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Eban lecture tickets available

Tickets are now available for the presentation by international statesman Abba Eban, scheduled to open the 1989-90 Distinguished Lecture Series Tuesday, Oct. 3.

Complimentary tickets may be picked up in the following locations: faculty, each dean's office; staff, Public Information Office; library staff, Robert Muntz Library; students, Student Services Office. General admission tickets are available in the University Bookstore.

Known for his powerful oratorical style, Eban lectures and broadcasts widely on Middle Eastern Affairs and general international problems. Henry Kissinger has written about Eban: "Every time he speaks he reminds me acutely that English is for me an acquired language."

Eban led the successful struggle for international recognition and membership of Israel by the United Nations. He later was simultaneously Israel's ambassador to the United Nations and the United States. In Israel, he has held the posts of minister of education and culture, deputy prime minister and for eight years served as minister of foreign affairs.

Eban has been a visiting professor at Columbia University, a member of the Institute for Advanced Research at Princeton and president of the Weizmann Institute of Science. He is now chairman of the Foreign Affairs and Defense Committee of the Knesset, Israel's legislature.

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IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Dr. Neil Ford, associate professor of biology, presented "Phenotypic Plasticity in Life History Traits," at the First World Congress of Herpetology at the University of Kent at Canterbury, United Kingdom Sept. 11- 19.

Dr. Brenda Gilliam, assistant professor of special education, was installed as president-elect of the Texas Council for Exceptional Children (TCEC) at the organization's annual conference in Houston. TCEC is the state's largest organization for special education professionals.

Dr. John Hoover, associate professor of special education, is serving as guest editor of a topical issue of the national journal *Teacher Education and Special Education*. The topic is teacher training for work with culturally and linguistically different exceptional learners and will be published in early 1990.

Dr. Paula Lundberg-Love and **Dr. Robert Geffner**, associate professors of psychology, have had their book chapter, "Date Rape: Prevalence Risk Factors and a Model," published by Praeger Press as part of an edited volume titled *Violence in Dating Relationships*.

Dr. Christina Mitchell, director of counseling/testing and associate professor of education and psychology, has had her article, "Therapeutic Redirection of Perceived Negative Life Events," accepted by *Corrective and Social Psychiatry* to appear in Vol. 35, No. 2.

James Pace, assistant professor of art, has been selected to exhibit works in five nationally competitive exhibitions: Arkansas Biennial, Pine Bluff, Ark.; Under Southwestern Skies Biennial, Pueblo, Col.; Dakota's 100 International Exhibition, Dickinson, N.D. and Vermillion, S.D.; 32nd Annual Delta Art Exhibition, Little Rock, Ark.; and New Art: Paintings from New York, Texas and California, Austin, Texas.

Dr. James Schwane, associate professor of health and kinesiology, is co-author of a paper, "Hydroxyline Excretion Does Not Indicate Collagen Damage with Downhill Running in Young Men," published in the *International Journal of Sports Medicine*. Other co-authors include Mark Wheat, M.S. in clinical exercise physiology, and Dr. Barry Starcher, UT Health Center at Tyler professor of biochemistry.

Dr. Marilyn Young, professor of business administration, spoke to the Van Kiwanis Club about "Motivation and Delegation." Sept. 7.

Physiologist to speak in sports medicine lecture

Internationally renowned physiologist Dr. Robert B. Armstrong will speak at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 4 in BUS 158. Armstrong's presentation, "Mechanisms Underlying Exercise Induced Muscle Injury," is part of a lecture tour sponsored by the American College of Sports Medicine (ACSM) and the Texas Chapter of ACSM.

Armstrong is professor of physical education at the University of Georgia and holds a Ph.D in exercise physiology from Washington State University. He has participated in many editorial and reviewing activities including positions as associate editor for muscle physiology and biochemistry for *Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise*, as a member of the editorial board of the *Journal of Applied Physiology*, as a reviewer for the study sections of the NIH, and as special reviewer for the American Institute of Biological Sciences for NASA. He is a fellow of ACSM, a member of the American Physiological Society and associate member of the American Medical Association.

The lecture has been approved for one hour of either CME credit or ACSM continuing education credit. For more information call Dr. James Schwane, ext. 7031.

Personality disorders workshop planned Friday

"Diagnosis and Treatment of Personality Disorders," a workshop by psychologist Dr. Harry Boyd, will be presented Friday, Sept. 29. Sponsored by the Family Violence Research and Treatment Program at UT Tyler and the East Texas Psychological Association, the workshop is scheduled 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. in BUS 158.

Boyd, chief psychologist at Central Oklahoma Community Health Center, holds a Ph.D. in psychology from the University of Oklahoma. He is a fellow of the American Psychotherapy Association and senior faculty member of the Southwestern Group Psychotherapy Association. Involved in research and treatment of borderline personalities for several years, he has published numerous articles concerning structure and sequence in psychotherapy.

Continuing education credit will be available for physicians, nurses, professional counselors and social workers. Registration is \$50 for UT Tyler faculty members and \$30 for students. For more information call Dr. Robert Geffner, ext. 7060.

Roles cast for drama

Roles have been cast for "The Dining Room," the University Players' first production of the 1989-90 academic year.

The play by A.R. Gumey Jr is a series of vignettes focusing on family relationships and changing value. Evening performances are scheduled Friday and Saturday, Oct. 27 - 28, with a matinee planned Sunday, Oct. 29.

Students and thir hometowns are: Elizabeth Brinkley, Bellevue, Neb.; Jere Hunter and D.M. Phillips, both of Tyler; Roy Larson, Edna; Barbara Robertson, Van; and Clifford Robertson, Lake Jackson.

Janee McGoff, instructor of drama, is the director.

Life in U.S.S.R. presentation scheduled

"Direct from the U.S.S.R.," a two-part program on life in the Soviet Union, will be presented by author Dr. George Feifer Thursday, Sept. 28. Sponsored by the Student Association, the program is open to the public at no charge.

From 2:30-5:30 p.m., a showing of unedited Soviet television will be narrated and translated by Feifer in an informal open house format in UC 134. Taped directly from Molniya, the Russian satellite, the showing offers a rare opportunity to view unedited Russian television. At 7 p.m., "Love, Laughter, Vodka and Tears," a lecture by Feifer, will be presented in the University Center. The lecture explores the humor, work ethics, culture and diverse people of the U.S.S.R.

Feifer, who covered the Reagan-Gorbachev summit, worked as a freelance journalist behind the Iron Curtain for five years. He is the author of nine books as well as numerous articles on the Soviet Union. A Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Harvard University, Feifer received a Ph.D. from Columbia University's Harriman Institute for the Advanced Study of the Soviet Union and completed two years of post-doctorate work at Moscow State University.

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