

Samuel Deitz from Georgia State chosen as dean of the School of Education

TCU NAMED DR. SAMUEL M. DEITZ, DEAN of the College of Education and professor of education and psychology at Georgia State University (GSU), as the new dean of the School of Education. **Chancellor Michael A. Ferrari** announced that Deitz will begin his term at TCU August 1, 2000.

During Deitz's 19-year tenure at GSU, the College of Education saw increases in both external funding and student enrollment. As dean, Deitz formed vital internal partnerships with other disciplines across the campus, resulting in programs that impacted the business community, the university and public schools in Georgia. One such partnership between the College of Education and the College of Arts and Sciences focused on preparing university students to teach subjects related to arts and sciences by immersing them more deeply into the content and teaching styles of the field during their college years. The program, one of the first of its kind in the nation, was subsequently used as a model by other universities.

Deitz also was instrumental in the development of a conflict resolution training program, formed as a result of another internal partnership between the College of Education and the College of Law. The program was implemented in public schools to teach students and teachers appropriate methods of defusing difficult situations.

Prior to being named dean at GSU, Deitz served as acting dean (1990-1992) and chair of the educational foundations department (1984-1990). He also taught at the University of Florida and as a high school English teacher. Deitz earned his Ph.D. and M.A. in Educational Psychology and his B.A. in English and Education from the University of Florida. He is a member of the American Psychological Association and American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, and has served as the president of the Georgia Association for Behavior Analysis, and a guest reviewer for *American Psychologist*. As a researcher, Deitz has published numerous national and international articles on behavior modification in the classroom in primary, secondary and higher education.

"I think I speak for everyone at TCU that had the opportunity to have conversations

with Sam, that we were very impressed with his knowledge, experience and grasp of the issues facing education today," said **Dr. William H. Koehler**, provost and vice chancellor of academic affairs. "I am personally excited about the opportunity to work with and learn from him."

Although Deitz is well aware of the challenges that lie ahead for the field of education, namely overcrowding in the classrooms and the dwindling numbers of prepared teachers, he feels viable solutions are just around the corner.

"I hope to use my experience in creating innovative partnerships to complement the work already under way at TCU in urban education and math, science and technology education to improve the quality of teachers for our schools," said Deitz. "I am confident the faculty is ready to reach for and grasp a level of national distinction."

The School of Education is comprised of two departments, Educational Foundations and Administration and Curriculum and Instruction. The school also contains two special education laboratory schools, Starpoint, a primary school that works with students diagnosed with mild learning disabilities, and The Rise School, a newly established preschool for children ages 18 months to 5 years old with Down syndrome. The school also houses the Institute for Mathematics, Science and Technology Education, and an Urban Education Initiative, as well as the TRIO Programs. The School of Education has 32 full time faculty and a superintendent-in-residence, Dr. Thomas Tocco, superintendent of the Fort Worth Independent School District. ♦

Sister Cities travel opportunity announced

FORT WORTH SISTER CITIES IS INVITING local residents to travel as part of its official Ambassador Delegation to Bandung, Indonesia from Sept. 21-Oct. 2. This is a rare opportunity to journey through beautiful southeast Asia and join in the 10th anniversary celebration of our sister city relationship with Bandung.

EVENTS

Today

Geology Dept. hosts guest lecturer Dr. John Boardman (Oxford University) to speak on "Land Degradation in Southern Africa," 11:30 a.m., Sid Richardson, Lecture hall 4. Call ext. 7270 for more information.

May 23-24

Miller Speech and Hearing Clinic - Free hearing screenings, 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Miller Speech and Hearing Clinic. Call Helen at ext. 7620 for more information.

May 28

Memorial Day holiday. Offices closed.

June 5

Starpoint Summer Program registration deadline. Call **Robin Davis** at ext. 6142 for more information.

The trip will include Sister Cities dignitary events with Fort Worth and Bandung city officials, tours of the city, cultural performances and excursions to Bali and Singapore. An orientation will be scheduled prior to departure where participants will receive the itinerary, learn about Bandung's culture and history, and meet other members of the delegation.

Approximate double occupancy is \$2,100. A non-refundable deposit is due June 2. For more information, call **Carolyn Spence Cagle** (nursing) at ext. 7498 or Sister Cities at 212-2650. ♦

Campus Meals on Wheels drivers needed for summer

UNIVERSITY MINISTRIES IS LOOKING for volunteers and a coordinator to maintain TCU's Meals on Wheels route over the summer.

Students have been delivering meals to homebound elderly and disabled living nearby on Thursday mornings. Meals are picked up from University United Methodist Church on Berry St. Two persons riding together usually finish the deliveries in slightly more than one hour.

The coordinator would be responsible for scheduling volunteers and keeping in touch with Meals on Wheels if any problems develop.

Bea Nealy asks anyone interested in helping to phone her at ext. 7830 or e-mail her. "If enough people respond, we can form teams and rotate the delivery so no one would have to go every week," she says. ♦

Discount tickets for area attractions on sale at Information Desk

THE INFORMATION DESK IN THE STUDENT Center has the following discount tickets available for the summer season. Hours to purchase them are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays. The desk is not open on weekends.

AMC movies	\$4.75
Bus tokens	\$10
Dining Dollars	\$7
General Cinema	\$5.25
Hurricane Harbor	\$17.50
Monthly bus pass	\$30
NRH20 Water Park	\$9.50
Omni	\$5.25
Six Flags day pass	\$21.75
Six Flags Season pass	\$59.50
Texas Rangers	\$8.75
(June 7-Dodgers)*	
(July 27-Tigers)*	
(Aug. 30-Indians)*	
*Limited # of tickets	
United Artists	\$4.75
FW Zoo	\$5.75

For more information, call **Belinda Anguiano** at ext. 7927. ♦

Hearing screenings set

THE DEPARTMENT OF communication sciences and disorders will provide free hearing screenings from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. May 22-23 at the Miller Speech and Hearing Clinic, 3305 W. Cantey. Members of the TCU and Fort Worth community ages 3 and older are welcome.

No appointment is necessary. For more information, call ext. 7620. ♦

Defensive driving course

THE OFFICE OF RISK MANAGEMENT will offer a free defensive driving course to all TCU faculty and staff from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. May 31. Participants will receive a 10% state discount on their personal auto insurance.

Call **Glen Payton** at ext. 7220 to register. ♦

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MARKETPLACE

Cleve Jones, creator of the AIDS Memorial Quilt project, will be at Borders Books, 4613 S. Hulen, at 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 24 to sign his new book *Stitching a Revolution: The Making of an Activist*.

Jones had the idea for the quilt in 1985, when the death toll from AIDS in San Francisco had reached 1,000.

Since then, the AIDS Memorial Quilt has grown to include more than 80,466 names from around the world. It is the size of 16 football fields and weighs 53 tons.

For more information about Jones' visit to Fort Worth, call **Kerrie Thome** at 370-0293 or e-mail kthome@bordersstores.com.

Child Advocates of Tarrant County will host a new volunteer orientation at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 10 at 1020 Macon downtown. Child Advocate Volunteers serve as the eyes and ears of the judge in child abuse and neglect cases.

Volunteers must be at least 21, able to commit at least one year as a volunteer and have a somewhat flexible daytime schedule.

For more information, or to register, call 877-KIDS.

NEW FACES

Yves Dumond is a post-doctoral fellow in chemistry. He received his Ph.D. degree from Purdue University this spring and holds an M.S. degree from Escil in Lyon, France.

Brian Ingram has joined user services as a data communications supervisor. He is a transfer student from Hardin-Simmons University and has worked at New Horizons Computer Learning Center as a computer technician.

Brenda Menzies has been hired as an office assistant in financial aid. She has B.B.A. and M.Ed. degrees from Sul Ross State University and has worked at Odessa High School and as a TCU temp.

Jeff Napier has gone fulltime as a groundskeeper in physical plant after having worked on temporary staff since last November. He formerly worked at Nokia.

DEATHS

Sympathy is extended to **Patrick Walter** (engineering) in the death of his mother, Grace Walter, on May 4 in Fort Worth. Funeral was held in Albuquerque, New Mexico on May 8.

CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE: MacIntosh Powerbook Laptop 166mh, 1400c; 64mb; 2G hard drive; floppy, CD, zip; software including System 8.5. Full warranty until 2002. All cables including desktop connections, \$1,000. Call 294-4110 for more information.

FOR SALE: 8' x 10' light canvas Hillary tent. Very easy to set up. In excellent condition, \$50. Call Tom at 923-6365.

FOR RENT: Fully furnished garage apartment, utilities included, some light property caretaking required, \$450/month. Call 921-9802.

FOR SALE: 32" Toshiba Supertube (\$600), Pioneer Home Entertainment System (\$350), and Toshiba DVD Player (\$250); all in original boxes unopened; take all three for \$1,100; call Gloria at ext. 6866.

FOR SALE: 19' pop-up camper (1993 Flag) Great for camping, cold air-conditioning, good shape, \$2,800. Call 279-6480 or 447-4756 to see.

FOR SALE: Four-poster cedar handcrafted queen-sized bed with mattress and boxsprings. Includes a large wagon wheel chandelier with two wagon spokelamps with cowhide shades, excellent shape, \$750. Formal mahogany dining room set with two leaves and 10 chairs, \$500.00. Call 447-4756 to see.

FOR SALE: Almost new Kenmore refrigerator/freezer in excellent condition. Automatic defrost, side-mounted freezer, through-the-door ice service, 26.7 cu.ft. capacity, white on white. Asking \$450 obo. Call Emilie at 294-3027.

FREE TO GOOD HOME: 3 gray/white 4-week old kittens and 2 fuzzy, white/gray 5-week old kittens must find loving homes a.s.a.p., will deliver. Please call Phyllis at ext. 5369 or 441-9299.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of May 17. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

- Dean of Admissions - Admissions
- Manager of Admissions Information Services - Admissions
- Director of Nursing - Harris School of Nursing
- MBA Career Services Director - MBA Career Services/Business School
- Assistant Director of Career Services - Career Services
- Advancement Research Officer - Advancement Services
- Associate Research Scientist - Institute of Behavioral Research
- Research Scientist - Institute of Behavioral Research
- Video Engineer - RTVF
- Director of Student Publications - Journalism
- Assistant Men's & Women's Swimming Coach - Athletics
- Hall Director II - Residential Services
- Hall Director III - Residential Services
- Program Coordinator - Campus Life
- Admissions Counselor - Admissions
- Director of Media Relations - Athletics
- Annual Fund Officer - Annual Giving
- Payroll Analyst - Human Resources
- Administrative Assistant - Sociology/Criminal Justice
- Administrative Assistant - Math, Science, Technology Institute
- Administrative Assistant - College of Health and Human Sciences
- Library Assistant - Acquisitions - Library
- Library Assistant - Periodicals - Library
- Library Assistant - Acquisitions / 75% - Library
- Data Control Specialist / 50% - Donor Relations
- Police Officer - Campus Police
- Security Guard / 75% - Campus Police
- Craft Technician/Painter - Physical Plant
- Craft Technician/Electrician - Physical Plant
- Craft Technician/General Maintenance - Physical Plant
- Craft Technician/HVAC Control Center - Physical Plant
- Horticultural Supervisor - Physical Plant
- Groundskeeper - Physical Plant
- Service Assistant/Temporary - Student Center
- Service Assistant - Facility Services
- Service Assistant / 50% - Facility Services
- Service Assistant / 90-day assignment - Facility Services
- Temporary Positions for Upward Bound Summer 2000