

TCU THIS WEEK



EVENTS AND INFORMATION FOR THE TCU COMMUNITY

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College of Fine Arts picks OU professor as director of the School of Music

SCOTT A. SULLIVAN (DEAN, COLLEGE OF Fine Arts) recently announced the appointment of **Dr. Richard C. Gipson** as director of the School of Music. He is a professor of music at the University of Oklahoma in Norman and an accomplished composer, conductor and musician. He served as director of the OU School of Music from 1992-1997. Dr. Gipson also was interim provost and vice president for academic affairs and special assistant to the president while at OU.

Dr. Gipson was the principal timpanist for the Oklahoma City Philharmonic Orchestra from 1989-1999, percussionist for the Oklahoma Symphony Orchestra from 1976-1987 and principal timpanist of the Norman Chamber Orchestra from 1983 to the present. His percussion ensembles have received numerous regional and national honors.

Born in Corpus Christi, Gipson received a performer's certificate from Del Mar College in 1969 and bachelor's and master's degrees in music from the University of Texas at Austin in the early 1970s. He completed a D.Ed./Music Education degree from Pennsylvania State University in 1978.

Before joining OU in 1976, Gipson taught at UT, Central Missouri State University, Penn State and Susquehanna University in Selinsgrove, PA.

He is married to Dr. Ann Milliman, an associate professor of piano and piano pedagogy at Oklahoma Baptist University, and has two children, Sarah, 22, and David, 20.

"Dr. Gipson brings a superb record of administrative experience to TCU, and we are excited about the future of our School of Music under his leadership," according to Scott.

Since the retirement of former director **Ken Raessler** in 2000, **Blaise Ferrandino** has served as interim director of the School of Music. ♦

Neeley School launches finance center named for Luther King company

THE NEELEY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS announced last week the launch of a finance center that will enhance the level of finance faculty research, provide superior

educational and career opportunities for TCU students and finance professionals, and attract top finance faculty and business students. The center will be called the Luther King Capital Management Center for Financial Studies in recognition of the company's more than decade-long relationship with Neeley's finance department.

Joe Lipscomb, professor of finance and real estate and the former finance department chair for Neeley, will be the center's director.

The center was named after Luther King Capital Management to honor the commitment the company has shown to the Neeley School's finance department over the past 10 years. Luther King Capital Management has provided finance students with internships and scholarships, supported the finance department's research and instruction efforts and loaned several company employees as adjunct faculty for graduate and undergraduate investment classes. Luther King Capital Management also has been instrumental in helping several TCU finance students launch successful Wall Street careers.

A key goal of the Luther King Capital Management Center for Financial Studies is to provide finance faculty with opportunities to conduct preeminent research activities. The center plans on increasing faculty access to more databases through the Wharton Research Data Service, which catalogs historical financial information and is maintained by the Wharton School of Finance at the University of Pennsylvania, and the Bloomberg financial information service, which provides a current snapshot of financial information. Only a few top university finance programs have total access to these resources. Competitive summer research grants also will be provided for faculty through the center. The research will be largely theoretical and empirical, and will focus on advancing the field of finance.

For more information, contact Joe at ext. 7546 or via e-mail at j.lipscomb@tcu.edu. ♦

Session on "club drugs" set for 12:30 p.m. today

OFFICER JOE PEÑA OF THE FORT Worth Police Department's Narcotics Division

EVENTS

Today - March 8

Art Slam: Second annual exhibition of the TCU Honor Society of Artists & Designers, reception 5 - 7 p.m. today, Moudy foyer.**

Today

Janet Headley, Loyola College, Maryland, will speak on "American Women Sculptors of the 19th Century," 6 p.m., Moudy, rm 132N.**

Faculty flute recital by **Karen Adrian**, 7:30 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall.*

March 5-8

The WRC is hosting its Eighth Annual Women's Symposium; March 5-Women and Community; March 6-7-Presentations and Workshops and March 8-International Women's Day. Call ext. 7855 for more information or check Web site at www.sds.tcu.edu/programs/womens/index.htm.

March 5

The Center for Teaching Excellence presents a Brown Bag lunch discussion: "What is the faculty's role in maintaining academic integrity?" **Dick Rinewalt** (computer science), **Melissa Young** (speech communication), **Mike Sacken** (education) and **Rhonda Hatcher** (mathematics) will panel the discussion; noon - 1:30 p.m.; Student Center rm. 204. Call ext. 7103 for more information.

March 6

KinoMonda film series presents *The Dream Life of Angels* (France), 7 p.m., Sid Richardson LH 1. Call ext. 7292.

March 7

The Center for Teaching Excellence presents a Conversation on Teaching with **Cornell Thomas** (diversity and community) and **John Butler** (univ. ministries) discussing the Faculty Enhancement Seminar and inclusiveness in the curriculum; 1:30 - 3 p.m.; Student Center, rm. 203. Call ext. 7103 for more information.

RTVF presents *Destination Tokyo* (1943) starring Cary Grant, John Garfield and Alan Hale, 7 p.m., Moudy Bldg., room 164S. Call ext. 7630.

March 11-12

Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST) to offer two workshops on campus, the first is 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. March 11 - 12; the second will be 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. March 15-16. Free to faculty and staff, \$100 to non-TCU participants. Call ext. 7863 for more information.

*Call the School of Music at ext. 7602.

**Call the Dept. of Art/Art History at ext. 7643.

will discuss the dangers of "club drugs" like rohypnol, ecstasy and GHB during a presentation for students, faculty and staff at 12:30 p.m. today in the Student Center lobby. The session is presented by the TCU Police Crime Prevention Unit.

TCU Dining Services is providing free pizza and soft drinks for the event. ♦

This week's Women's Symposium focuses on improvement of body/mind

THE EIGHTH ANNUAL WOMEN'S Symposium, sponsored by TCU Women's Resource Center, opens tomorrow night with the Women and Community Dinner at 6:30 p.m. in the Student Center ballroom.

In keeping with this year's theme "Healthy Women, Healthy Lives," programming for the week offers many sessions on improving body and mind. The schedule includes:

WEDNESDAY

9 a.m. Student Center 207

Examine the health benefits of yoga with Peggy Loughry, Wellness Center. (Wear comfortable clothing.)

10 a.m. Student Center 207

Learn about recent advances in birth control and STD prevention from Lisa Benton, Planned Parenthood.

11 a.m. Student Center 30-minute lot

Automotive specialists Ray Seguin and Randy McClanahan will give tips on checking your car's vital signs.

1 p.m. Student Center 207

Leigh Ann Smith from Tarrant Council on Alcohol and Drugs will discuss the social, physical and emotional aspects specific to women.

2 p.m. Student Center 207

Dr. Cheryl Dielman, Ridglea Family Guidance, will focus on helping those with eating disorders.

3 p.m. Student Center 207

Ann Rimbey and Jennifer Hood from Central Market will offer tips on healthy foods and their preparation.

4 p.m. Student Center 205

Carol Mapp of The Women's Shelter and Lisa Gail Richardson will explore issues of healthy dating relationships and the red flags that signal potential for abuse.

5 - 6:50 p.m. Student Center 207

TCU's Assault Prevention Theater presents an original play that showcases date rape and the various attitudes of college students toward this issue.

THURSDAY

9:30-10:45 a.m. Student Center 207

Zoe Pierce Stein, owner of Pilates at Dancescape, will demonstrate this exercise method. Wear comfortable clothing and bring a bath towel or exercise mat.

11 a.m. Student Center 207

Dale L. Roberts of the Susan G. Komen Foundation will present information on breast self-exams.

9:30 a.m. Student Center Lounge

Pam Frable and Harris School of Nursing students present posters on women and aging.

12:30-1:45 p.m. Student Center 211

Brown Bag session on "Our Bodies Getting Older." Dr. Lynne Marcum Kirk of University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center in Dallas will speak on preventative health care for women and answer questions.

2 p.m. Student Center 207

Attorneys, judges and victims assistance program personnel will discuss new laws on violence in dating relationships.

3:30 p.m. Student Center 207

Learn to keep a journal with guidance from Dr. Carla Garber.

FRIDAY

11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Student Center 205

International Women's Day Luncheon
Call ext. 7855 to make a reservation. Cost is \$12 for faculty and staff, \$10 for students, \$15 for members of the community.

For information on the events this week, contact **Marcy Paul** at ext. 7855. ♦

First Aid/CPR classes available

FREE FIRST AID AND CPR CLASSES ARE available through the Risk Management department. These courses are taught by **Jonathan Brown**, EH&S coordinator, a certified Red Cross instructor and EMT.

Standard first aid classes, which include CPR, will be scheduled over an eight-hour period. This eight-hour training period can be broken down into two four-hour sessions, if desired. Those wanting only CPR training will need to be available for a single four-hour session. Each class will include training on Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs).

Individuals or groups can schedule a course by contacting the safety department at ext. 7220. Preferred class sizes is six to 10 students. ♦

Free computer training offered to faculty, staff

THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION services is offering computer training during the months of March and April. All faculty and staff are eligible to attend at no cost to their departments.

Classes offered for Outlook e-mail include Web Mail Workshops for PC and Mac, Introduction to Outlook, and Outlook Calendars. Other Microsoft Office classes are available for FrontPage 2000, Introduction to PowerPoint, Intermediate PowerPoint and Special Topics in Word. Classes in database applications include FileMaker Pro for Macintosh, Introduction to Access 2000 and Intermediate Access 2000 for PC users. FrogNet 101 classes are also scheduled for new users of PeopleSoft Student Records.

You may view the class schedule and register for classes on the Help Desk web site at www.is.tcu.edu/istraining. Go to the link: Training Class Registration. ♦

KUDOS

Two members of the TCU Publications staff won silver medals at the recent Addy Awards competition, sponsored by the Fort Worth Advertising Club. **Gorland Mar** was cited for athletics billboards and **Allie Regan** won awards for the art history department brochure and for TCU's

"Learning to change the world" ad campaign in *Texas Monthly* magazine.

NEW FACES

Lee J. Gillespie has been hired as a maintenance technician in physical plant. He was formerly employed at the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram*.

Deborah J. Key is a new administrative assistant in physical plant. She formerly worked for the City of Granbury.

Vivian Unger has joined Rise School as an administrative assistant. She has previous work experience at a Decatur elementary school.

Richard Winder is a new assistant football coach in athletics. He has a B.A. degree from Utah State and M.A. degree from Colorado State College. He was formerly employed at Tarleton State University.

BIRTHS

Congratulations to **Shelia Montgomery** (financial services) on the birth of her twin grandchildren, Courtlynn Darlene Montgomery, 4 lbs. 15 oz., and Cole Demond Montgomery, 4 lbs. 13 oz., on Jan. 6 in Fort Worth.

DEATH

Sympathy is extended to **Gary Ferguson** (biology) in the death of his son, Doug Ferguson, on Feb. 23. A memorial service was held Feb. 27 at First Congregational Church in Fort Worth. Please send memorials to the National Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Tarrant County, P.O. Box 1504, Fort Worth 76101.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of February 27. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

- Director - Center for Teaching Excellence
- Accompanist/Ballet/temporary staff - Ballet/Modern Dance
- Director - William L. Adams Writing Center
- Coordinator, Community Programs and Professional Development - Extended Education
- Administrative Service Manager - Development Information Services
- Annual Fund Officer - Annual Fund
- Assistant Director - Center for Professional Communication
- Assistant Men's and Women's Track Coach - Athletics
- Postdoctoral Research Associate - Chemistry
- Assistant Director of Marketing - Athletics
- Postdoctoral Fellow - Chemistry
- Tutor Coordinator - TRIO Programs (Office of Student Support Services)
- Scholarship Stewardship Coordinator - Donor Relations
- Administrative Assistant - Physical Plant
- Administrative Assistant - Athletic Giving
- Office Assistant - Financial Aid
- Stage Technician/ 75% - Ed Landreth Auditorium
- Data Control Specialist - Advancement
- Service Assistant - Facility Services
- Craft Tech. Supervisor - Facility Services
- Craft Technician/EMCS - Physical Plant
- Craft Technician/HVAC - Physical Plant
- Structural Maintenance Tech - Physical Plant

