IT'S HAPPENING AT STATE

November 20, 2002 NDSU

Carter Professorship receives Anheuser-Busch support

The Anheuser-Busch Foundation, St. Louis, Mo., has provided \$40,000 in support for the Dr. Jack F. Carter Presidential Professorship in Plant Sciences. The funding was presented Oct. 15.

The Carter Professorship will provide or enhance salary, benefits, research and teaching expenses of selected individuals whose position is primarily dedicated to research in plant sciences, crop rotation and other research in sustainable agriculture designed to improved farming practices and techniques in North Dakota. Appointees will be nominated by the vice president and dean of agriculture, food systems and natural resources, with the university president making the final selection and appointment.

"This professorship will enhance our educational and research efforts that focus on agronomic crops including plant breeding, production and evaluation of major crops grown in the region," said Patricia Jensen, vice president and dean of agriculture, food systems and natural resources. "This, in turn, will support the growth of the economy in North Dakota."

The professorship is named in honor of Jack F. Carter, professor emeritus of plant sciences. Carter, who retired from NDSU 15 years ago, is president of the Flax Institute of the United States and is noted for his role in advancing research and the promotion of flax.

Carter earned his bachelor's degree at the University of Nebraska, his master's degree at Washington State University, Pullman, and his doctorate in agronomy and plant pathology at the University of Wisconsin, Madison. He began his career at NDSU in 1950, and served as agronomy chair from 1960 until his retirement in 1987.

With the Anheuser-Busch Foundation gift, the Carter Professorship endowment now totals nearly \$300,000.

The Anheuser-Busch Foundation is the philanthropic arm of Anheuser-Busch Companies, a St. Louis-based corporation with subsidiaries that include the world's largest brewing organization, one of the largest United States manufacturers of aluminum beverage containers and one of the largest theme-park operations in the country. Anheuser-Busch and its charitable foundation donate funds to hundreds of charitable organizations each year, including colleges and universities, health care institutions, social service agencies, civic organizations and arts and cultural groups.

For information on contributions to the fund, contact the NDSU Development Foundation at 231-6800.

'It's Happening at State' holiday schedule reminder

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday Nov. 28, there will not be an issue of "It's Happening at State" Nov. 27. "It's Happening" will be published only on Dec. 4, Dec. 11 and Dec. 18. Regular deadlines apply. There will be no issues Dec. 25 or Jan. 1. The regular schedule resumes Jan. 8. Due to the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday Jan. 20, the deadline for the Jan. 22 issue is Wednesday, Jan. 15.

Scandinavian buffet set for Jan. 22
The annual Scandinavian buffet is scheduled for 10:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
Wednesday, Jan. 22, in the Memorial Union Ballroom. Dining Services will begin taking reservations Monday, Dec. 9.

Web cam offers views of Minard construction

A Web camera overlooking the Minard Hall addition project has been installed. The address is www.ndsu.nodak.edu/physical_plant/maint_const/.

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Libraries Thanksgiving break hours announced

NDSU Libraries Thanksgiving break hours are as follows:

Main library:

Wednesday, Nov. 27—7:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 28—Closed Friday, Nov. 29—8 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 30—Closed Sunday, Dec. 1—6 p.m.-midnight

Architecture, chemistry and health sciences branch libraries:

Wednesday, Nov. 27—8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Nov. 28-30—Closed Sunday, Dec. 1—5-10 p.m.

Institute for Regional Studies:

Wednesday, Nov. 27—8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 28—Closed Friday, Nov. 29—8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 30 and Sunday, Dec. 1—Closed

Regular academic hours resume Monday, Dec. 2. A current listing of hours is available at www.lib.ndsu.nodak.edu, by using the HRS command on the online catalog or by calling 1-9456.

Tri-College film library requests due

NDSU Libraries invites NDSU faculty to recommend additions to the Tri-College University Film Library collection. Requests should be sent to the appropriate subject librarian by Friday,

The library includes films, videotapes and laser disks suggested by faculty and purchased with funds contributed by all three schools. All materials are available to Tri-College faculty members for one to three days at no charge as often as needed. Since acquisitions are based primarily on faculty selection, requests for purchase are necessary to update and enhance the collection.

A catalog of available materials in the collection and a Purchase Request Form can be found on the Tri-College Film Library's Web site at www.mnstate.edu/tcufilm/. Visitors may place a purchase request, view current requests and add support to a colleague's requests. It is still necessary to forward a bibliographic citation, usually a flyer, of the requested title to the TCU Film Library or the appropriate subject librarian. The TCU Film Library generally purchases only those items that are recommended by all three campuses and meet the \$50 minimum purchase price.

For request forms or more information, consult the NDSU Libraries Web site at www.lib.ndsu.nodak.edu/collections/ TCU/FilmLibrary.htm or contact your subject librarian.

People

Singh appointed pharmaceutical sciences chair



Singh

Jagdish Singh, professor of pharmaceutical sciences, has been appointed department chair.

A member of the NDSU faculty since 1994, Singh is known internationally for his research in pharmaceutics, specifically the creation of novel drug delivery transport devices. He currently is working to perfect an innovative drug delivery technique called ionophoresis, or

the insulin wristwatch. The technique is meant to provide a less invasive way than the standard injection to deliver high molecular weight compounds, such as insulin, to diabetic patients.

He also is working with a team of NDSU researchers to develop "smart polymer" coatings for microphere medicines intended for heart and tumor sites.

Singh earned a doctorate in pharmaceutics from the Banaras Hindu University Institute of Technology, Varanasi, India. He completed post-doctoral positions at the University of Otago, Dunedin, New Zealand, and the University of California, San Francisco.

"Dr. Singh has a solid record of achievement in both teaching and research here at NDSU," said Charles Peterson, dean of pharmacy. "He has been named the College Teacher of the Year on three occasions, and the College Researcher of the Year twice. Last year, Dr. Singh was the recipient of the university's prestigious Waldron Researcher of the Year award. He is highly respected by his peers both on and off campus. I believe Dr. Singh will do a great job for us in advancing the department of pharmaceutical sciences to the next level of research excellence."

Birmingham receives international women in architecture award



Elizabeth Birmingham, assistant professor of English, has been awarded the second annual Milka Bliznakov Prize from the International Archive of Women in Architecture (IAWA).

Birmingham received the award for her manuscript "Searching for Marion Mahony: Gender, Erasure and the Discourse of Architectural Studies."

Birmingham

A letter from the IAWA read, in part, "The jury found that your work is one of the best pieces on gender and architecture written in the past few years. The introduction alone makes a substantial contribution to scholarship on women and architecture and in itself would be worthy of the prize."

As winner of the international competition, Birmingham will receive a \$1,000 cash award.

Pearson named National Communication Association president

Judy C. Pearson, professor of communication and associate dean of arts, humanities and social sciences, has been named president of the National Communication Association (NCA).

As program chair for this year's annual conference, Pearson worked with approximately 100 planners to present more than 2,000 programs to the more than 4,000 conference attendees.

Paul Nelson, chair and professor of communication, led a workshop for doctoral students featuring panels and advice on moving from graduate work to assistant professorships. Deanna Sellnow, associate professor of communication, and presidential fellow Stephanie Ahlfeldt led a session on "Developing a Portfolio" to help doctoral students secure academic positions.

Robert Littlefield, professor of communication, organized a service learning breakfast for attendees who observed and participated in on-going service learning projects in New Orleans.

The National Communication Association is the largest communication association in the world with approximately 8,000 members comprised mostly communication professors who teach speech pathology, human communication, journalism and broadcasting.

Koch elected EDEN national secretary

Becky Koch, extension agriculture communication information specialist, was elected secretary of the national Extension Disaster Education Network (EDEN) at its annual meeting held recently in Charleston, S.C.

Organized in 1995, EDEN is a nationwide network that helps extension staff carry out disaster education by providing easy access to educational materials that help clients prepare for and recover from natural or man-made disasters. EDEN maintains a database of disaster-related resources geared to extension educators that also are available to university faculty and staff and the public. A list of resources is found online at www.agctr.lsu.edu/eden.

Sellnow article on 1997 flood published

"Chaos Theory, Informational Needs, and Natural Disasters," an article about the 1997 Red River Valley flood written by Timothy Sellnow, professor of communication, was published in the Journal of Applied Communication Research. The journal is a publication of the National Communication Association.

The article analyzes communication about river crest predictions, the magnitude of the crisis, forms of reorganization and agencies that renewed order. The article was co-authored with Matthew W. Seeger, Wayne State University, and Robert R. Ulmer, University of Arkansas.

Kapplinger participates in national print exhibition

"From the Same Mold II" by Kent Kapplinger, assistant professor of art, is on display in the Delta National Small Print Exhibition at Arkansas State University's Bradbury Gallery through Nov. 24.

Kapplinger directs the Printmaking Education and Research Studio (PEARS) program. His work has been shown internationally and has been included in numerous collections across the United States.

Ambrosio contributes to foreign policy book

Thomas Ambrosio, assistant professor of political science, has edited and contributed chapters to "Ethnic Identity Groups and U.S. Foreign Policy."

Ambrosio authored three of the 10 chapters on a variety of topics ranging from the Spanish-American War and apartheid to African-Americans, Serbs, Latinos, Asian-Americans, Turks and Israelis. Ambrosio earned a doctorate at the University of Virginia.

Retirement party set for Carolyn Nelson

An open house and retirement party is scheduled to honor Carolyn Nelson, senior lecturer of mathematics, at 3-5 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 26, in the Alumni Center Atrium.

Nelson has been associated with NDSU for more than 44 years, teaching her first algebra class in the spring of 1958. She graduated with a bachelor's degree in mathematics and music education in December 1958 and received her master's degree in mathematics education and administration from NDSU in July 1960.

Nelson took a few years off to prepare three children for school and rejoined the NDSU mathematics department in 1968. Her husband, Gilbert, retired in May 1997 after 40 years of teaching in the NDSU mathematics department. The Nelsons are each members of the NDSU Quarter-Century Club and the President's Circle.

Nelson is president of the Fargo-Moorhead Area Music Club and immediate past-president of the North Dakota Federation of Music Clubs. She is a life member of the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, and is the donor of the Carolyn Nelson and John Callenbach memorial endowed scholarships that are available to Phi Kappa Phi members.

Recently re-elected, Nelson also has served four sessions in the North Dakota Senate representing District 21. She previously served two terms in the North Dakota House of Representatives.

NDSU Saxophone Quartet wins North Dakota competition

The NDSU Saxophone Quartet took top honors in the North Dakota division of the Music Teacher's National Association Collegiate Chamber Music Competition held Oct. 26 in Valley City.

The win marks the second consecutive year the quartet has taken first place at the festival. Quartet members are senior Jeremy Marquardt, Minot, N.D.; sophomore Rena Kuch, Hannover, N.D.; senior Jennifer Braus, Bismarck, N.D.; and freshman Brian Wittkop, Fargo.

The quartet advances to the Midwest division competitions scheduled for January in Sioux Falls, S.D. The group was second in the last year's Midwest division contest.

Events

Art conservationists to visit NDSU



Learner

Two internationally respected art conservators are scheduled to visit NDSU Dec. 1-3.

Tom Learner, senior conservation scientist at the Tate Gallery, London, and Michael Shilling, senior scientist in charge of the Analytical Research Section of the Getty Conservation Institute, Los Angeles, will be on campus to give presentations and meet with NDSU researchers.

They are working on a collaborative research venture between the Getty Conservation Institute, the National Gallery of Art and the Tate Gallery that is analyzing the modern paints used by artists.

Learner and Shilling will give a technical/scientific presentation, titled "Analysis of Modern Paints from an Art Conservation Perspective," at 3 p.m. Monday, Dec. 2, in Research 1 Room 148/154. At 7:30 p.m. that same day, Learner will give a public presentation called "The Impact of Modern Paints on 20th Century Art" in the Memorial Union's Century Theater.

"They are both world class chemists and art conservators. A visit like this is not something that happens very often here in Fargo," said Gordon Bierwagen, professor and chair of polymers and coatings, noting that the visit indicates the polymers and coatings department's strong reputation for quality research. "They are coming here to discuss our capabilities, to see our equipment and to visit with faculty, staff and students."

Kimble Bromley, associate professor of art, said, "These two gentlemen exemplify the relationship between science and art. This is a wonderful opportunity for students because the Department of Visual Arts is currently exploring an arts conservation emphasis within its program. It is also a first step towards our department forming a relationship with polymers and coatings and other sciences here at NDSU."

Learner's evening presentation will introduce the main types of modern paints, such as acrylics, alkyds, polyvinyl acetate and nitrocellulose, and examine their use and properties, which often produce visual effects impossible to achieve with traditional oil paints. He will discuss the paintings in the Tate collection of influential artists from Great Britain and America, including David Hockney, Roy Lichtenstein, Morris Louis, Bridget Riley, Frank Stella and Andy Warhol. Lerner has gathered evidence from interviews with the artists, documentary sources and from scientific analysis of the works themselves.

Learner earned a master's degree in chemistry from Oxford University, a diploma in the conservation of easel paintings from the Courtauld Institute of Art, University of London, and a doctorate in chemistry from Birkbeck College, University of London. He spent a year as a Getty intern in the painting conservation and scientific research departments at the National Gallery of Art, Washington, D.C. Learner also was a guest scholar at the Getty Conservation Institute in 2001, assessing a variety of techniques to study changes in artists' acrylic emulsion paints with accelerated light aging and with water immersion.

Shilling earned his bachelor's and master's degrees in chemistry from the California State Polytechnic University, Pomona. His present interests include thermoanalytic characterization of mortars and plasters, and the identification of organic materials by gas chromatography-mass spectrometry, with particular interests in contemporary artists' materials. He has participated in collaborative projects to study and preserve wall paintings in Egypt and China, and was part of a research team that studied the Dead Sea scrolls.

Libraries to display governors exhibit

"Governors of North Dakota," a traveling exhibit produced by the State Historical Society of North Dakota, is scheduled to be on display at the Lower Level Gallery of the NDSU Main Library Dec. 8-March 9. The exhibit highlights the terms of all 10 territorial governors and 30 state governors.

The historical look begins with territorial governor William Jayne. A medical doctor, Jayne was Abraham Lincoln's personal physician in Springfield, Ill. In 1861, Jayne resigned his seat in the Illinois State Senate to accept the appointment as governor of Dakota Territory by President Lincoln.

Other exhibit materials include the unsettled times in the governor's office from 1933-35. William Langer was removed from office in 1934 on conspiracy charges and Lt. Gov. Ole Olson finished Langer's term. The elected successor, Thomas H. Moodie, was removed in 1935 after serving only five weeks in office. With Moodie's replacement by Lt. Gov. Walter Welford, four individuals served as the state's chief executive within seven months.

More recently, the term of office for governor was extended from two years to four years under a constitutional amendment approved in 1964, during the administration of William Guy. His two-year terms and two four-year terms made him the longest serving governor in the state's history.

The exhibit is free and open to the public. More information can be found on the Web at www.lib.ndsu.nodak.edu/collections/exhibits/governor.php, or contact Michael M. Miller at 1-8416 or Miller@ndsu.nodak.edu or Claudia Berg, State Historical Society, at (701)328-2666 or ccmail.cberg@ranch.state.nd.us.

Gindberg to give talk on Research and Technology Park

Tony Grindberg, executive director of the NDSU Research and Technology Park, is scheduled to make a presentation on the research park at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 10, in the Memorial Union Century Theater. All faculty, staff and students are invited.

Grindberg will discuss the mission and objectives of the research park and review future plans.

Construction is underway for the Center for Nanoscale Science and Engineering dedicated to nanoscale science and engineering research. The facility will contain clean rooms, electronics fabrication tools, state-of-the-art synthesis and characterization equipment and space for more than 125 researchers and support staff

Discussions are underway for a fourth building to be used as a business and technology incubator.

Open forums on parking facilities repair costs scheduled

Informational presentations to discuss expected repair costs for NDSU's parking facilities are scheduled for 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 26, and 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 27, in the Memorial Union Century Theatre. All interested members of the campus community are invited to attend any of the sessions.

Expected repair costs for NDSU's existing parking lots are estimated at \$3.5 million during the next six years. The presentations are intended to offer discussion on various means to generate the money needed for necessary repairs. Options include increasing parking permit fees and rates for metered and visitor parking.

The Space and Facilities Committee is set to vote on options for raising the necessary funds this winter.

Dates announced for Madrigal Dinners

The NDSU Madrigal Singers are scheduled to present the 28th annual Madrigal Dinners at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 5, through Sunday, Dec. 8, in the Festival Concert Hall Grand Lobby. The Madrigal Singers are directed by Michael J. Weber, associate professor of music.

The Madrigal Dinners are an evening of Renaissance dining and entertainment. As they arrive, guests are greeted by a brass quintet, and herald trumpets announce the evening's events. Members of the Madrigal Singers will provide dinner music. Following dinner, a full madrigal concert is performed in Beckwith Recital Hall. The meal is prepared by the NDSU dining services and includes traditional English Renaissance fare of beef or chicken, potatoes, whole grain breads, plum pudding, fruit and cheese. A vegetarian meal also is available.

Over the years, many individuals and departments have helped embellish the dinners. Costumes for the original performers were made by textiles and clothing students under the direction of department chair Emily Reynolds. Many of the costumes are still in use today, and additional costumes have been prepared by theater arts students and faculty. Visual arts students have made jewelry, ceramic mugs and other decorations.

The dinners are sponsored by the Division of Fine Arts and the Department of Music. Tickets are \$30 and are available by calling the fine arts box office at 1-8556.

Brown bag seminar on HIV/AIDS scheduled

A brown bag seminar, "HIV/AIDS 101," is scheduled for noon Wednesday, Dec. 4, in the Memorial Union Prairie Rose Room.

NDSU wellness education leaders will address rumors, fact and misconceptions about HIV and AIDS, and will present information promoting AIDS awareness. Information about the free and confidential testing offered by Student Health Services also will be provided. Questions will be encouraged.

For more information, call 1-5225.

Presentation by Earth Policy Institute president scheduled



Lester R. Brown, president of the Earth Policy Institute, Washington, D.C., is scheduled to present "The Role of the Upper Great Plains in an Eco-Economy" at 7 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 5, in Askanase Auditorium.

Brown

Brown has been described as one of the world's most influential thinkers and a guru of the global environmental movement. In 1974, he

founded the Worldwatch Institute, a research facility devoted to the analysis of global environmental issues, and served as its president until 2000. The institute's annual State of the World reports have been translated into more than 30 languages and have become a benchmark of the global environmental movement.

Brown has helped pioneer the concept of environmentally sustainable development. His latest book, "Eco-Economy: Building an Economy for the Earth," conveys a vision for an environmentally sustainable economy and ways in which it might be achieved.

Brown has a bachelor's degree from Rutgers University, Camden, N.J., and master's degrees from the University of Maryland and Harvard University. He is a MacArthur Fellow, and the recipient of several prizes and awards, including the 1987 United Nations' Environment Prize and the 1989 World Wide Fund for Nature Gold Medal. He also was awarded the Blue Planet Prize in 1994 for his exceptional contributions to solving global environmental problems.

A book sale and signing will follow Brown's presentation.

The event is sponsored by the Colleges of Business Administration; Agriculture, Food Systems and Natural Resources; Science and Mathematics; and Engineering and Architecture; the NDSU Sponsorship committee; the Tri-College University's Red River Basin Institute; the Concordia College biology department; North Dakota Natural Resource Trust and Ducks Unlimited.

The event is free and open to the public.

Phi Kappa Phi fall initiation ceremony scheduled

Phi Kappa Phi's fall initiation ceremony is scheduled for 4 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 4, in the Memorial Union Peace Garden Room.

Phi Kappa Phi, the land-grant equivalent honor society of Phi Beta Kappa, honors outstanding undergraduate and graduate students for academic achievement, and faculty for outstanding achievement in research, teaching and service. The NDSU chapter was the 10th chapter established nationally.

Agriculture, food systems and natural resources scholarship recognition luncheon scheduled

The College of Agriculture, Food Systems and Natural Resources scholarship recognition luncheon is scheduled for 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 5, in the Memorial Union Ballroom.

The annual event honors scholarship donors for their contributions and scholarship recipients for their achievements. Letters of invitation have been sent to the college's student scholarship recipients, scholarship donors and college faculty.

Scheduled speakers include Patricia Jensen, vice president and dean for agriculture, food systems and natural resources, and Jim Venette, associate dean for academic programs, representing administration; Rebecca Leitch, lecturer for agribusiness and applied economics, representing faculty; agricultural economics senior Jessica Barenthsen, Powers Lake, N.D., representing students; and David Scott, Fargo, representing donors.

The college awards more than 250 scholarships totaling in excess of \$150,000 each year. More than 300 donors, students and faculty attended last year's luncheon.

Tri-College 'Saxtravaganza' scheduled

The third annual Tri-College "Saxtravaganza" is scheduled for 8 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 26, in Concordia College's Christianson Recital Hall. Saxophonists from NDSU, Concordia College and the Minnesota State University Moorhead, including six student saxophone quartets are set to perform.

"The concept of this event evolved through a conversation between myself and Concordia College saxophone professor Russ Peterson," said Matthew Patnode, assistant professor of music. "We thought that since there are so many good saxophone players at our colleges, it would be a great idea to try and get as many together for a massed concert."

The event features an group of more than 30 saxophonists performing a work for sax ensemble. The ensemble is set to perform a jazz arrangement of "Summertime" arranged by Peterson.

The concert is free and open to the public.

Shorts and Reminders

Memorial Union Gallery Gift Nook holiday sale scheduled The Memorial Union Gallery has scheduled a Gift Nook holiday sale for 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 3-4, in the Memorial Union Alumni Lounge. The sale includes items such as bison jewelry, ceramics, poster prints, compact discs and blown glass.

Saddle and Sirloin offers smoked turkey fund-raiser

The Saddle and Sirloin Club is selling smoked turkeys for Thanksgiving. Cost is \$20 per bird and each weighs approximately 12-14 pounds fresh. The turkeys will be available for pick-up at Shepperd Arena Friday, Nov. 22, and Monday, Nov. 25-Wednesday, Nov. 27. To place an order, contact any Saddle and Sirloin member or call animal and range sciences at 1-7641.

Mack to perform with Apostle Blues Band

Kyle Mack, associate professor of music, is set to perform with Kathie Brekke and the Apostle Blues Band in a benefit concert for Operation Christmas Child scheduled for 7 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 24, at Triumph Lutheran Brethren Church, Moorhead. Admission to the concert is a gift-filled shoebox with fun and necessary items for a child, or a donation to help with delivery of the shoeboxes.

Union Food Court specials for Nov. 20-27

Soup of the day

Wednesday: minestrone and cream of broccoli Thursday: Wisconsin cheese and beef noodle Friday: clam chowder and vegetarian vegetable Monday: wild rice and vegetarian spaetzle Tuesday: baked potato and chicken noodle Wednesday: zesty Italian and knoepfla

The Corner Deli

Wednesday: roast beef Thursday: turkey club Friday: corned beef Monday: turkey

Tuesday: beef and cheddar wrap

Wednesday: ham

A La Carte

Wednesday: pepper steak Thursday: chicken fried steak Friday: chicken chimichanga Monday: hand-carved turkey

Tuesday: taco salad

Wednesday: chicken parmesan

Pizza Express

Wednesday: meatball

Thursday: Southwestern chicken

Friday: Red River

Monday: once around the kitchen

Tuesday: Tuscany

Wednesday: creamy garlic chicken

The Union Grab and Go

Wednesday: roast beef Thursday: beef broccoli Friday: roasted turkey Monday: meat loaf

Tuesday: spaghetti and meatballs Wednesday: chicken Szechwan

Items are subject to change without notice. Call the Dining Services Lunch Line at 1-9501 to check out all of our daily specials. Questions or comments may be dropped in the suggestion boxes located in each dining center and the Union Food Court or call Kristina at the Union Buffet at 1-8122.

Positions Available

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

Administrative Secretary NDSU Extension Service \$23,500+/year Nov. 25 It's Happening, November 20, 2002

Painter/#1233 Physical Plant \$22,000+/year Nov. 21

Ag Research Technician/#888/1362 Animal and Range Sciences \$22,000+/year Nov. 26

Research Specialist/#5579 North Central Research Extension Center-Minot, N.D. \$26,000 minimum/year (Position funded for a minimum of two years) Dec. 6

Research Specialist/#5581 North Central Research Extension Center-Minot, N.D. \$26,000 minimum/year Dec. 6

Position openings also are available through the NDSU Web site at www.ndsu.edu/jobs.

Calendar

November

- Through Nov. 24 Baccalaureate exhibition—Lori Knudson, Reineke Visual Arts Gallery. Reception 7:00 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 23.
- Through Nov. 29 "Crossroads," exhibit by Eric Johnson, President's Gallery, Old Main
- Through Dec. 19 Juried student art exhibit, Memorial Union Gallery. Reception 4-6 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 20.
- 20 YMCA of NDSU—Brown bag seminar, "Going Home for the Holidays: Working Toward a Peaceful Visit with Your Family," noon, Memorial Union Peace Garden Room
- 20 International Education Week—Hemark University College of Norway information session, 3 p.m., Memorial Union Peace Garden Room
- 20 Physics—Chengli Huang, post-doctoral researcher in physics, "Can Submarines be Detected by Magnetometers? Influence of Ionosphere on the Geomagnetic Field," 4 p.m., South Engineering 208
- Animal and range sciences—Christopher Trosen, graduate student, "Effects of Grazing on Diversity and Seasonal Balance of Reclaimed Grasslands;" Kevin Miller, graduate student, "Role of Magnesium in Prevention of Atherosclerosis," 3 p.m., Hultz 104
- Plant sciences—Alyson Hyrkas, graduate student,
 "Playing Surface Evaluation of Sports Fields,"
 3:30 p.m., Loftsgard 114
- 22 Psychology—Rebecca Compton, Haverford College, "A Bridge Over Troubles Waters?: Interhemispheric Communication in Anxiety," 3:30 p.m., Minard 209

- 22-23 Men's basketball hosts the NDSU Tournament, 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 23 International Education Week—Study abroad orientation, 1-5 p.m., Memorial Union Prairie Rose Room
- 26 Science, religion and lunch seminar—Gary Ellingson, "Is Your God Too Small?" noon, Memorial Union Meadow Lark Room
- Research, creative activities and technology transfer— New faculty reception and open house, 3:30-5 p.m., NDSU Research and Technology Park, Research 1 room 148
- 27-Dec. 8 Baccalaureate exhibition—Gloria Tate, Reineke Visual Arts Gallery. Reception 1:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 8.
- 27-Dec. 20 Baccalaureate exhibition—Andrew Rising, Reineke Visual Arts Gallery. Reception 1:30 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 8.
- Thanksgiving Day; university closed
- 29 Men's basketball vs. University of Wisconsin, Platteville, 1 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 29-30 Women's basketball hosts the Valley Imports Classic, 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

December

- 3-4 Memorial Union Gallery Gift Nook holiday sale 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m., Memorial Union Gallery. Call 1-7900 for more information.
- 3 USDA-ARS—Weilin Shelver, research chemist, "The Use of Antibodies as Analytical Tools in the Determination of the Beta-adrenergic Agonist, Ractopamine," 10 a.m., Biosciences Research Laboratory large conference room
- 3 Science, religion and lunch seminar—Tariq Azam, "Islam and Science," noon, Memorial Union Meadow Lark Room
- 4 YMCA of NDSU—Brown bag seminar, "HIV/AIDS," noon, Memorial Union Prairie Rose Room
- 5-8 Madrigal dinners, 6:30 p.m., Festival Concert Hall Grand Lobby. Tickets are \$30.
- 5 Entomology—Robert Dregseth, research specialist, "Novel Approaches to the Control of Sugarbeet Root Maggot," 1 p.m., Northern Crop Science laboratory large conference room
- 5 Plant sciences—Guillermo Van Becelaere, graduate student, "Use of Exotic Germplasm in Wheat Breeding," 3:30 p.m., Loftsgard 114
- 6 Psychology—David Matz, Augsburg College, "Affect Resolution in Groups: The Case of Dissonance Reduction," 3:30 p.m., Minard 209
- Women's basketball vs. Concordia University, St. Paul, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

- 9 Jazz ensembles concert, 7:30 p.m., Festival Concert Hall. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$2 for children, students and seniors.
- 10-21 Baccalaureate exhibition—Marla Yellow Bird, Reineke Visual Arts Gallery. Reception 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 10.
- 10 Science, religion and lunch seminar—Uninhibited discussion and planning, noon, Memorial Union University Chamber
- 11-May 1 "Down to Earth; Photographs of North Dakota," exhibit by Dan Koeck, photographer in publications services, President's Gallery, Old Main. Reception 4 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 11.
- 11 Men's basketball vs. the University of Minnesota, Crookston, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 11 Concert band concert, 7:30 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 12 Entomology—Tom Baker, Iowa State University, "Science with Practice: Insect Olfaction and Applied Neuroethology," 1 p.m., Northern Crop Science laboratory large conference room
- Printmaking and ceramic sale, noon-6 p.m., art building
- 13 Last day of classes

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- 13-14 Women's basketball hosts the Comfort Inn Classic, 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- Men's basketball vs. Minnesota State University Moorhead, 1 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- Winter choral and brass ensembles concert, 2 p.m., Festival Recital Hall. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$2 for children, students and seniors.
- 19 Entomology—Terry Adams, USDA-ARS (retired), "Paleocene Flora of North Dakota," 1 p.m., Northern Crop Science laboratory large conference room
- Women's basketball vs. Minnesota State University Moorhead, 6 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- Men's basketball vs. Mayville State University,8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 20 Commencement, 4 p.m., Fargodome
- Women's basketball vs. Valley City State, 1 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 21 Men's basketball vs. Valley City State, 3 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 25 Christmas Day; university closed