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Eisenhower to open 1986-87 lecture series

Author David Eisenhower opens UT Tyler's 1986-87 Distinguished Lecture Series at 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 9 in the University Center.

Other scheduled lecturers in the series, sponsored by Smith County Medical Society Auxiliary, are: physicist Edward Teller, Nov. 6; opera director Beverly Sills, Dec. 2; and former U.S. Senator Eugene McCarthy, March 5.

Eisenhower is drawing international attention with "Eisenhower at War: 1943-45," the newly published volume about his grandfather's pivotal role in World War II. The long-awaited book is first in a three - volume set about Dwight Eisenhower's public career.

He is a graduate of Amherst College and the George Washington University School of Law, and has been a lecturer in political science at the University of Pennsylvania for the past three years.

Complimentary tickets are available for faculty and staff; tickets for faculty are available in the deans' offices and for staff in the Public Information Office. Students are entitled to two complimentary tickets available in the Student Services Office; each additional ticket is \$5, available at the University Bookstore. General admission tickets are on sale for \$10 each at the bookstore.

UT Tyler-USTA Tournament play continues through Oct. 5

Competition continues in the UT Tyler-U.S Tennis Association (USTA) men's professional tournament on campus through Sunday. Admission to the tournament is free.

Quarterfinals are scheduled to begin at 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 3, semifinals at 11 a.m. Oct. 4 and finals at 1 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 5.

Play in the tournament, co-sponsored by JC Penney of Tyler, began Sept. 27 and offers \$10,000 in prize money to professionals in the USTA Circuit Series.

T.A.C.T. announces new officers

UT Tyler's chapter of Texas Association of College Teachers (T.A.C.T.) has elected officers for the 1986-87 academic year.

Officers are: Dr. W. Allen Martin, associate professor of sociology, president; Olene Harned, university librarian, vice president and membership chair; Dr. Paxton Hart, professor of English, secretary; Dr. Lawton Bennett, associate professor of political science, treasurer; Steve Rainwater, assistant professor of computer science, program chair; and Dr. Jeanie Stanley, associate professor of political science, legislative liasion.

T.A.C.T. will sponsor candidate forums, a banquet and other activities during the coming year. Membership is open to all faculty members and administrators; for more information, contact any T.A.C.T. officer.

in the spotlight ...

Dr. James Koukl, director of medical technology, served as a team co-captain for a review of medical technology programs at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and the Baptist Medical Center in Little Rock Sept. 15-18.

Dr. Wallin McCardell, associate professor of journalism and chairman, Department of Drama and Communication, presented a paper and slide presentation, "Juneteenth, A Unique Black Celebration," at the Eighth Mid-America Conference on History Sept. 10-13 in Fayetteville, Ark.

Dr. David Riddle, associate professor of chemistry, conducted two one-week sessions of "Chemical Analysis Principles for Power Plant Chemical Technicians," for chemical technicians in the Texas Utilities Generating Company System in August. Sessions were held at the TUGCO Training Center in Athens.

William Saban, assistant professor of criminal justice, has been awarded the Meritorious Service Medal for outstanding service as a lieutenant colonel in the U.S. Air Force Reserves. He was presented the award recently for nearly five years of service as individual mobilization augmentee to the chief, Systems and Equipment Division, Directorate of Plans and Programs, at the headquarters Air Force Office of Security Police at Kirtland Air Force Base, New Mexico.

Dr. James Stewart, professor of biology and chemistry and chairman, Department of Biology, attended the 14th International Congress of Microbiology Sept. 7-12 in Manchester, England, and presented a paper, "Poly-beta-hydroxydutyrate Production in *Acineobactor Calcoaceticus*," at the 1st International Symposium on Acineobactor Sept. 6 at the University of Manchester Medical School. The paper is a result of research conducted by Stewart and biology students Daniel Martin and Matthew Vierkant. **Donald Van Horn**, associate professor and chairman, Department of Art, is one of eleven sculptors from across the United States to be included in ""Combined Talents," an invitational exhibition Oct. 3-26 at the Florida State University Fine Arts Gallery in Tallahassee.

Department of Technology to present CAD/CAM symposium Sept. 30-Oct. 2

Computer aided design and computer aided manufacturing (CAD/CAM) will be the focus of a three-day symposium beginning Tuesday, Sept. 30 in ADM 127.

Presented by the Department of Technology and Computervision Corp., the seminars are open free of charge to persons in industry and education. Sessions are scheduled for students and faculty at 9 a.m., 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sept. 30 and for industry at 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Oct. 1-2.

Topics will include Open Systems Architecture, Standard Network Environment and Communications, and Energy and Manufacturing Application Software. For more information call Sheldon Dunham, ext. 226, or Computervision's toll-free number, 1-800-442-2927.

Successful management to be topic of seminar series

Successful management during changing economic times will be the subject of "Management in Focus," a four-part series of seminars beginning at 8:30 a.m. Friday, Oct. 3.

"The Management of Change," presented by creative consultant Michael F. Murray, will open the series at East Texas Savings and Loan's (ETSL) new location on South Broadway at Grande.

Other seminars, to be held on the UT Tyler campus, and their presenters are: "Texas Alliance for the Next Economy/Invisible Networks," TEXANE president Harden H. Weidemann and consultant Dr. Ron Bassett, Oct. 17; "Managing Through Critical Success Factors," management consultant James Mercer, Nov. 7; and "Tough Financial Management for Tough Economic Times," UT Tyler associate professor of finance Dr. Buddy Odom, Nov. 21.

Designed for mid-level managers and supervisors who want to stay on top of the latest management practices and operate at a maximum level of efficiency, the series is sponsored by ETSL and UT Tyler's Office of Continuing Education and School of Business Administration. Tickets are \$35 per seminar or \$125 for the series. For more information call ext. 219.

Comedy show slated Oct. 11

Edward Jackman will present "Comedy. . .and Other Dangerous Stuff," at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 11 in the University Center. Sponsored by the UT Tyler Student Association, admission is open to the public at no charge.

Voted "Campus Comedy Entertainer of the Year" by the National Association of Campus Activities, Jackman's show offers an exciting combination of improvisational comedy and juggling. The only person ever to win the International Juggler's Championships twice in a row, he has made numerous television appearances, including "P.M. Magazine," "The Merv Griffin Show," "Games People Play" and "Fernwood 2Night."

PERSONNEL UPDATE

NEW EMPLOYEE

Candy Waller Administrative clerk ADM 210, ext. 335 Effective 9-2-98

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