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Dr. Rymer Named Acting Executive Dean

Dr. Judith M. Rymer, professor of education and past department chair in the School of Education, will become the acting executive dean for university relations, President Anthony H. Evans announced.

"In her new position, Dr. Rymer will be responsible for the overall coordination of the university's outreach program to the alumni, the community, business and industry, the media and governmental and private agencies," he said. "One of her first priorities will be the development of key support groups for the university, both on campus and in the community."

Expressing pleasure at her appointment, Dr. Rymer said she long has had an interest in areas which are part of institutional advancement and university relations. "I look forward to this opportunity to develop a broad university relations program," she said. "The entire campus, especially our already strong academic offerings, stands to benefit from such a program."

Dr. Rymer said she will be working closely with President Evans and the directors of public affairs and alumni affairs to coordinate existing efforts and to identify new directions which support the mission of the university.

Echoing sentiments expressed by other faculty and staff, Dr. Carol Goss, chair of the Faculty Senate, said, "I think she will be a splendid asset to the college in this role. The faculty has every confidence in her. She is well organized and does a splendid job with whatever she does." Dr. Peter A. Wilson, dean of students, expressed pleasure at having a woman's perspective in senior management. "I believe she will be a very active and effective dean," he added.

Dr. Rymer's past administrative experiences on campus have included five years as chair of the Department of Special Programs in the School of Education and two years as chair of the Faculty Senate. She came to Cal State in September 1970 as assistant professor of Spanish and later transferred to the School of Education.

In accepting her administrative position, Dr. Rymer will resign both her seat on the Cal State Faculty Senate and her position as vice chair of the Statewide Academic Senate. She also will relinquish her recent appointment to a two-year term as a faculty representative of the California State University on the board of directors of the California Articulation Council.

Prior to coming to Cal State, Dr. Rymer taught Spanish at The Ohio State University while completing her doctorate there. She earned her B.A. from Miami University in Ohio, and her M.A. from the University of Kansas. She has taught at two schools in Colombia, was a bilingual secretary-interpreter for the Rockefeller Foundation Medical Research Center in Cali, Colombia and was assistant director of the University of Kansas Undergraduate Institute in Barcelona, Spain.

2 Buildings Close Today

The Student Health Center and the Commons will close today and reopen in September. Medical services will not be available on campus until the Health Center reopens Tuesday, Sept. 4. Lunch today will be the last meal served in the Commons until dinner Tuesday evening, Sept. 11.
Summer Session Enrollment Up

Summer session attendance figures continue to rise with 1318 students enrolled in this year's three sessions, for a 9 percent increase over last year. A total of 1212 attended last summer's two sessions.

The FTE (full-time equivalent) for this summer is 577, a 21 percent increase over last year's 476. Dr. Lee Porter (Extended Education) attributed the increase in FTE to additional students taking heavier course loads. "There were more courses, more options and a third session from which students had more alternatives from which to select."

College Receives Grant For Veterans Counselor

The college has received a $5706 grant to supplement a part-time veterans affairs counselor. The position is in Educational Support Services. The grant, funded by the U.S. Department of Education, is to provide specific programs to veterans. The amount of the award is based on the veteran student enrollment.

Dr. Lee Porter Named Fellow of Academy

Dr. Lee Porter (Extended Education) has been named a fellow of the Academy of Continuing Education. The honor was conferred Aug. 3 in the Lower Commons.

The Chicago-based academy, now in its fifth year, promotes continuing education as a recognized academic process. It was founded for the purpose of improving the quality of work in an array of professions.

"There is an impressive and progressive program for extended education here at Cal State," said Dr. T.V. Weclew, chancellor of the academy, while honoring Dr. Porter. A specialist in extended education, Dr. Porter joined the university as dean of that office in 1981.

Dr. Kubiak Assigned To CSU, Fullerton As Fellow

Dr. Carolyn Kubiak (Education), selected to participate in the CSU Administrative Fellows Program for 1984-85, has been assigned to Dr. Michael Clapp, associate vice president for academic affairs, at CSU, Fullerton.

The Administrative Fellows Program offers CSU employees an opportunity to work at the upper-level of academic administration. The program seeks to open career paths for women and minorities. Fellows gain experience in managerial planning and decision-making while serving the needs of the host campus.

Correction

Labor Day will be observed by the university Monday, Sept. 3.
Psychologists To Be Associate Deans

Two faculty from the Department of Psychology will have new academic rank and new half-time administrative responsibilities beginning in September.

Dr. David J. Lutz will become associate dean for graduate studies, and Dr. Diane Halpern is the new associate dean for undergraduate studies. Both also have been promoted to associate professor.

They succeed Dr. Loralee MacPike, graduate dean the past year, and Dr. Tom Pierce, who filled in as acting undergraduate dean since January.

Dr. Lutz, a clinical psychologist, joined the Cal State faculty in 1980 after completing his Ph.D. at the University of Kansas. He earned his B.A. and M.A. at K.U. and also was an assistant instructor there. His memberships include Phi Beta Kappa.

At Cal State, he was elected to the Faculty Senate and the College Planning Advisory Council. He received a grant under the new faculty professional development program to study the emotional development of males and the support systems for males who are victims of incest. He also was appointed the Cal State representative to the Statewide Social Sciences Research and Instructional Council.

Dr. Halpern, whose area of expertise is cognitive psychology (perception and memory), came to the Cal State faculty in 1981 from UC Riverside where she had been a lecturer for two years. She held a teaching assistantship at the University of Cincinnati while earning her Ph.D. there. She received her B.A. from the University of Pennsylvania, a first master's from Temple University and a second M.A., both in psychology, from the University of Cincinnati.

During the past year she served as chair of the College Curriculum Committee and also received an affirmative action grant for study of "Understanding Statistical Risk Information." Dr. Halpern also has served on the collegewide Undergraduate Writing Proficiency Committee.

Wendy Pederson Named Acting Personnel Officer

Wendy Pederson, the first employee relations assistant in the Personnel Office, has been named acting personnel officer to succeed Sandra Lyn Jensen, who has resigned the position, Leonard Farwell, business manager, announced.

Ms. Pederson will direct the Personnel Office until a permanent replacement can be hired. She arrived on campus Dec. 19 to implement and administer the collective bargaining process, providing information on employee relations contracts, administrative assistance to the Labor Relations Committee and training of managers and supervisors on collective bargaining.

Ms. Pederson, who has a bachelor's degree from the University of Illinois, has had experience in personnel administration at the University of California, San Diego, the University of Colorado Medical Center, Purdue University and the Orange Unified School District. Before coming to Cal State, she was with the Community Services Agency of San Bernardino County.

Ms. Jensen became personnel officer in May 1981, after serving as personnel management specialist for 10 years. She earned her M.A. in education from the college in 1980.
Personnel Office Offers Amusement Discount Cards

Employees may obtain discount cards for most southern California amusement parks from the Personnel Office, SS 151. Also available are discount tickets for selected entertainment events and museums.

Personnel

NEW TO THE UNIVERSITY

Full-time, temporary

Cathy Bates
Intermediate Account Clerk
Accounting
Ext. 7501, AD 111
effective Aug. 20
to Dec. 31, 1984

RETURNING TO THE UNIVERSITY

Full-time, probationary

Tonia Johnson
Clerical Assistant IIA
Financial Aid
Ext. 7741, SS 143

LEFT THE UNIVERSITY

Sandra Lyn Jensen
Personnel Officer
Personnel

Employment Opportunities

(Applications will be accepted from 2 p.m., today until the deadline.)

CHILDREN'S CENTER
(not state positions)
Teacher--$6.42-$7.10/hr.; 20-30
hours per week, temporary to June
14, 1985; available Sept. 17,
1984; two positions available,
apply by 2 p.m., Aug. 17.
(corrected posting)

HOUSING
Custodian--$1106-$1304/mo.; full-time,
permanent; available immediately; ap­
ply by 2 p.m.; Aug. 24.

Professional Opportunities

(Information is posted on the bulletin board in Administration Building lobby.)

Cal State, San Bernardino: Personnel Officer, $31,008-$37,072; full-time, management personnel plan; available immediately; apply by Sept. 7 with resume to Leonard Farwell, business manager.