

New faculty bring diverse areas of expertise to IUPUI

Dean P. Nicholas Kellum is pleased to announce that three new members have joined the faculty of the School of Physical Education.

Dr. Rafael Bahamonde, Dr. Louise Goggans and Dr. Katie Stanton all were appointed assistant professors of physical education.

Bahamonde came to the school in August 1996. He teaches kinesiology, exercise science, and tests and measurements.

Bahamonde is a native of Puerto Rico, and first came to Indiana in 1976 on a basketball scholarship to DePauw Unversity.

He received a bachelor of arts from DePauw with a double major in physical education and Spanish. He then completed a master's in physical education at Indiana State University. From 1983 to 1988, he was a graduate assistant at Indiana University-Bloomington, while he earned a doctorate in human performance with a minor in anatomy.

Bahamonde was a member of the Ball State faculty from 1988 to 1996. He has to his credit an impressive list of publications, abstracts and presentations in a wide range of subjects related to biomechanics. He also has received external funding for a number of research projects, including a recent grant from the U.S. Tennis Association.

Goggans joined the faculty in September 1995. She came to the School of Physical Education by way of the Regenstrief Health Center at Wishard Memorial Hospital, where she had been director of nutrition services since 1973. Goggans teaches the basic undergraduate nutrition class required of all majors and a course in the health education curriculum, Marriage and Family Interaction.

Goggans earned a bachelor of arts in foods and nutrition from Indiana University-Bloomington, and a master of science in nutrition education and a doctorate of medical science degree from the IU School of Medicine in Indianapolis. She has spent the greatest part of her professional career in a clinical setting, although she taught for two

is a member of the American Alliance and Indiana Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance; Council for Exceptional Children; National Consortium for Physical Education and Recreation for Individuals with Disabilities; the Association for Persons with Severe Handicaps; and the North American Society for Psychology of Sport and Related Activity.

We are fortunate to have three new faculty members whose depth and breadth of knowledge, coupled with the expertise of our continuing faculty, will be important assets for the School of Physical Education well into the next millenium.

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years in the Wishard Hospital School of Nursing.

Goggans is a member of both the American and Indiana Dietetic Associations, the American Association of Marriage and Family Therapists and the American Diabetic Association, which she serves as president of the Indiana affiliate.

Stanton came to IUPUI from a two-year interim appointment at Ball State. She joined the School of Physical Education faculty in August 1996 and teaches adapted physical education and motor learning. A California native, Stanton earned a bachelor of science in human development and exercise physiology from the University of California-Davis; a master's degree in adapted physical education at the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse; and a doctorate in adapted physical education from the University of Virginia.

Stanton is a sought-after clinician who is regarded as one of the country's emerging adapted physical education authorities. She

STUDENTS SHINE

Undergraduate PE majors have been representing the School of Physical Education well. At the state convention of the Indiana Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, our school won the conference's Student Attendance Award for the 10th consecutive year, with 36 majors in attendance. This was more than all other state colleges and universities combined.

For the 11th year in a row, an IUPUI major was elected president of the association's Student Action Council. Junior Rox Ann Krahn will take office in 1997, when she succeeds senior Shane Crabtree, whose term began at the end of the conference.

Another group of students distinguished themselves in October at the first annual College Bowl of the Indiana Athletic Train-ers Association. The IUPUI team of Tanya Ranek, Susan Stroud and Mike Harvey (with advisor Jay Bradley) had a perfect score as they defeated four other schools!

Dean's message: Positive changes

BY DEAN P. NICHOLAS KELLUM

Change, retrenchment, restructuring, downsizing, outsourcing are but a few of the "buzzwords" describing the current state of higher education in this country. Because higher education is experiencing higher tuition, decreased research funding, decreased state appropriations and in some cases declining enrollments, change has been inevitable.

Change can be a good thing, however. In the case of the School of Physical Education and its role within Indiana University and the campus of IUPUI, recent changes in academic programs have been received favorably by our faculty and students. I would like to share some of these changes with our alumnic.

Since our establishment as an independent school within the IU system in 1972, there have on occasion been discussions about the prospects of re-merging with the School of HPER in Bloomington or with another unit on the IUPUI campus. Those discussions have never excited our faculty and students, and certainly not our alumni. Most of us would cite continued growth of the school in both size and stature as an argument to maintain the status quo.

Two years ago we found ourselves on the other side of the merger or reorganization table, when the IUPUI campus leadership asked us to assume administrative responsibilities for two additional departments:

Military Science, and Restaurant, Hotel, Institutional and Tourism Management (RHIT).

The Military Science Department consists of a staff of six military instructors and enrollment of about 100 students. These students earn degrees in one of the 100-plus undergraduate programs, as well as complete requirements established by the U.S. Army. Our goal is to annually commission 16 second lieutenants who go on to advanced military training.

The other new department— Restaurant, Hotel, Institutional and Tourism Management—was housed in the Purdue University School of Engineering and Technology, where they offer the associate degree in food service and lodging supervision, and the bachelor's degree in hospitality management. The department currently has 150 majors and a faculty of three.

Many people ask about the connection between a Department of Physical Education and a Department of Restaurant, Hotel, Institutional and Tourism Management. The most common denominator is probably the respective interest in nutrition. Both departments continue to offer very popular courses in nutrition. A more global view is that leisure studies at many colleges and universities is a component of recreation departments, which are allied to physical education. We have tried not to dwell too much on "why," so we can concentrate on "how" to promote this new program. We have had remarkable success so far, increasing enrollments by nearly 40 percent.

The spirit of cooperation among the new faculties and student bodies has been remarkable. Perhaps the most compelling example of cooperation centers around Camp Brosius. The RHIT curriculum requires a class in quantity food preparation, in which students learn to cook for groups of 50 or more. Because the campus does not have a commercial food lab, the department had to teach the course at some off-campus location. When the faculty learned

about Camp Brosius, they asked if it would be possible to experiment by teaching the quantity food class there. What started as a modest experiment in 1995 now amounts to a literal waiting list of RHIT students to attend camp.

This past summer, 26 RHIT students divided into two teams provided all of the food service during the college camping session. The quality of the food and service were so outstanding that it was not unusual for the physical education students to offer standing ovations at the conclusion of meals.

We hope to make some rather meaningful curriculum changes in the next two years. One would establish tourism as an undergraduate major on our campus. Statistics show that tourism is the country's leading industry, and Indianapolis is a leading tourism center. We will certainly keep you informed of our progress.

Wishing all of you the very best for the holiday season and new year.

BROSIUS UPDATE

BY LIBBY HARPRING, B.S. '69, M.S. '74

Camp was beautiful again this year. We had our usual tournaments-or should I say, our unusual tournaments. Mondays are traditionally volleyball, when the alumni take on the staff; of course those young whippersnappers think they'll mop up the old alumni, but that just doesn't happen. The alumni smacked them again this year. We also have a two-on-two basketball competition, mixed doubles tennis tournament, horseshoe tournament, golf tournament and euchre tournament, as well as a water carnival and a regatta.

I hope this sounds like fun, because we really have a great time. Going to a Brosius homecoming isn't quite what many of you would expect, if you remember being a student at camp. It's a wonderful vacation for the entire family. While Mom and Dad, Grandma and Grandpa

This is a week-long celebration of traditions and friendships.

are doing their thing, the kids are doing theirs. They have terrific staff members who keep the youngsters happy and busy all day (and half the night, too!)

If you like a lot of activities and fun people to enjoy them with, a Brosius homecoming is just the ticket. For moms whose past vacations have meant cooking in a different kitchen—you deserve a Brosius vacation: no cooking! I myself would choose golf anytime.

If you want to slow down, there's always a card game, shopping trip or falling asleep down at the float.

What I like the most is walking out of the cabin door and immediately finding someone who's ready to join you in that day's activities. It's like being a kid again, when you could go out and play with the kids on your block!

Announcing... TWO ALUMNI EVENTS

Informal Dinner Dance

Saturday, February 8, 1997
St. Luke's Catholic School,
Indianapolis
Dinner by Jugs Catering, music
for listening and dancing by Bill
Melloh, president-elect of our
alumni association

Camp Brosius Elkart Lake, Wisconsin June 1997

Details & reservation procedures will be mailed soon, or call Sharon Holland, Indianapolis alumni office, 317/274-4555



From your Alumni Association President

BY LIBBY HARPRING, B.S. '69, M.S. '74

As we say good-bye to 1996 and hello to 1997, many of my classmates are saying good-bye to their 40s and hello to 50. For most of us, our short-term memory isn't so great; but fortunately, the memories of college days and Brosius homecomings over the past 25 years or so are alive and well.

We are perhaps the last of a dying breed, for we attended the Normal College of the American Gymnastics Union of Indiana University at the end of an era. It's my opinion that we were quite fortunate to have been taught by the likes of Clara Hester, Fred Martin, Lola Lohse, Walt Lienert, Rudy Schreiber and Emil Riensh.

Our classes were small, and therefore close and rich in friendships. Although most of us didn't appreciate it at the time, our mentors kept a tight rein on all of us. What these teachers gave us, of course, was the insight, knowledge and understanding to be successful teachers ourselves.

As good as all of this was, times change, and situations change. The challenge now is to pass on our traditions and our love for teaching physical education and working in related fields.

One vehicle to accomplish this is our alumni association. There's one small problem, though. We are not attracting younger members. In fact, we are some of the youngest active members. The sad truth is that our association is not reaching graduates who have attended the School of Physical Education at IUPUI, as is evident by the lack of members under the age of 50.

With the development of the IUPUI campus, our school moved from a very specialized program to a wider, more encompassing one. The mix of students now attending

this very urban campus is much different, and their needs, too, are different. Many of our students are older. They often have families and full-time jobs.

It's my observation that they are not afforded the luxury of being able to establish the kind of friendships and social life that our generation had. Without these ties, it's not especially relevant to belong to an alumni association.

How then can we offer services that are relevant? The alumni board is interested in hearing from IUPUI graduates. We want your suggestions and input. We invite you to send in news or professional articles that can be included in the *Bulletin*.

For many years the alumni association has supported scholarships for outstanding students. We also offer a one-time scholarship to any graduate who wishes to attend a Brosius homecoming for the first time. We sponsor homecoming events in Indianapolis and at Camp Brosius. We also give financial

support to Camp Brosius for upkeep and continuing development

On Saturday, February 8, we will host the next Indianapolis homecoming—a dinner and dance with an alumni disc jockey. We love seeing old friends at these events, but it would be a thrill to greet graduates from the '70s, '80s and '90s. Won't you join us and help to bridge our past to yours? Watch for your reservation information in the mail, and plan to bring some friends with you.

ALUMNI TRACKS

Herman L. Schmitt, M.D. (NCAGU '27-30) has been retired from his medical practice for 10 years. "I still remember the excellent teaching facilities and lifelong friends like Al Alvin, Henry Zingg and Francis Mixie. Unfortunately a few of my dearest friends like Herb Schack and Frank Spaeth have gone to that Great Gym in the sky. Alvin and I, although a continent apart, correspond via telephone yearly at birthday time, recounting the many escapades we had during three years. As we retell them, they seem to get more magnified. Looking at the recent Olympics, we used to fantasize the moves that are being done today on the various pieces of apparatus and floor exercises. Remember when we thought a single fly away from the horizontal bar was sensational!"

Uriah Aberson (NCAGU '38) lives in Indianapolis. After NCAGU, he earned a bachelor's at IU and a master's at Butler, both in education. He also pursued additional study at DePauw, Bellarmine, Dayton and New York University.

Elizabeth Gutermuth Kerchusky (entered NCAGU '36, B.S. '41) has missed the Brosius homecoming for the past three years because Bill has ALS (Lou Gerig's disease), which has curtailed their traveling. She also reports that classmate Jack Brogan '36 passed away in Jeffersonville last December.

Raymond Grasch (B.S. '75) teaches technology and physical education at Edison High School in San Antonio, Texas. Ray also is the school's tennis coach.

Christopher Tucker (B.S. '79) was an Olympic athletic trainer for baseball at last summer's Olympics in Atlanta.

News of people "seen 'round and about" by Libby Harpring:

"Marsha Allgood Manning works at the Alternative School in Perry Township, Indianapolis, but hopes to find a PE opening soon. She has three great daughters: Sarah, Emily and Lindsay. I had the pleasure of teaching their PE classes at Mary Bryan Elementary a few years ago. At that time, Marsha volunteered to help me with some large classes. We had a lot of fun working together. Marsha hopes to get many of her classmates to the Indianapolis homecoming Feb. 8—says would love to see all of those Howe High School/Normal College people together again!

Kathy Lawrie still teaches in IPS but has gone from high school to elementary in recent years. Kate

KEEP IN TOUCH!

Send your updates—for yourself or for other School of Physical Education alumni—to our editor: Helen Straub 5244 Cotton Bay Drive West Indianapolis, IN 46254

also is part-owner of Harry Cs, a friendly little pub on the south side.

Mike and Nancy Schreiber Hagist both teach PE in Warren Township. They have four children: Nora, Brian, Marlo and Bridgett. Marlo is a starter for the New Palestine varsity volleyball team. My daughter plays reserve, so that gave us a chance to cheer our kids together. Their son Brian is a starter for the varsity basketball team. Nancy says her mom and dad, Marg and Rudy, are doing pretty well. They live in Florida and would be glad for old friends to drop by and visit."

IN MEMORIAM

Helen Hagist passed away Oct. 26, 1996. Helen was the beloved mother

and mother-in-law of Mike '78 and Nancy '70 Hagist, and Dan '82 and Carol '78 Hagist, all Normal College or IUPUI graduates.



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