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MARCH 31: RECEPTION SET FOR PROFESSOR IN TRANSITION TO BUSINESS WORLD

The University of Dayton Department of Communication will host a "transition reception" for Professor Florence Wolff on Friday, March 31 from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Kennedy Union Torch Lounge.

After spending 20 years in UD classrooms, Wolff is setting her sights on the corporate world. Beginning this fall she will be instructing and addressing mid-level and high-level managers in business and the military to help them improve their communication skills. She will also conduct seminars for teachers and students in secondary schools and universities. In addition, Wolff will continue to conduct seminars for UD's Management Development Center in the School of Business Administration.

Wolff will be honored on May 18 when the Dayton Professional Chapter of Women in Communications presents her with an award for special achievement in the field of communications. For further information, contact Florence Wolff at (513) 229-3049.

MARCH 31-APRIL 1:
UD ENGINEERING SYMPOSIUM WILL FOCUS ON BUILDING LEADERSHIP

The University of Dayton will hold its first annual Engineering Honors and Scholars Leadership Symposium on Friday, March 31 and Saturday, April 1 in the multi-purpose room of the Virginia W. Kettering Residence Hall on campus. Designed to foster leadership among UD's best engineering students, the symposium will bring industry leaders to campus to show students how they can play a part in devising solutions to future world and national problems. All of the addresses will center on the theme of "Real World Leadership."

Gordon A. Sargent, dean of the UD School of Engineering, will open the symposium with a welcome address on Friday at 6:30 p.m. Douglas Dempsey, vice president of manufacturing for the Huffy Corporation, will speak at 7 p.m. on "Manufacturing Leadership for Change."

Saturday's events will include a morning welcome from Brother Raymond L. Fitz, S.M., president of UD, at 8:15 a.m. Richard Wright, vice president of research and development for Mead Imaging, will speak at 8:45 a.m. on "Leadership in Research and Product Development." Roger Blackwell, professor of marketing at Ohio State University, will speak at 10:30 a.m. on "Leadership and Success, Learning to Listen, Implications of Changing Attitudes and Lifestyles of Technology and Business Strategy." Beth Karney-Taylor, platform engineer for Delco Moraine, will speak at the luncheon at 12:45 p.m. on "Networking for Change: The Subtle Leadership Factor."

For further information on the first annual Engineering Honors and Scholars Leadership Symposium, contact Patrick J. Sweeney at (513) 229-2736.
APRIL 1: UD STUDENTS WILL BE ON LITTER PATROL FOR 1989 SPRING CLEAN SWEEP

University of Dayton students will gather for some good, clean fun on Saturday, April 1 for the 1989 Spring Clean Sweep. About 700 students are expected to meet at the McGinnis Center, 301 Lowes St., at 10 a.m. for the neighborhood cleaning effort.

Clean Sweep, now in its ninth year at UD, is designed to clean up the campus neighborhood and raise litter awareness among UD students. The event, which is sponsored by the McGinnis Center and Student Government Association, is aided by the City of Dayton Waste Collection Department and the Southeast Priority Board, which provide trucks and equipment. Area Brown Street businesses donate participation prizes to be awarded to student groups.

For further information on the 1989 Spring Clean Sweep, contact Judy Raines at (513) 229-1047.

APRIL 1: MODEL BRIDGES TAKE CENTER STAGE IN ENGINEERING COMPETITION

Engineering students from five universities will be erecting model bridges 20 feet long on the University of Dayton campus for the Ohio Valley Regional Conference of the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) to be held March 31-April 2. The bridge competition will be held on Saturday, April 1 from 3 to 6 p.m. in the parking lot adjacent UD's Kettering Laboratories.

Civil engineering students from UD, Ohio State University, the University of Cincinnati, Youngstown State University and the University of Louisville will compete in the model truss bridge contest. Prizes will be awarded for fastest bridge erection, lightest bridge, highest load capacity, lowest cost bridge and the most aesthetic bridge. The competition is sponsored by the American Institute of Steel Construction.

For further information on the conference or the bridge competition, contact Joseph Saliba at (513) 229-3847.

APRIL 2: FIFTY YEARS OF RELIGIOUS SERVICE TO BE CELEBRATED WITH UD MASS, RECEPTION

On Sunday, April 2, friends of the Rev. Matthew F. Kohmescher, S.M., will gather in the Kennedy Union Ballroom at the University of Dayton for a 5 p.m. Mass to celebrate his 50 years as a Marianist. A reception and buffet will follow.

Kohmescher, a 1942 UD alumnus, has served as associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences and chair of the Department of Religious Studies, where he now teaches full time. Reflecting on his long association with UD, Kohmescher said, "There are so many wonderful people—faculty, staff and students. I've met an awful lot of neat kids since I've been here."

For further information, contact organizer Brother Stan Matthews, S.M., at (513) 229-4122 or Father Matthew Kohmescher at (513) 229-4305.

APRIL 4: 'FACES OF AIDS' IS TOPIC OF UD INFORMATIONAL PROGRAM

An AIDS Education Day, sponsored by the Student Development Office at the University of Dayton, will be held on Tuesday, April 4 in Kennedy Union on campus. Citing the need to become more informed about AIDS, William Schuerman, vice president of student development and dean of students, noted, "A startling statistic reveals that, nationally, one in every 300 college students is infected with the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)."

The program will follow the theme "The Many Faces of AIDS," the title of the U.S. Catholic Bishops' letter on AIDS. A video presentation will be run continuously from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Kennedy Union Room 222, and a panel presentation will be held in the East Ballroom at 3 p.m. with a discussion of the bishops' letter by Dennis Doyle, assistant professor of religious studies and an expert on AIDS ministry; a biological update on the disease by Brother Bruce Giffin, S.M., assistant professor of biology; and three persons with AIDS who will share their own experiences.

For more information, contact Teri Rizvi or Pam Huber at (513) 229-3241.