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Dr. El-Ahraf Named Acting Vice President

Dr. Amer El-Ahraf, associate vice president for academic resources, will serve as acting vice president for academic affairs while the university conducts a national search for the successor to Dr. Robert Detweiler.

Vice President Detweiler will leave the university Aug. 1 to become president of Cal State, Dominguez Hills. He has headed the academic affairs division here for the past four years.

Dr. El-Ahraf, who also is professor of health science, currently is responsible for the allocation of physical and financial resources for the academic affairs division.

His interests in international education are reflected in the faculty exchange programs he has developed between the San Bernardino campus and the University of Zagazig in Egypt and the National Autonomous University in Mexico City. He is working on agreements with Queensland University in Australia and other international universities.

A native of Egypt, Dr. El-Ahraf joined the Cal State faculty in 1973 to establish a major in health science. He also was the first chair of the Department of Health Science and Human Ecology.

Before coming to Cal State, Dr. El-Ahraf taught at UC Irvine, UCLA and the University of Cairo, Egypt.

Active nationally and statewide in the field of environmental health, Dr. El-Ahraf is a past president of the California Environmental Health Association and has been editor of its journal.

He holds a master's degree and a doctorate in public health from UCLA and a doctorate in veterinary medicine from the University of Cairo.

Kaplan Named Graduate Dean

Dr. Julius Kaplan, half-time associate dean of graduate programs for nearly three years, will become the university's first full-time dean of graduate studies Sept. 1, Vice President Robert Detweiler announced Thursday.

The appointment follows a national search and the interviewing of five finalists on campus. The title for the position, which reflects the increased responsibilities, is dean of graduate studies, research and faculty development.

Dr. Kaplan, an art historian, came to Cal State in 1977 from the UCLA faculty. A year after his arrival, he was appointed chair of the Art Department and served in that capacity for five years.

He has been responsible for securing a number of sizeable grants from the California Arts Council and the National Endowment for the Humanities to support exhibits in the Art Gallery and the publication of catalogs for the shows.

After receiving a meritorious teaching award in 1984, he spent a year's sabbatical in France working on a book about 19th century French art. Kaplan had lived in Paris for two years as a Fulbright scholar.

Dr. Kaplan, who has taught at UC Berkeley and Colby College, earned his B.A. from Wesleyan University in Connecticut and his M.A. and Ph.D. from Columbia University.

24 Faculty Promoted, Tenure Awarded

Twenty-four faculty members will receive promotions with the beginning of the 1989-90 academic year.

Tenure was granted to 27 individuals, including 13 of the promotions. Promoted to professor are (with simultaneous award of tenure indicated by an asterisk):

School of Business and Public Administration
Dr. Walter Stewart* (Information and Decision Sciences),
Dr. Lance A. Masters (Marketing),
Dr. Steven M. Levy (Management),
School of Education
Dr. Bonnie Brunkhorst* (Teacher Education),
School of Humanities
Dr. Jill Buroker (Philosophy),
Dr. Rise B. Axelrod* (English),
School of Natural Sciences
Dr. Christopher F. Freiling (Math),
Dr. James S. Okon (Math),
Continued on next page
School of Social and Behavioral Sciences
Dr. Russell J. Barber (Anthropology).

The 15 men and women advanced to associate professor rank are (tenure indicated by *):

School of Business and Public Administration
Linvol Henry* (Accounting and Finance),
Dr. Clark Molsstad* (Management),
School of Education
Dr. John W. Adams* (Graduate Education),
School of Humanities
Dr. Thomas E. Moody* (Philosophy),
Dr. Jacques Benzakein* (Foreign Languages),
Dr. Jeffrey C. King* (Philosophy),
Dr. Yi-Ying Chen (Math),
Dr. Yi-Ying Chen (Math),
Dr. Diane D. Butterworth (Health Science),
School of Social and Behavioral Sciences
Dr. Laura N. Kamptner* (Psychology),
Dr. Janet L. Kottke (Psychology),
Dr. Theodore R. McDowell* (Geography),
Dr. David M. Riefer* (Psychology),
Dr. Nancy E. Rose (Economics).

Additional faculty members receiving tenure are:

School of Business and Public Administration
Dr. David J. Bellis (Public Administration),
Dr. L. Lynn Judd (Marketing),
Dr. Javrod Varzandeh (Information and Decision Sciences),
Dr. Mohamad T. Vaziri (Accounting and Finance),
Dr. Frank D. Benson (Accounting and Finance),
School of Education
Dr. Darleen K. Stoner (Teacher Education),
School of Humanities
Dr. Daniel S. Whitaker (Foreign Languages),
Dr. Robert L. Yowell (Theatre Arts),
Dr. Rafael E. Correa (Foreign Languages),
School of Natural Sciences
Dr. Zahid Hasan (Math),
Dr. Chetan Prakash (Math),
School of Social and Behavioral Sciences
Dr. Lanny B. Fields (History),
Dr. Ellen R. Gruenbaum (Anthropology),
Dr. Phillip A. Taylor (Political Science).

Dr. Watson Retires

The only faculty member to retire this year as emeritus professor is Dr. Del LaVerne Watson, professor of nursing.

Dr. Watson, who came to the Cal State campus in 1981 as chair of the Department of Nursing, will be working on two research grants and on publication of her findings in the coming year.

"I'll also be doing the kinds of things that I always wanted to do," she said, including in this category, skiing instead of looking at the snow on the mountains and being an amateur radio operator.

She plans to remain in the area for a while but eventually will return to her home state of Texas, specifically the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Her last professional presentation as part of the Cal State faculty was a research paper delivered June 6 in Taipei, Taiwan at the International Research Conference of Sigma Theta Tau, the honor society in nursing. She was selected through competition to present her research dealing with cooperative functions in nursing.

Before returning home, she was one of 279 American nurses attending the International Council of Nursing May 28-June 2 in Seoul, Korea.

Before coming to Cal State, Dr. Watson held teaching and academic administrative positions at Southern Missionary College, Union College and the University of Oklahoma.

She holds a B.S. from Union College, an M.S. from the University of Colorado, and an M.A. and a Ph.D. from Teachers College, Columbia University.

Part-Time Faculty Dies

Frank Aguirre, 37, who had taught part-time in the Department of Foreign Languages since about winter 1984, died Sunday, June 11 in Riverside General Hospital after a week's illness.

Aguirre, who generally taught the introductory classes in Spanish, had started many students into their language study.

He was a Colton resident and also taught at San Bernardino Valley College. He is survived by his parents.

Outstanding Students Named

Two women are being honored as the outstanding students for 1988-89 at commencement Saturday.

Rebecca Hodde, who is graduating with highest honors and with departmental honors in political science and economics, is the outstanding undergraduate.

Marguerite Dragna, the outstanding graduate student, is receiving an M.S. in psychology. She also earned two other degrees in psychology, a B.A. in 1984 and an M.A. in December 1987.

In addition to her academic honors, Hodde earned awards in cross country and was captain of the women's team for two years. She has been active in the Model United Nations and was the student representative on the Faculty Senate's curriculum committee.

Dragna, who has been involved in a number of research projects, hopes to continue teaching and counseling, particularly focusing on working with AIDS patients and their families.
Emergency Phones Added Throughout Campus

Additional emergency telephones have been installed throughout the campus to make it easier for employees and visitors to seek assistance from the campus police.

The 13 emergency phones which are outdoors are encased in red boxes, explained Edward Harrison, chief of police operations.

These telephones ring directly into the campus police office, which is staffed 24 hours a day.

To make the exterior phones more visible, blue shades will be placed on the lights above six phones in heavily trafficked areas. Two are between the main parking lot and the perimeter road, one will be between the Creative Arts Building and the Library, another at the southwest corner of the Physical Sciences Building, one behind the Biology Building and another between the Commons and the Health Center.

The other locations of outside emergency phones are: on the first and second floors of the Faculty Office Building, the Physical Education pool, the P.E. field, the Physical Plant, outside the Housing Office, the bus stop shelter and the information kiosk.

Red emergency phones are located in all elevators and in the corridors of the major buildings. There also are courtesy phones in the corridors.

The Department of Public Safety will be reprinting its campus map which contains the locations of emergency phones as well as campus parking regulations.

Summer Entertainment Series Begins July 5

The university's annual summer entertainment series, eight consecutive Wednesday evenings of music under the stars, will begin July 5.

The concerts, free and open to the public, begin at 7 p.m. on the Commons Plaza, announced Assistant Vice President Doyle Stansel (Student Life), who again is coordinating the program.

The public is invited to bring blankets and picnic baskets and enjoy the campus prior to the concerts. Soft drinks will be sold during the two-hour performances.

Opening the series July 5 will be the Karousel Kids, a program of special interest to families. Many of these performers have appeared on television and in area civic light opera productions. The group, which is scheduled to appear at Disneyland this summer, will feature Broadway show music.

The Phil Salazar Band will return with its bluegrass music on July 12. Continuing in the series will be a classical flute-guitar duo, Jan Borland and John Dowdall, July 19; Shanachie, folk artists, July 26; the Fullerton Strutters, Dixieland, Aug. 2; High Country, traditional bluegrass, Aug. 9; the Bonners, country western, Aug. 16, and Latin Society, big band jazz sounds, Aug. 23.

The concerts are sponsored by the Associated Students, the Student Union and the San Bernardino Sun. A brochure listing all events is available from the Student Life Office, Ext. 5234.

15,000 Expected for Graduation

Nearly 15,000 graduates, their families and friends and faculty are expected for the 23rd commencement at 5:30 p.m., Saturday.

Seating for 14,506 has been set on the lawn east of the Library by the Physical Plant workmen.

Nearly 2000 students, graduates from fall and winter and candidates from spring and summer quarters, are eligible to participate in the commencement exercises.

Mary Colacurcio (Alumni Affairs), chair of commencement, said 1300 students have registered to march. Both are record numbers for the university.

Receptions honoring the graduates, including hooding ceremonies for master's degree recipients, will be hosted by the five schools earlier in the afternoon.

The 3 p.m. receptions will be in the following locations:
- School of Business and Public Administration, Upper Commons;
- School of Education, Creative Arts Building;
- School of Humanities, Panorama Room, Commons;
- School of Natural Sciences, patio of the Physical Sciences Building;
- School of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Upper Commons.

A reception honoring the commencement speaker, Chancellor W. Ann Reynolds, will be held from 4-5 p.m., in the Sycamore Room. Faculty, staff and commencement participants are invited to attend, said Dr. Judith M. Rymer (University Relations).

Board Ratifies Union Contracts

CSU employees and faculty will receive salary increases in their June paychecks as a result of contracts with three labor unions which were ratified by the CSU Board of Trustees in May.

The increases will range from 4.7% to 6%, according to a release from the Chancellor's Office.

The CFA Unit 3 agreement on faculty salaries for fiscal year 1988-89 will give faculty members a 4.7% increase.
There is still a disagreement between the CSU and CFA on additional funds that CFA claims are available but both sides agreed to ratifying the current contract so monies already agreed upon wouldn’t be lost, the Chancellor’s Office said.

Ratification of the APC Unit 4 (academic support) agreement and the CSEA Unit 2 (health care support), Unit 5 (operations support), Unit 7 (clerical/administrative support) and Unit 9 (technical support services) agreement will give employees covered by those contracts raises of 6% effective June 1. The CSEA contract also calls for an increase of 4% effective Jan. 1, 1990 and an increase of 3% to 5%, depending on cost of living, on Jan. 1, 1991.

The CSEA contract will give a special equity adjustment for certain classes of employees on Jan. 1, 1990 and also includes guarantees of promotional opportunities.

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**Honor Society Initiates 4 Faculty, 118 Students**

Four faculty members and 118 students were initiated into The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi at the annual banquet June 10.

The faculty members recognized for their service to the university and their professions were Dr. Julius D. Kaplan (Art, Graduate Studies), Dr. Ward M. McAfee (History), Dr. John Sarli (Math) and Dr. Lynda Warren (Psychology).

Dr. Tom Pierce, chapter president, and Dr. James D. Crum, vice president, conducted the initiation.

Dr. Frances F. Berdan, chapter secretary, introduced two scholarship recipients. Trixie Bubemyre, who will enroll at the University of Arizona, for master’s work in archaeology of the southwest, received the Carol F. Goss graduate fellowship.

Christopher Beekman, who has been accepted in the Ph.D. program in anthropology at Vanderbilt University, received an honorable mention in the Phi Kappa Phi national fellowship competition.

Phi Kappa Phi, a national honor society, recognizes excellence in all disciplines.

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**news briefs**

**Bookstore Closed**

The Coyote Bookstore will be closed for inventory June 29-30, Manager Carol Dunlap announced. A special clearance sale is underway through June 28.

**Library Hours**

With the conclusion of the spring quarter, the Library will observe special hours for the summer, reports John Tibbals (Patron Services).

The Library is now closed on Sundays. Next Monday-Wednesday, June 19-21, hours will be 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. From June 22 through Aug. 1, the Library will be open 8 a.m.-8 p.m., Monday-Thursday; 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Friday; and 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday. The Library, like the university, is closed July 4.

**Tennis League**

A team tennis league for students, faculty and staff will begin Thursday, June 22 at the university’s tennis courts, announces Joe Long, recreational sports coordinator. Matches will be played each Thursday at 6 p.m. for six weeks.

“arthe league enables men, women, boys and girls to compete in an exciting fast-paced format. A match consists of five or six no-ad sets: men’s and women’s singles and doubles and mixed doubles. The scoring is the total of games won in all the sets,” he said.

Entry fee for the league is $2 per player and includes court time, pizza from the league sponsor, prizes and tennis balls. Deadline for entries is June 21. Information is available from Long, Ext. 5234.

**Summer Swimming**

Members of the campus community, including their families, may enjoy summer swimming in the university pool, reports Joe Long (Recreational Sports).

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From June 19 through July 1, the pool is open to the campus community only from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. On July 3 and from July 5 through Sept. 2, the campus has sole use of the pool from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The facility will be available for the public, through the City Recreation Department, from 1 to 5 p.m., July 3 and July 5-Sept. 2.

Evening swimming will be available for the campus community only from 6 to 8 p.m., Tuesdays, June 20-Aug. 29. Children under 15 years must be accompanied by an adult except during the public swimming time, Long stressed. Employees and their family members must bring a university identification card when using the pool.

Personal ID cards for authorized family members may be obtained from the Physical Education Office, PE 122.

A flyer announcing all of the summer recreation times is available from the Student Life Office, SS 122. Activities include racquetball and tennis on evenings and weekends, volleyball on Tuesday nights and softball and volleyball on Wednesday late afternoons.

**BPA Awards Grants**

The Dean’s Faculty Research Awards from the School of Business and Public Administration are being awarded to Dr. Sue Greenfeld (Management), Dr. Lynn Judd (Marketing) and Dr. Mo Vaziri (Accounting and Finance), announced Dean David O. Porter. Each will receive a $500 grant for research.
Congratulations

The university extends congratulations to James R. Ducey (Intercollegiate Athletics) and his wife, Kelly, on the birth of their third son, Jacob Robert, May 30. His brothers are Ted, 6, and Brian, 5.

Sympathy

The university extends deepest sympathy to Louis Diaz (Housing) and Pat Diaz (Counseling and Testing) on the death of his mother, Petra Diaz, April 25 in San Bernardino.

The university extends deepest sympathy to John Tibbals (Library) on the death of his mother, Elizabeth-Ellen Tibbals, June 7 in Pomona.

Community Service

Dr. Elliott Barkan (History) is one of five persons invited by Senator Ted Kennedy to speak before the Senate Judiciary Committee June 15 in Washington, D.C. The committee is considering a proposal to change the U.S. citizenship law from five years to three years.

Dr. David Bellis (Public Administration) spoke to 40 10th-, 11th- and 12th-grade students brought to campus through the Upward Bound Program. He discussed civic responsibility, including participation in local politics, and community service through nonprofit organizations.

Dr. Juan C. Gonzalez (President’s Office) addressed two fourth-grade classes at Honey Hollow Elementary School in Moreno Valley May 24 on “Anti-Drug and Anti-Gang.”

Dr. Mildred Henry (Education) and Dr. Gary Patterson (Management) presented a project, “Self-Destruct: Demise of a People, ‘The Youth Gang and Drug Culture’,” at the Potomac Riverfest June 3-4 in Washington, D.C. Approximately a million people were expected for the two-day event.

Dr. Clark Molstad (Management) spoke on “Impression Management” at the June 8 meeting of the Personnel and Industrial Relations Association in San Bernardino.

Dr. Theron Pace (Services to Students with Disabilities) spoke to four classes at Sequoia Junior High School June 2 concerning “Goals and the Future and You.”

Cynthia Pringle (Public Information) spoke to a regional assembly of Rotary Clubs May 6 on how to write a good newsletter. She also participated in Career Day fairs at Gage Middle School in Riverside June 6 and Ramona-Alessandro Elementary School in San Bernardino June 8, where she talked about occupations in the public relations field.

Patricia A. Rodgers (Career Development Center) presented a workshop, “Motivation and Personal Development,” at the Booker T. Washington, Revisited Conference sponsored by The West End Consortium April 18 on campus.

Dr. Walter Stewart (Information and Decision Sciences) spoke to the Lake Gregory Rotary Club June 15 on “Stress and Stressors.”

Dr. Peter Wetterlind (Computer Science) spoke to the Riverside Chapter of Professional Secretaries International on “Computer Software and Liabilities” June 1 in Riverside.

Chinese Students Show Support

In a show of support for fellow students in China, members of the Chinese Students Association on campus solicited funds and signatures on a petition last week in front of Pfau Library.

Contributions totaling $1097.14 will be deposited in an account in the United Pacific Bank in Los Angeles, said Sufian, president of the CSA. The fund, administered by Hand in Hand, may be used to transmit information to the Chinese people and to assist families of the students. The local group investigated the Hand in Hand group before selecting it to receive the funds, explained Sufian.

The dissemination of information to China is most critical now, as the press and TV are controlled by the government, said William Shum (Physical Planning and Development), who has been supporting the students here.

The petition, which was signed by 350 students and employees, urged President Bush and the U.S. government to condemn “those responsible for this tragedy” in Beijing.

It also called for the individuals “who brutally murdered students fighting for basic human rights” to step down and demanded an “unambiguous guarantee” that no force will be used against peaceful demonstrators. The Chinese Students Association, which is five years old, has 68 members. Its Chinese New Year’s celebration has been one of the highlights of the winter quarter.

Personnel

New to the university

Full-time, permanent

Kenneth Poarch
Equipment Technician
IIA, Electronics
Psychology
Ext. 5570, PS 219

Change

To full-time, permanent

Joan Graham
Secretary B
School of Social and Behavioral Sciences
Ext. 5500, FO 175

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Employment Opportunities

Current job vacancies can be seen on Channel 3, the community access channel in San Bernardino. Information also is available on a 24-hour hotline at Ext. 5139, which is updated at 3 p.m., Fridays. Applications will be accepted until 2 p.m. on the dates listed.

Foundation: Account Clerk—$762-$898.50/mo.; part-time. Apply by June 23. (not a state position)

Purchasing: Purchasing Manager (Administrator I)—Salary commensurate with experience; full-time, permanent. Open until filled.

Calendar

Wednesday, July 5
Concert. Karousel Kids, musical revue. 7 p.m., Commons Plaza. Free.

Wednesday, July 12
Concert. Phil Salazar Band, modern bluegrass. 7 p.m., Commons Plaza. Free.