the Web site designer, and Varney was the illustrator and illustration art director.

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23 Monday

Seminar. New Staff Orientation. 8 a.m. 204 Joseph R. Pearson Hall. Free. Sponsored by Human Resources and Equal Opportunity. Call 864-4946. Public event. Junior Day. Registration required. 9:30 a.m. Kansas Union. \$15. Sponsored by Office of Admissions and Scholarships. Call 864-3911. Workshop. "No Place for Amateurs: Novice Learners, Narrative and the Multimedia Archive." Randy Bass, Georgetown University. Noon. Hall Center. Sponsored by Center for Teaching Excellence. Call 864-4199. Seminar. "Teaching Scientific Argumentation in Middle School Science." Jim Ellis and Janis Bulgren. Noon. 247 Joseph R. Pearson Hall. Free. Sponsored by Center for Science Education. Call 864-2379. Lecture. Linguistics Colloquium. Ocke-Schwen Bohn, University of Aarhus, Denmark. 3:30 p.m. 206 Blake Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Linguistics. Call 864-3450. Workshop. "Recognizing the Visible Evidence of Invisible Learning." Randy Bass, Georgetown University. 3:30 p.m. Malott Room, Kansas Union. Sponsored by Center for Teaching Excellence. Call 864-4199. Lecture. Hallmark Design Symposium Series. Leonard Konopelski, designer/illustrator. 6 p.m. 3140 Wescoe Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Design. Call 864-9742. Lecture. Doctors Without Borders. 7 p.m. Kansas Room, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW. Annual Grant Goodman Distinguished Lecture in Japanese Studies. "The Good Japanese: Disciplining Democracy." Harry Harootunian. 7:30 p.m. Dole Institute of Politics. Free. Sponsored by Center for East Asian Studies. Call 864-1457.

24 Tuesday

Governance. Senate executive meeting. 3 p.m. Regents Room, Strong Hall. Free. Sponsored by University Governance. Call 864-5169. Workshop. "Introduction to Project Management." Gail Schaplowsky. 9 a.m. 204 Joseph R. Pearson Hall. \$5. Sponsored by Human Resources and Equal Opportunity. Call 864-4648. Lecture. "Music of the Altai Region of Siberia." John Van Orman, master's student. Noon. 318 Bailey Hall. Free. Sponsored by Center for Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies. Call 864-4236. Workshop. "Social Pedagogies as a Framework for Designing Learning Experiences." Randy Bass, Georgetown University. Noon. 135 Budig Hall. Sponsored by Center for Teaching Excellence. Call 864-4199. Osher Institute Seminar. "Manage Your Chronic Pain:

Don't Let It Manage You." Robert Twillman, KU Hospital. 2 p.m. 154 Regnier Hall, Edwards Campus, 12600 Quivira Road, Overland Park. Sponsored by Continuing Education. Call 864-5823. Before 1500 Seminar. "Before 1500 Goes Pop: Panel on Pop Culture." 3:30 p.m. Conference Hall, Hall Center. Sponsored by Hall Center for the Humanities. Call 864-4798. Awards and Scholarships Ceremony. 4 p.m. Woodruff Auditorium, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by William Allen White School of Journalism and Mass Communications. Call 864-4755. Public event. Seventh annual KU- Haskell Indian Nations University Undergraduate Research Symposium. 4 p.m. Hall of Fame Room, Stidham Union, Haskell Indian Nations University. Free. Sponsored by Office for Diversity in Science Training. Call 830-2762. Independent film. 7 p.m. Woodruff Auditorium, Kansas Union. \$2. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW. Lecture. "The Prints of Roger Shimomura." Emily Stamey, master's student and Spencer Museum of Art intern. 7 p.m. Edwards Campus, 12600 Quivira Road, Overland Park. Sponsored by Spencer Museum of Art. Call 864-4710. Concert. KU Saxophone Quartets. 7:30 p.m. Swarthout Recital Hall, Murphy Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436. Concert. Student Chamber Ensemble. Oread Singers. 7:30 p.m. Trinity Episcopal Church, 1011 Vermont St. Free. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436.

25 Wednesday

Osher Institute Seminar. "Why We Don't Play Checkers Anymore." Shaun Coffey, Lawrence-Douglas County Fire and Medical. 10 a.m. Continuing Education, 1515 St. Andrews Dr. Sponsored by Continuing Education. Call 864-5823. Lecture. Ujamaa Brown Bag. "The Dynamics of Straddling Two Political Worlds: The Ghana Case." Ken Atkins. 11:30 a.m. Alcove G, Kansas Union. Sponsored by Kansas African Studies Center. Call 864-3745. Public event. "Around the World with the Peace Corps." Noon. Alcove C, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by University Career Center. Call 864-3624. Public event. University Forum. "How Brains Grow: A Discussion of the Cognitive Neuroscience of Brain Development." Ruth Ann Atchley, associate professor of psychology. Noon. ECM Center, 1204 Oread Ave. Optional lunch: \$3 students, \$5.50 others. Sponsored by Ecumenical Christian Ministries. Call 843-4933. Seminar. "KUDU — Open Access to Research Findings." Jeff Bullington. 3:30 p.m. 525 Blake Hall. Free. Sponsored by Institute for Policy and Social Research. Call 864-9110. Entertainment. Stand Up Stand Off finals. 7 p.m. Ballroom, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW. Concert. KU Percussion Ensemble. 7:30 p.m. 130 Murphy Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436.

26 Thursday

Lecture. "Grassroots Organizing

of Dominican-Haitian and Haitian Immigrant Women." Erin Adamson, master's student. Noon. 318 Bailey Hall. Free. Sponsored by Center of Latin American Studies. Call 864-4213. Lecture. Sociology Department Faculty Seminar. Kate Weaver, assistant professor of political science. Noon. 706 Fraser Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Sociology. Call 864-4111. Lecture. "Neighbors, Workers, Women: Gender and Social Change in Boston's Settlement Houses." Cynthia J. Miller, Institute for Liberal Arts and Interdisciplinary Studies, Emerson College. Noon. Conference Hall, Hall Center. Sponsored by Hall Center for the Humanities. Call 864-4798. Lecture. Gallery Conversations. 12:15 p.m. Spencer Museum of Art. Sponsored by Spencer Museum of Art. Call 864-4710. Workshop. "Blackboard Strategies and Tools." 1:30 p.m. 6 Budig Hall. Sponsored by Instructional Services. Call 864-0410. Osher Institute Seminar. "Arlington National Cemetery: Its History and Its Heroes." Jim Peters, Continuing Education. 2 p.m. Edwards Campus, 12600 Quivira Road, Overland Park. Sponsored by Continuing Education. Call 864-5823. Social event. Tea Time. 3 p.m. Lobby, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW. Governance. University Senate meeting. 3:30 p.m. 203 Green Hall. Free. Sponsored by University Governance. Call 864-5169. Lecture. "Winds of Change." Eugene Linden. 3:30 p.m. Spahr Classroom, Eaton Hall. Free. Sponsored by Center for Remote Sensing of Ice Sheets. Call 864-4390. Public event. KU Master Faculty Speaker Series. "Reading Hemingway." James Carothers, professor of English. 7 p.m. Regnier Hall auditorium, Edwards Campus, 12600 Quivira Road, Overland Park. Free. Sponsored by Edwards Campus. Call (913)-897-8400. Lecture. "Between Image and Text, the Art of Xu Bing." Xu Bing. 7 p.m. Spencer Museum of Art auditorium. Free. Sponsored by Department of History of Art. Call 864-4713. Concert. Faculty recital. Forrest Pierce, composition. 7:30 p.m. First United Methodist Church, 946 Vermont St. Free. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436. Feature film. 8 p.m. Woodruff Auditorium, Kansas Union. \$2. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW.

27 Friday

Seminar. "What Is Philosophy?" Ben Tilghman, professor emeritus, Kansas State University. 2 p.m. Continuing Education, 1515 St. Andrews Dr. Sponsored by Continuing Education. Call 864-5823. Public event. Walk-Ins Welcome Friday. 10 a.m. Print Room, Spencer Museum of Art. Free. Sponsored by Spencer Museum of Art. Call 864-4710. Public event. "Truth-Healing-Reconciliation in Indian Child Welfare." Sandra Hawk White, director of the First Nations Orphan Association, St. Paul, Minn. 10 a.m. Alderson Auditorium, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by School of Social Welfare. Call 864-2291. Concert. Tunes at Noon. Plaza, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW. Lecture. "Multiplex Design."

Anne Justice, master's student. Noon. 633 Fraser Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Anthropology. Call 864-4103. Public event. 51st Snyder Book Collecting Contest. 3 p.m. Oread Books, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by KU Memorial Unions. Call 864-4431. Andean and Amazonian Worlds Seminar. Ketty Wong, assistant professor of music and dance. 3:30 p.m. Seminar Room, Hall Center. Sponsored by Hall Center for the Humanities. Call 864-4798. Walter S. Sutton Lecture Series. "Corruption in a Globalized Economy — The Role of Civil Society Organizations to Improve Governance." Peter Eigen, founder and chairman of the Advisory Council of Transparency International. 5 p.m. Spencer Museum of Art auditorium. Free. Sponsored by School of Business. Call 864-7369. Concert. Duo Solo. 7 p.m. Regnier Hall auditorium, Edwards Campus, 12600 Quivira Road, Overland Park. Free. Sponsored by Lied Center. Call 864-2787. Lecture. "Unlocking the Secret of Happiness." Mingyur Rinpoche. 7 p.m. Alderson Auditorium, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Center for East Asian Studies. Call 864-1457. University Dance Company. 7:30 p.m. Lied Center. \$10 adults, \$7 students and seniors. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-2787. Concert. Student Chamber Ensemble. University Singers and Ad Astra. 7:30 p.m. First Presbyterian Church, 2415 Clinton Parkway. Free. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436. Play. "Guys and Dolls." 7:30 p.m. Crafton-Preyer Theatre, Murphy Hall. Sponsored by University Theatre. Call 864-3982. Feature film. 8 p.m. Woodruff Auditorium, Kansas Union. \$2. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW. Cosmic bowling. 10 p.m. Jaybowl, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW.

28 Saturday

Public event. Hilltop Hustle. 5K and 1K Run/Walk. 8 a.m. Hilltop Child Development Center. Sponsored by Hilltop Child Development Center. Call 864-4940. Workshop. Children's art appreciation class: Art in Nature. 10:30 a.m. Spencer Museum of Art. Sponsored by Spencer Museum of Art. Call 864-4710. Public event. Book signing with Max Falkenstein. Noon. Oread Books, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by KU Memorial Unions. Call 864-4431. Workshop. Children's art appreciation class: Saint in the City. 1:30 p.m. Spencer Museum of Art. Sponsored by Spencer Museum of Art. Call 864-0137. Softball. KU vs. Oklahoma. 2 p.m. Arrocha Ballpark. Sponsored by Department of Athletics. Call 800-344-2957. University Dance Company. 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. Lied Center. \$10 adults, \$7 students and seniors. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-2787. Play. "Guys and Dolls." 7:30 p.m. Crafton-Preyer Theatre, Murphy Hall. Sponsored by University Theatre. Call 864-3982. Feature film. 8 p.m. Woodruff Auditorium, Kansas Union. \$2. Sponsored by Student Union

Activities. Call 864-SHOW. Cosmic bowling. 10 p.m. Jaybowl, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW.

29 Sunday

Softball. KU vs. Oklahoma. 1 p.m. Arrocha Ballpark. Sponsored by Department of Athletics. Call 800-344-2957. Play. "Guys and Dolls." 2:30 p.m. Crafton-Preyer Theatre, Murphy Hall. Sponsored by University Theatre. Call 864-3982. Carillon concert. Elizabeth Berghout. 5 p.m. Memorial Campanile. Free. Call 864-4464.

30 Monday

Workshop. "Blackboard Strategies and Tools." 9 a.m. 6 Budig Hall. Sponsored by Instructional Services. Call 864-0410. Public event. Junior Day. Registration required. 9:30 a.m. Kansas Union. \$15. Sponsored by Office of Admissions and Scholarships. Call 864-3911. Early Modern/Gender Seminar. Gary Ferguson, University of Delaware. 3:30 p.m. Conference Hall, Hall Center. Sponsored by Hall Center for the Humanities. Call 864-4798. Concert. Faculty recital. Michael Bauer, organ and Marie Rubis Bauer. 7:30 p.m. Bales Organ Recital Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436. Concert. Student Chamber Ensemble. Men's and Women's Glee. 7:30 p.m. Trinity Lutheran Church, 1245 New Hampshire St. Free. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436.

1 Tuesday

Lecture. "The Meaning of 'Europe and European Choice' for Ukraine and Russia." Alex Tsioukh, assistant professor of Russian, East European and Eurasian studies. Noon. 318 Bailey Hall. Free. Sponsored by Center for Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies. Call 864-4236. Osher Institute Seminar. "Manage Your Chronic Pain: Don't Let It Manage You." Robert Twillman, KU Hospital. 2 p.m. 154 Regnier Hall, Edwards Campus, 12600 Quivira Road, Overland Park. Sponsored by Continuing Education. Call 864-5823. Governance. Faculty Executive Committee meeting. 3 p.m. Regents Room, Strong Hall. Free. Sponsored by University Governance. Call 864-5169. Lecture. "Applied Graptolite Research — What Use Are Planktic Graptolites?" Petr Storch, Czech Academy of Sciences. 4 p.m. 103 Lindley Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Geology. Call 864-4974. Baseball. KU vs. St. Mary's. 7 p.m. Hoglund Ballpark. Sponsored by Department of Athletics. Call 800-344-2957. Public event. Peace Corps general information meeting and film. 7 p.m. Lawrence Public Library, 707 Vermont St. Free. Sponsored by University Career Center. Call 864-3624. Concert. Symphonic Band. 7:30 p.m. Lied Center. \$7 adults, \$5 students and seniors. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-2787. Concert. Organ Music of Croatia. Christopher Krampe. 7:30 p.m. Bales Organ Recital

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Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures. Call 864-3313.

2 Wednesday

Public event. "Financial Statements: The Cliff Notes Version in Five Steps." James K. Gentry. 8 a.m. 163 Regnier Hall, Edwards Campus, 12600 Quivira Road, Overland Park. Free. Sponsored by Edwards Campus. Call (913) 897-8400.

Governance. USS Executive Committee. 11:30 a.m. International Room, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by University Support Staff Senate. Call 864-4089.

Lecture. Ujamaa Brown Bag. "The Role of the World Bank in Africa: Fostering Post-Conflict Development." Richard Ground, lecturer in political science. 11:30 a.m. Alcove G, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Kansas African Studies Center. Call 864-3745.

Dole Lecture. Gen. Richard B. Myers, former chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. 7:30 p.m. Dole Institute of Politics. Free. Tickets required. Sponsored by Dole Institute of Politics. Call 864-4900.

3 Thursday

Lecture. "Politics of Immigration from Michoacan, Mexico, to the United States." Rebecca Crosthwait, master's student. Noon. 318 Bailey Hall. Free. Sponsored by Center of Latin American Studies. Call 864-4213.

Social event. Tea Time. 3 p.m. Lobby, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW.

Governance. University Senate meeting. 3:30 p.m. 203 Green Hall. Free. Sponsored by University Governance. Call 864-5169.

Public event. Gerontology Faculty Colloquium. "Health Effects of Family Caregiving: Transitions and Treatments." Richard Schulz, University of Pittsburgh. 4 p.m. 2092 Dole Human Development Center. Free. Sponsored by Gerontology Center. Call 864-4130.

Public event. Tea and Talk. "A Scientific Analysis of Green Tea Tasting." Jeehyun Lee and Alicia Jenkins, Sensory Analysis Center, Kansas State University. 4 p.m. Big 12 Room, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Center for East Asian Studies. Call 864-1457.

Lecture. "Discovery of Plume Generation Zones (PGZs) at the Core/Mantle Boundary and

Some Implications of That Discovery for the Understanding of the Long-term History of the Earth's Interior." Kevin Burke, University of Houston. 4 p.m. 103 Lindley Hall. Free.

Sponsored by Department of Geology. Call 864-4974.

Concert. Jazz Ensembles I, II and III. 7:30 p.m. Lied Center. \$7 adults, \$5 students and seniors. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-2787.

Dance. New Dance. 7:30 p.m. Robinson Center. \$2. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436.

Play. "Guys and Dolls." 7:30 p.m. Crafton-Preyer Theatre, Murphy Hall. Sponsored by University Theatre. Call 864-3982.

4 Friday

Workshop. "Blackboard Strategies and Tools." 9 a.m. 6 Budig Hall. Sponsored by Instructional Services. Call 864-0410.

Public event. Junior Day. Registration required. 9:30 a.m. Kansas Union. \$15. Sponsored by Office of Admissions and Scholarships. Call 864-3911.

Public event. Walk-Ins Welcome Friday. 10 a.m. Print Room, Spencer Museum of Art. Free. Sponsored by Spencer Museum of Art. Call 864-4710.

Lecture. "Genetics of Scottish Clans." Marion Mealey, doctoral student. Noon. 633 Fraser Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Anthropology. Call 864-4103.

Concert. Tunes at Noon. Plaza, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW.

Lecture. Informal talk on carbonates and alkaline igneous rocks. James Russell, Brown University. Noon. 103 Lindley Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Geology. Call 864-4974.

Performance and Culture Seminar. Mechele Leon, assistant professor of theatre and film. 1:30 p.m. Seminar Room, Hall Center. Sponsored by Hall Center for the Humanities. Call 864-4798.

Lecture. "Paleolithic Archaeology at Vindija Cave, Croatia." Kale Bruner. 4 p.m. Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Department of Anthropology. Call 864-4103.

Peace, War and Global Change Seminar. Maj. Sean Davis, Lt. Col. Steve Foster, Lt. Col. Geoff Babb (ret.) and Col. Kevin Benson. 4 p.m. Conference Hall, Hall Center. Sponsored by Hall Center for the Humanities. Call 864-4798.

Play. "Guys and Dolls." 7:30 p.m. Crafton-Preyer Theatre, Murphy Hall. Sponsored by University Theatre. Call 864-3982.

Cosmic bowling. 10 p.m. Jaybowl, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW.

5 Saturday

Workshop. Children's art appreciation class: Art in Nature. 10:30 a.m. Spencer Museum of Art. Sponsored by Spencer Museum of Art. Call 864-0137.

Baseball. KU vs. Kansas State. 1 p.m. Hogleund Ballpark. Sponsored by Department of Athletics. Call 800-344-2957.

Workshop. Children's art appreciation class: Go Outside. 1:30 p.m. Spencer Museum of Art. Sponsored by Spencer Museum of Art. Call 864-0137.

Concert. Student Chamber Ensemble. Women's Chorale. 3 p.m. Trinity Lutheran Church, 1245 New Hampshire. Free. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436.

Play. "Guys and Dolls." 7:30 p.m. Crafton-Preyer Theatre, Murphy Hall. Sponsored by University Theatre. Call 864-3982.

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6 Sunday

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Carillon concert. Elizabeth Berghout. 5 p.m. Memorial Campanile. Free. Call 864-4464.

Concert. Student Chamber Ensemble. Chamber Choir and Concert Choir. 7:30 p.m. First Presbyterian Church, 2415 Clinton Parkway. Free.

Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436.

7 Monday

Lecture. Linguistics Colloquium. Wang Jing. 3:30 p.m. 206 Blake Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Linguistics. Call 864-3450.

Workshop. "How to Study for Finals." 4:30 p.m. 158 Strong Hall. Free. Sponsored by Academic Achievement and Access Center. Call 864-4064.

Concert. Faculty recital. James Higdon, organ. 7:30 p.m. Bales Organ Recital Hall. Free.

Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436.

8 Tuesday

Governance. Senate executive meeting. 3 p.m. Regents Room, Strong Hall. Free. Sponsored by University Governance. Call 864-5169.

Workshop. "Blackboard Strategies and Tools." 1:30 p.m. 6 Budig Hall. Sponsored by Instructional Services. Call 864-0410.

Before 1500 Seminar. Natalie Kampen, Columbia University. 3:30 p.m. Seminar Room, Hall Center. Sponsored by Hall Center for the Humanities. Call 864-4798.

Concert. University Band. 7:30 p.m. Lied Center. \$7 adults, \$5 students and seniors. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-2787.

9 Wednesday

Governance. University Support Staff Senate. 10:30 a.m. Jayhawk Room, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by University Support Staff Senate. Call 864-4089.

Public event. University Forum. Planning for fall 2007. Noon. ECM Center, 1204 Oread Ave. Optional lunch: \$3 students, \$5.50 others. Sponsored by Ecumenical Christian Ministries. Call 843-4933.

Baseball. KU vs. Missouri State. 6 p.m. Hogleund Ballpark. Sponsored by Department of Athletics. Call 800-344-2957.

Concert. Student Chamber Ensemble. World Music Choir. 7:30 p.m. Bales Organ Recital Hall. Free. Sponsored by Department of Music and Dance. Call 864-3436.

10 Thursday

Academic date. Last day of classes.

Governance. Unclassified Senate Executive Board meeting. Noon. Alcove G, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Unclassified Senate. Call 864-5984.

Ceremony. 33rd annual Employee Recognition Ceremony. 1:30 p.m. Ballroom, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Human Resources and Equal Opportunity. Call 864-4946.

Social event. Tea Time. 3 p.m. Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW.

Lecture. "Hypoxia in the Lower St. Lawrence Estuary: Causes

and Impacts on Sediment Biogeochemistry." Alfonso Mucci, McGill University. 4 p.m. 103 Lindley Hall. Free.

Sponsored by Department of Geology. Call 864-4974.

11 Friday

Academic date. Stop Day. Social event. Gale Sayers Golf Tournament and Auction. Time TBA. Alvarado Golf Course, 1809 Crossgate Drive. \$175.

Sponsored by School of Education. Call 864-4297. Public event. Walk-Ins Welcome Friday. 10 a.m. Print Room, Spencer Museum of Art. Free. Sponsored by Spencer Museum of Art. Call 864-4710.

Nature and Culture Seminar. Shen Hou. 3:30 p.m. Seminar Room, Hall Center. Sponsored by Hall Center for the Humanities. Call 864-4798.

Lecture. "Factorial Invariance and Developmental Change Measurement: Another Gander at the Goose that Laid the Golden Egg." John R. Nesselrode, University of Virginia. 3:30 p.m. Jayhawk Room, Kansas Union. Free.

Sponsored by Department of Psychology. Call 864-9800. Social event. TGIF. 4 p.m. Adams Alumni Center. Free.

Sponsored by KU Alumni Association. Call 864-4760.

Baseball. KU vs. Chicago State. 7 p.m. Hogleund Ballpark. Sponsored by Department of Athletics. Call 800-344-2957.

Cosmic bowling. 10 p.m. Jaybowl, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW.

12 Saturday

Public event. Family Day. 1 p.m. Spencer Museum of Art. Sponsored by Spencer Museum of Art. Call 864-4710.

Baseball. KU vs. Chicago State. 6 p.m. Hogleund Ballpark. Sponsored by Department of Athletics. Call 800-344-2957.

Cosmic bowling. 10 p.m. Jaybowl, Kansas Union. Free. Sponsored by Student Union Activities. Call 864-SHOW.

13 Sunday

Baseball. KU vs. Chicago State. 1 p.m. Hogleund Ballpark. Sponsored by Department of Athletics. Call 800-344-2957.

Lied Center announces 2007/08 season lineup

The Lied Center has announced its 2007-08 season lineup. During next season, the Lied Center will offer a 15 percent discount on tickets to faculty and staff.

LiedLink www.lied.ku.edu/06-07/education/ was developed to augment the Lied Center's commitment to providing learning experiences through the performing arts to students and faculty on the campuses of KU and Haskell Indian Nations University.

Through the Lied Center \$5 Ticket Program, faculty and their students can attend most performances as a group at a ticket price of \$5. For more information on LiedLink or the \$5 Ticket Program, contact Anthea Scouffas, director of education, at anthea@ku.edu or 864-2795.

Season subscription packages/event tickets are available from the Lied Center ticket office, 864-2787 or 864-2777/TDD.

CONCERT SERIES

Ahn Trio, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 19

Czech Opera Prague in The Merry Widow 7:30 p.m. Nov. 17

Royal Philharmonic Orchestra with Pinchas Zukerman, 7:30 p.m. Jan. 19

The Pipes and Drums of the Royal Scots Dragoon Guards and the Band of the Coldstream Guards, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 15

Gabriela Montero, 7:30 p.m. April 10

SWARTHOUT CHAMBER MUSIC SERIES

Claremont Trio, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 10

Chiara String Quartet, 7:30 p.m. Jan. 25



Pilobolus Dance Theatre, part of the New Directions Series.

Takács Quartet with Joyce Yang, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 17

The Aspen Ensemble, 2 p.m. March 9

NEW DIRECTIONS SERIES

Philip Glass, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 8

Aquila Theatre Company in Catch-22, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 29

Pilobolus Dance Theatre, 7:30 p.m. March 12

East Village Opera Co., 7:30 p.m. April 12

BROADWAY SERIES

Hairspray, 7:30 p.m. Oct. 25

Peter Pan, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 28

Ring of Fire, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 12

Gilbert and Sullivan's HMS Pinafore, 7:30 p.m. April 8

Movin' Out, 7:30 p.m. May 1

LIED FAMILY SERIES

Fred Garbo Inflatable Theater Co., 2:30 p.m. Sept. 29

Shaolin Warriors, 7:30 p.m. Nov. 1

The Musical Adventures of Flat Stanley, 7:30

p.m. Feb. 19

WORLD

SERIES

Irene Bedard

and Deni, 7:30

p.m. Sept. 8

Cloud Gate

Dance Theatre of

Taiwan, 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 16

Eileen Ivers,

holiday concert,

7:30 p.m. Dec. 8

Urban Bush Series.

Women/

Compagnie JANT-BL, 7:30 p.m. March 26

SPECIAL EVENTS

Trout Fishing in America, FREE Outdoor

Concert, 7 p.m. Aug. 17

The Pink Floyd Experience, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 21

The Second City Touring Co. 7:30 p.m., Nov. 7



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Employees to be honored for service

The office of Human Resources and Equal Opportunity will honor KU employees for their years of service at an annual recognition ceremony. This year's ceremony will be held at 1:30 p.m. May 10 in the Kansas Union ballroom.

Employees who will be honored and their years of service are listed below.

Five years

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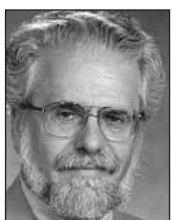
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Barnett to give lecture, sign copies of 'Economists' book



William Barnett

William Barnett, Charles Oswald Distinguished Professor of Economics, will present a free, public lecture and discussion at 7:30 p.m. April 24 at Alderson Auditorium in the Kansas Union. The focus of the program is "Inside the Economist's Mind: Conversations with Eminent Economists," a book co-edited by Barnett and Nobel Laureate Paul A. Samuelson. A book signing in

the Traditions Lounge in the union will follow the program. Samuelson, a professor emeritus of economics at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will not attend the book signing.

The presentation will be moderated by Kansas Public Radio

broadcaster Kaye McIntyre and will be simulcast to the KU Edwards Campus in Overland Park.

The book is a collection of 16 interviews with premier economists, including eight recipients of the Nobel Prize, conducted by their colleagues and friends in the

field. Based on a long-running project initiated by Barnett as editor of the journal *Macroeconomic Dynamics*, it includes introductions by its editors, an essay by prominent economic historian E. Roy Weintraub and 75 black and white photos.



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KU HISTORY: On April 27, 1973, art student Dan Wessel attempted to fly over Memorial Stadium in a home-made glider. Billing himself as "The Great Lorenzo" or "The Great Wesselini", Wessel also once attempted to roll down the hill near the stadium. In a time of anti-war protests and political unrest, his antics provided a welcome respite from the serious issues of the day. For more, visit www.kuhistory.com.

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Minnesota and a former KU professor. Tash, Georg and a team of researchers at the medical center and the Lawrence campus have been designing and testing male contraceptive agents with NIH funding for more than five years. Their work has led to the development of some promising chemical compounds, such as Gamendazole, one of the most potent oral anti-spermatogenic agents identified to date. Tash said the group intends to take a multidisciplinary approach, focusing on several chemical compounds and proteins that regulate testes function so that mature sperm are not produced. The researchers are also concentrating on chemical agents that may temporarily deactivate enzymes so that sperm development is prevented or sperm are immobilized so the egg remains

unfertilized. To identify new lead compounds, the center will utilize high throughput screening and proteomics to test hundreds of thousands of compounds. Though high throughput screening technology is common in private industry, KU is one of the few universities in the nation to have such a facility, which Tash said is important since many pharmaceutical companies have curtailed their research and development in male contraception. Without KU's lab, screening hundreds of thousands of compounds could take years. The research program in the center will go beyond identifying new protein targets involved in regulation of male fertility and begin cutting edge drug discovery and design. The scientists involved in the research have a record of success in providing NIH with highly promising reversible non-hormonal male contraceptive agents.

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um in terms of resources," she said. Approximately 17,000 database records are now available through the digital library. They will eventually be accessible through Spencer museum's Web site. Thanks in part to her work on the project, Museum Director

Saralyn Reece Hardy nominated Lui to take part in a Getty Leadership Institute program called Museum Leaders: The Next Generation. The weeklong leadership seminar was designed for promising young museum professionals. Twenty-eight people from across the United States and countries such as Canada and Kenya took part in the program last fall in Los Angeles. Liu finished her degree in December and will take part in

next month's hooding ceremony. Her master's in hand, Liu plans to stay at Spencer museum in her role as collections manager. Although cancer wasn't enough to derail her academic and professional careers, there was one event that convinced her to take some time off. When her daughter, Silvia, was born two years ago, Liu took a break from the books and her job. But she knew she wouldn't be able to stay away long.

POLLINATORS

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based artist Stan Herd. Herd executes masterful large-scale earthworks around the world, including rock mosaics, natural-material sculptures and crop art. "I sent Stan Herd an e-mail and said, 'Hey, we've got a project here I'd like to have you think about,'" said Taylor. "Stan immediately said 'yes.' He's very much aware of ecological issues and he wants to become involved." Herd will take an image from one "pollinator" stamp — the Southern dogface butterfly — and create a vast facsimile at

Pendleton's Country Market, a family farm off Kansas Highway 10 between Eudora and Lawrence. The image will be best viewed aerially from a nearby silo or an aircraft. Herd's immense stamp reproduction will incorporate plants that conservationists urge for use in backyard butterfly gardens. "I wanted to add my artistic statement to the equation," said Herd. Taylor and the protection campaign are grateful for the awareness Herd's work could bring to the drop in pollinator populations. "We can use this larger image to attract the attention of the public to this cause," said Laurie

Adams, who manages the protection campaign. "Beautiful green lawns are wonderful, but we need to do more with our cities, farms and the habitats that we control to provide for wildlife. Creating pollinator gardens or Monarch butterfly waystations through MonarchWatch are easy to do. And they are important." Artist Herd plans to complete the pollinator stamp piece by National Pollinator Week. To make a tax-deductible donation to the crop art project, visit the Coevolution Institute Web site, www.pollinator.org (click "Crop Art Donations"), or contact Laurie Adams at (415) 362-1137 or LDA@coevolution.org.

Going above and beyond



R. Steve Dick/University Relations

Ralph Oliver, left, KU Public Safety chief of police, presents a certificate of appreciation to Michael Waggoner, information technology analyst, at a ceremony this month. Waggoner, along with Facilities Operations employees Thomas Schmidendorf, Robert Sample, Charles Shaw and Martin Wiedeman, helped identify a suspect in a campus robbery. Public Safety honored the employees at two ceremonies.

Schiefelbusch earns leadership award

Richard Schiefelbusch is the 2007 recipient of the Department of Special Education's Field Leadership Award. He is the founding director of the Schiefelbusch Institute for Life Span Studies and a distinguished professor emeritus. Schiefelbusch was instrumental in the development of the Department of Special Education,

the Department of Applied Behavioral Science and the Learning Disabilities Institute, now known as the Center for Research on Learning. For more than 50 years, his efforts to build a comprehensive research network have profoundly influenced the lives and educational opportunities of countless children and adults with disabilities.

Schiefelbusch was recognized April 20 at the Council for Exceptional Children conference in Louisville, Ky. A reception also will be held at 4 p.m. May 16 on the Joseph R. Pearson Hall patio. Schiefelbusch is an ideal candidate for the award, said Christine Walther-Thomas, professor and chair of the Department of Special Education.

ku people

NOTABLE ALUMS: Eric Sundquist began his distinguished academic career by earning a bachelor's degree from KU. He is currently the Foundation Professor of Literature at the University of California-Los Angeles but has taught at the University of California-Berkeley, Vanderbilt University and Northwestern University. Sundquist has written eight books dealing with American literature and culture, and received an Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Distinguished Service Award in 2006.

Keener named audiologist of year

Sandy Keener, audiologist and clinical instructor with the School of Allied Health, was named the 2006 Audiologist of the Year by the Kansas Speech-Language-Hearing Association.

Keener has served children and their families across Kansas for nearly two decades. She was the first clinician in Kansas to incorporate the otoacoustic emission test in her pediatric diagnostic protocol.

Keener collaborates with speech-language pathologists, early interventionists, physicians, occupational and physical therapists, psychologists and audiology colleagues who work in hospitals, schools and private practice.

Keener currently serves on the Sound Beginnings Advisory Committee for the Kansas



Sandy Keener

Department of Health and Environment.

Lynch KU's new research writer

Brendan Lynch has joined University Relations as a research writer and producer. Lynch will also host the "Research Minute" segment on Kansas Public Radio, covering ongoing research at the university.

Before joining University Relations, Lynch spent several years as a senior associate editor for Northstar Travel Media in the New York City area, where he covered topics such as avian flu, airline security, privacy and Hurricane Katrina.

Lynch has also worked as a



Brendan Lynch

documentary radio producer, at an advertising firm, for a music Web site and at a film production company.

A native of Prairie Village, Lynch graduated in 1992 from Hampshire College in Amherst, Mass. He and his wife, Ginny, have two daughters, Camilla, 3, and Nora, 7 months.

Kummerow new Web programmer

Bill Kummerow has been hired as a Web programmer for the Office of the Provost and the Spencer Museum of Art. Kummerow comes to the position from Academic Technology Services, where he had worked since 1998.

Kummerow has a master's in curriculum and instruction from the University of Tennessee and a bachelor's in history from the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

KU Endowment adds editor, Web staff

KU Endowment has added a pair of employees to its staff.

Lisa Scheller is the new senior editor and team leader for media relations. Scheller comes to KU Endowment from the Tonganoxie Mirror, where she had been news editor since 1999. She has a bachelor's from Emporia State University and master's in journalism from KU.

Charles Higginson will be responsible for content development for the KU Endowment Web site. He holds bachelor's and master's degrees from KU. During more than 10 years in KU's journalism school, he worked primarily in support of the national journalism accreditation agency. He also taught classes and maintained the school's Web site. Most recently he was an associate editor at Mother Earth News magazine, published by Ogden Publications in Topeka. A

longtime Lawrence resident, he has three children.

Former faculty earns alumni recognition

The University of Missouri-Kansas City has named former KU faculty member Tom Jones a 2007 Alumni Award winner. Jones is the former dental director with the Children and Youth Project of the KU Medical Center, a program that provided free dental care to children in a specified area of Kansas City, Kan. Jones supervised nine local dentists who treated the children. In the position, Jones was asked to be a KU Medical Center faculty member, as well as a UMKC School of Dentistry faculty member. In addition to his degree from Missouri, Jones received a bachelor's from KU and studied at the KU, now UMKC, School of Dentistry.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Christopher Drahozal to present inaugural lecture

Christopher Drahozal, the John M. Rounds Distinguished Professor of Law, will present his inaugural lecture, titled "Arbitration Mythbusters," at 5:30 p.m. April 30 at Alderson Auditorium in the Kansas Union. Drahozal's lecture will examine commonly held myths about arbitration, such as whether countries attract a lot of arbitration business when they enact new laws and whether arbitrators "split the baby," or make compromise awards.

Changes made to course, committee policies

The University Senate executive committee approved changes to the course repeat/grade replacement policy (USRR 2.2.9) and to the membership of Governance's Athletic Committee (Code, Article 12.2). The proposed amendments are online at www2.ku.edu/~unigov/. The changes will be discussed at the open University Senate meeting at 3:30 p.m. April 26 at 203 Green Hall and voted on at the 3:30 p.m. May 3 senate meeting in the same location.

Changes to the course repeat/grade replacement policy are meant to simplify and clarify the procedures by eliminating

the required form and automatically replacing the grade in a repeated course if criteria are met.

The amendments to the Athletic Committee description provide for the addition of one representative from the Unclassified Senate and the University Support Staff to the committee, modify the way in which faculty are appointed to the committee and add the NCAA Big 12 faculty representative as an ex-officio, non-voting member of the committee.

Discounted KC Star job advertising rate approved

The Department of Human Resources and Equal Opportunity finalized a contract with the Kansas City Star that will provide discounted prices for job ads. The contract will offer a 54 percent savings on most print ads and a 64 percent savings for additional ads through the Star subcontract with CareerBuilder.com. Units may also purchase combination ads. With the new contract, units can also do "pick-up" ads in the Wichita Eagle for \$4.89 a line.

To utilize the discount, individuals must specifically contact Star advertising account executive Richard A. Woodward Jr. and refer to the "KU Account" when placing an ad. Departments will be billed directly for the cost of the ad. Woodward

can be reached at (816) 234-4011 or rwoodward@kcstar.com.

Interim director of East Asian Studies named

Marsha Haufler, professor of art history, will be interim director of the Center for East Asian Studies next year while a search for a permanent director is conducted. Elaine Gerbert, the current director of the center, will be on sabbatical leave during the 2007-08 academic year.

CIBER consortium awards grants to three faculty

A consortium of Centers for International Business Education and Research awarded grants to three faculty members at U.S. universities to facilitate research on the teaching of foreign language for business education.

Organized by the KU CIBER, the consortium includes centers at Duke University, University of Florida, University of Hawaii, University of Memphis, Michigan State University, University of North Carolina, Ohio State University, University of Pittsburgh, University of South Carolina, University of Texas and the University of Pennsylvania.

Lists of assistants needed for directory by June 1

Department should compile a list of chief administrative assistants and submit it by e-mail to erapport@ku.edu by June 1.

The names and telephone numbers for the assistants will be listed in the 2007-08 directory for the Lawrence, Edwards, Medical Center-Kansas City and School of Medicine-Wichita campuses.

The directory is being redesigned to make it more useful, informative and accurate. Another goal of the project is to make the organization and structure of the university more clear.

University Relations compiles and publishes the directory, using information contributed by academic and administrative offices and by Human Resources and Equal Opportunity.

Evie Rapport, special projects editor; Lauren Beatty, copy editor; and Michael Irvin, graphics designer, are overseeing the redesign.

The most obvious changes will be in the "white pages," the administrative listings for the campuses. These include academic schools, departments and divisions; research and laboratory facilities; services such as Facilities Operations and Public Safety; building hours, addresses and abbreviations; and housing units.

IN MEMORY

Joann Alexitch

Joann Alexitch, 77, died April 5. Alexitch worked for the KU Medical Center for 24 years. She is survived by her husband, a daughter, two sons and six grandsons. The family suggests memorials to the Ed and Nora Elbel

Scholarship Fund at KU Endowment.

Charles W. Kapfer

Charles W. Kapfer, 82, died April 3. Kapfer was a painter in the maintenance department. Survivors include a son, two

daughters, two brothers, six grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to the Alzheimer's Disease and related Disorders Association, sent in care of Warren-McElwain Mortuary.

Betty H. Smith

Betty H. Smith, 64, died March 24. She was the administrative director of the Juniper Gardens Children's Project, a 43-year collaboration between the citizens of Northeast Kansas City and the University of Kansas, where she

had worked for more than 42 years.

Cramer Reed

Cramer Reed, the founding dean of the KU School of Medicine's Wichita campus, died April 10. He was 91.

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