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1994-95 GREEN HONORS PROFESSORS TO INCLUDE 1988 NOBEL PRIZE WINNER, CBS CO-ANCHOR

Nobel Prize recipient Dr. Johann Diesenhofer and *CBS Evening News* co-anchor Dan Rather are two of 12 distinguished individuals who will visit the TCU campus in 1994-95 as visiting Green Honors Professors.

As visiting Green Honors Professors, the 12 will hold short-term rotating appointments during the academic year. The professorships stem from a 1969 gift from Dr. Cecil H. Green of Dallas and his wife, the late Dr. Ida Green, which established the Cecil H. and Ida Green Honors Chair. Since the original endowment was established, an impressive array of scholars from around the world have come to the TCU campus for seminars, public presentations and interaction with students and faculty members.

Rather will be the guest of the radio-TV-film department Feb. 13 and 14. He has been with CBS for more than 30 years and has served as anchor and managing editor of the *CBS Evening News*, anchor of the CBS News broadcast *48 Hours*, co-editor of *60 Minutes*, anchor of *CBS Reports* and as White House correspondent. In 1988, he won the Overseas Press Club Award for best spot coverage of the U.S.-Soviet Summit in Moscow.

Dr. Johann Diesenhofer, who won Nobel Prize in chemistry in 1988, will be on campus March 28 as a guest of the chemistry department. Dr. Diesenhofer is Regental Professor and professor of biochemistry at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas and an investigator at Howard Hughes Medical Institute.

This year's first Green Professor will be Dr. David Maines of Wayne State University's sociology department, who will be a guest of TCU's Department of Sociology Oct. 17-20. An accomplished writer and editor, Dr. Maines has an international reputation in the field of symbolic interaction.

In addition to working with students and faculty members, Dr. Maines will deliver two free public lectures while on campus. On Oct. 19, he will discuss Robert Park, a pioneer in urban sociology research, at 3:30 p.m. in Dan Rogers Hall Room 164. On Oct. 20, Dr. Maines will discuss how cities in economic decline and Catholic churches within those cities struggle for viability, focusing on Catholic church closings in Detroit. That lecture will be at 7 p.m. in Sid Richardson Lecture Hall 1.

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GREEN PROFESSORS (cont.)

Other 1994-95 Green Honors Professors will include:

- **Engineering** — Dr. Henry Petroski, Aleksandar S. Visic Professor of Civil Engineering and chairman of the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering at Duke University, will be on campus Nov. 6-8. Dr. Petroski is a nationally recognized writer on topics in engineering as well as a regular engineering columnist for the *American Scientist* magazine.
- **Ballet and Modern Dance** — Fernando Bujones of the Mississippi Arts Center, Feb. 1-5. A former student of George Balanchine and winner of the prestigious Varna Competition, Bujones has been a guest artist with virtually every major international ballet company and principal dancer for the American Ballet Theatre.
- **Harris College of Nursing** — Dr. Anne J. Davis of the University of California in San Francisco, Feb. 11-17. An internationally recognized author, lecturer and consultant in the field of professional ethics, Dr. Davis has been granted fellowships from the World Health Organization for study in Ghana and Kenya and by the Joseph P. Kennedy Foundation for study in bioethics.
- **Nutrition and Dietetics** — Dr. Susan Calbert Finn, Feb. 14-17. Dr. Finn is director of nutrition services at Ross Laboratories in Columbus, Ohio, immediate past president of the American Dietetic Association and a recognized leader in the nutrition and health field.
- **Chemistry** — Professor Ronald Breslow of Columbia University's chemistry department, March 8-10. A member of the National Academy of Sciences and the recipient of numerous awards, he holds a distinguished university chair at Columbia and his work has had a profound impact on several different areas of organic chemistry.
- **Design and Fashion** — Elizabeth Ann Coleman of the Museum of Fine Arts in Houston, March 22-24. Coleman has been the curator for the department of costumes and textiles at the Houston museum and at the Brooklyn Museum. She is a fellow, past president and a current board member of the Costume Society of America.
- **Sociology** — Dr. Lawrence Shulman, professor of social work at Boston University and an eminent scholar in the field of social work, March 29-31. Dr. Shulman is the author of *The Skills of Helping Individuals and Groups*, one of the most popular practice texts in the profession.
- **M.J. Neeley School of Business** — Dr. Daniel W. Collins, Henry B. Tippie Professor of Accounting at the University of Iowa. A distinguished accounting scholar, he has received numerous awards and honors in his field. The date of his campus visit is pending.
- **School of Education** — Dr. Richard Magill, professor in the departments of kinesiology and psychology at Louisiana State University. Dr. Magill is one of the top three motor learning specialists in this country and is among the top 10 in the world in that field. He has more than 150 scientific publications to his credit. The date of his campus visit is pending.

MULTICULTURAL DATA BASE TO BE DEMONSTRATED

The capabilities of a new multicultural data base, Ethnic Newswatch, will be demonstrated Thursday in the Mary Coats Burnett Library. Pierre Burke of Library Associates Network will conduct the presentations at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. in Room 219.

The CD ROM data base gives the user access to 75,000 hard-to-find full-text articles from U.S. ethnic and minority newspapers and magazines. For more information on the demonstrations or the database, call Marianne Babitch at 921-7017.

VIDEO TO PREMIERE AT CAMPAIGN KICKOFF

Months in the making, a special video presentation will be the highlight of the campus kickoff event for TCU's five-year campaign, *The Next Frontier: A Celebration of Our Future*. A number of trustees, alumni and faculty "star" in the video. CBS commentator Bob Schieffer ('59) narrates portions of the production. Trustees James Cash ('69) and Clarence Scharbauer ('73) comment on their TCU experiences. Sportswriter and TCU alumnus Dan Jenkins ('53) offers his insights to the sporting life at TCU, and Campaign Steering Committee chair Deedie Rose ('63) talks about her desire to give something back to the university. Bob Doran (mathematics) and Nowell Donovan (geology) both offer comments on TCU's academic opportunities.

The presentation is being produced by Maryruth Weyend, of Carousel Productions in Denver. Carousel has produced major productions for non-profit groups and corporations as well as commercial television. Weyend comes to the project with a personal interest. She and her husband have two sons and a daughter who are TCU graduates. Her production company has also produced other videos for the University. Their production, *Find Yourself*, helped revitalize TCU admissions efforts.

"Maryruth has a thorough understanding of this institution," says Larry Lauer, associate vice chancellor for communications and public affairs. "We were eager to have her involved in the campaign."

The video will premiere Oct. 20 at 3:30 p.m. in the Student Center ballroom. The University Campaign Committee cordially invites everyone on campus to take an inside look at TCU's upcoming five-year campaign. Refreshments will be served on the mezzanine.

EVALUATION TOPIC OF LUNCH WORKSHOP

The University Writing Program will host a lunch-hour workshop on "Evaluating Ourselves: Are We Accomplishing Our Goals?" Thursday from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Student Center 218.

At the workshop, participants from various disciplines will discuss their experiences in designing and evaluating assignments for writing courses. Lunch and beverages will be provided for all who attend. Call Dave Kuhne at Ext. 6238 for more information or to reserve a place.

HALL OF FAME HONORS TWO FROM TCU

TCU's board of trustees chair and a Neeley School M.B.A. student will be recognized by the Texas Business Hall of Fame Thursday during an awards dinner at the Loews Anatole Hotel in Dallas.

John Roach, who also headed the University's Committee of 100, will be inducted into the Hall of Fame, an honor shared in recent years by business leaders such as Mary Kay Ash, Ross Perot, the late Amon Carter Sr., Stanley Marcus and Trammell Crow.

Graduate business student Michael C. Yeager is among 21 recipients of the 1994 Texas Business Hall of Fame Foundation scholarships. He will receive a \$5,000 scholarship during the awards dinner.

Yeager has contributed to research for the Mexican government concerning the development of a secondary mortgage market and served as economic chair of the Educational Investment Fund. He is the ninth consecutive TCU recipient of the award since 1986.

The 11-year-old foundation recognizes exceptional achievement in business by inducting outstanding Texas business leaders into the Hall of Fame. It also supports education by awarding scholarships to graduate business students attending Texas colleges and universities.

TCU ALUMNUS TO DISCUSS COMPOSER KURT WEILL

On Oct. 17, Dr. Mario R. Mercado will discuss the career of Kurt Weill, the German/American composer of *The Threepenny Opera*, in a free public lecture at 4 p.m. in Room 103 of Ed Landreth Hall. The event will mark the first time a TCU alumnus has delivered the Winesanker Musicology Lecture, an annual event that honors the memory of the late Dr. Michael Winesanker, who served as chair of the University's music department for 25 years.

A 1975 graduate of Fort Worth's North Side High School, Dr. Mercado earned his bachelor of music degree in piano performance from TCU in 1979 and was deeply influenced by Dr. Winesanker, who also served as president of the Texas Association of Music Schools and numerous other musical organizations. Dr. Mercado, who went on to earn his M.A. at the Eastman School of Music in Rochester, N.Y., and his Ph.D. from the University of Rochester, says Dr. Winesanker "opened him up" to the study of musicology (the investigation of music and its structure, tradition and style). "He provided a superb overview of the field," he adds. "I maintain a great respect and admiration for him."

Dr. Mercado, a frequent lecturer on Weill, wrote a guide to the composer's works and served as program director for the Kurt Weill Foundation for Music Inc. from 1990 to 1994. However, his interests are not limited to the composer of *The Threepenny Opera*. An interest in Mozart was inspired through study with one of the composer's great interpreters, the late Mme. Lili Kraus, a renowned concert pianist who joined TCU's music faculty as an artist-in-residence during Dr. Winesanker's tenure. Dr. Mercado's book on Mozart, *The Evolution of Mozart's Pianistic Style*, was published by Southern Illinois University Press in 1992.

LECTURER TO EXPLORE INTERIOR DECORATION

Julia Findlater, curator of the Leighton House Museum in London will discuss "The East, Orientalism and 19th Century Interior Decoration," at a free public lecture Oct. 20. The lecture, which is sponsored by the Department of Art and Art History and the TCU/Regent's College London Internship Program, will begin at 7 p.m. in Moudy 132N.

Findlater will discuss the life and art of Frederic, Lord Leighton, at the Kimbell Art Museum the following evening. That lecture, which will begin at 6 p.m., is also free and open to the public.

DON'T FORGET TO SET YOUR VCRS...

On Oct. 16 at 1 p.m., KERA/Channel 13 will broadcast Program I of an *Encore!* series featuring selected solo and chamber music performances of 14 young musicians during the Ninth Van Cliburn International Piano Competition, which was held in TCU's Ed Landreth Hall in 1993.

For the next three years, the eight 30-minute programs in the *Encore!* series will air on Public Broadcasting Service television stations across the United States. The current series is a companion to the award-winning two-hour primetime PBS documentary *A Life in Music: The Ninth Van Cliburn International Piano Competition*, which was broadcast live on PBS last December. The second program in the *Encore!* series will air sometime in December 1994.

TWO VOCAL PERFORMANCES SET FOR OCT. 17

Two very different vocal performances are scheduled for Ed Landreth Auditorium on Oct. 17. Both performances are free and open to the public.

At noon, the Vocal Arts Ensemble of the U.S. Army Field Band and Soldiers' Chorus will perform a variety of choral compositions as well as ensemble excerpts from opera and Broadway. Following the performance, ensemble members will talk to TCU music students about music career opportunities in the Army.

The Soldiers' Chorus serves as the Army's official touring choral ensemble. It is the premiere mixed chorus of the Army and is based at Fort George G. Meade, Md., in suburban Washington, D.C.

A cantata by little-known 18th-century Spanish composer Josep Pradas will be the highlight of a faculty voice recital by soprano Judith Gans at 7:30 p.m. The program, titled "Songs of Love," will include songs by Stefano Donaudy, Felix Mendelssohn and Roger Quilter. The aria "Pleurez! pleurez, mes yeux!" from Jules Massenet's opera *Le Cid* also will be performed.

Judy will be accompanied on piano and harpsichord by Sara Davis, staff accompanist at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. Featured guests for the cantata include TCU faculty member John Burton on violoncello and local artists Tom and Melanie Demer on violin.

RICHARDSON TEACHER ADDS NEW RESOURCE

The School of Education will have a new resource with the addition of a "Richardson Teacher" to the Sid W. Richardson Professional Development School Project. Dwight Cooley, an elementary school teacher at Alice Carlson Applied Learning Center, was selected to serve as the 1994-95 Richardson Teacher.

Cooley will assist in the planning and development of site-based undergraduate courses; team-teach with TCU faculty; assist in identifying research projects and research agendas; and meet with university supervisors and student teachers. He also will share new ideas and concepts for staff development opportunities with faculty teachers at each elementary school participating in the project. Envisioning new ways to establish good relationships between the Fort Worth ISD and TCU will be an ongoing responsibility of the Richardson Teacher.

The Professional Development School Project is funded with a grant from the Sid W. Richardson Foundation. The project, headed by individuals from public schools, universities, the business community and state government, explores steps to improve the public schools. Alice Carlson Applied Learning Center, Como Elementary and Hubbard Heights Elementary are all schools in the Fort Worth Independent School District participating in the project with the TCU School of Education.

Cooley is a graduate of Tennessee State University and has done graduate studies at the University of Texas at Arlington and TCU. He has six years of public school teaching experience.

10 STUDENTS STUDY AT REGENT'S COLLEGE

Ten Texas Christian University students are working and studying in the heart of London this fall as part of the University's internship program with Regent's College. Students from various majors and career interests are working at internships two to three days a week, earning six to nine credit hours. Students also are taking two or three courses offered through Regent's College.

The TCU/Regent's College program is directed by Don Jackson, Herman Brown Professor of Political Science at TCU. "For years, there has been a profound difference between the before and after," Don says of the interns. "Before students go, they are shy and unsure of themselves. The students discover, by being thrown into the fire, that they can cope."

The 10 fall semester participants include two junior radio-television-film majors who are working at NBC News' London Bureau: Kirsten Barron and Laura Boyd. Beth Billeck, a senior accounting/finance major, is working at Pagenet, a computer software company. Susan Friedman, a junior fashion merchandising major, is working at an advertising/public relations firm in London. Laura Gauldin, a junior social work major, is working at a family counseling center.

Also participating in the program are Julie Hardin, a senior political science major who is working at the office of Sir Fergus Montgomery, member of Parliament; Robert Hussman, a senior finance major who is working at the National Westminster Bank; and Kerri Morgan, a junior psychology major who is working in a hospital's occupational therapy department.

Two students — Kathleen Chapman, a senior studio art major, and Cindy Witt, a junior business major — are foregoing internships, instead taking 15-18 hours of regular academic courses at Regent's College.

TCU IN THE NEWS

Research led by **Manfred Reinecke** (chemistry) on the the *wira wira* plant was the subject of an Oct. 3 report by WFAA-TV's medical reporter Dennis Johnson. Manfred noted that in the test tube *wira wira* inhibits the activity of the HIV virus on the types of cells that are attacked in the human body.

Board of Regents Chairman and Committee of 100 head **John Roach** was among the six entrepreneurs featured in a Texas Business Hall of Fame supplement to the San Antonio, Dallas and Houston business journals. Roach, who is president and CEO of Tandy Corp., will be inducted into the Hall of Fame on Thursday, along with oil and gas executive George P. Mitchell, "grocery gurus" Charles and Robert Cullum, Lone Star Technologies Inc. head John Harbin and Pro-Line founder Comer Cottrell.

Barton College's Alumnus of the Year **Gilbert Davis** (Brite) is pictured on the cover of the Homecoming edition of Barton's alumni magazine. In a lengthy article inside the magazine, Gilbert discusses the strong association between the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and its affiliated colleges, including Barton and TCU, and the role that association has played in his career. Gilbert, who served as TCU's director of church relations for 21 years, will receive the Barton alumni award during alumni convocation ceremonies on Oct. 22.

Judith Gans (music) was interviewed by the ABC-TV affiliate in New York City this summer. The topic of discussion was the large number of Gregorian chant recordings currently available.

The annual **Art in the Metroplex** exhibit that was on view in TCU's Moudy Building exhibit space in September was the topic of two articles by Janet Kutner that appeared in the Sept. 27 *Dallas Morning News*. In them, Kutner names the top winners in the show and criticizes the Moudy exhibit space and the removal of the exhibit's top prizewinner, *Fiesta Skirt* by Manuel Mauricio, which was found to be in violation of the fire code after the exhibit's opening.

TCU IN THE NEWS (cont.)

An article about the **School of Education's** "Toying Around with Physics" program for youngsters at St. Andrews Catholic School appeared in a supplement to the Sept. 23 issue of *The North Texas Catholic* newsletter. The program was part of an extended effort to improve math and science education that is funded by a four-year, \$1.5 million National Science Foundation grant.

On a more positive note, "**The Artist and The Baseball Card**" exhibit currently on view in the Moudy was previewed in articles and photos that appeared in the *Star-Telegram's* Sept. 30 Star Time guide and Oct. 1 Metro section as well as the Shermakaye Bass' Oct. 2 column in the *Dallas Morning News*.

"Pete," the horned frog that captured a few hearts when he was found on campus this summer was the subject of articles that appeared in several Texas newspapers, including the *Devine News*, the *McGregor Mirror*, the *Midlothian Mirror*, the *South Padre Press*, the *Texan Express* in Goliad, and the *Groesbeck Journal*, the *Mathis News* and the *Mexia Daily News*.

NOTES ON FOLKS

TCU artist diploma student **Kriszta Kovács**, a student of **Tamás Ungár** (music), garnered third prize in the First China International Piano Competition, which was held in Beijing Sept. 19-28. She and 24 other talented pianists were selected to participate in the prestigious international event from more than 320 applicants.

An article by **George Gilbert** (mathematics) is scheduled to appear in the *Journal of Mathematical Physics*. The article represents work George has done with Matthew Richey of St. Olaf College.

Efton Park (mathematics) was invited to participate in a conference celebrating the 60th anniversary of prominent operator algebraist Masamichi Takesaki. The conference was held Sept. 24-27 at UCLA.

Susan Staples (mathematics) spent Sept. 25-Oct. 2 as an invited guest of the mathematics department at University of Texas at Austin. Susan and faculty members from Rice and UT are working on research problems in the field of quasiconformal maps.

Judith Gans (music) performed a short program of George Gershwin songs for the Parents' Council banquet on Sept. 29 as part of campuswide Parents Weekend activities. **Janet Pummill** (music) accompanied Judy on the program, which was chosen to highlight the theme of "Rhapsody in Blue at TCU."

Two works by **Linda Hughes** (English) were recently published. An essay on myth and marriage in poems by Graham R. Tomson (Rosamund Marriott Watson) opens the summer 1994 issue of *Victorian Poetry*. An essay on collaborative authorship written with Michael Lund forms a chapter in *Author-ity and Textuality: Current Views of Collaborative Writing*, which was just issued by Locust Hill Press. Linda, who is currently on leave to work on a critical biography of Tomson, recently attended a meeting of the Research Society of Victorian Periodicals in Tampa, Fla. Linda is recording secretary of the organization.

Richard Allen (radio-TV-film) is now a regular staff writer for "One Life to Live." Richard wrote three episodes for the popular daytime soap opera earlier this fall and will continue his writing assignment through the end of the semester. He'll do his writing from Fort Worth.

Arturo Flores (modern languages and literatures) be in Spain in January and February to present lectures on Chicano literature to graduate students and faculty of the Universidad Complutense of Madrid. The philosophy and letters faculty of that university also has assigned Arturo to serve as director of the Ph.D. thesis of Teresa Ruiz Holgado.

OFFICIAL ABSENCES:

Students listed below must make up any class assignments that were missed. It is the responsibility of the student to arrange with his/her professor for the makeup. If you have any questions, call Ext. 7926.

Men's Golf Team members who missed classes after 1:00 p.m., September 22, and all classes on September 23, to participate in Preview Golf Tournament at Columbus, Ohio:

Names Redacted

Men's and Women's Soccer Team members who missed classes after 2:00 p.m., September 23, to participate in games at Springfield, Missouri:

Men:

Names Redacted

Women:

Names Redacted

Men's Tennis Team members who missed classes on September 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30 to participate in ITA National Clay Court Championships at Jackson, MS:

Names Redacted

Women's Golf Team members who missed classes on September 26, 27 and 28 to participate to Dick McGuire Invitational at Albuquerque:

Names Redacted

Cross Country Team members who missed classes on September 30 to participate in their sport at University of Arkansas:

Names Redacted

Women's Rifle Team members who will miss classes after 12:00 noon, October 7, to participate in a rifle match at University of Nevada at Reno, Nevada:

Names Redacted

Men's Tennis Team members who will miss classes after 11:00 a.m. on October 6, and all classes on October 7, to participate in Lee Michaels-Rolux/USL Tennis Classic at Lafayette, La:

Names Redacted

OFFICIAL ABSENCES (cont.)

Students listed below must make up any class assignments that were missed. It is the responsibility of the student to arrange with his/her professor for the makeup. If you have any questions, call Ext. 7926.

Cross Country Team members who will miss classes after 2:30 p.m., October 7, to participate in Cross Country meet at University of North Texas:

Women:

Names Redacted

Men:

Names Redacted

JOB OPPORTUNITIES:

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of Oct. 4. For more information on any of these positions, call Ext. 7095.

Student Publications Dir.
Asst. Dir./Ranch Management
Assistant Safety Director
Dir./Intensive English Program
Monographic Cataloger
Communication Consultant (oral)
Communication Consultant (written)
(both are on an as-needed basis only)

Journalism
Ranch Management
Safety
Intensive English Program
MCB Library
CPC
CPC

Administrative Assistant I
Accompanist/Technique Classes
Administrative Receptionist
Craft Tech Supervisor II
Service Assistant Supervisor
Service Assistant II
Service Assistant I (1/2 time)
Service Assistant I
Service Assistant I

Religion
Ballet/Modern Dance
MPL Tennis Center
Physical Plant
Student Center
Facility Services
Facility Services
Facility Services
Residential Living

TCU has employment opportunities for individuals interested in working athletic events. Work is on an as-needed basis only; salary begins at \$4.86 per hour. No experience necessary. To apply, please complete an application.

CLASSIFIED:

Information Redacted

Calendar of Events

- Oct. 11 --The Cliburn at TCU with soprano Leontyne Price, 8 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. William Farlow, director of the University of Arkansas Opera Theatre, will give a preview lecture at 7 p.m. For ticket information, call 335-9000.
- Oct. 11 & 13--Hispanic Heritage Month "Fiesta Week," Brown-Lupton Student Center Lounge, jalapeño eating contest and fashion show. Open to the public. For more information, call Ext. 7855.
- Oct. 12 --Women's soccer, TCU vs. Oklahoma City University, 2 p.m., TCU soccer fields.
- Oct. 13 --University Writing Program Workshop, 11:30 a.m., Student Center 218. Lunch provided. Call Ext. 6238 for information or to reserve a place.
- Oct. 15 --Football, TCU vs. Tulane at New Orleans.
--1994 Suzuki Talent Education Tour Group performance featuring 10 of the finest young string players in Japan, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. Tickets are \$7.50 and \$10 at the door.
- Oct. 17 --U.S. Army Field Band Vocal Arts Ensemble, noon, Ed Landreth Auditorium. Free.
--Dr. Mario Mercado, former program director at the Kurt Weill Foundation for Music Inc. in New York, presents the Winesanker Musicology Lecture on Kurt Weill, 4 p.m., Ed Landreth Hall Room 103. Free.
--TCU Music Series recital by soprano Judith Gans, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. Free. Call Ext. 7602 for information.