Cal State Nominee Is CSU Outstanding Professor

Dr. Diane F. Halpern, the San Bernardino campus' outstanding professor for 1986, was named as one of the two outstanding professors in the CSU system by the Board of Trustees Tuesday.

A member of the faculty here since 1981, Dr. Halpern is noted for motivating her students to excel, for her internationally recognized work in cognitive psychology and for her community efforts on behalf of "hard-to-place children" up for adoption. She is an authority in the area of critical thinking, has published widely in the field and is a founder of the National Council for Excellence in Critical Thinking Instruction.

In addition to teaching, Dr. Halpern is the associate dean of undergraduate programs. She instituted the undergraduate academic advisement center and formulated policies for student retention and prohibition of sexual harassment.

As CSU outstanding professor, she will receive an award of $1000 plus the opportunity to present guest lectures on other campuses. The other honoree for this year is Dr. Nicholas P. Hardeman, professor of history at Cal State, Long Beach.

Dr. Halpern is the second San Bernardino campus nominee chosen for the top honor. Dr. Frances Berdan, professor of anthropology, was named in 1983. The campus has participated in the program since 1981.

School Of Business Dean Candidates Interview Here

The five applicants for the dean of the School of Business and Public Administration will be on campus within the next week. Faculty, staff and students will have the opportunity to meet the candidates during open forum sessions.

Dr. Weston Agor of the University of Texas, El Paso will appear in an open forum this afternoon from 1:30-2:30 p.m. in Student Union Rooms A&B. He is professor and director of the masters in public administration program. From 1978-82, he was director of the MPA program and chair of the Politics and Public Affairs Department at the University of Miami, Coral Gables as well as a visiting professor at Cal State, Long Beach. Prior to that he developed academic policy positions for the State of Michigan. Dr. Agor has written extensively in the field of management as well as consulted for many leading organizations nationally.

Dr. David Porter will be available in an open forum from 2:45-3:45 p.m., Monday, March 17 in the Eucalyptus Room. He currently is director of the Idaho Department of Commerce, responsible for economic and community development and travel promotion activities for the state. Prior to that he was campaign manager for Congressman Richard Stallings in 1982. His teaching experience includes the University of Texas, Austin; LBJ School of Public Affairs; George Washington; UC Riverside and Wayne State. He holds a Ph.D. in political science with an emphasis in economics.

Dr. August Ralston will meet in an open forum from 1:30-2:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 18 in SU A&B. He is associate dean of the College of Business Administration at Iowa State University as well as acting chair of the Marketing Department. He joined the university as associate director of the School of Business Administration in 1982. Previously he was director of the Insurance and Risk Management Institute within the Graduate School of Business at USC and he has taught at Bowling Green State and Valparaiso Universities.
Cal State Associates Sponsor
Bus Trip To Ramona Pageant

The Cal State Associates' bus trip to the Ramona Pageant on Saturday, April 19 is open to faculty and staff, as well as members of the group, Chairman Don McKenzie announced.

The pageant, Helen Hunt Jackson's memorable story of early California, is presented in an outdoor amphitheatre near Hemet every spring. Thousands of visitors flock to the site to see the cast of more than 300 townspeople retell the poignant love story of Ramona and her Indian hero.

The Cal State Associates' excursion will include refreshments on the bus enroute to the afternoon performance and dinner before returning home. The price of $35 per person includes pageant ticket, transportation and dinner. Departure time is noon.

Reservations, accompanied by a check, should be made with McKenzie, AD 149, by Wednesday, March 19.

Registration Phones In Effect March 27-28

The following offices can be reached at these extensions in the gymnasium during spring quarter registration March 27-28.

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Cal State Hosts Japanese Debaters

The Coyote Forensics Team will host a Japanese national champion debate team, which is presently on a U.S. tour, at 3 p.m., Monday, March 24 in the Panorama Room of the Lower Commons.

Faculty, staff and students from the university and area high schools are invited to hear the teams deliberate, "Resolved: That the United States and Japan should jointly eliminate all barriers to mutual trade." More information is available from Mike Hope, Ext. 7685.

Local Schools Compete In Band/Orchestra Festival

The largest band and orchestra festival in southern California will be held here March 19-21. Co-hosted by Cal State and the Southern California School Band and Orchestra Association, the contest will challenge nearly 2000 elementary, intermediate and junior high school students Wednesday and Thursday, with high school students competing Friday.

Sympathy

The university community extends sympathy to the family of Rick Haskell (Computer Center) on the death of his brother-in-law, sister-in-law, niece and nephew. Mr. and Mrs. Rick Speicher and their two young children were killed in an automobile crash in Redlands March 1.
Wind Ensemble Performs Monday

The university's Wind Ensemble will perform at 8:15 p.m., Monday, March 17 in the Recital Hall. Student conductors Sara Andon and Kraig Williams will direct a major portion of the concert. Williams will conduct the march from "Symphonic Metamorphosis" by Paul Hindemith and Andon will direct the ensemble in "Finlandia" by Jean Sibelius. Both students have been selected to compete in the 1986 Carmon Dragon conducting contest, which is named after the well-known Los Angeles conductor, composer and arranger.

The remainder of the program will feature seven piccolo players from various area high schools performing "The Stars and Stripes Forever." Dr. Carolyn Neff is ensemble director. General admission is $3; students and senior citizens, $1.50.

March 21 Reception For Winter Graduates

Faculty and staff are invited to attend a reception for winter graduates and their families from 7 to 8:30 p.m., Friday, March 21 in the Panorama Room of the Lower Commons. The gathering will be addressed by President Evans, Dean Wilson and John Kirwan, president of the Alumni Association. Those interested in attending should contact the Alumni Office at Ext. 7811.

African Famine Relief Conference March 19-20

The transportation and logistics problems posed in relieving African famine will be the focus of a conference here Wednesday and Thursday, March 19-20. The conference will convene with a keynote address by Saaed Sumum, director of planning for the Kordofan Region in western Sudan. He is a Humphrey Fellow at the University of Minnesota. His presentation will begin at 9 a.m., Wednesday, March 19 in the Lower Commons. Sponsored by the university's Intellectual Life Committee, the talk is free and open to the public.

"Logistics Lessons from the Mexican Disaster Response" will be addressed by Miriam Hernandez, a reporter for Channel 2 who covered the Mexican disaster. She will speak following the banquet, which begins at 6:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 19 in the Commons. Cost of the banquet is $18. Conference fees are $45; students $10. Some scholarships are available. Interested persons may register through the Special Events Office in the Student Union or with the conference coordinator, Dr. Arthur Saltzman (Marketing, Management Science and Information Management), Ext. 7533 or 7711.

Coaches Named For Baseball/Softball

Chuck Deagle and Jo Ann Bly have been named coaches for Cal State's first baseball and softball teams, respectively. The initial teams for men's baseball and women's softball will be assembled in January 1987.

Deagle currently is head baseball coach at the University of Redlands. His most recent honor includes being selected NCAA Division III West Coach of the Year for 1985, after coaching the Redlands team to the final four of the division's College World Series. In addition, he was nominated for National Coach of the Year honors. Prior to coaching for four years at the university, Deagle was head baseball coach at Fontana, Banning and Paradise High Schools.

Ms. Bly, Cal State women's basketball coach, will develop the new women's softball team based on her nine years of experience in the sport. She played for Ohio State and Cal State, Long Beach as well as served as a player-coach in San Francisco. A versatile player, she earned League MVP honors and first team all-state (left field) in Ohio. She also earned the "Best Batting Average" award in Ohio with her .615 mark.
Dr. Gilbert Sanchez (Student Affirmative Action) spoke to the Hemet Bilingual Education Parent's Group on "College and Your Son/Daughter" Feb. 27.

Dr. Robert Senour (Audiovisual Services) spoke to an honors class at Curtis Junior High on the future of education and training in our society Feb. 20.

Dr. Darleen Stoner (Education) presented a workshop on wildlife education for teachers at Kimbark Elementary School in San Bernardino Feb. 3.

Dr. Thomas C. Timmreck (Health Science and Human Ecology) has been appointed to the advisory board for the Adult Day Health Care Center of the San Bernardino Community Hospital at Highland Senior Center.

Employment Opportunities

(Applications will be accepted from 2 p.m., today, until 2 p.m., March 28, except as otherwise noted.)

ACCOUNTING
Accounting Technician II--$1,515-$1,794/mo.; full-time, permanent.

SERVICES TO STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

ADMISSIONS
Clerical Assistant IIA--$1,269-$1,496/mo.; full-time, permanent.

Current information on employment opportunities is available through a 24-hour hotline at Ext. 7762, which is updated every Friday at 2 p.m. by Personnel.