



# *Academic Notes*

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## **\*\*\*SPECIAL NOTICES\*\*\***

### **THE PRESIDENTS FALL ADDRESS TO FACULTY**

All faculty are encouraged to attend President Lloyd Benjamin's Fall Address to Faculty on Monday, September 24, 2001 at 3:00 p.m. in the Hulman Memorial Student Union (HMSU) Dede II.

### **UNIVERSITY RESEARCH COMMITTEE GRANTS**

The Fall submission deadline for the University Research Committee Grants for 2001/2002 is Monday, November 5, 2001 (date to be approved by the University Research Committee when new Committee is selected). Notice will be given via global e-mail and Academic Notes if there are any changes. Funding is typically used for small grants (generally a few thousand dollars) in support of faculty research and scholarship.

Information packets with applications are available from the Office of Sponsored Programs, Tirey Hall, Room 183, ext. 8374 or e-mail [ospwilk@isugw.indstate.edu](mailto:ospwilk@isugw.indstate.edu)

### **ISU ARTS ENDOWMENT GRANTS**

The submission deadline for Arts Endowment Grants for the 2001/2002 academic years is Monday, November 5, 2001. Past UAEC funding has been between \$15,000 and \$20,000. Grant awards typically range from \$2,000 to \$6,000 with the average being \$3,500.

Submit proposals involving original faculty work on creative projects that eventuate in performance, exhibitions, and publications. Projects that will not qualify are: student work, research or criticism of already existing works, or preparation and writing of textbooks and teaching materials.

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### **ACADEMIC NOTES PUBLICATION SCHEDULE** **FOR FALL 2001**

Below is the circulation schedule for the hard copy of *Academic Notes* through December 17, 2001.  
*SPECIAL NOTICES – Publication Schedule: continued*

An asterisk (\*) indicates a curricular issue. **All submissions for inclusion in *Academic Notes* are due in the Office of Academic Affairs no later than 10:00 a.m. on the Wednesday prior to the distribution of *Academic Notes* on the following Monday, along with a diskette with the same information in Microsoft Word format. Failure to submit a diskette containing this information will delay publication.** An electronic version of *Academic Notes* is available using Acrobat Reader via the ISU Web Page at – <http://web.indstate.edu/acadnotes/> –.

<u>Deadline for Items</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
September 26*	October 1*
October 3	October 8
October 10*	October 15*
October 17	October 22
October 24*	October 29*
October 31	November 5
November 7*	November 12*
November 14	November 19
November 20* <sup>a</sup>	November 26*
November 28	December 3
December 5*	December 10*
December 12	December 17

<sup>a</sup> Due to holiday's, the dates for submission and/or publication have been moved up or back a day.

## **FACULTY GOVERNMENT**

### **FACULTY SENATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 18, 2001**

The Executive Committee met at 3:15 in Hulman Memorial Student Union (HMSU), Room 227.

President Benjamin reported on his recent meeting with the vice presidents and on agenda items being considered for the next Board of Trustees' meeting (10/5). He expressed an interest in further discussion of institutional effectiveness, Degree Link funding, travel budgets, domestic partner benefits, and the transitional process surrounding reorganization of the administrative structure of the University. He encouraged attendance at the General Faculty Meeting on Monday (9/24) at 3 p.m. in Dede II.

Provost Pontius announced that the revised UNIVERSITY HANDBOOK would be available for distribution on 9/21, that the deans had been discussing allocation of tenure-track lines for next year,

*FACULTY GOVERNMENT – Faculty Senate Executive Committee Report: continued*

that dollar allocation data for next year would be available for examination, and that additional baseline funding for salaries will be a priority.

The provost distributed the Program Array Review (PAR) Committee charge, answered questions, and acknowledged that the relationship between full-time tenure-track and adjunct faculty loads would be addressed. He explained the proposed composition of the search committee to select a dean for Arts and Sciences, noting that he expects to conduct interviews in Jan. 2002.

Chair Cerny reported that the Faculty Workload Report is available in the Faculty Senate office and that he would be meeting with the chairs of academic governance units on 9/25. He distributed a memo from the faculty representative concerning the ongoing work of the H-R Dimensions Task Force.

The Committee selected faculty to serve on three provost's committees: PAR Advisory, Summer School Administration, and Professional Status of Chairs. The provost assured the Committee that he would share the work of those committees with the Executive Committee.

The Committee approved revisions to standing committees and agreed to select two faculty for the Faculty Dismissal Hearing Committee pool.

### **FACULTY SENATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

The Faculty Senate Executive Committee will meet at 3:15 p.m. on Tuesday, October 2, 2001, in Hulman Memorial Student Union (HMSU), Room 227.

## **THESES, DISSERTATIONS, & RESEARCH PROJECTS**

### **SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**

#### **EDUCATIONAL & SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY**

Mr. Kevin Buehler will defend his dissertation, entitled *Standardized Group Achievement Tests and the Accommodation of Additional Time*, at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, September 24, 2001 in the School of Education 11<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room. The members of his committee are Dr. Lisa Bischoff, Chairperson, Dr. James Jacobs, and Dr. Christine MacDonald.

*THESES, DISSERTATIONS, & RESEARCH PROJECTS: continued*

**SCHOOL OF HEALTH & HUMAN PERFORMANCE**

**ATHLETIC TRAINING**

Ms. Kuan-Chiin Li will defend her thesis, entitled *Soleus H-Reflex Change Following Muscle Fatigue*, at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 24, 2001 in the Arena, Room C-08. The members of her committee are Dr. Christopher D. Ingersoll, Chairperson, Dr. Mitchell L. Cordova, and Dr. Jeffrey E. Edwards.