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Commencement set for Aug. 15

The University of Texas at Tyler will recognize 234 degree candidates — including 152 at the bachelor's level and 82 at the master's level — during summer commencement Friday, Aug. 15. Ceremonies begin at 7:30 p.m. in Caldwell Auditorium.

President George F. Hamm will give the commencement address and confer degrees. Presentation of degree candidates will be by Dr. Thomas L. Fernandez, vice president for academic affairs, and representatives of the four schools: Dr. Robert L. Cox, dean, Education and Psychology; Dr. F. Lannom Smith, dean, Liberal Arts; and Dr. L. Lynn Sherrod, dean, Sciences and Mathematics. Macebearer will be Dr. Frank H. Smyrl, senior charter faculty member.

The processional will be played by Vicki Jacks Conway, pianist and instructor of music. Roger Bryant, tenor, will perform Schubert's "Die Allmacht" accompanied by pianist Ruth Walker. Dr. Kenneth Muckelroy, Department of Music chairman, will lead the audience in "America the Beautiful" and the alma mater.

The Rev. E. Ross Richardson, minister, University Christian Church, will provide the invocation and benediction, and Joe Brodnax, alumni association president, will give the alumni presentation.

in the spotlight...

Dr. Davor Jedlicka, associate professor of sociology, has had his research on mate selection included in a recent article on the mail-order marriage business in "The New York Times Magazine."

Dr. Paula Lundberg, assistant professor of psychology, presented "Personality Characteristics of Incest Survivors" to the Midwest Society for Research in Lifespan Development in Akron, Ohio.

Dr. George Joyce, professor of business administration, served on the Census Statistical Area Committee in preparation for the 1990 census. The committee was responsible for developing census tracts and block groups as statistical units which would reflect the current status of the Tyler Metropolitan Statistical Area population.

Dr. Stephen B. Rainwater, assistant professor of computer science, has been appointed co-chairman of the program committee for the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics Southwestern Regional Conference to be held March 10-12 in Marshall.

Dr. Doris Riemen, professor and director, Division of Nursing, has been appointed to the editorial review board for "Holistic Nursing Practice," a new nursing journal to be published by Aspen Publications, Inc.

Dr. Wallace V. Schmidt, associate professor of speech, has had two papers, "Political Risk Taking: Presidential Leaks and Information Control" and "Cultural Vertigo: Returning from the Overseas Assignment," accepted for presentation at the Academy of International Business-Southeast 1986 meeting in Atlanta, Ga.

Dr. Marilyn Young, professor of business administration, presented a program on delegation of responsibility and authority to the Purchasing Management Association of East Texas June 10.

President's Convocation opens fall semester

The President's Convocation for faculty and staff will open the fall semester Tuesday, Sept. 2. in ADM 359.

The convocation will begin with a reception at 8 a.m. Dr. George F. Hamm will give a welcome address at 8:30 a.m. and introduce new faculty members.

Fall registration slated

Registration for the fall semester will be from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 2 in the University Center. Classes begin Sept. 3.

Late registration is scheduled from 8 a.m. - 6:30 p.m., Sept. 3 - 4 and 8 - 9, and from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Sept. 5 and 10.

End-of-the-year inventories scheduled

UT Tyler's Print Shop and University Bookstore have scheduled inventory dates this month.

The Print Shop will close for inventory Friday, Aug. 29 and resume its regular hours (8 a.m. - 5 p.m.) Sept. 2.

University Bookstore will be closed for inventory Aug. 21 - 29 and reopen at 9:30 a.m. Sept. 2. Regular hours (7:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m., Monday - Thursday and 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Friday) will resume Sept. 3.

Art exhibit to open

An exhibit of 25 monoprints by Daniel Britton, professor of art at Arizona State University, will open Monday, Aug. 25 in UC 101.

"Monoprints combine printmaking techniques with the immediacy of drawing," James Pace, assistant professor of art, said.

The exhibit will be open 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. weekdays through Sept. 26.

Electrical maintenance scheduled

Annual preventive maintenance will require university electrical power to be out from 7 a.m. - 1 p.m., Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 23 - 24. During these times, electric service will be out in all campus facilities except the art studio to provide maintenance to high voltage transformers, switches, and related equipment.

PERSONNEL UPDATE

Two new employees have been added to The University of Texas at Tyler staff: Shirley Williams, secretary I, School of Business Administration, and Tim Webb, maintenance worker II, Physical Plant.

Receiving certificates for five years of continuous service at the university are Dr. George F. Hamm, Aug. 1; Jerry Alexander, Aug. 10; and Marianna Cunningham, Aug. 17.

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