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Dr. Gannon Named CV Center Director

Dr. Catherine Gannon, who has seven years of experience in university-wide academic administration here, will be the first director of the Coachella Valley Center.

Her appointment to head the university's off-campus center, located at College of the Desert, will be effective July 15. Approximately 140 applications were received in the national search for the post.

Dr. Gannon, professor of English, came to Cal State in 1976 as associate dean of academic planning. As such, she supervised academic advisement of students by faculty, supervised the Evening Program, implemented academic regulations, authored reports and proposals, coordinated WASC accreditation reports and assisted in the development of the undergraduate curriculum. She returned to full-time teaching in 1983.

In the new position, she will be responsible for administration of the center, including scheduling of classes, contacts with the university campus and the College of the Desert, overseeing student services and academic support for students enrolled in classes at the center. Externally, she will maintain contact with community leaders in the Coachella Valley while publicizing the center and assessing future needs it might meet.

Dr. Gannon received her initial training in university administration as a Carnegie Foundation Administrative Fellow at the Claremont Colleges. Her other awards have included a Purdue University Research Grant, a Woodrow Wilson Fellowship and a Distinguished Teaching Award from UCLA. After completing her B.A., M.A., and Ph.D. in English at UCLA, she taught for five years at Purdue University. Earlier she taught in the Los Angeles City Schools and at UCLA.

A temporary administrative building is expected to be located on the College of the Desert campus by Sept. 1 to serve as the Cal State headquarters. Three more permanent-appearing, relocatable buildings will become the university's center about the first of winter quarter. The Office of the State Architect is now reviewing the request for the classroom space and calling for bids for the structures. The Sacramento office will approve the working drawings of the lowest bidder and issue a contract to proceed. In the interim, fall quarter classes will be offered in the new Palm Desert High School, located about five blocks from the COD campus.

Hinton Folk Concert Is Next Wednesday

A free summer concert featuring folksinger and humorist Sam Hinton will be presented at 7 p.m., Wednesday, July 16 on the Commons Plaza.

Hinton has performed at major American and Canadian folk festivals, and in Mexico, drawing upon his repertoire of more than 1000 tunes and utilizing a variety of instruments including guitar, banjo, harmonica, jew's harp and pennywhistle. He has more than 20 recordings to his credit. A former university professor, Hinton taught folklore, music, guitar, art, geography and biology throughout southern California from 1948 until his retirement in 1980. He still teaches in addition to his music.
Dr. Roberta Stathis-Ochoa, who has been a CSU administrative Fellow at Cal Poly, Pomona during the past year, has accepted a permanent position on that campus as a planner/analyst in the Office of Planning and Analytical Studies.

She will begin the new job Monday, July 14. During her fellowship, which concluded June 30, she had worked with the director of business operations and the university president. The experience gave her new opportunities in areas which she had not worked during her 10 years on the San Bernardino campus. Before the fellowship, she had been special programs coordinator in the Office of Academic Programs. Earlier she was an activities advisor and developed the High School-University Program. She earned her B.A. and M.A. here before going to the Claremont Graduate School for her Ph.D.

Professional Activities

Dr. Amer El-Ahraf (Academic Resources, Health Science and Human Ecology) was a delegate to the World Conference on Conservation Strategy May 30-June 5 in Ottawa, Canada. He delivered a paper on "An Ecological Definition of Health as Basis for an Integrative Model of International Environmental Management," participated in writing recommendations and co-chaired the workshop on "Environmental Management and Planning." About 100 countries but only a few American universities were represented.

Philip West (Music) has been contracted to record and provide sound reinforcement for the Northwood Orchestra's Festival of the Lakes in Harbor Springs, Mich., July 16-Aug. 9.

Community Service

Dr. David J. Bellis (Public Administration) was appointed chairman of the Signal Hills City Redevelopment Agency. He is a member of the City Council there. He recently was named to Who's Who in the West, Notable Americans and the Directory of Distinguished Americans.

Dr. James D. Crum (Natural Sciences) gave an illustrated lecture to the PACE Division of the San Bernardino Area Chamber of Commerce July 9 on "Some Game Parks of East Africa."

Dr. Robert Detweiler (Academic Affairs) gave a presentation on the university for the Uptown Exchange Club of San Bernardino June 25.

Dr. J. C. Robinson (Academic Affairs) discussed "U.S.-Latin American Relations" at a dinner meeting of the Orange Empire Retired Officers Chapter of the Retired Officers Association June 27 at Norton AFB.

Congratulations

The university extends congratulations to Ron and Caroline Riley (Campus Stores) who were married May 9 in Bullhead City, AZ. They are making their home in Redlands.

Sympathy

The university extends sympathy to the family of the late John E. Fredericks, the college's first accounting officer (1965-72), who died July 3 at the State Veterans Home in Yountville. Services were yesterday in Riverside.
Personnel

NEW TO THE UNIVERSITY

Full-time, permanent

Rosalie E. Carpenter
Clerical Assistant IIA
Admissions
SS 106, Ext. 7311

Cynthia Shum
Clerical Assistant IIA
Admissions
SS 106, Ext. 7311

Half-time, temporary to May 31, 1987

Gratrice E. Brown, Jr.
Equipment Technician IIA
Psychology
BI 320, Ext. 7235

TO PERMANENT STATUS FROM TEMPORARY

Full-time

Sandra Daneshvar
Clerical Assistant IIIA
Student Affirmative Action
SS 117, Ext. 7737

Elizabeth Kyeyune-Nyombi
Power Keyboard Operator
Enrollment Services
SS 148, Ext. 7304

REAPPOINTMENTS

Full-time, temporary

Ross Miyashiro
Clerical Assistant IA
Relations with High Schools
TR 9A, Ext. 7610
To April 30, 1987

Jeannie Parks
Clerical Assistant IIA
Extended Education
PL 560, Ext. 7667
To May 31, 1987

Donna Wern
Clerical Assistant IIA
Extended Education
PL 503, Ext. 7666
To June 30, 1987

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Personnel

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CHANGE IN POSITION

Gaye Mistretta
Department Secretary IIA
Department of Psychology
PS 219, Ext. 7226
From School of Humanities

Lydia Tadiarca
Clerical Assistant IIIA
Admissions
SS 100, Ext. 7311
From Clerical Assistant IIA
Admissions

Employment Opportunities

(Applications will be accepted from 2 p.m. today for new positions until 2 p.m. on the
dates listed. Current information on employment opportunities is available through a
24-hour hotline at Ext. 7762, which is updated at 2 p.m., each Friday.)

FOUNDATION: Instructional Specialist—$9/hr.; full-time, temporary to Aug. 29.
Closes July 14. (not state position)

LIBRARY: Clerical Assistant IIA—$1332-$1571/mo.; full-time, temporary (may become

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MUSIC: Piano Technician IIA—$1051.50-$1265/mo.; half-time, permanent. Closes July
25.

PAYROLL: Payroll Officer (Administrator I)—salary commensurate with experience;

PERSONNEL: Personnel Management Specialist I (Administrator I)—$1900-$2200/mo.;
full-time. Open until filled.

PLANT OPERATIONS: Custodian (pool)—$7.41-$8.74/hr.; hourly, temporary to June 30,

PLANT OPERATIONS: Groundworker—$1515-$1719/mo.; full-time, permanent. Closes July
14. (corrected posting)

SERVICES TO STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES: Interpreter/Transliterator—Range A, $12.86-
July 18. (corrected posting)

SERVICES TO STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES: Student Services Professional II—$2176-
$2617/mo.; full-time, permanent. Closes July 18. (corrected posting)

SERVICES TO STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES: Student Services Professional IB—$1919-
$2301/mo.; full-time, permanent. Closes July 18. (corrected posting)