

Committee named for Graduate School dean search

Craig Schnell, provost and vice president for academic affairs, has announced a committee to conduct a national search for a new dean of the Graduate School. Phil Boudjouk, vice president for research, creative activities and technology transfer, will serve as committee chair.

"I am confident the committee will conduct a thorough search and recommend capable finalists for this important position," Schnell said. "The committee will do its work and finalists will be forwarded on to President Chapman and myself for a final decision on who our next dean of the Graduate School will be."

In addition to Boudjouk, the committee members include Anna Grazul-Bilska, research chemist in the USDA laboratory; Jo Ann Miller, professor of music; Drew Martin, associate professor of management, marketing and finance; Bor Jang, professor and chair of mechanical engineering; Ron Stammen, professor in the School of Education; Jagdish Singh, professor and chair of pharmaceutical science; Sanku Mallik, associate professor of chemistry; Kerri Spiering, director of international programs; Lisa Nordick, associate director of Distance and Continuing Education; Kevin Thompson, professor of political science; Ken Grafton, director of the Agricultural Experiment Station; Michelle Hallman, Graduate School student service associate; Carolyn Schnell, director of university studies; Jeff Wandler, graduate teaching fellow in electrical and computer engineering; Denver Tolliver, program director and senior research fellow for the Upper Great Plains Transportation Institute, and Alan White, dean of science and mathematics. Sandra Holbrook, equal opportunity director, and R.S. Krishnan, associate vice president for academic affairs, will serve as ex-officio members.

According to Schnell, the committee held its organizational meeting on Oct. 3. He said he is hopeful the new dean of the Graduate School is in place by July 1, 2004.

David Wittrock is serving as interim dean.

Business administration dean search begins

Craig Schnell, provost and vice president for academic affairs, has announced a search committee for the next dean of business administration. The committee chair is Patricia Jensen, vice president and dean of agriculture, food systems and natural resources.

The search will find a successor to Jay Leitch, who plans to retire from the deanship.

"The committee will conduct a national search to find able finalists for this significant campus position," Schnell said. "I am confident the committee will forward excellent candidates to President Chapman and myself for a final decision on the next dean of business administration."

In addition to Jensen, committee members include Brian Becker, independent study guidance counselor; John Campbell, Chamber of Commerce of Fargo Moorhead; Karen Froelich, associate professor of management, marketing and finance; Michael Garrison, professor of management, marketing and finance; Barb Geeslin, assistant to the dean of business administration; Janice Glatt, senior lecturer of accounting

NDSU Libraries Veteran's Day hours announced

The NDSU Main Library will be open 1 p.m.-midnight on Veteran's Day, Tuesday, Nov. 11. The architecture, chemistry and health science branch libraries will be open 5-10 p.m., and the Institute for Regional Studies will be open 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

The Institute for Regional Studies will be open regular hours (8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.). For all libraries, regular academic hours resume Wednesday, Nov. 12.

For a current listing of hours consult the Libraries' Web page at www.lib.ndsu.nodak.edu, use the HRS command on the online catalog or call the information tape 1-9456.

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According to Schnell, the group held its first meeting on Sept. 9. He said the timetable calls for a new dean of business administration by July 1, 2004.

NDSU personnel featured in state 'Blue Book'

Three people from NDSU are featured in the new "North Dakota Blue Book 2003-2005." Published by the Secretary of State's office, the reference book traces the state's roots back to 1887, when the publication was first authorized by the territorial legislature.

Tom Isern, professor of history; Dan Koeck, Publications Services photographer; and Kent Kapplinger, assistant professor of art, are included in "Chapter One-Ever and Always: North Dakota Writers, Poets and Artists."

Secretary of State Al Jaeger said the chapter is a feature section intended to capture the thoughts and talents of North Dakotans. "It's a matter where it is coming from their heart. Regardless of what the rest of the book is—a reference book—that section is almost must reading for all of us as to why it is that North Dakota is special. I found that part of the book very inspiring," Jaeger said, noting the book was unveiled Oct. 23 during a ceremony in Bismarck.

Isern, who writes the weekly column "Plains Folk," contributed an article titled "My Life on the Plains," which begins on page 42 of the Blue Book.

Three of Koeck's black and white photographs are re-printed on pages 68-69. They include "Hovda Lutheran," "Horse Riders" and "Farmer's Hands."

Color reproductions of three of Kapplinger's works are featured on the Blue Book's pages 78-79. They include "Inventive Risk," "Theory With a Hole" and "Intersection."

Other sections of the 639-page book include the North Dakota Almanac, Federal-State Relationships, Judicial Branch, Executive Branch, Legislative Branch, Tribal-State Relationships, Elections, Education, North Dakota Water Resources, Agriculture and North Dakota Commerce.

IVN launches video streaming and phone conferencing

The North Dakota Interactive Video Network (IVN) has added Web streaming and phone conferencing to its lineup of services. The new services are available to the North Dakota University System, K-12 schools and state and local government agencies in North Dakota.

"We're seeing a convergence of voice, video and Web conferencing at the national level," said Jerry Rostad, IVN director. "The addition of Web streaming and phone conferencing follows the national trend and nicely complements the videoconferencing services we already provide."

Web streaming extends IVN videoconferences to users who cannot attend a videoconferencing facility but have access to the Internet. Users can view a live broadcast of an IVN conference from a desktop computer that has high-speed Internet access, a Web browser and a media player. The main difference is Web streams do not provide conferees with the opportunity to interact with participants at videoconferencing facilities. A streamed event also can be recorded and replayed at a later date.

The basic rate to stream an IVN videoconference includes a \$25 setup fee and \$10 per hour.

IVN's adoption of phone conferencing is the first step toward a bigger goal. "We're going to provide standard phone conferencing services to begin with," Rostad said, "Our longer-range goal is to integrate both voice and video technologies to provide anytime, anywhere conferencing access to our customers."

IVN will offer two automated dial-in phone conferencing services called direct dial "meet me" and toll-free "meet me." With the direct dial "meet me" service, participants call a connector or "bridge" and use a secure passcode to automatically join their conference. Calls made within the Bismarck/Mandan directory will be local calls while callers outside the local service directory will pay their own long distance charges. The toll-free service operates the same way, with the only difference being the call coordinator pays for the long distance charges. The basic phone conferencing rate includes a \$25 setup fee and \$3.50 per line per hour. An operator attended phone conferencing service is planned for the future.

For more information about Web streaming or phone conferencing, the rate structures or how to schedule a Web stream or phone conference, visit the IVN Web site at www.ndivn.nodak.edu or contact June Piper at (701) 777-6486.

Flex account deadline nears

Faculty and staff are encouraged to enroll in the Flexible Spending Accounts, Section 125 of the Internal Revenue Code, which allows tax savings on monthly expenses such as dependent care and medical-related expenses not covered by insurance. A new feature this year is the IRS will allow over-the-counter medication to be flexed; see your brochure for additional details.

Information packets have been sent out regarding the enrollment for the 2004 plan year. The deadline for submitting enrollment forms is Nov. 28.

For more information, contact Lyn Pletta, in the Office of Human Resources, at lyn.pletta@ndsu.nodak.edu.

Winter storm procedures announced

The Division of Student Affairs has announced NDSU's winter weather procedures. Normally, snow or low temperatures are not reasons to close the university, but significant amounts of snow, snow combined with severe wind chills or blizzard conditions may warrant a delayed start or closing.

The following actions may be taken by NDSU:

- NDSU will be in full operation and all events will take place as scheduled.
- Morning, afternoon or evening classes at NDSU may be canceled or all classes may be canceled for the entire day. All other aspects of the university will operate as usual when classes are canceled.
- NDSU will be closed until noon or a specific time, or NDSU may be closed for the entire day. In this situation, only a few designated emergency personnel are required to report to work, such as power plant employees whose responsibilities require they be on duty. Announcements regarding afternoon classes will be made by 11 a.m.

Winter storm announcements will be made on the following radio and television stations: KVRR-TV (Fox), KLTA (Lite Rock 105 FM), KPFX (Fox 107.9 FM), KQWB (Q-98 FM), KVOX (Froggy 99.9 FM), KEGK (Eagle 106.9 FM), KFGO (Mighty 790 AM; Moose Country 101.9 FM), KVRI (The River 1700), KULW-FM (KOOL), KVOX-AM (The Ticket), WDAY (Y-94 FM and 970 AM), KDSU (N.D. Public Radio), KFNV (1200 AM, 97 FM), KCCM (91.1 FM), KCCD (90.3 FM), KBOT (Wild Country 104.1) and KDLM (1340 AM).

Winter storm announcements also will be available at many of the radio stations' Web sites and 123Fargo.com.

People

New HD&E faculty join NDSU

The College of Human Development and Education welcomes four new faculty members this semester. They include Carol A. Sommer, assistant professor in the School of Education; Aditi Hirani, instructor of apparel, design, facility and hospitality management; Stacy K. Duffield, assistant professor in the School of Education; and Martin J. Erickson, instructor of child development and family science.

"We are excited about these new faculty and the expertise and experiences they bring to our programs," said Virginia Clark Johnson, dean of human development and education. "Since the semester began, I have received positive feedback from students about their teaching."

Sommer earned her bachelor's degree at the University of Kentucky, her master's degree in counseling psychology from Boston University and a doctorate in counselor education from Southern Illinois University. Her vita lists two professional publications and 13 presentations. She is certified by the National Board of Certified Counselors and is a member of the American Counseling Association and Association for Counselor Educators and Supervisors.

Hirani earned a bachelor's degree at SNDT University, Mumbai, India, an advanced diploma in commercial interior design from the Raheja School of Architecture, India, and is currently pursuing a master's degree in interior architecture from the University of North Carolina, Greensboro. Hirani holds a graduate student membership in the Interior Design Educator's Council.

Duffield received her bachelor's degree from the University of Mary, Bismarck, N.D., and her master of education degree in reading education and doctorate in teaching and learning at the University of North Dakota. A former assistant track coach at Concordia College, Moorhead, Duffield is a member of the North Dakota Reading Association and the National Reading Association.

Erickson received his bachelor's degree at Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah; his master's degree in child development and family studies from Purdue University-Calumet, Hammond, Ind.; and is nearing completion of his doctorate in human development and family studies at Iowa State University, Ames. His vita lists seven journal articles; seven book chapters, newsletters and book reviews; and 12 professional presentations.

Anderson retirement reception scheduled

A reception honoring Sharon Anderson, NDSU Extension Service director, is scheduled for 2-4 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 10, in the Alumni Center Atrium. Anderson, who has been employed by NDSU for 33 years, is retiring Dec. 31. A brief program will be held at 3 p.m.

Anderson has been director of the Extension Service since January 1995. She plans to spend more time with her family and do some consulting work after retiring.

"I just feel extremely positive about my career and the opportunities I've had and the situation the organization is in right now," she said. "I think we're moving in a positive direction to meet the needs of the state."

Her career with the Extension Service began in 1970. Through the years, she served as a district director, program leader for youth and family, 4-H youth development specialist, staff development specialist and home furnishings specialist.

Anderson served on the Extension Committee on Organization and Policy from 1996-99 and was chair in 1999. She was on the National 4-H Council Board of Trustees for five years and completed a term as vice chair in 2002. Anderson was recognized as YWCA Woman of the Year in Education in 2003. She also was inducted into the National 4-H Hall of Fame in April of this year.

Drayson named library group president

Pamela Drayson, director of libraries, has been named president of the North Dakota Library Association. She was named to the post during the annual state conference held in September in Bismarck. The meeting was attended by more than 160 librarians from throughout the state.

Drayson, who was the group's vice president during the past year, said her duties as president include promoting library use, providing leadership, chairing meetings and representing the state's libraries to legislators.

"The North Dakota Library Association speaks up for libraries in the state and for the rights of library customers," said Drayson. "This position is also a good way to get to know the librarians across the state."

Next year, Drayson will serve as outgoing president, when she will have the responsibility to work with vendors and exhibitors at the state conference.

Drayson added that planning is already underway for the 2006 state conference, which will be held in Fargo, when the organization will celebrate its 100th anniversary.

Music faculty participate in North Dakota Music Educators conference

NDSU music faculty participated in the North Dakota Music Educators Association Conference held Oct. 24-25, in Grand Forks, N.D. The conference is an annual gathering of music educators from around the state that includes workshops with nationally recognized and distinguished music educators, concert presentations and lectures.

John Miller, director of fine arts, presented "Preparing for College—Academic Music Study" and Amy Schneider, assistant professor of music, presented "Preparing Students for College Voice Auditions." Other music faculty also made presentations.

The NDSU Wind Ensemble also performed.

Harrold to present graduate seminar

Robert Harrold, assistant dean for academic programs in the College of Agriculture, Food Systems, and Natural Resources, is scheduled to present an animal and range sciences graduate seminar, "More Than You Ever Wanted to Know About Reaccreditation," at 3 p.m. Friday, Nov. 7, in Hultz 104.

Harrold holds bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees from Purdue University. He has been at NDSU for 35 years.

Bitzan to present transportation study

John Bitzan, assistant professor of management, is scheduled to present "The Impacts of Deregulation on the Earnings of Low to Mid-Level Managers in the Transportation Industries" at noon Friday, Nov. 7, in the Main Library's Multipurpose Room.

The study examines the earnings of low to mid-level managers in the airline, motor carrier and railroad industries and how they have changed as a result of deregulation. The study also examines the hypotheses that managerial quality has improved in these industries, and that there is a stronger pay for performance relationship for managers in these industries as a result of deregulation.

In estimating pooled earnings equations accounting for human capital and other personal characteristics, the study finds no significant change in low to mid-level managers' earnings resulting from deregulation. In addition, yearly earnings equations show no significant changes in earnings premiums in comparison to manufacturing for managers in the transport industries following deregulation.

In examining managerial quality and changes from deregulation, the study finds significant increases in education levels among managers in the airline, motor carrier and railroad industries following deregulation. While significant increases in education levels also occurred in unregulated manufacturing during this same period, percentage increases in education levels were much higher in the transport industries. A log-odds model

shows that the probability of managers having at least a college education increases much more rapidly in the transportation industries following deregulation than in unregulated manufacturing.

An Oaxaca decomposition of earnings changes in the three transportation industries from pre- to post-deregulation environments provides general support for the idea that managerial quality and the returns to managerial quality increased as a result of deregulation. Finally, a direct estimation of managerial earnings of railroad workers as a function of personal characteristics and regional return on investment provides support for the hypothesis that the pay for performance relationship has strengthened as a result of deregulation.

Lepper presents research

Kenneth Lepper, assistant professor of geology, presented research on "Luminescence Dating of Fluvial Sediments from Chupaderos Canyon, New Mexico: Coincidence Between Traditional Methods and Advanced Techniques, or Not?" at the annual meeting of the Geological Society of America held Nov. 2-5 in Seattle. Approximately 7,200 geoscientists were expected to attend.

The research, conducted in collaboration with the Los Alamos National Laboratory's Luminescence Geochronology Lab and Environmental Geology and Risk Analysis, Los Alamos, N.M., involved luminescence dating as a tool to assess the timing and frequency of activity in the Quaternary fault in and around the Los Alamos laboratory.

More conference information is available at www.geosociety.org.

Graduate student to perform solo at NDSU Baroque Festival

Darci Bultema, a music arts doctoral student, is scheduled to perform the soprano solo in Mozart's Mass in C minor for NDSU's Baroque Festival Concert at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 15, in the Festival Concert Hall.

A soprano, Bultema has participated as a Young Artist with the Florida Grand Opera, Tulsa Opera and Natchez Opera. She has appeared as a soloist in orchestral works with the Florida Philharmonic, New World Symphony, Miami Chamber Symphony, Washington, D.C., Youth Orchestra and the Fargo-Moorhead Symphony. She holds a bachelor's degree from NDSU and a master's degree from Peabody Conservatory of Music.

Other upcoming performances include the soprano solo in Poulenc's Gloria with the F-M Symphony on Friday, April 24, and Sunday, April 26, and a recital at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 27.

Student named outstanding female musician

Freshman Magan Friskop was awarded the Outstanding Female Musician at the International Music Camp (IMC) this summer. The Hankinson, N.D. High School graduate participated in band, choir and special programs. She also taught private piano and percussion lessons. Friskop is pursuing a double degree at NDSU, majoring in percussion performance and plant pathology/genetic research science.

At the end of the summer session, the IMC staff selects an overall Outstanding Male and Female Musician. Sigma Alpha Iota Philanthropies provides the recognition for the Outstanding Female Musician award.

Events

NDSU to celebrate American Indian Heritage Month

NDSU will celebrate American Indian Heritage Month in November by presenting a series of educational programs on a variety of topics.

"American Indian heritage should be celebrated because native people are a rich source of culture and, as an institution of higher learning, we should be enlightened," said Samuel Robertson, graduate assistant in the Department of Multicultural Student Services, who is a member of the Sisseton-Wahpeton Dakota Nation. "In pursuit of an education, all cultures and peoples should be open to one another."

Most of the following American Indian Heritage Month events at NDSU are free and open to the public. For more information, call Multicultural Student Services at 1-1029.

Wednesday, Nov. 5

American Indian artists Marla Yellow Bird and Sheila Degrugillier will demonstrate how to make traditional figures and dolls during free workshops 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Nov. 5-6, in the Alumni Lounge, Memorial Union. The artists also will have items available for sale. For information, contact Becca Kilzer, Memorial Union Gallery, at 1-8583.

The YMCA of NDSU Brown Bag Seminar, "Student Perspectives: Implications of Racism in Daily Life," will be held at noon in the Prairie Rose Room, Memorial Union. A panel of American Indian students will share their experiences and explain how racism remains an issue for people in Fargo-Moorhead. For information, call Multicultural Student Services at 1-1029.

"Race: The Power of Illusion," the three-part PBS documentary, will be screened at 3 p.m. on three consecutive Wednesday afternoons, Nov. 5, 12 and 19, in the Century Theater, Memorial Union. Each segment will be immediately followed by an interactive discussion. Members of NDSU's TOCAR Anti-racism Team and President's Diversity Council have been invited to help facilitate an open dialogue about the issues raised in the programs. Part I is titled "The Difference Between Us."

Wednesday, Nov. 12

Part II of "Race: The Power of Illusion" will be screened at 3 p.m., followed by a discussion led by TOCAR Anti-racism Team members. The second segment is titled "The Story We Tell."

Thursday, Nov. 13

In conjunction with MU Breaks, American Indian student Rachel Poitra is scheduled to teach a workshop beginning at 5 p.m. in the Memorial Union Gallery on how to make native quill earrings. There is a \$5 fee for supplies, and participants may register through MU Breaks, Memorial Union Room 360. Immediately following, she also will teach a workshop on how to make native dream catchers. Again, there is a \$5 fee for supplies, and anyone interested is invited to register through MU Breaks. For more information, call the MU Gallery at 1-8239.

Friday, Nov. 14

The public is invited to attend the annual "Indian Taco Day" and silent auction fund-raiser at the NDSU Alumni Center. Advance tickets for the meal will be available at the Multicultural Student Services Office, 302 Ceres Hall, and from members of the Native American Student Association. The meal will be served from 11 a.m.-1 p.m., followed by the conclusion of the silent auction at 1:30 p.m. A variety of items will be sold, including jewelry, wild rice, dream catchers and birch bark baskets. A portion of the proceeds from the auction will go toward the Woodlands and High Plains Powwow, scheduled for March 2004 at Minnesota State University Moorhead. Auction co-chairs are students Rachel Poitra and Dakota Seminole. For information, call the MSS Office at 1-1029 or the Memorial Union Gallery at 1-8239.

Tuesday, Nov. 18

Multicultural Student Services will host a special "Mix-it-Up" lunch in the Peace Garden Room, NDSU Memorial Union, from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. This is a national effort to encourage students to break out of their peer groups and mingle with students from other groups. Due to space limitations, the event is restricted to special invitation.

Wednesday, Nov. 19

The concluding segment of "Race: The Power of Illusion" will be screened at 3 p.m., followed by a discussion led by TOCAR Anti-racism Team members. The final chapter is titled "The House We Live In."

Saturday, Nov. 22, and Sunday, Nov. 23

The NDSU Volunteer Network is sponsoring a weekend volunteer trip to Fort Yates, located on the Standing Rock Indian Reservation in south-central North Dakota. During the weekend, volunteers will work with students from Sitting Bull College to help remodel their student government office. In addition, volunteers will participate in a Sunday Academy educational program, providing assistance to small groups of high school students who are learning about science. Except for meals, the cost of this trip is free. To sign up or obtain more information, contact MSS Director Paul Boswell, at 1-7314.

Monday, Nov. 24

Jean Ness, Title III project director at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, will speak at noon in the Meadow Lark Room. The title of her presentation will be "American Indian student retention: What we know and what we can do about it." Ness will discuss strategies to increase the retention of American Indian students by helping make a successful transition from reservation schools to public colleges and universities.

**NDSU Opera Workshop presents
'An Evening of Opera Arias'**

NDSU's Opera Workshop is scheduled to present "An Evening of Opera Arias" at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 20, at Beckwith Recital Hall in the Reineke Fine Arts Center.

The ensemble will perform seven operatic scenes, ranging from Dowland to Copland. This showcase is a culmination of the operatic and theatrical skills the students have been honing since the beginning of the semester. The opera workshop will feature Nathan Ramsayer, JoAnna Swantek, Kimberly Sava, Derek Poehls, Matt Tintes, Emily Christianson and Brandon Benson, with Darci Bultema and Katherine Ellingson serving as directors.

Admission is free and open to the public. For more information, call the NDSU Fine Arts Box Office at 1-9442.

**'Engaging students in writing classes'
pedagogical luncheon scheduled**

Teaching faculty and staff are invited to a pedagogical luncheon scheduled for 12:30-1:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 18, in the Memorial Union Prairie Rose Room. Kevin Brooks, associate professor of English, will present the session, which is titled "Engaging Students in Writing Classes."

The pedagogical luncheon, which features a buffet lunch beginning at 12:15 p.m., is designed to enhance student learning and comradeship among teachers. It is also considered an opportunity to meet people from different colleges, get ideas and collaborate on interdisciplinary projects.

Brooks teaches a wide range of writing classes, including first-year composition courses, professional and technical communication courses, advanced writing courses for English and education majors and graduate courses in the theory and history of writing instruction.

His presentation will share three techniques he uses to engage students in his classes. They include:

- Side shadowing: a strategy that requires students to engage with their own writing, and to engage one another in meaningful feedback.
- Process presentations: a strategy that requires students to explain their work to the class. Students learn to make concise presentations and re-enforce the key concepts of the course.
- A synthesis assignment: instead of a final examination, students produce a personalized guide to writing that both helps them to synthesize and personalize the course content.

The luncheon is sponsored by the Office of the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs. Register by e-mailing to amy.choa@ndsu.nodak.edu by 3 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 12. For more information, contact Amy Ochoa at 1-6133 or Sudhir Mehta, associate vice president for academics and professor of mechanical engineering, at 1-8493.

Shorts and reminders**'Campus Kudos' presented**

Staff Senate recently presented Campus Kudos awards to John Underwood, ITS Help Desk manager; the ITS Help Desk staff; Heidi Frie, Counseling and Disability Services; and Trish Tallakson, graduate student.

Campus Kudos is a certificate of appreciation for contributions to the campus and the people on campus. Anyone on campus, including faculty, staff and students, is eligible. For more information or to submit a nomination using the online form, go to www.ndsu.edu/ndsu/staff_senate/.

Positions Available

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

RSVP Project Coordinator

Non-benefited, 12 months, 12 hours/week—flexible
(Temporary position with possibility of continuation/benefits pending funding)

Distance and Continuing Education

Housed at St. Joseph Hospital, Minot, N.D.

\$9/hour

Open until filled

Administrative Assistant/#5208

Wellness Center

\$25,000+/year

Nov. 5

Administrative Secretary/#5604

NDSU Research Foundation/Office of Technology Transfer

\$22,000+/year

Nov. 10

Lead Food Service Worker/#1048

10 Months; 40 hours/week

6 a.m.-2:30 p.m.; (M-F, weekends as necessary)

Dining Services - Residence Dining Center

\$8/hour

Open until filled

Position available Nov. 3

Manager, Retail Operations

Dining Services

Salary commensurate with experience

Open until filled

Research Specialist

Carrington R/E Center

\$33,000 minimum/year, commensurate with experience

Nov. 12

Assistant Director of Seedstocks/#4259

Plant Science

Salary commensurate with experience

Open until filled

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

Union Food Court specials for Nov. 5-12**Soup of the day**

Wednesday: vegetarian vegetable and cheeseburger

Thursday: chicken tortilla and beef noodle

Friday: minestrone and homemade chunky tomato

Monday: zesty Italian and knoepla

Tuesday: chicken noodle and wild rice

Wednesday: chicken tortilla and broccoli cheese

The Corner Deli

Wednesday: chicken Caesar wrap

Thursday: roast beef

Friday: turkey

Monday: chicken

Tuesday: ham

Wednesday: All-American wrap

A La Carte

Wednesday: grilled chicken alfredo

Thursday: chicken chimichanga

Friday: hand-carved turkey

Monday: pasta bar

Tuesday: fajita bar

Wednesday: carved roast beef

Pizza Express

Wednesday: farmhouse

Thursday: Red River

Friday: Hawaiian

Monday: bacon cheeseburger

Tuesday: taco

Wednesday: creamy garlic chicken

The Union Grab and Go

Wednesday: spaghetti and meatballs

Thursday: chicken Szechwan

Friday: roasted turkey

Monday: grilled chicken alfredo

Tuesday: beef teriyaki

Wednesday: broasted chicken

More Than A Burger

Wednesday: popcorn chicken

Thursday: bacon cheeseburger

Friday: western burger

Monday: cordon bleu fillet

Tuesday: bacon cheeseburger

Wednesday: smothered chicken

Items are subject to change without notice. Call the Dining Services Lunch Line at 1-9501 for 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.

Calendar**November**

- 5 YMCA of NDSU—Brown bag seminar, “Student Perspectives: Implications of Racism in Daily Life,” noon, Memorial Union Prairie Rose Room
- 5 Physics—Wenfang Sun, assistant professor of chemistry, “Development and Characterization of Organic/Organometallic Optical Limiting Materials,” 4 p.m., South Engineering 208
- 5-6 Memorial Union Gallery fine craft demonstrations and sales, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Memorial Union Alumni Lounge.
- 6 Entomology—James Buckner, research chemist, USDA-ARS Biosciences Research Laboratory, Fargo, “Whiteflies: Their Cuticular Lipids and Interactions with Host Plants and Parasitoids,” 1 p.m., Northern Crop Science Laboratory conference room
- 7 Botany/zoology—Jason Dunham, Rocky Mountain Research Station-Boise Forestry Sciences Laboratory, “What Does Landscape Ecology Have to do with Fish?” 3 p.m., Stevens 230
- 7 Animal and range sciences—Robert Harrold, assistant dean for academic programs in the College of Agriculture, Food Systems, and Natural Resources, “More Than You Ever Wanted to Know About Reaccreditation.” 3 p.m., Hultz 104.
- 7 Latin American vocalist Erika Luckett in concert, 7:30 p.m., Memorial Union Gallery. Tickets are \$7 general admission and \$5 for NDSU students and children under age 12. Tickets are available at the Memorial Union ticket office.
- 10 Baroque Festival student recital, 7:30 p.m., Beckwith Recital Hall
- 11 Veteran’s Day holiday—university closed
- 11 Volleyball vs. University of Minnesota, Crookston, 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 11 Baroque Festival chamber concert, 7:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, Fargo
- 12 Staff Senate meeting, 9:30 a.m., Memorial Union Peace Garden Room
- 12 YMCA of NDSU—Brown bag seminar, “Protein, Weigh-Ins, Carbs and the South Beach-You Decide!” noon, Memorial Union Peace Garden Room
- 12 Physics—Claudio Verdozzi, assistant professor of physics, “Strongly Correlated Nanoclusters: Magnetic Interactions vs. Energy Level Spacing,” 4 p.m., South Engineering 208

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