# BULLETIN

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#### STRING QUARTET SERIES OPENS FRIDAY

The Saturday night concert by the noted Colorado String Quartet opens the University's "Celebration of String Quartets," a series of four concerts during 1987-88 made possible by a generous donation from Mrs. Dora Lee Langdon of Granbury.

The Colorado String Quartet, which will perform at 8 p.m. in Ed Landreth Auditorium, is made up of four young women who leaped to prominence in 1983 when they won two major competitions within ten days. Two of the current members, violinist Deborah Redding and cellist Sharon Prater, were original members when the group was formed at the University of Colorado in 1976.

Three years later the Colorado quartet auditioned for Robert Mann, first violinist of the Juilliard String Quartet, who was so impressed he arranged for them to study at Juilliard, the first time a quartet had been admitted there en masse. In 1980 the four won the California Coleman Chamber Music Competition and earned their way to Benjamin Britten's Aldeburgh Festival in England.

Two Californians, violinist Julie Rosenfeld and violist Francesca Martin, replaced two other quartet members in 1982, creating the Colorado String Quartet as it now exists. The next spring the group earned two of chamber music's most prestigious awards almost simultaneously: the Naumberg Chamber Music Award and first prize in the first Banff International String Quartet Competition.

Though the quartet is now headquartered in New York, it is annually in residence at Samuel Sanders Cape & Islands Festival in Cape Cod, at James Dick's International Festival Institute at Round Top and at the Carmel Bach Festival in California.

The string series will continue Nov. 30 with a concert by the Alexander String Quartet, which was in 1985 the first American quartet to win first prize at the City of Portsmouth International String Quartet Competition.

Spring performances will be by the Meliora String Quartet Feb. 15 and the Valcour String Quartet April 4. In residence at Boston's Longy School and at Florida State University, the young Meliora group has won virtually every prestigious American chamber music award. The Valcour group, founded in 1983 at Baton Rouge, is quartet-in-residence at the University of Arizona, where it won the 1986 national auditions for the Emerging String Quartet Residency Program.

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## SERVICE HELD FOR TRUSTEE LANGDON

Funeral services were held Aug. 31 in Acton for Jack Langdon, alumnus and honorary trustee who died Aug. 28 at his Granbury home. Burial was in Greenwood Mausoleum in Fort Worth.

When he retired in 1975 as associate justice of the Texas Court of Civil Appeals in Fort Worth, he ended a 42-year career in public office that included representing Johnson, Bosque and Somervell counties in the Texas House of Representatives in 1937-40. After serving five years as an FBI agent, he became a partner in the local firm of Hill, Paddock and Langdon. Judge of the 17th Judicial District Court in 1951-64, he was presiding judge of the 8th Administrative Judicial District in 1957-63. He was elected associate justice in the civil appeals court in 1964, serving there until he retired and opened a law office in Granbury.

Langdon, active on the board of trustees from 1962 until being named to the honorary board in 1979, earned the B.S. degree at TCU in 1935 and lettered in football for three seasons. Inducted into the Horned Frog Football Hall of Fame last fall in recognition of his accomplishments in track and field as well as football, he was an intramural heavyweight boxing champion and student body president while an undergraduate. He earned his law degree in 1939 at the University of Texas.

Former president of the TCU Alumni Association and the Ex-Letterman's Club, he helped start the Granbury Opera House Association and chaired its board until last year. He was past president of Fort Worth's Downtown Kiwanis Club, served as district governor and chaired the judicial section of the State Bar of Texas in 1967.

Survivors include his wife, Dora Lee Langdon of Granbury; a son, John E. Langdon of Fort Worth; a sister and two grandchildren.

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#### ALEXANDER SERVICE HELD IN COLORADO

A private graveside service was held Sept. 2 in Greeley, CO, for Dr. E.R. Alexander, member of TCU's chemistry faculty for 22 years before his retirement in 1970. He died Aug. 26 at his Greeley home after a lengthy illness.

Born in Mt. Clair, NE, in 1902, he earned the B.A. and M.A. degrees at Colorado State College of Education. He did graduate work at Columbia University and the University of Texas and completed the Ph.D. in 1950 at the University of Colorado. After teaching and serving as a high school principal, he was on the East Texas State faculty for 15 years before coming to TCU in 1948.

Survivors include his wife, Edna Purvis Alexander of Greeley; a son, Michael S. Alexander of Houston; a daughter, Ruth Hollingworth of Seattle; four granddaughters and a brother. The family has suggested memorial gifts to TCU or to Hospice in care of Stoddard Funeral Home, 3205 W. 28th, Greeley, CO, 80631.

#### 'BLASTOFF' TO BE SEPT. 18

Fans of the Frog football team will gather Sept. 18 to help "blast off" the 1987 home game season. Open to the public, the annual football kickoff event will be held in Round-Up Inn of the Amon Carter Jr. Exhibit Building.

With "All Systems Go" as the theme, festivities kicking off the fifth season under Coach Jim Wacker's leadership will begin with a 7 p.m. social hour. A "pre-launch" pep rally featuring TCU band, its show girls and cheerleaders will precede an 8:30 p.m. "rocket booster" barbecue buffet.

Wacker is billed as the evening's "control center coordinator." Master of ceremonies will be Lindy Berry, alumni association president who was named all-American while quarterback of the 1949 Horned Frog football team.

Reservations for the alumni-sponsored event are due by Sept. 15. Set at \$15 per person, these can be made by check, payable to TCU, sent to the alumni office, Box 32921.

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#### NEW YORK ART CRITIC TALKS SATURDAY

A lecture by New York critic/historian Donald Kuspit on the place of Fort Worth-Dallas area art in the overall art picture will be the feature of opening day activities Saturday for Art in the Metroplex 1987. Dr. Kuspit, contributing editor to Art in America, staff member of Artforum and editor of Criticism, will speak at 2:30 p.m. in Moudy Building Room 141 North on "Metroplex Art in the Larger Context of National and International Developments."

Opening receptions for Art in the Metroplex in both Moudy Building Exhibition Hall and Brown-Lupton Student Center Gallery will be held from 2 to 6 p.m. Sept. 12. Following the address by Dr. Kuspit, who also chairs the art department at the State University of New York at Stony Brook, awards presentations will be made at 3:30 p.m.

The 42 works in the show were selected by Dr. Kuspit from 742 entries received from 282 Metroplex artists. First prize will be \$1,000, and at least \$1,000 in other prizes will be awarded at the juror's discretion. The annual show will continue through Oct. 9, open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays and from 1 to 4 p.m. weekends.

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#### PENSION FUND REP TO VISIT

Arthur Hanna of the Pension Fund of the Christian Church will be on campus Sept. 17 to meet with persons who have questions about retirement benefits. He will meet with persons in Room 204 of the Student Center. Appointments, which are required, can be made through the Personnel Office, Ext. 5018.

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#### JARMAN MEMORIAL HELD AUG. 30

A memorial service for Ina Rivers Jarman, who was faculty social director from 1963 until she retired in 1975, was held Aug. 30 in Robert Carr Chapel. Taking part were Chancellor Bill Tucker and Chancellor Emeritus J. M. Moudy. Music was provided by Emmet Smith.

The Aurora, NC, native had been a Fort Worth resident since 1959, when her late husband, Cecil Jarman, joined the religion department faculty. She became the second director of the Faculty Center in 1963 at the invitation of then-Chancellor M. E. Sadler. Her gentle Southern hospitality was coupled with an inherent grace that quickly made friends of faculty and staff newcomers. Mrs. Jarman, who died Aug. 27 in a local hospital, was known as one who was "gracious, hospitable, genteel in an old-fashioned way...she had beauty and created it wherever she went, whether in the Faculty Center, the interior of her home or in the grass and flowers on the outside."

Mrs. Jarman graduated from Atlantic Christian College in 1935 and later that year married Dr. Jarman, who was a member of the ACC faculty for 11 years before being named minister of the First Christian Church in Wilson, NC. The role of a minister's wife was a sacred vocation to her. She was associated with the Wilson library in 1950-52. The couple lived in Birmingham, AL, for two years before coming to TCU. She was active in Tanglewood Garden Club, TCU Women Exes and TCU Woman's Club.

Active in the Frog Club, the Jarmans were familiar sights at athletic activities, clad most often in purple attire. They were avid travelers, having visited much of the world, leading some study tours and celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary in 1985 with a trip to England. Retired from the faculty in 1973, he died in March of 1986.

Survivors include a daughter, Mary Katherine Rymell of Fort Worth; a son, retired Navy Capt. Cecil Jarman Jr. of Fairfax, VA; and four grandchildren.

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#### MLADENKA TO RECRUIT IN SOUTHEAST ASIA

Al Mladenka, director of international student affairs, will represent TCU to prospective undergraduate and graduate students in seven Southeast Asian countries during an October recruiting trip. Faculty members with program information they'd like him to convey may contact him before Oct. 9, Al said.

During a similar trip last year, Al spoke to more than 500 prospective students among the approximately 7,500 who attended college fairs presented by the tour group, composed of several U.S. universities. This year the trip will include stops in mainland China, Japan, Malaysia, Thailand, Hong Kong, Singapore and Korea.

#### COMPUTER CENTER ANNOUNCES COURSES

Ten short courses open to faculty, staff and graduate students will be conducted this fall by the Computer Center. Offered at no charge, all will be in Room 143 of the Sid W. Richardson Building.

Advance registrations, which are required, can be made with Betty Whiteside at Ext. 7695.

The classes will include:

- --What Is a Computer?, Sept. 14, 2-3:30 p.m., Karen Moncrief instructor;
- -- The Computer Center and tour, Sept. 15, 2-3:30 p.m., Frank Forney instructor and Ivan Taylor tour guide;
- --Introduction to IBM MUSIC, Sept. 22, 2-3:30 p.m., and lab Sept. 23, 2-5 p.m., Taylor instructor;
- -- AESOP--Advanced Electronic Spread-sheet Oriented Program, Sept. 29 and Oct. 1, 2-4 p.m., David Brayshaw instructor;
- -- IBM MUSIC Editor, Oct. 5, 3-4 p.m., and Oct. 7, 2-4 p.m., Robin Mayne instructor;
- -- So You're Thinking About Getting a Personal Computer?, Oct. 14, 2-4 p.m., Moncrief instructor;
- --Word Processing Using MUSIC Script, Oct. 20 and Oct. 22, 2-3:30 p.m., Mayne instructor;
- --Introduction to the CMS Operating System, Oct. 27 and Oct. 28, 2-4 p.m.;
- -- SAS and SAS/GRAPH, Nov. 10 and Nov. 12, 2-4 p.m., Taylor instructor;
- --Waterloo/Script (advanced), Nov. 17 and Nov. 19, 2-3:30 p.m., Mayne instructor.

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#### MONDAY EVENTS BEGIN SEPT. 14

This fall's visitation series of "Monday on Campus" begins Sept. 14. Offering an opportunity for prospective students to "experience" campus activities, others in the series will be Oct. 12, Nov. 16 and Dec. 7.

The day-long visits continue to be the most popular way for hundreds of prospective students to visit the campus each year as a part of their college decision-making process. Many are accompanied by their parents, according to Charleen McGilvray of admissions. The schedule begins with a complimentary breakfast in the Student Center cafeteria, followed by campus tours with student guides. After a welcome and briefing on the schedule, the agenda includes residence hall tours, lunch at Worth Hills cafeteria and meeting with academic deans for departmental visits. Also included is an optional financial aid/scholarship session.

Faculty and staff members are encouraged to stop by the Faculty Center for the 2:30 p.m. reception to greet visiting students and parents.

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#### TCU IN THE NEWS

Current efforts of cattlemen to "beef up their products' image" was the subject of an Associated Press feature story Aug. 2 in the Chicago Tribune. Quoted extensively was Ranch Management director JOHN MERRILL.

"TCU grads tackle world of theater" was the headline for the Dallas Morning News Aug. 16 feature on a trio of alumni-ANDREW BOYER, DANIEL TAMEZ and TIM BURT--who are interning at Dallas' prestigious Theatre Three this year.

Commenting to the Fort Worth-Star Telegram on the predicted Aug. 16 harmonic convergence, ANDY FORT said, "I guess we academics get a little jaded in our response, but I have serious reservations about this." The article appeared on the front page of the Aug. 13 issue.

Color as well as black-and-white photographs complemented the text of the story about the opening of TCU's 115th year and two side-bar features that appeared Aug. 23 in the Star-Telegram. Among those quoted were acting registrar PAT MILLER and Chancellor BILL TUCKER.

Vice Chancellor PAUL HARTMAN made the case for the support of higher education in a television interview that aired Aug. 23-24 on Channel 4.

"Computer terminals installed to aid TCU nursing students" was the headline in the Aug. 25 issue of the Dallas/Fort Worth Business Journal. Quoting RHONDA KEEN PAYNE, the article detailed the new technology utilizing bedside computer terminals and their use in Harris College "to prepare its students for the future."

"Ecuador needs basics--MBAs" was the headline Aug. 25 for a Star-Telegram column about DAN FRENCH (finance), who left Aug. 26 to become the first faculty member of the Instituto de Postgrade en Administration de Empresas. He will help start the graduate business school in the project, sponsored and supervised by the University of Houston and financed by an \$11 million commitment from the Agency for International Development.

The pluses and minuses of the sales tax increase were discussed by <u>STAN BLOCK</u> (business) in an Aug. 24 interview on KXAS-TV.

"One for Four," a composition for flute quartet by <u>CYNTHIA FOLIO</u> (music), was favorably reviewed in the June issue of Notes, the journal of the Music Library Association. The reviewer wrote that Cynthia's composition "shows off the agility of the flute in the outer diminished scale sections and its lyrical qualities in the central section. Most college flute students should enjoy its interpretive challenges."

In an Aug. 30 Star-Telegram column entitled "No kidding, tax law hurts," financial aid director <u>LEO MUNSON</u> noted that federal budget cuts have almost eliminated low-cost loans. He's getting more and more calls from young alumni asking advice on saving for their children's college education.

#### MORE TCU IN THE NEWS

DON JACKSON and JIM RIDDLESPERGER (political science) have had their article titled "Search and Seizure at the Federal Circuit Level" accepted for publication by the Criminal Justice Policy Review.

"Our schools have to be truly responsive to the changes in the demography of America in the 21st Century," said <a href="CHERIE LOHR">CHERIE LOHR</a> (education) in an interview with a Star-Telegram reporter. The story titled "2000: A class odyssey," which appeared in the Sept. 2 issue, took a look at the needs for this year's kindergarten students, who will be members of the Class of 2000.

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#### SMITH PLAYS TO FULL HOUSES

Reporting on his summer appearances in Europe and England, Emmet Smith characterized his organ recital for an audience of some 6,000 in Paris' Notre Dame Cathedral July 26 as "probably the most thrilling recital I have ever played." He was called to the railing of the organ loft for five curtain calls.

Three days later, at the Kreuzberg International Organ Festival in Bonn, Emmet played a recital to a sold-out house and to high praise from the music critic of the Bonn newspaper. His recital on the Baroque organ at the Kreuzberg was the fifth in the festival of nine concerts and was the first to attract a capacity audience. Emmet played there in 1980, also to a full house.

Emmet had lectured earlier in the month at Cambridge University's King's College to the International Congress of Organists, which meets only every 10 years. After the lecture he was invited to serve on a panel before the Congress dealing with organ pedagogy. The other four panel members headed such British music conservatories as the Royal Academy, Royal College of Organists, Royal School of Church Music and Trinity College London. During the Congress a film was shown on the life and works of Paris organist-composer Jean Langlais, who received an honorary doctorate here in 1975. TCU was listed on the film's credits, and three segments showed Langlais receiving the honorary degree, speaking to a banquet audience in the Student Center Woodson Room and playing the organ in Ed Landreth Auditorium. In another clip, Langlais played a European recital wearing his TCU regalia. Langlais now has received a number of honorary degrees, but TCU's was the first.

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#### JUST A REMINDER...

...of fall convocation starting at 11 a.m. today (Tuesday) in Ed Landreth Auditorium with U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen as speaker. The entire convocation will be broadcast live on KTCU-FM, 88.7.

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## PRINTING & MAILING HAS NEW 'BABY'

There's a new arrival in Printing and Mailing. The newcomer is a Kodak 85 copier that will enlarge up to 150 percent the original size, print on  $11 \times 17$  inch paper and print on both sides...all with the push of a button. "Come in and let us show you how to make copies on this great new machine," said P&M director Aletha Lambert.

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#### NEED HELP?

It's right at hand, according to Dolores Oelfke in the Financial Aid Office. College work/study students still are looking for jobs, and each department is responsible for paying only 20 percent of the hourly rate. For example, an employee earning \$3.35 per hour costs the department only 67 cents. More information is available from Dolores at Ext. 7858.

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#### ADMISSIONS PLANS COLORADO RECEPTION

Spec's Spot in Colorado Springs' Broadmoor West will be the site of an informal reception Saturday before the TCU vs. Air Force football game. Hosted by the admissions office and coordinated by Chris Ellertson, the 10 a.m. brunch session will provide information for prospective students and their parents.

Invitations have been extended also to parents of current students and to those students currently enrolled who will follow the Frogs to the Rocky Mountains for the season's second game.

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#### NEW FACULTY APPOINTMENT

A lecturer in curriculum and instruction for 1987-88, ANNE SIMPSON has been curriculum coordinator in language arts, social studies and gifted for the Grapevine-Colleyville public schools since 1985. The graduate of SMU and Texas A&M earned the Ph.D. degree in reading education at North Texas State in 1982. She has taught at Tarrant County Junior College and in the Irving public schools.

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# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sept. 8 --Annual fall convocation, featuring an address by U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, Ed Landreth Auditorium, 11 a.m.
- Sept. 10 --Facilities Planning Office open house to introduce the new Computer-Aided Design system, HVAC Control Center Room 200, 10-11 a.m. and 2-3 p.m.
- Sept. 12 -- The Horned Frogs' football game with the Air Force
  Academy at Colorado Springs will be broadcast over
  KRLD Radio at 1 p.m.
  - --Opening reception 2-6 p.m. in Brown-Lupton Student Center Gallery and Moudy Building Exhibition Hall for Art in the Metroplex 1987. The showing in both galleries will continue through Oct. 9, open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays and from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.
  - --Lecture, "Metroplex Art in the Larger Context of National and International Developments," by Dr. Donald Kuspit of New York, contributing editor of Art in America, staff member of Artforum and editor of Criticism who served as juror for Art in the Metroplex, Moudy Building Room 141 North, 2:30 p.m.
  - --Awards presentation for Art in the Metroplex, Moudy Building Room 141 North, 3:30 p.m.
  - --Colorado String Quartet concert, first in the "Celebration of String Quartets" series, Ed Landreth Auditorium.
- Sept. 14 -- Monday at TCU.
- Sept. 15 -- Deadline for reservations for 1987 football season "blastoff," to be held Sept. 18 at Round-Up Inn. Reservations at \$15 each can be made through the alumni office, Ext. 7803.

#### CLASSIFIED

FREE: Four adorable kittens need loving homes; nine weeks old, gentle with children. Call 923-9825.

FOR LEASE: Large condominium, two bedrooms, two baths, study, large walk-in closets, 1,900 sq. ft., located in Bellaire House Condos; \$850 month. Ext. 7957.

FOR RENT: Efficiency, one- and two-bedroom apartments; close to campus, reasonable. Ext. 7957.

MUST SELL: Brand new dishwasher; built-in, cream color. Call Wes at 926-1272, leave name and number with roommates; \$200.

FOR SALE: 1929 Mercedes Replicar, front engine, V-6, automatic transmission, 14,000 miles. Call 834-9074.

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#### OFFICIAL ABSENCES

Lynn Beall

September 2, 1987

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 make-up. If you have any questions, call 921-7855.

Individuals who will miss classes beginning 11 a.m., Thursday, September 3, through Friday, September 4, to participate in a game on Saturday at

Boston College: Gantt, Cliff Petry, Stanley Ackroyd, Scott Adams, Robbie Gooch, Dennis Rascoe, David Alexander, Bret Guillory, Antonio Shabay, Paul Hailey, Clint Sharp, Tommy Allen, Tony Shaw, Chris Ankrom, Scott Harris, Scott Bahr, Eric Hawkins, Frank Simien, Tracy Becker, Chris Hebert, Mike Smith, George Al Smith, Romeo Higgs, Rodney Bednarski, Scott Benson, Mitchell Hopkins, Jeff Spencer, Andre Jeffrey, Toni Booty, John Spradlin, David Brazil, Brian Jiles, Ron Stewart, Coy Bulla, Mike Jones, Greg Stone, Ricky Kyles, LaJuan Sullivan, Mike Crump, Levoil Daily, Jeff Tatum, Roscoe Lewis, Ron Darthard, Tony Littles, Garland Terrell, Floyd Davis, Darrell Llewellyn, Paul Tipps, Mark Davis, Reggie McWright, Robert Tramel, Kent Waddy, Wayne Delaney, Jarrod Mooney, Chuck Moore, Greg Walker, John David Dickinson, Chuck Washington, Fred Newman, Lee Dull, John Newton, Falanda Williams, Jess Elliott, Bill Palmer, Tommy Wyatt, Elwood Ford, Gary Foret, Allan Managers Clay Campbell John Edwards Wren Hudson Berry Turner Trainers Barry Browning Craig Ford Julie Hipple Scott McClure Cheerleaders Joyce Henkel Bobby Wilson Shawn Scott

Bill Burns (SuperFrog)