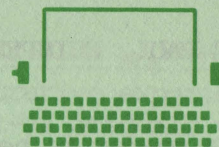


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Time to "Switch or Stay"

MEETINGS WILL EXPLAIN TWO CURRENT AND NEW HEALTH CARE PLANS

November is the open enrollment period for health/dental insurance and Tax Saver Benefit plan at IUPUI. Your choices are broader than ever. A new health care plan, University Health Care (UHC), administered by Benefits Directions, is being offered, bringing to three the number of separate plans. The other two are HMO Maxicare, which has no changes, and IU Health Care plan administered by Blue Cross/Blue Shield, in which there are several improvements and changes. In addition, some of the plans use the same health facilities and services on campus and off. The dental option and other benefits also must be considered. Confused? To help you sort out the differences and make changes while you can, Human Resources Administration is offering free and open informational meetings throughout the month. Call 4-8931.

The next meetings are:

- Nov. 12--2-3 p.m., Union Building, Roof Lounge
- Nov. 13--10:30-11:30 a.m., Med Science, room B26
- Nov. 13--2:30-3:30 p.m., Cavanaugh Hall, room 221
- Nov. 14--2-3 p.m., Nursing Building, room 228
- Nov. 16--9-10 a.m., Lecture Hall, room 104
- Nov. 26--2-3 p.m., Union Building, Roof Lounge

CHANCELLOR'S RECEPTION TO CELEBRATE BYNUM'S 23 YEARS OF SERVICE



BYNUM

The more than two decades of dedication of Alvin S. Bynum to IUPUI will be celebrated in a reception Nov. 29, hosted by Chancellor and Mrs. Gerald L. Bepko in the President's Room at University Place Hotel, 4:30-6 p.m. Bynum's career spans 40 years in education, including more than 10 years as dean of University Division, which has been incorporated into the Undergraduate Education Center. Educated at Dillard and Butler universities, Dean Bynum came to IUPUI in 1967, long before there was a campus and when classes were held in buildings in the near-downtown area. Everyone is welcome to the reception. Those attending are asked to RSVP no later than Nov. 23 by calling the Office of the Chancellor, 4-8424.

CAMPUS THANKSGIVING WELLNESS WALK WILL BENEFIT THE NEEDY

The season's last Max*Well walk is a special two-mile Thanksgiving Wellness Walk-a-Thon, Nov. 15, beginning at 12:10 p.m. at the Krannert Entrance (west side) of University Hospital. The "entry fee" is three cans or more of food that will be donated to Gleaners Food Bank. The infamous Chicken Car will take donations to Gleaners and will otherwise make an occasion of the event. Everyone is welcome to enter and walk at their own pace. Bring department and office colleagues and friends--and some food. For more, call Vicki Anderson, 4-0610. (Wellness walks will resume next spring.)

SUNDAY, NOV. 11 IS VETERAN'S DAY--To all who served--Salute!

PERFECT PAUL, WHISPERING WENDY READY TO READ, RESEARCH, RECORD FOR IMPAIRED PEOPLE

So perfect a reader is he, that Paul can put the right twist or intonation on a sentence. He can read slowly, hurry up or he can be replaced with another "guy" or "gal." If your ears can hear only lower range sounds, Dr. Dennis from the deep will read your book or paper. These characters are voices in Kurzweil, the equipment in room 220 of University Library that provides freedom and assistance for doing research, homework and reading for pleasure to students and others who are physically, hearing, sight or learning disabled. Disabled Student Services offers the equipment so that disabled people are freed from needing human readers, copiers and book holders. The equipment can read aloud or flash on a screen all computer and printed material--both the students' and the library's. It even "reads" that pesky curved part next to the spine of books, and Beautiful Betty can tell you out loud, "Do you have your material in upside-down?" Material can also be recorded for home and class use on a cassette tape or on 5 1/4" floppy disks. Students can take tests and report writing is made simpler. Even those who cannot speak can arrange for Whispering Wendy, or another of the nine voices of Kurzweil, to present the paper aloud. According to Mary Oberthur, supervisor of room 220, "there is always someone here who can demonstrate the equipment and teach its use." She welcomes all. She stresses that students are given priority use of the equipment, but staff and faculty are welcome to use it during off-peak times. To learn more about this valuable service, call Mary at 4-0489 and arrange an appointment, or drop by.

NEWS 'N' NOTES FROM HERE 'N' THERE

Saddam Sitting--Each day the U.S. is spending \$32 million to maintain the military force in the Persian Gulf region. The cost of not doing so is immeasurable. Anyway, that is a bargain compared to the \$148 million per day it costs to implement the savings and loan bailout. (Harper's Index, November 1990)

Geology--Konrad Banaszak from Geraghty and Miller, Inc., presents "Glacial Geology in Groundwater Flow in North and Central Indiana" in a Dept. of Geology colloquium, Nov. 13, noon-1 p.m., CA 435. Bring lunch; all welcome.

Women's Talk--Kim Cox, RN, MSN, presents "Successful Conception" in the next OB/GYN Dept. women's health awareness talk, Nov. 13, 11 a.m.-noon, UH N436. Call 4-8842.

Anatomy--Michael Worrell, Medical Sciences Program, IUB, presents "Architecture in the Spiral Arteriolar Wall" in an Anatomy Dept. seminar Nov. 13, noon, MS 205. All welcome.

Purdue's Pardue--Harry Pardue, Purdue, West Lafayette, presents "Data Processing Methods for Improved Kinetic Determinations" in a chemistry seminar, Nov. 14, 4:15 p.m., KB 231.

Metros B-Ball--The IUPUI's men's basketball team plays at home next on Nov. 20 against Anderson at 7:30 p.m., and Nov. 24 against Xavier at 3 p.m. The women play Milliken at home, Nov. 17 at 3 p.m. Come and yell.

A Leg Up--Power Step, the new low-impact, high-intensity workout for beginners and athletes, in which you step on and off an elevated bench, has been added to the aerobic program at the natatorium. One-hour Power Step classes are Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 6-7 a.m. and 5:30-6:30 p.m. Half-hour lunch workouts are weekdays at 12:15 p.m. For your one-visit free pass, call Julie McKenney, 4-6785.

Oops, Don't Go--Please do not attempt to attend the "Faculty Orientation Seminar" on estate planning Nov. 14, which was erroneously noted in the Campus Calendar inserted in last week's Green Sheet. The computer forgot that the seminar already happened.

DIRECTORSHIP IN OVERSEAS STUDY OPENS IN MADRID Faculty members from any IU campus who are fluent in Spanish and have teaching or administrative experience with undergraduates are invited to inquire about directing the 1991-92 academic year Overseas Study Program in Madrid, Spain. Applicants should have previous experience in Spain and be willing to provide academic supervision, personal counseling and logistical support for about 60 undergraduates. For guidelines call or visit the Office of Overseas Study, IUB, 5-9304.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

GENERAL SURGEON, with expertise in trauma, tenure-track, Dept. of Surgery, full-time faculty. Must be board certified/board eligible, must have completed a general surgery residency and appropriate additional training for fellowship. Must have strong commitment to teach medical students and residents; for developing and maintaining active and ongoing clinical and experimental research program, and for the management of patients on the general surgery and trauma services. Send CV to Jay L. Grosfeld, M.D., chairman, Dept. of Surgery, 545 Barnhill Drive--EM 244, Indianapolis, 46202.

CHAIRMAN, DEPT. OF RADIOLOGY, tenure-track. Must be board-certified radiologists experiences in medical education, research and administration. Send CV and references to Joe C. Christian, M.D., Ph.D., chairman, Search and Screen Committee, IU School of Medicine, Fesler Hall 302, 1120 South Drive, Indianapolis, 46202.

ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS, DEPT. OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING, several tenure-track openings by August 1991 in Computational Fluid Dynamics, Industrial Automation and Robotics and Thermal Sciences. Each area requires specific backgrounds. Will be expected to conduct sponsored research, direct graduate student research, teach at graduate and undergraduate levels and participate in departmental development. Requires Ph.D. in mechanical engineering or related field. Submit resume and three references to N. Paydar, acting chairman, Dept. of Mechanical Engineering, Purdue University School of Engineering and Technology, 1201 E. 38th St., Indianapolis, 46205.

ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS, tenure track, several openings in areas of computer engineering and signal processing, with specific interests in medical image processing, digital signal processing and neural networks, robotics and intelligent machines with vision and sensor applications, communications systems, and software engineering. Must hold Ph.D. in electrical or computer engineering. Requires strong commitment to teaching graduate and undergraduate students and to sponsored research. Rank and salary highly competitive, based on experience and qualifications. Send resume and three references to Dr. A. S. C. Sinha, acting chairman, Dept. of Electrical Engineering, at the address above.
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MORE NEWS 'N' NOTES

Two Seminars--Dean Schraufnagel, Respiratory and Critical Care Medicine, U. of Illinois at Chicago, presents a physiology/biophysics seminar, "Pulmonary Venous Sphincters," Nov. 14, 3 p.m., MS 205. Gregorio Weber, professor emeritus of biochemistry, U. of Illinois, presents a molecular and cellular biophysics seminar "Pressure and Temperature Stability of Oligomeric Proteins" Nov. 16, 4:30 p.m., MS 326. Refreshments at 4 p.m.

For Women--The Association of Women in Science (AWIS) invites all interested women to a brown bag lunch meeting Nov. 13, noon-1 p.m., MS 118. Call Deborah, 4-7315.

Reminder--You can still see University Theatre's "Bad Seed" Fridays and Saturdays through Nov. 17, 8 p.m., Mary Cable Building. Call 4-2094, weekdays, noon-4 p.m.

National Geography Awareness Week

LITTLE GENI MAGIC TO SHOW KIDS WHERE IT'S AT

"Windows on a Changing World" is the theme for National Geography Awareness Week Nov. 11-17. To help youngsters know where in the world places and events are, GENI (the Geography Educators' Network of Indiana) directed by Rick Bein, chairman of the geography at IUPUI, will sponsor events at primary and secondary schools in the state. Schools have made requests for individuals from GENI's speakers bureau and they will address classes on many geographic subjects.

IUPUI4100—ONLINE PUBLIC INFORMATION SYSTEM AVAILABLE IUPUI Computing Services now offers a convenient way to obtain information about IUPUI via computer. Currently, information such as faculty development opportunities, University committees and Computing Services short courses is available. For those with accounts on INDYCMS, the IUPUI Public Information System is available from the first entry on the menus: Campus Information; then select number 7--Public Information System. Those without the account can go to any terminal cluster (see below) on campus or use their own PC and modem, and log onto INDYCMS under the account--IUPUI00 with the password--IUPUI. Terminal clusters can be found in ET 1026, ET 1021, BS 3001, NU 319 and AD 119. For questions about the IUPUI Public Information System, call the Faculty/Staff Consulting Office, 4-0754.

FINALLY...

...faculty are encouraged to tell students about the 12-week summer internships for students in the field of international development and education, offered by Midwest Universities Consortium for International Activities, IUB. The opportunities are mostly based in Washington, D.C., in such agencies as World Bank and USAID, with limited placements overseas. The deadline for application is Dec. 15. A meeting on the subject is Nov. 15, 4:30 p.m., Business 300, in Bloomington. For more, call 5-8596.

...the second Biennial Scientific Session of the School of Medicine faculty is March 9, with deadline for abstracts Dec. 1. For more, call Dr. Sherry Queener, 4-1563.

...students, faculty and staff are invited to bring clippings on current events for discussion at the next meeting of the International Affairs Club, Nov. 14, 3-4:30 p.m., BS 4093. Call Marc Ward, 4-2735, for more.

...nearly 150 Midwest nurses are expected to participate in the 17th Annual Patient Care Research Colloquium at University Place, Nov. 16, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., sponsored by the School of Nursing. Patricia Benner, U. of California, San Francisco, will give the keynote address, "Notion of the Good Embedded in Nursing Practice: New Directions for Health Care Ethics." Other topics include coping with recovery from heart surgery, dealing with chronic illness and AIDS among college students. Victoria Champion, associate professor of nursing at IUPUI, is co-chairman of the event. She said goal of the gathering is to "generate interest and knowledge about the research process and how it can be used in clinical nursing." For more, call 4-7779.

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