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# NEW CHAIR, PLAY OPEN THEATRE SEASON

"Open a new window, open a new door," recommends the cast of "Mame."

TCU theatre does just that this fall, opening its season under a new chairperson with a play new to Fort Worth staged by a first-time director on campus.

Andrew Harris joins TCU to chair the theatre department after serving as visiting associate professor at the University of Texas at Dallas, theatre chairman at SMU, adjunct associate professor at Hofstra University and assistant professor at Columbia University, where he was acting chairman of the Oscar Hammerstein II Center for Theatre Studies from 1981 to 1983. He also has been executive director of the Riverside Shakespeare Company of New York City.

A special honors graduate of the University of Chicago, Harris went on to earn both the M.Phil. and the Ph.D. from Columbia, where his dissertation was on "Storytelling in the Plays of Edward Albee." He also holds the Certificate in Business Administration from New York University's Graduate School of Business.

At Columbia, Harris created the first Cooperative Education Program in Theatre Management and Production, which placed interns with Metropolitan Opera, the Shubert Organization, Columbia and Paramount pictures and other organizations. He also worked with a Columbia law professor to create the first J.D./M.F.A. program. He is the author of a new book, "Albee and After," published this year by Applause.

Opening theatre performance of the 1989-90 season will be "The Three of Us" by Rachel Crothers, a drama dealing with a 1900 businesswoman facing prejudice of that time against women in business. Guest director for the Sept. 22-27 production in University Theatre will be Jim Covault of Stage West, who earned his B.F.A. here in 1968.

# 281 COMPLETE DEGREES IN SUMMER

A total 281 degrees were conferred Aug. 11 during summer commencement. In his remarks, Chancellor Bill Tucker noted that the Class of 1989—including those who completed their degree requirements in December coupled with May and August—is the largest graduated in a single year with its total of 1,498.

Top-ranking person in the summer class was Teresa Windholz of Hutchison, KS, who received the Bachelor of Business Administration degree "magna cum laude" with a major in marketing. Others graduating with high honors were Susan Bybee McCoun of Granbury, also receiving the B.B.A. in marketing, and Lewen Shen of Shanghai, China, who received the Bachelor of Science degree with a major in fashion design.

Present for commencement was Lewen's father, Yi-Kang Shen, who is professor, deputy dean of the Economic Management School and chairman of the industrial foreign trade department of Shanghai University of Technology. Also the father of Lenian Shen, graduate student in physics, he was introduced by the chancellor.

Also introduced by Dr. Tucker were trustees Bruce LaBoon and John Roach and their wives, who are parents of graduating seniors John LaBoon and Amy Roach.

Eight students received their degrees "cum laude." They were David Christopher Grogan, music; John LaBoon, business; Allison Ray Remley, history; Diane Elizabeth Richey, nursing; Jeri Ann Ross, nursing; Lisa Jeanette Smith, social work; Elizabeth Anne Walgren, business; and Vicki Sue Wilson, nursing.

Of the 281 graduates, 199 received bachelor's degrees, 58 master's, eight through Brite Divinity School and 16 Ph. D. degrees. The doctorates included 10 in English, the largest number conferred in this field at one time, along with three in psychology, two in chemistry and one in history.

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#### KNEPPER ACCEPTS ACTING POST

Professor Noah Knepper, member of the music faculty since 1968, assumed the position of acting director of graduate studies for the College of Fine Arts and communication Aug. 1. As announced by Vice Chancellor Bill Koehler, Noah will hold the position until May 31.

On the faculty of North Texas State before coming to TCU, Noah is past president of the International Double Reed Society and is active in a number of professional organizations, including the National Association of College Wind and Percussion Instructors.

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#### PHONE BOOKS DUE TOMORROW

New Fort Worth telephone directories will be delivered tomorrow (Wednesday) to campus buildings. Business Services director Jill Estes said each department is responsible for picking up its own directories from the building lobbies. If the number of directories is insufficient, more may be requested by calling Ext. 7798.

# FRYE, MONCRIEF, WATSON RECEIVE AWARDS

Bob Frye, Bill Moncrief and Jennifer Watson are 1989 recipients of the Burlington Northern Foundation Faculty Achievement Awards. Including checks of \$2,500 each, the awards were presented by Vice Chancellor Bill Koehler during summer commencement.

Nominated by their colleagues and recommended to the academic vice chancellor by their deans, the awardees "are among those who incorporate unusually successful teaching with the other professional expectations of the University's faculty members," Dr. Koehler said.

A grant to TCU from the Seattle-based foundation provides for three awards annually in recognition of faculty members whose teaching in the immediately preceding academic year has been both significant and meritorious. Other major considerations are research or creative activity, service to the institution and professional organizations, academic advising and continuing professional development.

Member of the English faculty since 1966, Bob has been widely recognized for his teaching. The University's nominee for the Piper Professor Award in 1985 and the Chancellor's Award for Distinguished Teaching in 1984, he received the TCU Honors Faculty Recognition Award in 1981 and the teaching excellence award of the TCU House of Representatives in 1986 in addition to earlier recognitions for teaching.

A graduate of Wayland Baptist College who holds master's and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Tennessee, Bob is vice president of South Central College English Association and secretary of its Southwestern American Literature Section. Former chair of the TCU University Cabinet and officer in the Faculty Senate, he was named to the Master Teacher Series of the National Teacher Collegiate Honors Council.

Bill, who chairs the marketing department, joined the faculty in 1982 after completing the Ph.D. at Louisiana State University. Holder of two degrees from the University of Mississippi, he currently is vice president of the Southern Marketing Association and is active in regional and national marketing organizations.

Nominated as the best graduate teacher while on the LSU faculty, Bill received the student body excellence in teaching award in 1988 and was recognized as one of top five professors by the TCU student body this year. In 1988 the Tupelo, MS, native was honored as top faculty member for student development by the University staff.

A member of the College of Fine Arts and Communication faculty since 1982, Jennifer recently became acting director of the Miller Speech and Hearing Clinic. The alumna of Northern Arizona University earned master's and Ph.D. degrees at Northwestern University, where she was with the department of communicative disorders and division of continuing education. She held a Bureau of Education for the Handicapped Training Grant.

Jennifer was a speech and language clinician with Florida's Palm Beach County Schools before coming to TCU. She has concentrated much of her research on stuttering as well as speaking proficiencies following otolaryngological surgery.

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# NEW FACULTY, STAFF APPOINTMENTS

Grant coordinator at Texas Woman's University since 1985, CAROL JEAN POPE has joined the School of Education as assistant professor of physical education. The University of Texas alumna holds master's and Ph.D. degrees from TWU, where she held U.S. Department of Education grants in adapted physical education. She is the author of studies related to disabled athletes.

CARMEN ROMAN-SHRIVER, newly named assistant professor of nutrition and dietetics, has been a post-doctoral fellow at Ohio State since completing the Ph.D. degree there in 1987. She also holds degrees from the University of Puerto Rico and Texas Woman's University, where she was a lecturer in 1979-83. Named as an Outstanding Young Woman of America in 1982, she is author of research published in the Biochemical Journal and Journal of Nutrition.

Experienced in both corporate and educational communications, <u>DEANNA DODSON</u> joined the News Service staff this week. The University of Florida graduate formerly was editor of a newsletter for the City of Austin and associate editor for the University of Texas law school magazine.

RANDY CRAWFORD, NCAA All-American here in 1977, has joined the staff of Mary Potishman Lard Tennis Center. Director of tennis at Ridglea Country Club from 1982 until 1986, when he accepted an offer to coach Martina Navratilova, he won the Southwest Conference doubles with "Tut" Bartzen Jr. in 1976, SWC singles in 1977 and in 1978 received the Davey O'Brien Award and was honored with football letterman Mike Renfro as co-athlete of the decade.

ELENA HICKS, who earned her degree in French and speech communication in May, joined the admissions staff in July as assistant director. The Corsicana native received a University leadership award in 1988 and the Reva Bell Service Award last year.

BILL WILSON has joined Instructional Services as telecommunications technician. He formerly headed the department of communications at Hannibal-LaGrange College in Hannibal, MO. Bill's responsibilities include technical and maintenance support on AV equipment as well as consulting on the purchase of AV equipment.

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#### SERVICES HELD FOR BUCKLEY

A memorial service for Ernest L. Buckley, who directed TCU's Construction Management Program in the 1960s, was held Aug. 11 in Brookings, SD, where he had served as dean of South Dakota State University's College of Engineering since 1983.

The South Dakota native served as professor of architecture and director of the Center for Environmental Design Research at the University of Texas at Arlington from 1970-83 and also directed UTA's Construction Research Center. Buckley headed the TCU Evening College construction program, initiated under the sponsorship of Home Builders Association of Fort Worth and Tarrant County, that included actual construction of homes through laboratory projects by students of construction management and decoration and furnishing by students in interior design and home furnishings classes.

Widely known as a consultant for corporations and 16 cities, Buckley is survived by his wife, Betty Bob Buckley, former coordinator of several TCU evening classes; a daughter, alumna Betty Lynn Buckley; and three sons.

#### PIZZA HUT OPENS THIS WEEK

TCU's own Pizza Hut is due to open this week in the area that formerly was the Student Center art gallery.

Originally used as part of the University's food service area, the space at the south end of the Student Center has undergone remodeling in the last few weeks to accommodate needs of the Pizza Hut.

During bidding for the food service in the spring semester, Marriott's proposal included use of that area, according to Larry Markley, Student Center director. Student committee members were enthusiastic about having the on-campus pizza facility, he noted.

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## JUNIOR RECEIVES GOLDWATER AWARD

Stephanie Diane Boade, a junior from Bartlesville, OK, is among initial recipients of awards in the Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship Excellence in Education Program. Majoring in biochemistry, she was named a National Merit Semifinalist in 1986.

Inaugurated last year to pay tribute to Sen. Goldwater, the endowed recognition program was established by the United States Congress to foster excellence in science and mathematics. Some 550 post-secondary institutions nominated approximately 600 junior and 550 senior students. Seventy-two were chosen as 1989 Senor Scholars by the Goldwater Foundation's board of trustees.

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# BROADCASTS WILL BE 'LIVE'

The front patio of the Student Center will be the setting for live broadcasts by two Dallas-based radio stations this week.

Tomorrow (Wednesday) Radio KDGE, which recently changed its format and is known as "The Edge," will broadcast from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. On Friday, the live programming will be by Radio KZEW, also from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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#### SISTER CITIES GROUP WELCOMES MEMBERS

New members are welcome to Fort Worth's chapter of Sister Cities International. Chartered in 1981 as part of the international organization founded by President Eisenhower more than 30 years ago, it has joined with cities in West Germany, Italy and Japan to foster global understanding and exchange programs. A number of these will be part of Sister Cities Week Sept. 18-25.

Interested persons can contact Manny or Marlene Reinecke, Ext. 7196 or 924-8536, for additional information.

## NOTES ON FOLKS

One of four Southwest Conference basketball players taking part in the recent U.S. Olympic Sports Festival, Horned Frog center REGGIE SMITH was described by University of California coach Lou Campanelli as "on the track to becoming one of the top players in college ranks." Reggie averaged 11 points and 9.5 rebounds in four games for the West squad. In one game he had 14 rebounds, just one short of the festival record.

PUNCH SHAW (radio-TV-film) has received a Bronze Quill Award from the Fort Worth chapter of the International Association of Business Communicators for a video public service announcement he produced with assistance from students from his Electronic Field Production class. The 30-second spot, promoting a charity auction for the benefit of the Fort Worth Boys Club, received an Award of Excellence, the highest of three possible Bronze Quills, from the association. On Aug. 11 Punch presented a paper, "Teaching the New Technologies as a Policy Course," at the national conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communications in Washington, DC.

<u>DALE YOUNG</u> (education) has been named vice chairperson for Texas State Teachers Association's instruction and professional development committee. He recently returned from a three-day critical thinking workshop sponsored by the Southwest Educational Development Laboratory in Austin.

CHUCK MOONEY, junior majoring in political science, was among 18 football players named to the 1989 GTE Southwest Conference Academic Honor Team, announced earlier this month. Chuck, who was TCU's single representative, was highly recruited from Houston's Memorial High and authored a book entitled "The Recruiting Handbook: A Guide to Surviving the Recruiting Process."

JOE BABITCH (chemistry) has received a grant of \$131,669 from the National Institute of Neurology and Communicative Disorders and Stroke for his project "Calcium-binding Proteins in Nerve Endings."

In June BILL GRAHAM (physics) presented a paper at the 44th Symposium on Molecular Spectroscopy at Ohio State University. The paper, coauthored with Ph.D. candidate MEI CHEUNG, reported their electron spin resonance study on the structure of  $\overline{C_4}$ , one of the carbon chain molecules which are important in the interstellar medium, stellar atmospheres, and in combustion and detonation processes.

On July 9-14 Bill attended the 7th Matrix Isolation Spectroscopy Symposium in Noordwijkerhout, The Netherlands, where he presented an invited paper on ESR and Fourier transform infrared research on C<sub>A</sub> carried out with Mei and Ph.D. candidate <u>LENIAN SHEN</u>. Bill and Lenian have just been notified that their journal article entitled "Observation of an infrared frequency of the C<sub>A</sub> molecule" has been accepted for publication in The Journal of Chemical Physics.

Funeral services were conducted Aug. 15 at Russell Funeral Home for <u>ALLEN L.</u> <u>CARTER</u>, retired custodian. He died Aug. 11 in a local nursing home.

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# MORE NOTES ON FOLKS

Sympathy is extended to PAUL BARTLETT (chemistry, emeritus), whose wife died Aug. 6 in Boston. Mrs. Bartlett will be interred probably during the third week in September, when a memorial service will be held at Harvard University. A memorial service also will take place in Fort Worth a few days later, and some of the Bartlett family will be present.

RON FLOWERS (religion-studies) read a paper at the Third World Congress on Religious Liberty in late July in London. Theme of the conference was "Church-State Relations and the Freedom of Conscience," and Ron's paper dealt with "Church and State Relations in the United States." The conference was attended by scholars and government leaders from North America, Western and Eastern Europe, Central Africa, Asia and the Vatican.

BILL WATSON (chemistry) attended the annual meeting of the American Crystallographic Association in Seattle, where he presented a paper on the "Application of Graph Theory to the Correlation of Structure and Physical Properties." He also spent several weeks on a plant survey in Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, visiting major botanical gardens and arboreta.

During the past month Bill had four articles published. "Structure of a Rh(I) Complex of a Bis(2,3-quinolino)-annulated cis,syn,cis-Tricyclo[6.3.0.0<sup>3</sup>,7] undecane" and Structure of the Product Formed yia Regiospecific Cyclopropenation of exo-6-Methoxycarbonyltricyclo[5.2.1.0<sup>2</sup>,6]deca-4,8-dien-3-one with Dimethylsulfoxonium Methylide (Corey's Reagent)" appeared in Acta Crystallographica. Co-authors were postdoctoral fellow ANTE NAGL from Yugoslavia and a colleague at the University of North Texas.

"Structures of Antitumor Diterpenoids, Trichorabdals A - E, Isolated from Rabdosia trichocarpa" appeared in Chemical and Pharmaceutical Bulletin of Japan. The work involved former graduate student DAVID GROSSIE, now on the faculty at Wright State University, and former postdoctoral fellow VOLKER ZABEL of Berlin in collaboration with a colleague in Japan. Journal of Organometallic Chemistry published "Reaction of bis(dimethylphosphino)ethane with the Tetracobalt Cluster  $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_{10}$   $(\mu_4\text{-PPh})_2$ ; Synthesis, Structure and Solution Dynamics of  $\text{Co}_4(\text{CO})_8$   $(\mu_4\text{-PPh})_2(\text{dmpe})$ ."

Fisherman extraordinaire <u>DAVID VANDERWERKEN</u> (English) had an article, "Bass Fishing Red and Trout Fishing Green," in the summer issue of Rocky Mountain Streamside. David combined his fishing lore and his knowledge of William Faulkner in the article.

RUTH WHITLOCK (music) spent a part of her summer consulting for Education Service Center XI on a program which advocates use of the arts as a dropout prevention strategy for migrant students. She also served on a music curriculum committee for Fort Worth ISD and will present the August choral music in-service workshop for Grapevine-Colleyville ISD.

The first \$1,000 Ruth Whitlock/TCDA Scholarship was presented during the July convention of Texas Choral Directors Association to Cathy Edmunson, UT-Arlington senior. <u>JAIME PEREZ</u> (B.M.E. '83), who is working toward a Ph.D. in music at the University of North Texas, received the TCDA Scholarship for graduate studies in choral music education.

## TCU IN THE NEWS

Cosponsored by EXTENDED EDUCATION and the Fort Worth Jaycees as part of the July 29 Youth Salute leadership conference, the forum featuring Democratic and Republican candidates running for Jim Wright's seat in Congress drew considerable media attention. Covering the program were channels 4, 5 and 8 as well as the Dallas Morning News, Star-Telegram and KRLD Radio.

"He's back" was the headline for the feature on <u>BAYARD FRIEDMAN</u>, board of trustees chairman who recently accepted appointment as senior chairman of Texas American Bridge Bank.

RALPH CARTER (political science) was a featured guest Aug. 1 on the David Gold program on KLIF Radio. The topic discussed was reaction to the U.S. reported execution of Marine Lt. Col. William Higgins by the Organization of the Oppressed on Earth in Lebanon.

WALDEK ZERDA (physics) has been informed that his two papers, "Rotational Relaxation and Interaction Induced Effects in Liquid Dichloromethane" and "Total Intensity Measurements of Depolarized Rayleigh Scattering from Linear Molecule," will appear in the September issue of The Journal of Physical Chemistry. Another paper entitled "High Pressure Raman Study of the Hydrolysis Reaction in TMOS," with graduate student G. HOANG, has appeared in the Journal of Non-Crystalline Solids.

NAMES FOR THE '90s" was the Star-Telegram heading for an Aug. 2 feature about talented and accomplished Tarrant County residents "who are likely to be doing great things in the next decade." Included were BOB DORAN (mathematics) and alumnus MICHAEL SOSA, comedian and actor.

"'Who's who' often open checkbook to a rip-off" was the Star-Telegram headline Aug. 8 for a story about the recognition listing of high school students. Being included in the volume is "not something we regard as a negative, but by itself it would have no effect on admission," said admissions officer SANDY WARE. A number of secondary school administrators described the listing as having no effect on scholarships or admissions, and one noted that "the worst thing about these schemes is that they victimize the people least able to afford it."

Fifth-grade students involved in the recent workshop that used TCU math/science lab computers, robot, music and other materials to focus on math, critical thinking and problem solving was the subject of a feature that aired on KXAS-TV Aug. 7-8. Known as PROJECT ABLE, the program incorporated a math model developed by <a href="KATHLEEN MARTIN">KATHLEEN MARTIN</a> (education.)

According to a College Board survey released recently, college costs are leveling off now and are, in fact, rising more slowly than the inflation rate. As reported in the Sept. 10 Star Telegram, Texas tuitions are in the center of the average range with costs expected to rise 7 percent this fall. Area costs, including tuition and fees, were listed as \$9,880 per year at Southern Methodist; \$7,096 at TCU; \$890, UT-Arlington; and \$1,024 at the University of North Texas.

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Aug. 22	Howdy Week: Freshman assembly, Ed Landreth Auditorium, 11 a.m.; picnic, Jarvis Hall, 12:15 p.mGeneral registration, Rickel Building, 8 a.mnoon, 12-5 p.mRegistration for Master of Liberal Arts and evening Master of Business Administration students, Rickel Building, 5-7 p.m.
Aug. 23	First classes meet, 8 a.mFraternity rush, through Aug. 26University Chapel, Robert Carr Chapel, noonLate registration, Sadler Hall Room 18, 8:30 a.m3:30 p.m., through Aug. 28TCU Scholar's Reception, hosted by Chancellor Bill Tucker and Vice Chancellor Bill Koehler, Faculty Center, 4-6 p.mLate registration for evening students, Sadler Hall Room 212, 5-7 p.mHowdy Week: Welcome Back party, featuring Emerald City, front of Student Center, 8-11 p.m.
Aug. 24	Howdy Week: Activities carnival, 3-6:30 p.m.
Aug. 26	Fraternity bid day.
Aug. 27	Sorority bid day.
Aug. 29	Brite fall convocation, address by Dean Leo Perdue, Robert Carr Chapel, 7:45 p.m.

## CLASSIFIED:

FOR SALE: Four-bedroom, three-bath home in historic South Side neighborhood, formal living/dining room, den, solarium, two WBFP; double garage with storage; huge pecan trees; \$127,500. Call Ruth at Ext. 7602 or 923-3448.

AVAILABLE FOR HOUSESITTING: From August through May, Yanella Sousek. Call 924-5393 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

TCU AREA HOUSE FOR SALE: Owner moving to retirement center. Very nice large two bedrooms, two baths, two living areas, formal living-dining room combo plus kitchen-breakfast-den combo, hardwoods with carpet; central heat & air; rear entry double garage, landscaped yard. Call 924-0666.

FOR SALE: Sofa/queen sleeper and matching love seat, earth tones, very good condition; \$100 for the set or will sell separately. Call Ext. 6105 or 568-0619 (leave message).

FOR SALE: Apple II+ computer with 64K memory, monitor and Citizen 120D printer, word-processing program, database and lots of educational games; \$300 for all. Call 294-0706 for more information.

1986 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME FOR SALE: Black two-door model with V-8 engine, cruise control, new tires, power equipment, sports wheels, leather upholstery, stereo with cassette; 46,000 miles; \$7,200. Call 465-0628 evenings or 777-3242 daytime.

FOR RENT: Garage apartment at 2825 Princeton, unfurnished except for stove and refrigerator; \$250 + electricity, \$150 deposit. Call 926-9124 after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1987 Honda Prelude S, metallic gray with gray interior, AM/FM cassette, air, automatic, power sunroof; like new, only 25K miles; \$11,800. Call 656-2589.

FOR SALE: 1987 Honda Spree, black, excellent running condition, easy to park and costs less than \$1 to fill the gas tank; \$300. Call Phil at 927-0604.