Experience Excellence recognition awards to faculty and staff and IUPUI's other annual highest honors for scholarship and endeavor were accepted by more than 50 recipients during the Chancellor's Honors Convocation Apr. 19. Chancellor Gerald Bepko presided in the formal academic event in which W. David Bostwick was grand marshal and Susan Buck Sutton and Miriam Z. Langsam were marshals. Cadets from ROTC ushered guests into the auditorium in University Place, while the IUPUI Student Ambassador corps played host to the full audience. Director of music at IUPUI Darrell Bailey and the IUPUI Jazz Trio provided music. In his address, Bepko pointed out that IUPUI is already the urban university of the future and that, as excellence among faculty, staff and programs increases, IUPUI is fast becoming a national model in urban higher education. Before recognizing the award winners, he said, "The quality of our faculty and staff, including those new colleagues who joined us this year, has never been higher...."

First to step to the podium for an award was Diane M. Billings, professor of nursing, winner of the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching, which "recognizes personal, scholarly, and professional attributes that qualify the recipient as a model teacher at IUPUI." Next, Glenn W. Irwin Jr., M.D., dean emeritus of the School of Medicine, came forward to congratulate the six staff and six faculty winners of The Experience Excellence Award named for him. Jeff Wessely, past secretary of the IUPUI Faculty Council presented the Irwin faculty awards to Barbara L. Cambridge, associate professor of English; Thomas E. Davis Jr., assistant professor of pathology; James W. Edmondson, professor of medicine; Janet M. Feldmann, associate librarian; Patrick J. Loehr, associate professor of medicine, and Mary Jane Shepherd, assistant professor of nursing. Maxine Tutterow, president of the IUPUI Staff Council, helped present the Irwin staff awards to David B. Alber, supervisor in the Dept. of Pathology; Andrea M. Braun, secretary in Student Services, School of Nursing; Robert Hartpence, assistant director of Campus Facility Services; M. Gayle Knight, recorder in the Undergraduate Education Center; Sue Rhee, clinical dietitian in Nutrition and Dietetics in the School of Medicine, and Martina V. Rider, manager of the gift shop in Hospital Administration. These people were all recommended by colleagues and were selected by a committee. Also there in person to congratulate the winners of the award named for him was Alvin S. Bynum, retired dean of University Division. Recipients of the Alvin S. Bynum Award for Excellence in Academic Mentoring are Lois C. Meier, professor of nursing (full-time faculty award) and La-Vern V. Sutton, academic counselor, School of Nursing (academic professional staff award).

Outstanding students also were recognized. Tracey Clevenger, Adam Williams and Leah Wyant are the 1991 outstanding freshman scholars; and the seven minority achievement scholars this year are Amy Arauco, John Birdsong, Rose Colvin, Stephanie Cravens, Rita Cruz, Ian Henisa, and Aisha Lewis. Accompanied by deans or faculty from their respective schools, 10 students were honored as the IUPUI Outstanding Upperclass Scholars. They are Kathryn Arensman, Kristi Collier, Gretchen Fricke, Vickie Fried, Patricia Hartman, Robert Hatfield, Gene McCormick, Cynthia McDonald, Randee Pollock and Kevin Riley. Finally, representing scholarship and excellence in each academic unit at IUPUI, 18 scholars came forward with deans or faculty to accept the Chancellor's Scholar Award. They are Joan Engels, Camela Mayfield, Dorothy Koczaja, Mary Ellen Williams Ton, Julie Boyd, Marna Hawley, Billy Stephens, Sandra Gage, Melinda Johnson, Peter Chastain, Barbara Weigel, Barbara Schelling, Denise Clark, Margaret Stacy, Regina Wright, Brenda Fluhr, Regina Yang McCabe, and Deirdre Pankhurst Kempson. The annual awards and the award ceremony is handled by the office of Carol Nathan, associate dean of the faculties.
15 SECRETARIES ARE SECOND CROP IN IUPUI'S "GROW OUR OWN" GARDEN

Fifteen women at IUPUI have learned how better to handle "secrets," listen, make demands on their computers and make themselves more competitive as they go about the business of being secretaries. They are the first to complete a pilot program offered by Human Resources Administration, which is intended to boost skills and help them compete for higher-level job openings. The new program is part of the "Grow Our Own" best employee initiative, endorsed by Chancellor Gerald Bepko. It is similar to last year's pilot program for clericals. During the 72 hours of training the secretaries improved basic skills, upgraded computer skills and identified several keys to success in the field, including confidentiality, loyalty and teamwork. They learned listening skills and some elected to take courses in speedwriting and basic medical terminology. The following secretaries will graduate from the program in ceremonies May 8, 2-3 p.m. in the Hoosier Room of the Union Building: Bernadette Onehil, Joan Colbert, Nikita Edwards, Sandra Glover, Niki Hall, Jane Heavlin, Beth Marple, Pam Martin, Rachel Mills, Mary Moran, DeAnne Owens, Angela Reed, Sandra Spurr, Betty Stephenson and Linda Whitlock. They all were recommended for the program by supervisors.

NEWS 'N' NOTES FROM HERE 'N' THERE

Ball Park Figure—It is estimated that every time Red Sox pitcher Roger Clemens strikes someone out this season he will earn $20,400. (Harper’s Index, May '91)

Chamber Made—Computerized brainstorming at 4:30 p.m. and Business After Hours from 5-7 p.m. is planned for the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce meeting in University Place May 8. Faculty and staff have been invited by University Place, host. Ventana GroupSystems is offering the hands-on brainstorming and the meeting offers refreshments, networking and a tour of the Place. To RSVP, call 4-2700.

AIDS TV Ends With Tapes—Time dilemmas have caused the campus broadcasts of the AIDS satellite TV network to be cancelled but tapes of the bimonthly programs are available through the Infectious Disease Research Clinic, 4-8456. The programs cover a wide spectrum of AIDS- and STD-related treatments and information.

Special Spirit, Special Games—The true spirit of the Olympic games is celebrated in the Special Olympics (area 8) involving the disabled, set for campus at the natatorium and the track and field May 11-12. For details, call Tom Clevenger, 264-1493.

Recycle Citings—To hear WIBC’s Big John Gillis help you with computerized answers on Indianapolis recycling sites and questions, call the hotline, 687-4656.

500-Mile Slow—A.J. and J.R., the Zoo’s oldest residents, are without a hare, but they’re doing their annual Zoopolis 500 May 3 at the zoo. The Aldabra Tortoises will move as slowly as anything you’ve ever seen from the winter home to the Plains Biome, where you can cheer the winner—if you’re still awake. The excitement will be over J.R. as he attempts to break his two-year loosing streak. Admission is free with zoo admission.

For New IUPUIites—The next New Employee Orientation for non-hospital folks is May 6, 2-4 p.m., and the next health plan information session for all full-timers is May 13, 2-3 p.m. Call Human Resources, 4-4596.

Early Closing—University and the Science and Engineering libraries will close at 5 p.m., a little earlier than usual, May 6-7.
ON HER DAY, BUY MOM A MAMMOGRAM

Your mother gave you life, and you could be giving it back to her by buying her a mammogram for Mother’s Day, May 12. The people from St. Margaret’s Diagnostic Breast Center in Wishard Hospital on campus invite you to call 630-6266 to arrange the breast examination that can detect cancer before it becomes bigger than life. The center also has brochures explaining how the program works. Mammograms for Mother’s Day is sponsored by the Indiana State Board of Health and the Indiana Div. of the American Cancer Society.

ISU’s INTERNATIONAL HOUSE PROGRAM IS THE TOPIC OF FREE PUBLIC COFFEE HOUR

As IUPUI prepares to open an International House for foreign and domestic students, faculty and staff can learn more about how the program works from Marilyn Boyd, coordinator of Illinois State’s International House program. She speaks and presents slides during an International Affairs coffee hour May 3, 3:30-5 p.m. in the Roof Lounge of the Union Building. For more, call 4-5024.

MORE NEWS ’N’ NOTES

Zinn Draws 200--A good-sized crowd of faculty, staff and students came last week to hear anti-war activist/historian/scholar Howard Zinn speak on campus about the Gulf War. Zinn wrote A People’s History of the United States and has been an antiwar activist since the 1960s when he first spoke at a peace demonstration at Harvard. The audience at IUPUI "heartened" Zinn, he said "for they seem to understand what war really does for people, and they also want peace." A former Air Force bombardier, Zinn said he sometimes grows weary in his activism, but he added, "I just keep on doing my little bit for peace. Besides," he said, "I never expected to see an end of war in my lifetime." He was not able to predict how many more lifetimes it will take. His most recent book Declarations of Independence: Cross Examining American Ideology begins with: "The way we think is not just mildly interesting, not just a subject for intellectual debate, but a matter of life and death." Zinn’s friend, Victor Wallis, associate professor of political science, and several campus groups arranged for Zinn’s lecture here and at Bloomington.

Pottenger Opens Pied Piper—Connie Pottenger, former director of Telecommunications at IUPUI, and her husband are celebrating the opening of their new business venture, The Pied Piper, a family fun and game center in Nashville. The IUPUI Jazz Ensemble will play for the grand opening, May 4. You can call her for more, 812/988-9284.

Beach Going Free—Sand—your rose bed might like it, the kids will like it, and cats like it for litter. Jack Sutton will love it too if you can take some home. About 20 tons of sand is parked outside the Mary Cable Building and is free for the taking—you load, you haul. It is part of the set, once removed, of University Theatre’s last production "Coastal Disturbances." To make arrangements, call Sutton, technical director, 4-0558.

Our Business—Next in the 1992 Indiana Business Seminars on campus is Produce Liability, May 10. For details, costs and registration, call 4-7128.

Brashear Speaking—Next in the OB/GYN Women’s Health Series is Diane Brashear presenting "Dating Again" May 10, 11 a.m.—noon, UH N436. No charge. To register, call 4-8842.

From Arizona—Dr. Kenneth Iserson, M.D., residency program director and associate professor of emergency medicine, U. of Arizona, presents "Getting into a Medical Residency," May 1, 7 p.m., Emerson Hall auditorium. For more, call 4-1963.
ALL WELCOME TO IUPUI VETERAN CELEBRATION MAY 1

Everyone is invited to ceremonies May 1 at 11 a.m. on Library Mall to welcome back to campus those who served in the Persian Gulf or other wars. Cadets from the IUPUI Metro Battalion will present the colors and Chancellor Gerald Bepko will welcome the vets and their families. Veteran students Teresa A. Morehead, a winner of the 1991 IUPUI Challenger Scholar Award, and Robert Fong also will attend. Other institutions of higher education in this area have been invited, as has the public. A free ice cream social featuring "dips" from all over campus follows the ceremony.

A HOME AND ACTIVITIES ARE NEEDED FOR FOREIGN GUESTS

One more host family is needed for a foreign social worker participating in the 13th annual exchange of the Council of International Programs. David Metzger, associate professor of social work, also asks that schools, departments and individuals consider participating in the exchange by doing such things as providing tickets to sports and cultural events, serving on the advisory committee, inviting one or more guest to your school or organization meetings, planning a party or outing that might include a trip to the shopping center, your favorite restaurant, the zoo, a play, a movie or the art museums. For details on how you can become involved in this tradition, call David, 4-6718 or Nancy Gregor, 4-8467.

NUIN TELECONFERENCE HAS SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE ON INTERACTIVE MULTIMEDIA TEACHING

The Office of Learning Technologies and Computing Services presents "Interactive Multimedia: Teaching in the 21st Century" in a NUIN teleconference May 8, noon-2 p.m. in LE 103. It will focus on technological application in teaching and research activities. How to use it, the costs, practical concerns, course development and good teaching strategies will be discussed in the conference that originates from The George Washington University, Washington, D.C. There also will be videotaped examples of outstanding multimedia applications in the humanities, sciences and medicine. There is no charge and no reservations are required. For details, call Joetta Smith Burrous, 4-4532.

FINALLY...

...the Dept. of Psychiatry is conducting a 12-week trial of a new drug for the treatment of depression. Subjects are needed who meet study criteria for at least moderate depression, no acute medical problems and availability for weekly clinic visits. All psychiatric care and physical and lab examinations and medications will be provided free. If you are being treated for depression, you should discuss participation in the study with your doctor. For more, and to volunteer, call 4-1205.

...Elaine Clift will discuss her book Telling It Like It Is: Reflections of a Not So Radical Feminist on May 14, 7 p.m. at the Dreams & Swords bookstore. Sponsor is the Friends of Women's Studies. For more, call 253-9966.
CEP EXPO '91

Place: University Place Conference Center
       Rooms 132 & 137

Date: May 7, 1991

Time: 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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