

TCU THIS WEEK



EVENTS AND INFORMATION FOR THE TCU COMMUNITY

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Trustees announce search committee for new chancellor

JOHN V. ROACH, CHAIRMAN OF THE TCU Board of Trustees, has announced the advisory search committee for **Chancellor Michael R. Ferrari**'s successor has been formed and has had its initial orientation meeting. Ferrari recently announced plans to retire at the end of the 2002-2003 academic year.

"The committee membership is well balanced," said Roach. "They have been charged to make a national search and present a minimum of two candidates to the executive committee of the Board of Trustees, which, in turn, will present one or more candidates for consideration to the full board."

TCU trustee R. Denny Alexander is chair of the search committee. Vice chairs are trustees Edgar Schollmaier and Deedie Rose. The other committee members are **Karen Baker** (residential services), chair of the Staff Assembly; **Carolyn Cagle** (Harris School of Nursing), past chair of the Faculty Senate; **Nowell Donovan** (geology), past chair of the Faculty Senate; **Chelsea Hudson**, president of the Student Government Association; **Bob Lusch**, dean of the M.J. Neeley School of Business; **Bob Seal** (library), past chair of the Staff Assembly; **Bill Slater**, dean of the College of Communication; **Pam Thomas**, president of the TCU Alumni Association; and **Peggy Watson** (Spanish & Latin American Studies), chair of the Faculty Senate. **Jean Walbridge**, assistant to the chancellor, is committee secretary; John Roach is an ex-officio member.

"We are excited about the work we are about to do," said Alexander. "TCU is poised to make truly significant achievements in the years just ahead, and so we anticipate interviewing some very highly qualified candidates."

It is anticipated that candidates will be presented to the full board by March or April 2003. ♦

Draft of lengthy SACS report now in Chancellor's hands

AFTER MORE THAN A YEAR OF committee meetings, campus surveys and analysis, a draft of the SACS Self-Study report was delivered last week to the Chancellor. The

document contains 750-plus pages and reflects a thorough examination of university programs, policies and resources based on 470 rules required for accreditation by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

"The report contains 25 recommendations for the Chancellor and cabinet's further consideration and attention," according to **Alan Shepard**, who has served as director of the self-study. He explains that if the Chancellor and his administrators agree with the self-study findings, they will assign a plan of action for each item. (Those with which there is disagreement must be defended by the executive body.)

"The self-study went very smoothly and we feel TCU is in very good shape for reaffirmation of our accreditation," says Alan. He acknowledges the Self-Study Steering Committee for overseeing the detailed process and meeting all deadlines along the way. Members are: **Bob Seal** (library), associate director, **Sherrie Reynolds** (education), **Nadia Lahutsky** (religion), **Bob Vigeland** (Neeley School), **Efton Park** (mathematics), **Joel Mitchell** (kinesiology), **Magnus Rittby** (physics), **Gene Smith** (history), **Anne Van Beber** (nutrition), **Bonnie Melhart** (computer science) and **George Brown** (theater). Other members include **Kristi Hohman** (alumni), **Marcy Girton** (athletics) and **Joan Rogers** (trustee). Ex-officio members are **Cornell Thomas**, **Nowell Donovan**, **Larry Lauer**, **Kelli Horst**, **Mary Lane**, **Jill Laster**, **Elaine Robinson**, **Barbara Herman** and **Ann Sewell**. **Dennis Alexander** (advancement) serves as editor for the self-study project staff.

Final reports from both TCU and Brite Divinity School will go to SACS offices in Atlanta late in the fall semester. SACS will then send a team to campus Feb. 23-27, 2003. An institutional self-study is due every 10 years by TCU's accrediting agency to legitimize the degrees we confer. Federal law requires accreditation in order for students and researchers to receive federal funds.

Alan notes that TCU's accreditation has been continuous for more than 70 years, since the origin of SACS itself. ♦

EVENTS

Today - July 2

TCU/Yamaha Percussion Clinic, High School Percussion Camp, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Call ext. 7602 for information.

July 2

TCU Toastmasters, noon, Brown-Lupton Student Center room 211. Call ext. 7221 for information.

July 4

University closed for holiday.

July 7 - 19

TCU's 37th Summer Dance Workshop. Call ext. 7615 for information.

July 8

Jeff Mittie's Lady Frog Basketball Clinic. Call ext. 5785 for information.

July 8 - 20

Mimir Chamber Music Festival. Call ext. 6628 or visit www.mimirfestival.org.

July 8 - 12

TCU Art Academy - entering 1st through entering college, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. for elementary through middle school; noon - 4 p.m. for high school, Moudy Bldg. Call ext. 7041 for more information.

July 9

TCU Toastmasters, noon, Brown-Lupton Student Center room 211. Call ext. 7221 for information.

July 14

Dave Rubinson's Homed Frog Soccer Clinic. Call ext. 6680 for information.

July 16

TCU Toastmasters, noon, Brown-Lupton Student Center, room 211. Call ext. 7221 for information.

Campus to host Chamber Music Festival next week

THE FIFTH ANNUAL MIMIR CHAMBER Music Festival comes to campus next week with students enrolled in master classes and five concerts featuring world-class performers.

Curt Thompson (School of Music) founded the Festival and serves as its director, with **José Feghall** (School of Music) as assistant director. Guest artists who will perform in distinctly different programs each evening (and serve as faculty each day) include:

- Isabel Trautwein (violin/viola), Cleveland Orchestra
- Stephen Rose (violin), Cleveland Orchestra
- Brant Taylor (cello), Chicago Symphony
- Brinton Smith (cello), New York

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(Festival from front)

Philharmonic, formerly with the Fort Worth Symphony

■ Baird Dodge (violin), Chicago Symphony

■ Kuang-Hao Huang, concert pianist/recitalist

TCU School of Music faculty **Misha Galaganov** (viola), **Harold Martina** (piano), **José Feghall** (piano) and **Curt Thompson** (violin) also will teach and perform with the others.

Concerts are scheduled for 7:30 p.m. July 11, 13, 16 and 19, and 2 p.m. July 14 in PepsiCo Recital Hall. A student concert featuring the young participants will be at 7:30 p.m. July 18 at PepsiCo. Tickets, priced at \$15 for adults and \$10 for seniors and students, will be available at the door. Discount tickets are available for *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* PressPass holders.

For more details, visit the Web site at www.mimirfestival.org, or phone ext. 7602. ♦

Information Services offering summer classes

COURSES IN PEOPLESOFT, OUTLOOK 2000, PowerPoint, Access and Excel are available on campus this summer through Information Services, and at no cost to departments. Classes will meet in rm. 219 of the library.

FrogNet (PeopleSoft) 101 for beginners will be offered from 2-3 p.m. July 22 or 9-10 a.m. Aug. 9. Outlook 2000 for beginners will be 2-4 p.m. July 23; Intermediate Outlook 2000 for Windows will be 2-4 p.m. July 25.

PowerPoint I is scheduled for 9-11 a.m. July 24; PowerPoint II will be 9-11 a.m. July 26. Access 2000 for beginners has three sessions; 1-4 p.m. July 29, July 31 and Aug. 2. A textbook, available at the TCU Bookstore, is mandatory.

Excel 2000 classes include four areas: introduction will be 2-4 p.m. July 30; formatting will be 2-4 p.m. Aug. 1; formulas and functions will be 2-4 p.m. Aug. 6; and charts, graphs & pivot tables will be 2-4 p.m. Aug. 8.

To register for any class, go to www.is.tcu.edu/istraining and select the training class registration system link. You will receive an e-mail confirming your enrollment. ♦

Library staff changes

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, **LAURA STEINBACH** and **Victor Baeza** have switched positions on the staff of Mary Coats Burnett Library. Laura has taken on library instruction responsibilities as Reference/Instruction Librarian, and Victor is the new Reference/Business Librarian. ♦

NEW FACES

Dave Borelli has joined athletics as head coach of the women's tennis program. A graduate of the University of Southern California, he also coached tennis there and, most recently, was the men's professional tour coach for the United States Tennis Association.

Benjamin Casarez has joined physical plant as an equipment operator in groundskeeping.

John P. Davis is a new service assistant supervisor in facility services. A graduate of University of North Texas, he formerly worked at the Bruce Alford Corp.

Leonie Fenelon has been hired as a service assistant in facility services. She previously worked at Fort Worth Country Day School.

Frances Hernandez has been hired as a service assistant in residential services.

Rachel Julian has joined recreational sports as assistant director for fitness. A graduate of Auburn University, Rachel is completing dual master's degrees in marriage and family therapy and religious education. She has had her own business, a fitness/wellness company for women.

Irma Lomas has been hired as a service assistant in residential services.

Cristina Lynn Mitchell has been hired as coordinator of campus recreation in recreational sports. She has a master's degree from East Tennessee State University where she was previously employed.

Luz Marla Ortiz is a service assistant in residential services. She was formerly employed at Fireside Lodge.

Ray A. Owens has been hired as director of Brite Divinity School's new location in Houston and a lecturer in ethics. He holds a M.Div. degree and is a Ph.D. degree candidate. He was previously employed at Princeton University Theological Seminary.

Jennifer Perez has joined Neeley School of Business as an administrative assistant/Web administrator. She formerly worked for Pier 1 Imports as studio coordinator.

Samuel L. Schlup has been hired as a plumbing supervisor in physical plant. He attended Southwestern Assemblies of God University in Waxahachie and has worked at Brandt Engineering.

Nelson Sosa is a new admissions counselor in admissions. He is a May 2002 graduate of TCU.

Jamie Tenberg has joined athletics as an administrative assistant. She is a graduate of Baylor University with a degree in American Studies. She formerly worked for Advance PCS, a mail-order pharmacy.

Tana Jo Watt is a new data control specialist in human resources, returning to work at TCU after more than nine years' absence. She has been working as an

independent insurance sales associate.

David Williams is a new horticultural assistant in physical plant. Schooled in criminal justice and horticulture, David has been working at Mike's Garden Center.

DEATHS

Sympathy is extended to **Susan Batchelor Adams** in the death of her father, Bob Wren, on June 11. A memorial service was held on June 14 at Bob Wren Stadium at Ohio University where he was the "winningest" baseball coach of all time. Memorials may be made to the Ohio University Foundation/Bob Wren Stadium, P.O. Box 869, Athens, OH 45701

CLASSIFIEDS

FOR RENT: Efficiency apartment with large room and separate kitchen and bathroom, overlooks Log Cabin Village on Rogers Road. Surrounded by greenery, utilities paid, ample parking, recently refurbished, \$600/mo. Faculty, staff, graduate students only, please. Call 817-923-0046.

HOUSE FOR SALE: 4/2.5/2 with recently updated appliances, new carpet, new interior paint, new wallpaper, new roof. Great neighborhood in the Birdville ISD, low association dues, near lovely park, 20 minute commute to TCU. Split master bedroom, stone fireplace, formal dining, located at 3805 Diamond Loch East, NRH, \$139,900. Call Sandy Kenna at 817-284-1337 for appointment.

HOUSE FOR RENT: 3/2/2 fully furnished, tastefully decorated, contemporary home with approx. 2,000 sq. ft., formal areas, attached garage and security system. Patio, gas grill and wooden play set in backyard. Furniture, dishes, tableware and linens all included, NO PETS OR SMOKERS, \$1,400/mo plus utilities and a \$1,000 deposit due upon signing. Call Maurice Sabourin at 817-472-6231 to see.

WANTED: Need someone to pick up my children, ages 2 and 3, from Southcliff Preschool and take to their grandmother's house on Southwest Blvd. near Ridglea, 2:30 p.m. M-W-F all year, beginning Aug. 26. Will pay \$60/wk. Phone Kimberly at 817-229-2322.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of June 26. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

Accompanist/Ballet/Temporary staff - Ballet/Modern Dance
Assistant Men's and Women's Track Coach - Athletics
Director of Academic Support - Athletics
Assistant Coach/Video - Athletics
Associate Director - Institutional Research
VP for Advancement - Brite Divinity
Instructional Staff - English/Writing Center
Associate Director of Residence Life - Residential Services
Campus Life Coordinator - Campus Life
Postdoctoral Research Associate - Chemistry
Postdoctoral Fellow - Chemistry
Assistant Director - Career Services
Project Manager - Physical Plant
Financial Aid Advisor - Scholarships & Financial Aid
Administrative Assistant / 75% - Advancement
Equipment Operator - Physical Plant
HVAC Technician - Physical Plant
EMCS Technician - Physical Plant
Service Assistant - Facility Services
Service Assistant / 50% - Facility Services

Gardening tip from Robert Sulak in physical plant: Watch closely the moisture situation in lawn and shrub beds.