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TCU faculty presenting *Da Vinci Code* lectures in mid-June

BRITE DIVINITY SCHOOL AND THE TCU ALUMNI Association are co-sponsors of a series of evening lectures, titled "Debunking The *Da Vinci Code*," to be held in three cities around Texas in mid-June.

Panelists are TCU professors, renowned in their areas of expertise, who will discuss the bestselling book and newly-released movie from their own perspectives. They are: **Scott A. Sullivan**, art historian and dean of the College of Fine Arts, **Carolyn Osiek**, professor of New Testament at Brite and **Jim Duke**, professor of the history of Christianity and history of Christian thought at Brite.

On Wednesday, June 14, the lecture will be at St. Cyril's Catholic Church in Houston. The event will be held at the Kelly Center at TCU on Thursday, June 15 and, on the following night, Friday, June 16, at the Park City Club in Dallas. Cash bar and hors d'oeuvres will be at 6:30 p.m. with the panel discussion and Q&A to begin at 7:15 p.m.

Costs vary depending on the location, however, the TCU event is priced at \$15 per person.

For more information, visit the Web site at www.alumni.tcu.edu or call ext. 7803. Reservations are due by Friday, June 9. ♦

New dean of library named

JUNE KOELKER HAS BEEN APPOINTED DEAN of Mary Coats Burnett Library. She has served as interim dean for the past year, following the departure of **Bob Seal** last summer.

June came to TCU in 1988, as associate director of the library, and has held numerous posts and responsibilities in the intervening years. She has overseen budget preparation, project management, system rollout, personnel training, as well as aspects of library administrative services, technical services and development of the Information Commons resources. June has also been active in University service, including a number of focus groups, committees and task forces.

A 1972 graduate of the University of Delaware with a major in English, June received both a master of library science degree and an M.B.A. from the University of Arizona. In 2002, she was granted a Ph.D. degree in information science from the University of North Texas. ♦

EVENTS

Today - June 6

Neil Dougherty Basketball Camp, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., boys grades 9-12. Call ext. 7968 for more information.

Today - June 7

Gary Patterson's Football Camp, grades 7-12, registration begins June 5 at noon, John Justin Athletic Center. Cost: \$325. Call ext. 7970 for more information.

June 6 - 9

Dan Abdalla's Soccer Camp, boys and girls ages 5-13, 8:30-11:30 a.m., Garvey-Rosenthal Soccer Stadium. Cost: \$145. Call ext. 6680 for more information.

June 6

PianoTexas event, Yakov Kasman, silver medalist in the 1997 Van Cliburn International Piano Competition, performs Tchaikovsky's *The Seasons, Op. 37b*, and Rachmaninoff's *Sonata No. 1 in D minor, Op. 28*, 8 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall. Admission \$20. www.pianotexas.org.*

June 7

Jeff Mittie Basketball Camp-Junior High Elite, 9 a.m. Call ext. 7962 for more information.

True Colors Brown Bag, noon-1 p.m., HR Conference Room. Cost \$5 for materials. Call ext. 5577 for more information.

June 9

Annual TCU Faculty Staff Summer Golf Tournament, 8 a.m., White Stone Golf Club.

Introduction to the book study *Elder Rage, or Take My Father Please* (by Jacqueline Marcell) which tackles the issue of aging parents, **Lazelle Benefield**, facilitator, noon-1 p.m., HR Conference Room, lunch provided. Call ext. 5577 for more information.

PianoTexas event, eminent Polish pianist, Piotr Paleczny, winner of the 8th International Chopin Competition, presents a program of Chopin and Mussorgsky, 8 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall. General admission \$20. www.pianotexas.org.*

June 10 - 14

Dan Abdalla's Residential Soccer Camp, boys and girls ages 11-18, Garvey-Rosenthal Soccer Stadium. Cost \$475. Call ext. 6680 for more information.

June 11 - 15

TCU Band Camp, **Bobby Francis**, director, Ed Landreth Auditorium. Call ext. 7640 for more information.

June 11 - 14

Neil Dougherty Basketball Camp, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., boys grades 4-12. Call ext. 7968 for more information.

June 11

PianoTexas event, Amateurs Concerto Competition Finals with the Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra, 8 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. General admission \$15. www.pianotexas.org.*

June 12 - 16

Jim Schlossnagle's Baseball Camp, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., ages 6-14. Call ext. 5155 for more information.

June 12 - 15

Darryl Anderson's Track & Field Camp, boys and girls ages 12-18. Call ext. 7318 for more information.

June 12

Richard Sybesma's Learn to Swim the Olympic Way, session 4, University Rec Center. Call ext. 5646 for more information.

June 13

PianoTexas event, Jan Gottlieb Jiracek, a favorite competitor from the 1997 Cliburn Competition, plays Haydn, Schumann, Chopin and Liszt, 8 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall. General admission \$20. www.pianotexas.org.*

June 14

Drive Time Management - Leadership in the Movies! American President and Star Trek, 4-5 p.m., HR Conference Room. Call ext. 5577 for more information.

June 15 - 19

Dan Abdalla's Residential Soccer Camp, boys and girls ages 11-18, Garvey-Rosenthal Soccer Stadium. Cost \$475. Call ext. 6680 for more information.

June 15

Management Institute Module IV: Stress Management for Supervisors-Managing to Relax, 8 a.m.-noon, Kelly Center, Cox C. Call ext. 5577 for more information.

TCU Alumni Association and Brite Divinity School present a public lecture titled "Debunking The *Da Vinci Code*," panelists include **Scott Sullivan**, **Carolyn Osiek**, and **Jim Duke**, 7:15 p.m., Kelly Center. Cost is \$15 per person. For more information call 1-800-646-4TCU or visit the Web site at www.alumni.tcu.edu. Reservations are due by Friday, June 9.

June 16

Book Study - Part 1, *Elder Rage, or Take My Father Please*, noon-1 p.m., HR Conference Room. Call ext. 5577 for more information.

A TCU Evening with the Fort Worth Cats and Bob Schieffer, buffet 5:30 p.m., game 7:05 p.m., LaGrave Field. Call ext. 7803 for information.

PianoTexas event, Italian pianist Andrea Bonatta presents an evening of Mozart, with the Enso String Quartet (**Gary Whitman** on clarinet, **Blaise Ferrandino** on double bass, 8 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall. General admission \$20. www.pianotexas.org.*

June 18 - 30

TCU Summer Dance Workshop, daily, Ballet & Modern Dance Bldg., Cost \$850 + meal cards and residence hall fees. Call ext. 7132 for more information.

June 18

PianoTexas event, Young Artists Concerto Competition Finals with the Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra, 8 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. General admission \$15. www.pianotexas.org.*

June 19 - 23

Elementary Art School Camp, Session 1 for students entering grades 1-6, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Annie Richardson Bass Bldg.*

Jim Schlossnagle's Baseball Camp, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., ages 6-14. Call ext. 5155 for more information.

* Call PianoTexas at ext. 7456.

To view the latest details on campus construction and parking, go to the TCU homepage and click on Construction Updates listed under Featured Links on the lefthand side.

Veda Kaplinsky appointed to School of Music faculty

YOHEVED (VEDA) KAPLINSKY, CHAIR of the piano department at The Juilliard School in New York City, juror for the Van Cliburn International Piano Competition, and internationally recognized teacher and lecturer has joined the School of Music faculty. Her appointment becomes effective in August.

Dr. Kaplinsky has served on the Juilliard piano faculty since 1993. In addition to her affiliation with Juilliard, Dr. Kaplinsky will spend several weeks in residence each semester at TCU teaching a limited number of piano students, giving master classes and lecturing. When in New York, she will continue to work with her students via ultra-high speed Internet.

Richard Gipson, director of the School of Music says, "We are thrilled to welcome Veda to our faculty. A musician of her caliber and international stature further enhances the School of Music's already prestigious piano faculty. Our students and faculty eagerly anticipate this opportunity to work with her."

A native of Israel, Dr. Kaplinsky began her performing career as a winner of the J.S. Bach International Competition in Washington, D.C. She holds both the master's and doctorate from The Juilliard School, and is widely known for her insights into piano technique and pedagogy. In addition to Juilliard, she has served on the faculties of The Peabody Conservatory in Baltimore, The Manhattan School of Music, and various summer festivals ♦

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School of Education has temporary new location

CAMPUS CONSTRUCTION FOR VARIOUS projects is under way, including the School of Education facility. During the construction phase, faculty and staff from the School of Education, including the Institute of Mathematics, Science, and Technology Education and the Center for Urban Education, have moved and are currently housed in the lower level of the Tucker Technology Center. The School of Education administrative offices are located in Suite #23 and the education faculty, including the Institute and Urban Education, are located in Suite #22.

The phone and post office box numbers remain the same. Faculty and staff plan to return to the new School of Education facility in fall 2007 when construction is complete. To contact the School of Education, call ext. 7660. ♦

NEW FACES

Diana Boerner is the new business reference librarian at Mary Couets Burnett Library. Formerly employed by TCCC, she has a bachelor's degree in English and a master of library science degree.

Janice Elliott has joined the Neeley School as an academic program specialist. She has a bachelor's degree in science education and a master's of education in learning & technology. Janice formerly worked at Hill College in Hillsboro.

Angie Lindbloom has been hired as a program coordinator in student development services. She has B.A. and M.F.A. degrees and was last employed at Samford University in Birmingham, AL.

Cindy Mulkey is newly hired as accounting and tax manager in financial services. She has a business degree from the University of North Carolina and a MLA degree from TCU.

Pieter Vermeulen is a new director of student leadership programs at the Neeley School. He has a M.S. degree in international relations and M.B.A. in general management. A Dutch national, Pieter formerly worked at Erasmus University, Rotterdam School of Management.

Linda Wolszon has been hired as director of mental health services at the Health Center. She has a Ph.D. degree from the University of Texas at Austin and formerly was director of the employee assistance program at the University of Missouri-Columbia.

CORRECTION

Huy Duc Tran is the new Web application developer for academic affairs. He is a graduate of UTA where he also was previously employed.

BIRTH

Richard Oliver and wife, **Sherry**, are proud grandparents of **Mia Grace Oliver**, born March 22. Mia weighed 7 lbs. 14 oz. and was 22" long. Parents are **Jason** and **Gracie Oliver**.

DEATHS

Sympathy is extended to the family of **Danny Williams** (physical plant) on the death of his in-laws, **John** and **Lorese Collier**, who passed away on Feb. 23 and May 12, respectively, after 59 years of marriage. Services for each were held at the **Crosier-Pearson Funeral Home** in Cleburne.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of May 31. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

Academic Audit Developer/Analyst - Registrar
Accompanist - Ballet and Modern Dance
Administrative Assistant - Brite Advancement
Asst. Director of Assignments - Residential Services

Asst. Director of Compliance - Athletics
Asst. Director of Marketing - Athletics
Asst. Director of Residential Life - Residential Services

Assistant to the Dean - School of Education
Associate Campus Minister & Chaplain - University Ministries

Chemical Safety Specialist - College of Science & Engineering

Computer Hardware Technicians - User Services (temporary)

Dean of Harris College of Nursing & Health Sciences - College of Nursing & Health Sciences

Director of Lay & Continuing Education - Brite
Director of Athletic Marketing - Athletics
Director of Ranch Management - Ranch Management

EMCS Tech - Physical Plant
Equipment Operator/Grounds - Physical Plant
Financial Analyst - Finance & Property Management

Financial Assistant - Financial Services (accounts payable)

Hall Director III - Residential Services
Research Assistant - Religion/Bradford Chair
Research Property Mgr. & Technical Purchasing Analyst - Chemistry

Service Assistant - Leibrock Village (Brite)
Service Assistant - Facility Services
Study Abroad Coordinator - International Studies

Systems Librarian - Library
Web Services Coordinator - Student Affairs Information Services

Trio/Upward Bound Summer Program Positions

Upward Bound Assistant Residence Hall Director

Male Residence Hall Assistants
Female Residence Hall Assistants
Careers Instructor

Math Instructor
English Instructor
Science Instructor
TAKS Prep Instructor (Math, English, and Science)

Tennis Instructor
Body Conditioning Instructor
Yearbook/Newsletter Instructor
Swimming Instructor
Theatre Arts/Drama Instructor
American Sign Language Instructor
Choir/Music Instructor

Summer Temps:
CAD assistant, warehouse assistant (2), general maintenance assistant, painter assistant (2), grounds assistant (12), electrical assistant (5), mechanical assistant (10) - Physical Plant