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State-Of-The-Art Computer center Site of University of Dayton Open House

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DAYTON, Ohio, April 3, 1987--The University of Dayton will hold an open house on Wednesday, April 15, in its state-of-the-art computer education facility, the William S. Anderson Information Sciences Center. From 3:30 to 5:30 p.m., the public is invited to tour the new building, see demonstrations, and learn about the center's future impact on the Dayton community and beyond.

Music and refreshments will begin after a short dedication at 3:45 p.m. On hand for the ceremony will be Jesse Philips, chairman, board of trustees, University of Dayton; Brother Raymond L. Fitz, S.M., president, University of Dayton; Charles Exley Jr., chairman and president, NCR Corporation; and William S. Anderson, for whom the building is named. Anderson, a University of Dayton trustee, is former chairman of the board and current executive committee chairman of NCR Corporation.

Also included on the program is an electronic "ribbon-cutting." The special effect will be orchestrated by the departments of computer science and engineering technology using an NCR PC-8 computer.

The Anderson Center was established through a record-breaking gift from the NCR Corporation. The gift of computer products and cash constitutes the largest private contribution in the university's 137-year history. NCR's gift is the result of a long partnership and tradition of teamwork between the corporation and the University of Dayton.

According to President Fitz, "The Anderson Center is an outstanding
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facility--one of the best of its kind anywhere. It is truly a showcase for undergraduate computer education and for NCR."

The center consists of 32,285 square feet and houses the Department of Computer Science, the Department of Decision Sciences, the Center for Business and Economic Research, and the Management Development Center.

The building features six computer laboratories to be used primarily by the 1,850 students majoring in business and computer science. Students in all disciplines may also take courses requiring the use of the new facility.

For more information about the open house or the Anderson Center, call 229-3241.

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