

Assistant to president search narrowed to three

Three candidates have been invited to campus to interview for the position of assistant to the president/director of University Relations. They are Keith D. Bjerke, Adjutant General of the North Dakota National Guard; Earl B. Peterson, consultant and former senior vice president for administration, National Cattlemen's Beef Association, Englewood, Colo.; and Robert P. Barnes, vice president for institutional advancement, Briar Cliff College, Sioux City, Iowa.

"I was quite pleased with both the size of the applicant pool—well over 100 individuals—and the quality of the candidates," said President Joe Chapman. "These three individuals each bring proven track records at senior levels in legislative relations and business."

The candidates will be brought to campus for open campus forums and meetings with individuals and campus groups. Schedules and additional candidate information will be published in It's Happening at State.

The assistant to the president position has been vacant since Sept. 10 when Don Morton stepped down to take a position at Great Plains, a Fargo-based business software firm.

Vet Tech class opens pet wellness clinic

Robinson Hall is the home to a new wellness clinic, but this one is not for students. It's for pets. A class of veterinary technology students is staffing the facility, which will be open six hours a week to a limited number of clients.



Students Kathy Breker, Jess Menke and Teresa Voegel perform a physical on President Chapman's dog, Rosebud, the first client to the new Robinson Hall Wellness Clinic.

or answering questions after the pets have seen a veterinarian. Procedures such as drawing blood, giving medication, performing physicals and clipping nails will be the types of services the students will offer.

"To begin with, we will only be offering services to NDSU administration and the faculty, staff and students in veterinary and microbiological sciences," said Amy Ellwein, a research specialist in the department who is leading the project. "Eventually we would like to open it to more clients."

Ellwein emphasized that the clinic is for wellness only, not a replacement for local veterinary clinics. The students will not be able to diagnose illnesses or prescribe medication, but they will be able to assist pet owners with administering medication

Blood drive set for Jan. 19

An NDSU blood drive is scheduled for noon-3:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 19. The mobile unit will be parked on the west side of the Memorial Union. If you would like to donate, be sure to bring identification at the time of your donation.

To schedule an appointment, call Jill Langston in Human Resources at 1-8961.

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NDSU receives United Way award

NDSU contributors to United Way of Cass-Clay were recognized during the 1999 campaign awards night presentation Jan. 13. Accepting the award for the university was Steve Bergeson, senior writer in University Relations and a member of United Way's board of trustees.

As of Jan. 13, United Way of Cass-Clay had collected \$2,337,233, or 85 percent of its campaign goal. NDSU personnel contributed a total of \$51,963.

"NDSU faculty and staff again gave generously to help meet the human service needs of our community," said Barb Pederson, administrative assistant in the President's Office and United Way campus coordinator. "Through everything from bake sales to auctions, people across campus found innovative ways to raise money for United Way. NDSU can take satisfaction and pride in a job well done."

March 1 deadline set for Larry Remele Fellowships

The North Dakota Humanities Council has announced a March 1 deadline for its 2000-2001 Larry Remele Memorial Fellowships. All North Dakota scholars with a master's degree in the humanities are eligible to apply for the \$4,500 fellowship. No more than five awards will be announced by April 1.

The fellowships are intended to promote research/writing and public programs in the humanities. Many of the studies funded have addressed North Dakota's cultural heritage, but a focus on the state is not a requirement.

The fellowship is named for the scholar/historian who directed of the Division of Education and Interpretation in the State Historical Society of North Dakota until his death in 1988.

The North Dakota Humanities Council is an independent state partner of the National Endowment for the Humanities that receives federal but no state funds. It is not a state agency.

More information and specific application requirements are available on the web at www.nd-humanities.org/html/fellowship_guidelines.html.

People

Patnode receives doctoral degree

Matthew Patnode, assistant professor of music, graduated in December with a Doctor of Musical Arts degree in solo performance from Arizona State University, Tempe. He is the first saxophonist in the history of ASU to complete that degree. His dissertation was titled, "A Fiber-Optic Study Comparing Perceived and Actual Tongue Positions of Saxophonists Successfully Producing Tones in the Altissimo Register."

Patnode will be performing and adjudicating at the Augustana Jazz Festival in Sioux Falls, S.D., in March.

Death of NDSU student reported

NDSU student Nathan Ryan Schneider died of a sudden illness Dec. 25. Schneider, also known as Nate, was at his parents' home in Fergus Falls, Minn., when he took ill. A junior, he began majoring in architecture last fall. He attended grade school and middle school in Langdon, N.D., and graduated from Fergus Falls High School in 1997.

Art professor visiting campus

The Department of Visual Arts is hosting frje echeverria, professor of art at the University of Northern Iowa, as an artist in residence through Feb. 4.

An exhibit of his figure paintings will be shown Feb. 4-25 in the Memorial Union Gallery, and he will jury the Juried Student Exhibition, which will be displayed in the Reineke Visual Arts Gallery Feb. 8-25. He also is scheduled to present a public slide lecture at 12:30 p.m. Feb. 1, in the Memorial Union Century Theater.

While echeverria is at NDSU, his residency will include studio class workshops, printmaking and painting. Students, faculty and staff are invited to the art building to observe the activities and interact with him.

For more information contact Kim Bromley in the visual arts department at 1-7824, or Peg Furshong in the Memorial Union Gallery at 1-8239.

Events

Japanese drum ensemble to perform Jan. 22

The Japanese taiko drum ensemble "Fubuki Daiko" is scheduled to perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 22, in Festival Concert Hall.

Fubuki Daiko, literally meaning "blizzard drums," is a Winnipeg-based drumming group. Called "rhythmic and hypnotic" by the Winnipeg Free Press, the group's repertoire includes hard, driving rhythms and soft, subtle musical pieces. The high-energy show combines music, culture and athleticism, and its interactive, educational format is designed for audiences of all ages.

The group was founded in 1995 and has toured throughout Japan and the United States, including a performance at Carnegie Hall. Reviews of the show cite the group's ability to create a rapport with the audience and hold its attention.

Tickets are available at the NDSU Fine Arts Box Office by calling 1-7969, and at all Ticketmaster outlets. Prices are \$12 for adults and \$10 for students and seniors.

Open forum planned for Bush grant-sponsored learning strategies

All faculty are invited to attend one of the two open forums scheduled for Thursday, Jan. 27, to disseminate information about support and training for faculty interested in changing some of the ways they teach that can positively affect student learning. The forums are a component of a Bush Foundation-sponsored grant designed to improve undergraduate learning through faculty development and improvement of teaching.

A term, "Next Generation Interactive Classroom (NGIC)," was constructed to serve as an umbrella for covering a wide range of active learning strategies. They include problem-based learning (PBL), studio-based learning (SBL) and cooperative learning (CL). Classroom assessment and applications of technology are imbedded in the strategies. To provide a structure for the interactive classroom initiatives, a Faculty Institute for Excellence in Learning (FIEL) is being formed.

The NGIC is a faculty generated initiative, sponsored by the Bush Foundation and supported by the NDSU administration. Faculty representatives of the NGIC will provide a brief overview of the grant activities. Major activities sponsored by the FIEL include faculty workshops for up to 20 faculty members, summer support for course development, monthly pedagogical luncheon meetings open to all faculty and staff members and seminars facilitated by nationally recognized leading educators in active learning strategies.

In an effort to accommodate the schedules of faculty, the forums will be held twice Jan. 27, from 11:30 a.m.-12:20 p.m. and 12:30-1:20 p.m., in University Chamber, room 349, Memorial Union. All faculty and staff are invited to attend and refreshments will be provided. For more information contact Sudhir Mehta in the mechanical engineering department or check the Web site at www.ndsu.nodak.edu/instruct/mehta/bush/.

Leadership seminar offered for students

Do you advise or supervise students with leadership potential? If so, encourage them to participate in Leaders Seminar. The seminar is a seven-week non-credit course on topics such as icebreakers, leadership theory, stereotyping and group dynamics. The Student Activities Office offers two levels — Level 1 for those that are beginning their leadership role and Level 2 for those with some experience.

Classes are scheduled for Tuesdays beginning Jan. 25 through March 7. Level 1 will meet from 3:30-5 p.m. and Level 2 will meet from 5:30-7 p.m. To register, students should stop by the Student Activities Office before Friday, Jan. 21. There is a \$15 fee to cover all materials, a student involvement transcript and snacks at all meetings.

For more information contact Janine Thull at 1-7799 or thull@badlands.nodak.edu.

Technology entrepreneurship course offered to professionals

In a joint effort, the colleges of business from North Dakota's three largest institutions, along with the colleges of engineering at NDSU and UND are offering a Tech Savvy Entrepreneurship Program aimed at helping launch technology-based businesses in the state. Funded in large part by the North Dakota Board of Higher Education, the program aims to create jobs and career opportunities for scientists, engineers, chemists, computer specialists and other technically trained college graduates.

The program will consist of seven instructional modules, each 12 hours in length, focusing on the development and packaging of competitive business plans. Each module will be presented at one of the participating universities, and be delivered via interactive video to the other two universities. Enrollees from across the state will be able to participate at any one of the three locations, allowing for ease of travel, expanded use of resources and knowledge and greater interaction with a large base of entrepreneurs.

Each of the first six modules will be presented by a team of two instructors. The team will consist of a lead entrepreneur and a professional instructor from the hosting university. The teams will jointly develop their module, and participants also will have the opportunity for additional assistance and mentoring as they develop their business plan. At the end of the sixth session in June, business plans developed during the course will be presented to economic developers, bankers and venture capitalists for funding opportunities. It is anticipated that at least \$400,000 in debt or equity funding will be available for the new venture ideas.

More information and registration forms are available online at www.und.nodak.edu/dept/cibd/techsavvy.htm.

Brown bag to discuss professional opportunities for women

The YMCA of NDSU is sponsoring "Professional Opportunities for Women" at noon Wednesday, Jan. 26, in the Memorial Union Peace Garden Room.

Dorrie Hipschman, from the Plains Art Museum, and Harriette McCaul, from Community First Bankshares, will lead the discussion. They will share personal and professional experiences that led them to where they are today.

The event is co-sponsored by Women's Studies at NDSU. For more information call the YMCA of NDSU at 235-8772.

World Studies course to examine climate change

Allan Ashworth, professor and chair of geology, is coordinating this spring's Tri-College University World Studies Seminar, "Global Climate Change," which will examine evidence for global climate change, from the deep geological past to more recent times.

The course is listed as University Studies 498 in the NDSU schedule. The course will be held at NDSU once each week, beginning Tuesday, Jan. 25. It is designed for students desiring elective credits and will count as 2 semester credits for NDSU students. The seminar is scheduled for 6:30-9:30 p.m. on eight Tuesdays: Jan. 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, and March 7, 21. All sessions will be held in Morrill Hall room 103.

Students should register through the Tri-College registrars on their home campuses. Any students or community members who are interested in the World Studies Seminar course but who do not wish to enroll for credit are welcome to attend a single session or the entire seminar series free of charge.

The eight-week "Global Climate Change" course will investigate the role of plate tectonics, volcanism, changes in astronomical variables, solar cycles, ocean currents, natural changes of carbon dioxide and the burning of fossil fuels as agents of climate change. The course will include case studies from around the world but also will consider regional effects. While Ashworth coordinates the course, lecturers will include guests from the faculty of all three Tri-College schools as well as regional and national experts.

For more information call Ashworth at 1-7919; Andrew Conteh, chair of the TCU World Studies Committee, at 236-4009; or Jean Strandness, TCU provost, at 1-9733.

Continuing Education to offer presentation course

NDSU Continuing Education has scheduled "Preparing and Presenting Effective Presentations" for 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 26, in Loftsgard 380. Deanna Sellnow, associate professor of communication, will present the workshop.

The course will provide participants with tools to prepare and present effective professional oral presentations. These skills focus on delivery, voice and content. Delivery skills range from use of voice in ways that enhance intelligibility and listener interest, to use of body in ways that do not distract from the message, but strengthen its impact. Structure ranges from arrangement of ideas to language use. Content considers audience in multiple ways in order to offer ideas in ways that are relevant to the listener and varied to address diverse learning styles.

For one credit, under SPCM 498, the cost of the course is \$107, and work will be required outside of class. For non-credit, the cost is \$79. Prices do not include the text, and group discounts are available for noncredit only.

To register or for more information, contact NDSU Continuing Education at 1-7015.

Tollefson exhibit on display in Memorial Union Gallery

The works of Wayne Tollefson, associate professor of art, are on exhibit in the Memorial Union Gallery through Jan. 28. Tollefson teaches drawing and painting in the visual arts department.

In describing the collection on display, Tollefson said, "The paintings that I am exhibiting in this show are based upon my joy of color. My primary involvement is to discover new ways that will dramatize the multiplicity and depth which color can be perceived. I hope the audience will enjoy the nuances, from the discovery of colors, which are produced by the physical environment, to each of the new colors, which are cast by their shadows."

Gallery hours are 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 9:30 a.m.-1 p.m. on Fridays.

For more information e-mail Peg Furshong at furshong@plains.nodak.edu.

University personnel invited to discuss video projects

North Dakota University System and North Dakota Tribal College faculty and staff who plan to use Internet (desk-top) video, the North Dakota Interactive Video Network (IVN) or combinations of Distance Education technologies for teaching or research are invited to share their project plans at IVN meetings on either Jan. 25 or Jan. 26.

The purpose of these meetings is to share information on the latest technology for distance education, exchange ideas in an informal setting and update IVN staff regarding projects being planned that require network support for multipoint connections. Information gathered at these sessions will be used in developing plans for future enhancements of the statewide voice, data and video network.

The Jan. 25 meeting is scheduled for 8-9:50 a.m. in EML 183. The Jan. 26 meeting is scheduled for 8-9:50 a.m. in IACC 422.

Faculty and staff who cannot attend one of these meetings are encouraged to contact John Burbank, IVN network director, at (701) 777-6354 or john_burbank@mail.und.nodak.edu; or David Belgarde, IVN network manager, at (701) 777-4232 or david_belgarde@mail.und.nodak.edu to arrange a time for a personal visit to discuss project plans.

Shorts and Reminders

Business Office to be closed Jan. 25

The Business Office will be closed Tuesday, Jan. 25, for financial aid disbursement. Departments are asked to hold their deposits until Wednesday, Jan. 26.

Tae Kwon Do Club schedules classes

The Tae Kwon Do Club will hold classes Mondays and Wednesdays from 6-7 p.m. for beginning students and 7-8 p.m. for advanced students on the stage at the Bentson-Bunker Fieldhouse. No experience is necessary, and all skill levels are welcome. For more information see the Web site www.acm.ndsu.nodak.edu/~nutkwond/.

Open positions

Positions open and closing dates through the Office of Human Resources, Room 205, Old Main:

Payroll Specialist/#4561
Payroll
\$17,600/year
Jan. 24

Administrative Secretary/#0217
Health, Physical Education, Recreation
\$18,500+/year
Jan. 24

Meal Service Coordinator/#1027
(11:30 a.m.-8 p.m.; Tuesday-Saturday)
Dining Services - Residence Dining Center
\$7.10 minimum/hour
Jan. 26

Buffet Attendant/#1076
(10:30 a.m.-7 p.m.; Monday-Friday)
Dining Services - Union Dining Center
\$6.15 minimum/hour
Jan. 21

Electrician/#0970
Physical Plant
\$30,000+/year
Jan. 21

Carpenter/#1191
Physical Plant
\$24,960 minimum/year
Jan. 26

Equipment Operator/Delivery Driver/#0648
Physical Plant
\$16,640 minimum/year
Jan. 20 (internal); Feb. 4 (external)

Application Developer/#4621
Information Technology Services
\$30,000 minimum/year
Jan. 21

Research Specialist
Carrington Research/Extension Center
\$28,000 minimum/year
Jan. 25

Research Specialist
Central Grasslands Research Center, Streeter, N.D.
\$25,500/year
March 1

Position openings also are available through the NDSU Web site at www.nodak.edu/human-resources/.

Research Opportunities

The Office of Research Administration in Old Main 201K announces the following funding opportunities and deadlines. For more information, call 1-8114; or refer to the given Web site or contact person. For information about other grants, check the Research Administration Web site at www.ndsu.nodak.edu/ndsu/sizer/resadmin.html and click on "Funding Opportunities."

National Science Foundation

Biocomplexity

www.nsf.gov

Deadline: Jan. 31 (notice of intent), March 1 (proposals)

The National Science Foundation (NSF) is inviting applications under the second year of a special environment-related initiative to support integrated research to understand and model complexity that arises from the interaction of biological, physical and social systems. In addition to supporting projects across NSF's discipline directorates from biological and social sciences to computer and mathematical science it will support special "incubator" activities to foster new collaborations, such as focused workshops, virtual meetings and other planning and development activities. NSF will fund research projects that directly explore nonlinearities, chaotic behavior, emergent phenomena or feedback within and between systems and/or across multiple components, and time or space.

National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)

Graduate Student Researchers Program

<http://education.nasa.gov/gsrp>

Deadline: Feb. 1

Full-time graduate students enrolled in accredited U.S. colleges or universities who are U.S. citizens are eligible for this research program. Approximately 100 new awardees whose research interests are compatible with NASA's programs are selected annually. Support is provided until the advanced degree is granted, up to a maximum of three years. Fellows carry out their research or plan of study at their home universities. The remaining new awards are distributed through the nine NASA field centers. Fellows selected by centers must spend some period of time in residence at the center. Students applying for a center fellowship are strongly encouraged to contact the NASA researcher at the laboratory of interest prior to developing a proposal. The booklet entitled "2000 Graduate Student Researchers Program" contains a program description, administrative procedures, proposal preparation requirements, required proposal forms and program administrators. The GSRP booklet and accompanying application forms are available on the Web.

**American Association of University Women (AAUW)
Recognition Award for Emerging Scholars
Contact: (202) 728-7602, foundation@aauw.org
Deadline: Feb. 10**

An honorarium of \$5,000 and travel expenses to the award ceremony held in Washington, D.C., in late June is given to honor an untenured woman scholar who has a record of exceptional early professional accomplishments and demonstrates promise of future distinction. Eligible candidates must have earned a doctorate or equivalent no more than five years prior to the application deadline (on or since Jan. 1, 1995); they must have demonstrated excellence in teaching and commitment to women students, and have a documented active research record. Contact AAUW for nomination procedure.

**National Institutes of Health (NIH)
Fogarty International Center (FIC), National Institute of
Child Health and Human Development (NICHD), and the
National Institute on Aging (NIA)
International Training and Research in Population and
Health
<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-TW-00-004>
Deadline: Feb. 14 (letters of intent),
March 29 (applications)**

The FIC, in collaboration with the NICHD and the NIA, invites applications from non-profit public or private institutions in the U.S. to support international training and research in population-related sciences. NIH hopes to enable grant recipients to extend their geographic base of research and training efforts to developing countries and emerging democracies, in support of population issues of mutual priority. Broad objectives are to:

- enhance international and U.S. population research programs through training of foreign nationals and international collaborative studies related to populations, including the study of: a) reproductive processes, contraceptive development, contraceptive and reproductive health evaluation, reproductive epidemiology; and b) demographic processes (including aging, longevity, biodemography, mortality, morbidity, fertility, migration, linkages between health and economic development and other social, behavioral and economic factors that influence population dynamics);
- strengthen the ability of scientists from developing nations to contribute to global population research efforts and advance knowledge in support of population policies appropriate for their home countries and established international guidelines; and
- develop and strengthen centers of research excellence in population-related sciences in developing countries through training and training related research.

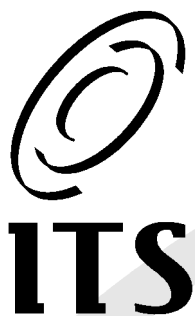
The grantee institution must be a U.S. non-profit private or public institution capable of meeting the objectives in this RFA. Applicant investigators (or co-investigators) must be either a U.S. principal investigator (PI) of at least one NIH-sponsored research project grant (R series) or a project director of an NIH-sponsored center grant, program project grant or cooperative agreement (P and U series) related to population studies that will be funded during at least one year of the proposed grant award period.

**National Institutes of Health (NIH)
National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research
Host Immune Response to Oropharyngeal Candidiasis
<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DE-00-001>
Deadline: Feb. 15 (letters of intent),
March 15 (applications)**

The National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research (NIDCR) invites experienced and new investigators to submit research grant applications for basic and clinical investigations to further the understanding of the host immune response to oropharyngeal candidiasis (OPC). Research in this targeted area will improve our understanding of infection, virulence and host responses to OPC and lead to improved diagnosis, prevention and treatment strategies. Collaborative projects that bring together investigators studying OPC in diverse scientific disciplines including microbiology, mycology, yeast genetics, innate and acquired immunology, biochemistry, pathology, genomic sequencing, imaging technology and mathematical modeling are encouraged.

**National Institutes of Health (NIH)
International Research Scientist Development Award
<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-TW-00-005>
Deadline: Feb. 18 (letters of intent),
March 29 (applications)**

The International Research Scientists Development Award (IRSDA) is offered by the FIC for U.S. postdoctoral biomedical scientists, in the formative stages of their careers, who seek an opportunity to continue research in, or extend their research experience into, developing countries. It provides the successful candidate with a period of mentored research as part of a strong, established collaboration between a U.S. sponsor and leading developing country scientist at an internationally recognized research institution. It is expected that, following this experience, the candidate will be able to pursue an independent and productive international research career, involving ongoing collaboration with developing country scientists, to more effectively pursue research relevant to stemming a major global health problem.



Technology Learning Center available

Funded by student technology fees, the Technology Learning Center (TLC) was formed in 1997 to provide technology training for students. Throughout the year, the TLC provides training for all students on available software and other technology-related topics, like multimedia. Staff consists of Sheree Kornkven, coordinator, and several student trainers.

To use the center, instructors request training on software that students must use to complete assignments. The training is held either outside of or during class time and is customized to fit the students' needs. Creating Web pages and creating PowerPoint presentations are two popular training requests.

For more information or to request training, instructors should contact Kornkven at 1-6327 or kornkven@badlands.nodak.edu. The current training schedule can be found on the Web as a link from the ITS Web page at www.ndsu.nodak.edu/its. Look under "Student Services," then under "Training."

Spring semester training sessions scheduled

The ITS training staff have scheduled the following training sessions for spring semester. Several sessions are repeated at different times to allow more faculty and staff members to participate.

Windows 95 File Management
Access 97 for Windows
Excel 97 for Windows
PowerPoint 97/98 for Windows or Macintosh
Word 2000 for Windows or Macintosh
Using Netscape and the World Wide Web
Adobe PageMaker 6.5 for Windows
Email Using Groupwise 5.2
Email Using Mulberry
Email Using Eudora
Web Boot Camp ("Camp Loopy")
Creating Web Pages Using HTML
Dreamweaver 2.0
Creating Web Pages Using Netscape Composer
Publishing Web Pages to the NDSU Web Server
Creating Interactive Forms on Web Pages

All training sessions are offered free of charge to any NDSU faculty or staff members except for the Access 97 for Windows—Part One and Part Two. The NDSU Staff Senate has again agreed to pay the registration and book costs for these sessions from staff development funds; therefore, the

Access sessions are open to staff members only. A thank-you goes to Staff Senate for its continued support for staff training.

Pre-registration is required and class sizes are limited, so register early. To view course descriptions, session schedules and to register, go to www.ndsu.nodak.edu/its, choose "Faculty and Staff Services," then scroll down to the "Training" section. Follow the links to the schedule of training sessions.

For more information about these sessions contact Lorna Olsen at 1-6328 or lorna_olsen@ndsu.nodak.edu.

Cancellation policy: If you register for a training session but cannot attend, you must cancel 48 hours prior to the start of the class. Your department will be assessed a \$25 charge for late cancellations or no shows. Contact Olsen at 1-6328 or Cj Johnson at 1-6245 if you must cancel for any reason.

The Technology Lunchbox Series Continues

The popular Technology Lunchbox Series is scheduled to start again beginning Monday, Jan. 31. These Monday noon-hour sessions consist of technology related demonstrations and discussions covering a variety of topics presented by ITS staff. Sessions are held twice a month from 12:10-12:50 p.m. in the Memorial Union or Burgum Family Life Center. Sessions are free and open to anyone on the NDSU campus. Registration is not required. Food and beverages are available for purchase from the Memorial Union Food Court or you can bring your own lunch.

Date	Location	Topic
Jan. 31	University Chamber	Taming the Software Monster
Feb. 14	University Chamber	New Directions for Email On-Campus
Feb. 28	Burgum FLC 320	How (Web) Accessible Are You?
March 13	University Chamber	Office 2000 - Should I Upgrade?
March 27	Burgum FLC 320	Taming the Software Monster (Repeated)
April 10	University Chamber	Corporate Time Calendar Demonstration
April 24	University Chamber	Tips and Tricks to Clean Up Your (Windows) Act

For information regarding the content of these sessions visit www.ndsu.nodak.edu/instruct/lolsen/lunchbox or contact Lorna Olsen at 1-6328 or lorna_olsen@ndsu.nodak.edu.

Calendar

January

19 Graduate School Orientation, 3:30 p.m., Memorial Union Meadowlark Room

19 Sid Marty, Canadian author, will present the Regional Studies Lecture, "Leaning on the Wind and Falling Off the Mountain," 7:30 p.m., Beckwith Recital Hall

19 USDA-ARS—Robert Webster, USDA-ARS National Germplasm Resources Lab, Beltsville, Md., "Ecogeographic Assessment of Distributions of Germplasm Diversity," 3 p.m., Northern Crop Science Lab, large conference room

20 Chemistry—Marc Snapper, Boston College, will present a seminar at 3:45 p.m. in Dunbar 152

20-Feb. 4 Student Print and Drawing Exhibition: Jason Moore, Reineke Visual Arts Gallery; reception scheduled 5-8 p.m., Jan. 21

21 Festival Concert Series presents Brave New Workshop, 8 p.m., Festival Concert Hall

21 Animal and Range Sciences—Greg Lardy, "The Future of the Beef Industry," 3 p.m., Hultz 104

22 Fubuki Daiko: Japanese Taiko Drum Ensemble, 8 p.m., Festival Concert Hall

22 Wrestling vs. Minnesota State-Mankato, 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

26 USDA-ARS—Douglas J. Fort, The Stover Group, Stillwater, Okla., "Applications of Amphibian Models for Assessing Reproductive and Developmental Toxicity and Thyroid Disruption," 10 a.m., Biosciences Research Lab, large conference room

27 Chemistry—Keith Woerple, University of California-Irvine, will present a seminar at 3:45 p.m. in Dunbar 152

28 Women's and men's basketball vs. Augustana College, 6 p.m. and 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

28 Animal and Range Sciences—David Danbom, "The Benefits and Cost of American Agriculture to Society," 3 p.m., Hultz 104

28 Biochemistry—Brian Steffenson, "Host-parasite Genetics in Barley: Spot Blotch Fungus Pathosystem," 3:30 p.m., Loftsgard 102

29 Women's and men's basketball vs. South Dakota State, 6 p.m. and 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

February

Through Feb. 2, "The Paintings of Wayne Tollefson," Memorial Union Gallery

2 Wrestling vs. Dickinson State, 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

3 Chemistry—William Shelver will present a seminar at 3:45 p.m. in Dunbar 152

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