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Newest members of **Sigma Phi Alpha** and **Omicron Kappa Upsilon** national honor societies were inducted during ceremonies held at the IUPUI Student Union Building on May 4.

They are (below, from left): Carl Lerner and Lynn Albrecht (OKU); Vivian Gayer (Sigma Phi Alpha); Steven Wong (OKU); Teresa Kendall (Sigma Phi Alpha); Robert Colter, Brenda Stenftenagel, Kenneth Dale, and Peter Blank (OKU); Sherri McCreary (Sigma Phi Alpha); David Renaud, Erin Engleman, Morris Bitzer, and Matthew Wittrig (OKU).



EXCELLENCE IN DENTAL EDUCATION

Presiding over the annual banquet for 1989 were **Mrs. Kathy Stoner**, president of Theta Chapter of Sigma Phi Alpha dental hygiene honorary; and **Dr. Melvin Lund**, president of Theta Theta Chapter of OKU dental honor society. Featured speaker was **Dr. Arthur Hansen**, former president of Purdue University and chancellor of Texas A&M University. Dr. Hansen is now a senior research associate at the Hudson Institute. His topic was "Ethics and the Professional--A Public Concern."

OKU also inducted **Dr. Cecil Brown**, associate professor of endodontics, and **Dr. E. Brady Hancock**, professor and chairman of periodontics, as new faculty members. New OKU life members are **Dr. David Bixler**, professor and chairman of oral facial genetics; **Dr. M. John Borkowski**, assistant professor of prosthodontics; Dr. Melvin

Lund, professor of operative dentistry; and **Dr. Ralph Phillips**, research professor in dental materials.

Lynn Albrecht was named the 1989 OKU Outstanding Student, an honor that is based on grade point average, quality and quantity of clinical work, and scores on Part I and Part II of National Board examinations. Mr. Albrecht received a plaque from the organization and his name was added to the OKU plaque on permanent display in the dental school.

The "Dr. William S. Kramer Award of Excellence," established last year by the Supreme Chapter in honor of a past president, was presented to **R. Todd Bergman**. The Kramer award recognizes a third-year dental student at each component chapter school who has demonstrated scholarship, character and potential for advancement in dentistry.

Professor Yokom Among IU Founders Day Honorees

Nanci G. Yokom, supervisor of the dental hygiene program on the IU-South Bend campus (below), was one of five IU faculty members to receive a newly created award during the 1989 Founders Day ceremonies, held on the Bloomington campus on April 16. The **W. George Pinnell Award for**

Outstanding Service is named for IU's Executive Vice President Emeritus Pinnell. It recognizes administrative service to a profession or discipline, or to the public.



Professor Yokom is a native of Racine, Wisconsin, who received her dental hygiene training from Marquette University. She spent six years in private practice and taught on the faculty at Ferris State College before moving to Indiana. She was appointed to the IU faculty on the South Bend campus in 1977 and was named supervisor of the dental hygiene program in 1979. Professor Yokom holds two degrees from IU, a bachelor's degree (1976) and a master's (1980). She was recently promoted to associate professor of dental auxiliary education.

New Maynard K. Hine Seminar Room Shows a Touch of Class (of 1961)

Drs. Jack P. Mollenkopf and **Charles E. Smith** got the ball rolling with a letter to their classmates, inviting each one to help the IU School of Dentistry establish a new Maynard K. Hine Seminar Room, in honor of IUSD's former dean and first chancellor at IUPUI.

An enthusiastic response from the majority of the IUSD Class of '61 has made possible the makeover of Room S426 to a comfortable, well-appointed class room ideally suited for graduate seminars and other meetings. New lecture-style chairs permit a larger seating capacity and greater ease in rearranging the room to accommodate a variety of teaching formats.

A new portrait of Dr. Hine, taken by IUPUI photographer Rick Baughn, is displayed in the room along with many of the plaques and awards pre-

sented to Dr. Hine by dental organizations throughout the world in recognition of his leadership role in the dental profession over the years.

Dr. Hine was given an opportunity to visit with some of his former students during the Indiana Dental Association annual session held at the Indianapolis Convention Center last May. A photo taken of Dr. Hine with members of the Class of '61 and a plaque citing the class's generous contribution to the School of Dentistry will soon be added as the final touches to the seminar room.

"The Class of 1961's support of this project is deeply appreciated," Dean H. William Gilmore said recently. "We invite all members of the class to stop by the school the next time they're in town to see the Hine Seminar Room. We are very proud of it."



From left: Drs. Charles Smith, Karl Gossweiler, John Newlin, Edmund Laskowski, James Hurst, Maynard Hine, Mike Bubenzer, John Kail, Donald Greiner, James Jerger, H. William Watts, and Jack Mollenkopf.

New Friends: IUSD and Singapore Sign Agreement

Pledging to "establish ties of friendship and cooperation for the purpose of promoting mutual understanding and academic, cultural, and personnel exchanges," the National University of Singapore and Indiana University signed an agreement last winter that will offer a wealth of opportunity for postdoctoral students and faculty at both schools of dentistry.

At the invitation of **Dr. Loh Hong Sai**, dean of the Faculty of Dentistry at National University of Singapore, **Dr. H. William Gilmore**, dean of the IU dental school, traveled to Singapore in January with his wife, Marcia, to finalize the agreement. "The dental educational community has become a world-wide community at the graduate level," Dean Gilmore said recently. "We at IU have expertise in certain areas of research to share with faculty members and graduate students at Singapore, just as they have much to offer us. The possibilities for scientific and cultural exchanges are exciting."

Located within a new university setting, the dental school at Singapore greatly impressed Dr. Gilmore. "I was given a comprehensive tour of the facilities and was able to speak with many of the faculty and students," he said. "Their dental program is smaller than ours--they have about 40 students per class and about 35 full-time faculty members. Singapore offers its students a top-quality dental education."

Dean Sai signed the Agreement of Friendship and Cooperation on January 26, and then presented it to Dr. Gilmore to bring back to IU. Dr. Gilmore signed on February 7, and **Thomas Ehrlich**, president of Indiana University, made the agreement official by signing the document on February 24.

IU has already welcomed its first visitors from Singapore. In April, **Dr. Chong-Lin Chew**, of the National University of Singapore faculty, and his wife, Doreen, spent several days in Indianapolis. Dr. Chew received the MSD degree in dental materials from Indiana University in 1977 and was enrolled here in a special one-year certificate program in prosthodontics in 1983-84.

Plans for some of the exchanges are already under way. "Dean Sai will be coming to Indiana in the fall," Dr. Gilmore said. "We are collaborating on a project that involves the use of lasers in restoring and sealing teeth and making them more resistant to decay."



During a tour of National University of Singapore, Dr. Gilmore (center) chats with Dr. Loh Hong Sai, dean of the Faculty of Dentistry (left), and Dr. Robert Going, a professor from South Carolina on a special teaching assignment in Singapore.

This is the second friendship agreement that the IU School of Dentistry has entered into with another dental school. The first was signed in 1985 with Matsumoto Dental College, Shiojiri, Japan, during **Dr. Ralph E. McDonald's** tenure as dean of the IU dental school.

The contract with Singapore marks the beginning of many such programs to be created in the year ahead. Dr. Gilmore recently has returned from a trip to Thailand and Australia, where several friendship agreements with universities in those countries are nearing completion. Many others, including programs with universities in Brazil, are in the planning stages.

New Awards Announced For Clinical Achievement

Dr. Donald R. Tharp, associate dean for clinical affairs, recently met with four fourth-year students to congratulate them as recipients of the new **IUSD Clinical Achievement Awards**, given for outstanding clinical progress. These students ranked at the top of the Class of 1990 in clinical production during Spring Semester of their third year. Appearing in the photo at right are, from left:



Mr. Charles C. McGee

and **Ms. Lizza M. Corretjer**, 3rd-place co-recipients; **Mr. R. Todd Bergman**, (2nd place); **Mr. Gregory A. Johnson** (1st place); and Dr. Tharp, who is coordinating the award program. The students received letters of recognition from Dr. Tharp as well as monetary awards.

According to Dr. Tharp, Clinical Achievement Awards will be given several times each year to recognize the periodic progress of third- and fourth-year students (after first and second semesters and at the end of summer session). They also will serve to honor dental students and dental hygiene students at graduation time for overall clinical achievement. The first Clinical Achievement Awards were presented to five IUSD students during the Honors Day program last May. See page 6 of the Newsletter for a full report of Honors Day activities.

Speakin' of Creekkin'

A Reminder to IUSD Faculty: Have you made your reservations for the **Annual Teaching Conference** yet?

IUSD Teaching Committee Secretary/Treasurer **Drew Beck** needs to hear from you immediately! Let's all help the Committee and its new Chairman **David Hennon** make the 25th Conference the best one of all. The meeting will be held at McCormick's Creek State Park, near Spencer, September 7-8.

Honors Day '89

On Sunday, May 14, 1989, dental graduates joined graduates of dental hygiene, dental assisting, and the postdoctoral programs for an afternoon of celebration and recognition with families, friends, and representatives of the dental school and dental profession during the IUSD Honors Program, held downtown Indianapolis at the Indiana Convention Center. IUPUI commencement exercises in the Hoosier Dome followed.

Twenty dental assisting, 30 dental hygiene, and 93 dental students earned degrees and certificates on the Indianapolis campus for the 1989 academic year. Approximately 25 postdoctoral students are expected to complete their programs in the 1988-89 academic year.

Dean H. William Gilmore moderated the Honors Program, which included the presentation of awards and honors to four dental assisting graduates, 10 dental hygiene graduates, and 31 dental graduates. A list of those honored during the program and at other ceremonies held in the spring follows.

Graduating with High Distinction: Doctor of Dental Surgery--Lynn J. Albrecht, Robert D. Colter, and Matthew S. Wittrig; and Associate of Science, Dental Hygiene--Susan L. Johnson and Stacey M. Whittington

Graduating with Distinction: Doctor of Dental Surgery--Peter J. Blank, Kenneth G. Dale, Erin E. Engleman, Carl Lerner, David L. Renaud, Brenda K. Stenftenagel and Steven C.K.H. Wong; and Associate of Science, Dental Hygiene--Teresa M. Kendall and Kristi A. Prichard

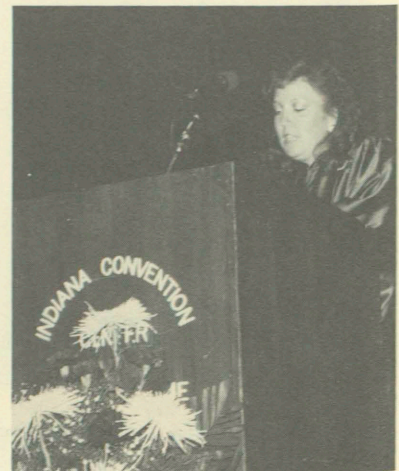
Awards (ASDH Candidates)

Sarah A. Agee:

IUSD Alumni Association's Harriett F. Hine Award, for highest level of professionalism (selected by peers). Named for Dr. Maynard K. Hine's wife, who died in 1972.

Tamara L. Cunningham and Cathy R. Doyle:

Rossya Kaufman Memorial Awards in Dental Hygiene, presented by School of Dentistry Department of Dental Hygiene for service in the area of



Left photo: The Firth family gets Mick, 4th year class president, ready for Honors Day. Each president addressed the audience, including Kimberly Wilson, dental assisting (center) and Cathy Doyle, dental hygiene (right).

community dental hygiene. Named for 1958 graduate of IU's dental hygiene program and established in 1960 in her memory.

Vivian M. Gayer:

First Place Clinical Achievement Award, presented by dental school.

Susan L. Johnson:

Hu-Friedy Award, for outstanding clinical performance. Named for a dental manufacturing company.

Second Place Clinical Achievement Award, presented by dental school.

Procter & Gamble Crest-Peridex Prevention Award, for outstanding achievement in preventive dentistry. Presented at dental school in May.

Maria I. Yerich:

A. Rebekah Fisk Memorial Award of the Indiana Dental Hygienists' Association, for greatest proficiency in clinical practice during the final year of the program. Named for IU's first director of dental hygiene.

Vivian M. Gayer, Susan L. Johnson, and Sherri L. McCreary:

Table Clinic Award, presented by School of Dentistry for clinic entitled "A Survey of Sterilization Practices and Attitudes of Indiana Dental Hygienists."

(Candidates for
Dental Assisting Certificates)

Amanda L. Mattingly, Lora L. Scott, and Kimberly S. Wilson:

Table Clinic Award, presented by School of Dentistry for clinic entitled "MASH (Maintain a Special Habit)."

Kim LeAnn Benter:

Indiana University School of Dentistry Clinical Achievement Award

(DDS Candidates)

Lynn J. Albrecht:

Alpha Omega Scholarship Award, for outstanding scholastic record during four years of study. Presented by Alpha Omega dental fraternity.

Jack D. Carr Memorial Award, for maintaining highest grade point average during four-year program. Named for prominent Indianapolis dentist and dental professor who died in 1986.

Pierre Fauchard Academy Indiana Section Award, for leadership and dedication to the advancement of dental literature. Presented during the annual meeting at the Indiana Convention Center on May 4.

Shannon L. Arnett:

Indiana Society of Periodontists Award, for interest and outstanding achievement in clinical periodontics.

Morris R. Bitzer:

Dentsply International Merit Award, for outstanding achievement in removable prosthodontics. Named for a dental manufacturing company.

Kevin M. Brunski:

American Academy of Gold Foil Operators Award, for outstanding qualities as a scholar and clinician in operative dentistry, with proficiency in direct gold restorations.

Richard D. Colter:

American Academy of Periodontology Award, for achievement in periodontics.

Kenneth G. Dale:

John F. Johnston Award, for proficiency in fixed and removable partial prosthodontics. New award made possible through the generosity of Dr. M. John Borkowski, a 1955 graduate

of IUSD who practices in Indianapolis and teaches part-time in prosthodontics. The award is named for a 1921 graduate of the Indiana Dental College and pioneer in prosthodontics who headed fixed and removable partial prosthodontics at IU in the '50s and early '60s. Dr. Johnston died in 1977.

Michael A. Davis:

Block Drug Company's Fourth Year Essay Award, first place for essay entitled "Dental Implants: Subperiosteal, Endosteal, and Transosteal."

Erin R. Engleman:

Quintessence Publishing Company Award, for clinical achievement in periodontics.

Michael S. Firth:

American Academy of Dental Radiology Award, for exceptional interest and proficiency in radiology.

IUSD Alumni Association's Maynard K. Hine Award, for highest level of professionalism (selected by peers). Named for IUPUI Chancellor Emeritus and former dean of the dental school.

Indianapolis General Dentistry Study Club Award, for completing more elective courses than any other fourth-year student.

Special Graduating Class Award, for dedication and leadership demonstrated as class president. Presented by fourth-year class.

American College of Dentists Indiana Section Award, for civic leadership. Presented during the annual banquet at the Hyatt Regency Hotel, Indianapolis, on May 4.

Pablo J. Fonseca:

Table Clinic Award, first place for clinic entitled "Rotational Path Partial

Denture: An Esthetic Approach to Replacing Maxillary Anterior Teeth." Presented by Indianapolis District Dental Society.

Katherine R. Garrett:

Second Place Clinical Achievement Award, presented by dental school.

Laurie A. Goldenberg:

American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons Award, for outstanding achievement in the field.

Block Drug Company's Fourth Year Essay Award, second place for essay entitled "Diagnostic Value of Lip Biopsies in the Detection of Graft vs. Host Disease, Sjogren's Syndrome, Sarcoidosis and Amyloidosis."

Margaret A. Hibler:

Quintessence Publishing Company Award, for clinical achievement in periodontics.

Michael K. Kluth:

Indiana Dental Association Award, for services to organized dentistry through American Student Dental Association.

Carl Lerner:

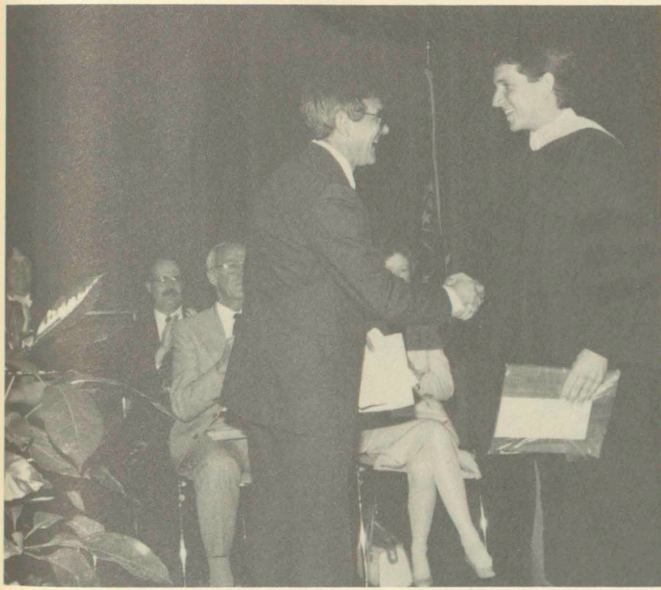
American Academy of Operative Dentistry Award, for excellence in operative dentistry.

Stephanie M. Litz:

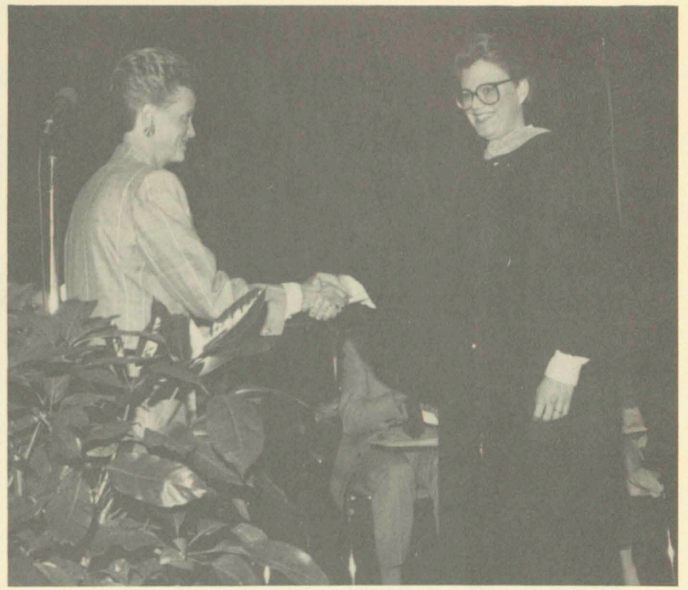
American Association of Women Dentists Award, for academic excellence and outstanding leadership.

Roschelle B. Major-Banks:

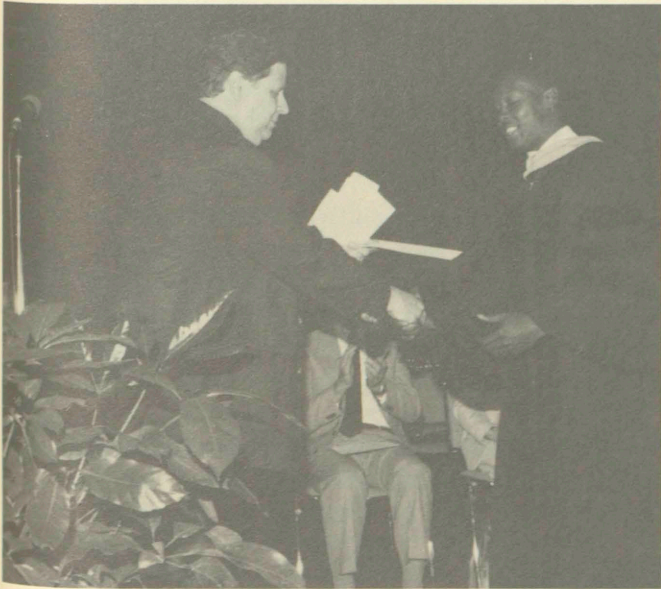
James L. Maus Memorial Scholarship Award, for most improvement in class



Indiana Dental Association president Dr. Scott Polizotto presents the IDA Award to Michael Kluth.



Shannon Arnett receives the Indiana Society of Periodontists Award from Dr. Carol Walters, president-elect.



First Place Essay Award goes to Michael Davis (Prof. Charles Palenik, presenter).



Charles McCarter is honored with the Academy of Dental Materials Award, presented by Dr. Sybil Niemann.



Dr. Donald Tharp recognizes Susan Johnson (center) and Vivian Gayer for a top-notch table clinic. Their clinic co-presenter was Sherri McCreary.



John Phelps accepts American Equilibration Society Achievement Award from Dr. John Borkowski.

rank during dental school. Named in memory of owner and operator of Maus and Elam Dental Laboratories.

Brett E. Mann:

Indiana Society of Pediatric Dentistry Award, to a dental student who has been accepted into a graduate pediatric dentistry program for 1989.

Table Clinic Award, third place for clinic entitled "Unilateral Space Maintenance Using Single Sitting Band and Arm." Presented by dental school.

Charles J. McCarter:

Academy of Dental Materials Award, for excellence in dental materials.

Matthew I. Miller:

First Place Clinical Achievement Award, presented by dental school.

John R. Phelps:

American Equilibration Society Achievement Award, for outstanding performance relating to the science of occlusion and temporomandibular joint function.

Kenneth J. Pilcher:

American Association of Endodontists Award, for greatest interest and exceptional proficiency in endodontics.

Steven M. Pilipovich:

American Society of Dentistry for Children Certificate of Merit and Indiana Chapter Award, to most outstanding dental student in the field of pediatric dentistry.

Steven F. Rodgers:

Glenn J. Pell Award, presented by the Indiana Society of Oral and Maxillo-

facial Surgeons to most outstanding student in oral and maxillofacial surgery who has also been accepted into IU's postgraduate program for 1989. Award named for a pioneer of oral and maxillofacial surgery who was a 1912 graduate of Indiana Dental College and a faculty member at IDC and IUSD for some 30 years. He died in 1954.

American Academy of Oral Medicine Award, for achievement, proficiency, and promise in the field.

Quintessence Publishing Company Award, for achievement in research.

Susan E. Sawin:

Third Place Clinical Achievement Award, presented by dental school.

Brenda K. Stenftenagel:

Academy of General Dentistry and Indiana Chapter Award, for showing the most promise as an outstanding general dentist.

American Association of Orthodontists Award, for exceptional interest in development of the orofacial complex.

International College of Dentists Award, for most professional growth and development during dental school.

American Academy of Oral Pathology Award, for outstanding interest, accomplishment and promise in the field.

James C. Vandeventer:

Block Drug Company's Fourth Year Essay Award, third place for essay entitled, "Congratulations, Doctor--What Are Your Plans Now?"

Matthew S. Wittrig:

Table Clinic Award, second place for clinic entitled "Indirect Posterior Resins: A New Alternative to Gold and Silver Restorations." Presented by the School of Dentistry.

In Brief...



Members of the **IUSD Non-Academic Staff Council** caught up with **Roschelle Major-Banks** (front row, at right) shortly before she graduated from dental school to surprise her with the Council's annual **Student Recognition Award**. Each spring, members vote for the graduating dental student who they believe demonstrated the highest level of professionalism during the dental program. Jodie Burns, president of the Council until her recent departure from the school, presents a certificate to Roschelle. Other members attending the ceremony are, from left: Sandra Manion, continuing education; Karen Gremore, formerly of academic affairs; Libby Halpin, library; Ginger Lashley, dean's office; Barbara Lerner, student office; and Tyler Rainbolt, library.

Dr. Kurt Van Winkle (on right in photo), a graduate student in periodontics, is the 1989 recipient of the **Henry M. Swenson Periodontics Scholarship**. The award was presented during a recent departmental faculty meeting. Dr. Van Winkle is joined here by **Dr. E. Brady Hancock**, chairman of periodontics (on left); and **Dr. Swenson**, the periodontics faculty member for whom the award is named. Dr. Van Winkle begins his final year in the three-year graduate program this fall.



People In the News

Dr. Samuel S Patterson, professor emeritus of endodontics and former chairman of the department, received the Edgar D. Coolidge Award from the American Association of Endodontists (AAE) during the 46th annual session, May 3-7, 1989, in New Orleans. The award is given annually to an individual who has displayed leadership and dedication to dentistry and endodontics.

A reporter for American Health magazine recently interviewed **Dr. Charles L. Nelson**, associate professor of oral and maxillofacial surgery, regarding the risk of bacterial endocarditis for dental patients with heart problems who do not receive appropriate antibiotic treatment before dental procedures are undertaken. The article cited a recent Indiana University study by Dr. Nelson and IUSD graduate **Dr. Sue VanBlaricum** ('88), which found only 39% of 224 dentists and 27% of 141 physicians surveyed had complied with American Heart Association guidelines when prescribing antibiotics to their patients. Dr. Nelson's remarks appeared in the June '89 issue.

Dr. Ronald K. Harris has been promoted to professor of operative dentistry.

For serving Indiana University "above and beyond the call of duty," **Dr. Chris H. Miller**, professor and chairman of oral microbiology, was among eight faculty and seven staff members receiving the Glenn W. Irwin, Jr., M.D., Experience Excellence Recognition Award on the IUPUI campus on April 21. The Irwin awards, named for the former IU vice president at Indianapolis who retired in 1986, were presented this year during the first Chancellor's Honors Convocation, held at the Conference Center and presided over by Gerald L. Bepko, vice president and chancellor (Indianapolis). Dr. Miller's research efforts in the area of infection control in the dental office have earned him national recognition in recent years. In 1980 he developed a sterilization monitoring service for Indiana dentists that has now served nearly 2,000 dentists in Indiana and elsewhere.

Also, Dr. Miller recently has been invited by the American Association of Dental Schools to chair a working committee dealing with the principles of infection control and equipment and facility design.

Dr. William G. Shafer, distinguished professor emeritus of oral pathology and former chairman of the department, recently received the Past Presidents Award from the American Academy of Oral Pathology. The award was announced at the Academy's annual session, held this year in Savannah, Georgia, in April.

Prof. Chisler Retires From IUSD Faculty

Juanita H. Chisler, assistant professor of dental assisting at the IU School of Dentistry, retired from her position on May 15, 1989, after serving Indiana University for 24 years.

Prof. Chisler was first appointed at IU as a dental assistant in undergraduate pediatric dentistry in 1965. She transferred to the graduate division of the department in 1969, serving

as supervisor of dental assistants from 1970 to 1973. When IUSD's dental assisting program was created in 1973, Ms. Chisler was named to the faculty and taught dental assisting students with **Mrs. Marjory H. Carr**, the School's first program director. Ms. Chisler was promoted to the rank of assistant professor in 1979.

Prof. Chisler was certified by the

American Dental Assistants Association in 1969. She received a bachelor of science degree in health occupations education from IU in 1978, graduating with high distinction.

Prof. Chisler was cited as "Instructor of the Year" by the Dental Assisting Class of 1976 and was honored with a "Teaching Appreciation" award from the Class of 1979.

During her teaching career Prof. Chisler completed a number of television teaching tapes and served on several dental school committees. A longtime contributor to the School's annual teaching conference, she was co-author of an article entitled "Annual Teaching Conference Comes of Age at IUSD," which was published in the IUSD Alumni Bulletin in 1986. She holds membership in the American Dental Assistants Association and is a former member of the American Association of Dental Schools. She is active in the Indianapolis Dental Assistants Society and the Indiana Dental Assistants Association, having served as an IDAA delegate in 1976 and as chairman of registration in 1981.

On April 20 Prof. Chisler was honored for her outstanding contributions to the dental school during a luncheon celebration with friends and colleagues at University Place on the IUPUI campus.

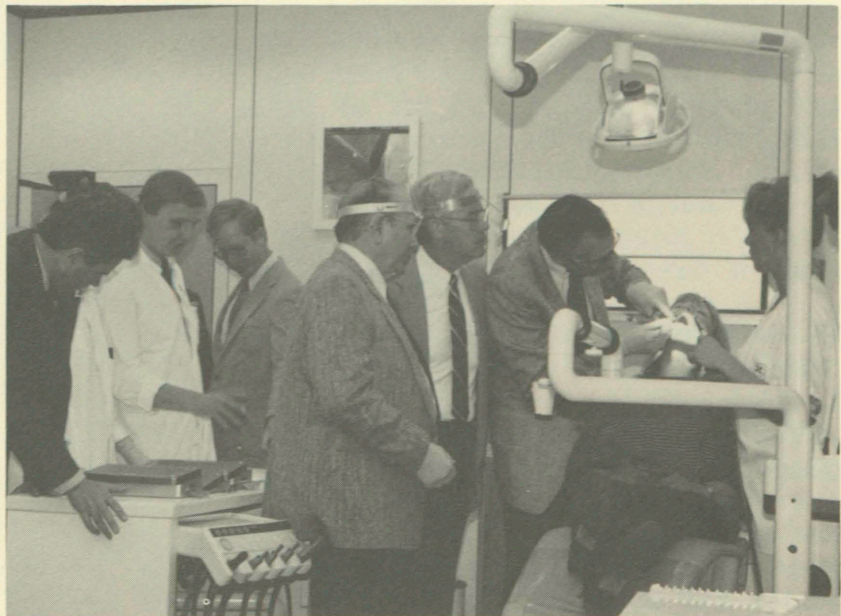


Professor Chisler

A Deutschland Experience

Having returned recently from a trip overseas, **Dr. Ronald K. Harris**, professor of operative dentistry, offers the following report:

"In June, **Dr. Melvin R. Lund**, professor of operative dentistry, and I traveled to West Germany to participate in a three-day symposium co-sponsored by the **American Academy of Gold Foil Operators** and the **University of Göttingen**. About 20 Americans joined in the program, which consisted of a series of lectures on direct filling golds and clinical demonstrations. Mel lectured on materials and properties and I discussed practical applications and "every-day" uses for gold foil.



Dr. Harris (standing beside dentist with patient) observes screening exam in Germany.

I also clinically demonstrated the handling, placement, and finishing of two Class I occlusal foils.

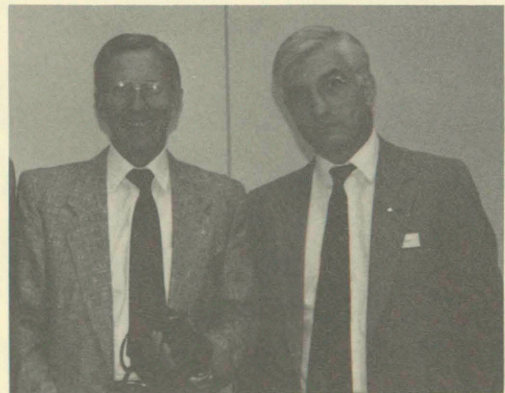
"The program, held June 8-10, was well attended and very well received. Clinical operations were performed on about 15 individuals, including area dentists and dental students from the University of Gottingen who had expressed a desire to have their restorations replaced.

"All of the American visitors were impressed by the facilities and the level of knowledge displayed by the host school and its students. Participants were conversant in English, and we found their enthusiasm refreshing!

"During the next weekend I presented a one-day course in basic direct gold technique at the office of Academy member Dr. Jan Drews, in Überlingen, which is located in the southern part of the country. Dr. Drews had participated in the basic and advanced gold foil courses that were held at Indiana University in the summers of 1988 and 1987, and he was eager

to share information about gold foils with other dental practitioners. Several dentists came a long distance to attend. He has been enjoying much success with gold foils and reported to us that he now places several foils each week in his practice.

Germany is a delightful place to visit. The food is delicious, the scenery magnificent, the highways somewhat frightening, and the people very friendly!"



Dr. Lund (left) with Academy member Dr. Allan Osborn, a symposium coordinator

Dental Hygiene Students Move 'Classroom' To Fountain Square Girls Club

The regular meeting place for dental hygiene course H347 Community Dental Health is Room 115 of the IU dental school; but on four occasions during spring semester, members of the second-year class gathered their dental supplies and headed off to Irish Hills, on the southeastside of Indianapolis, to provide dental screenings at no charge for 30 members of the Fountain Square Branch of the Girls Club of Greater Indianapolis.

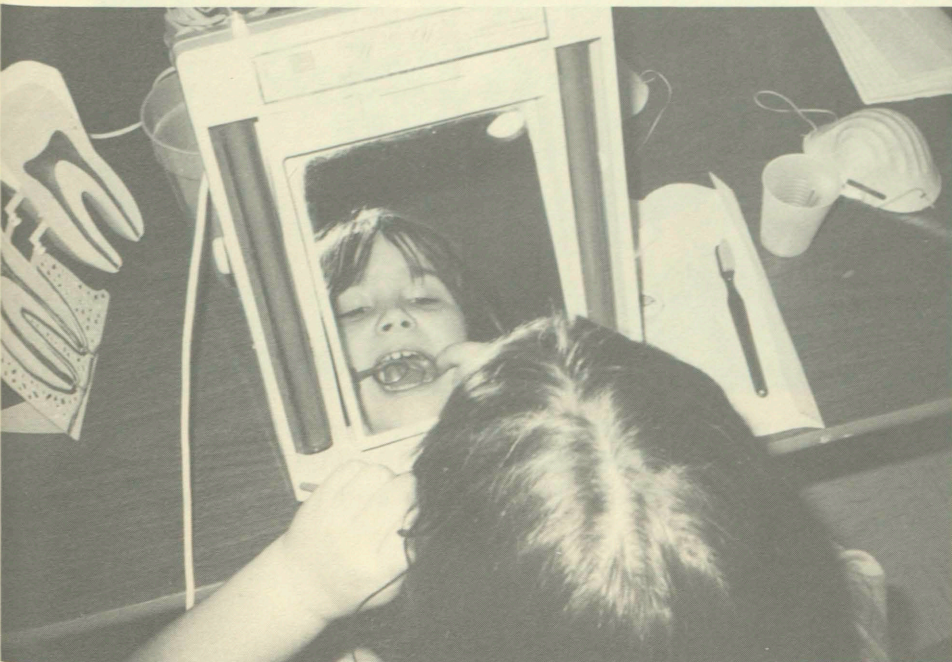
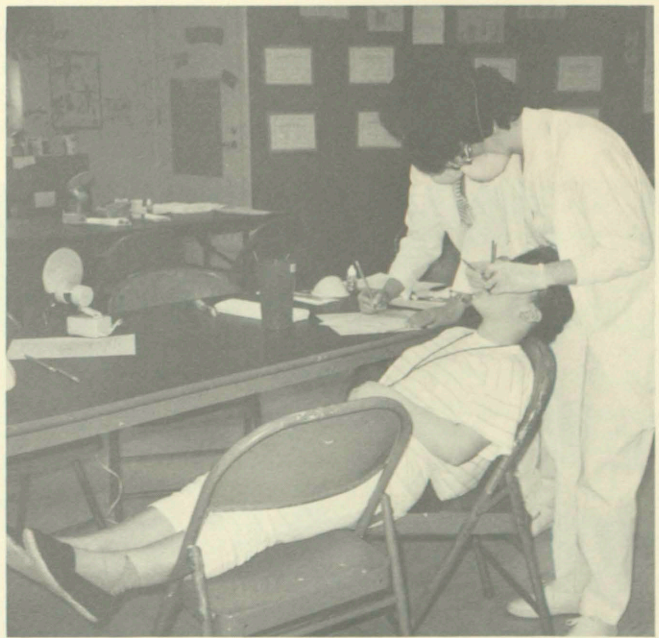
The course, taught by **Louise M. Judd**, clinical assistant professor of dental hygiene, guides students through the principles and practice of dental health program planning and gives them an overview of how to implement and evaluate community programs. Prof. Judd and **Dr. Sybil S. Niemann**, director and assistant professor of dental auxiliary education, supervised activities at the Fountain Square site.

Since the Girls Club has no dental facilities, the dental hygiene students

took an imaginative approach to their work, finding ways to "make do" in their makeshift surroundings. Girls Club members, ranging in age from 7 to 15, were also given dietary counseling and instruction in oral hygiene by the IU students, who provided toothbrush kits and set up a dental home care unit so that changes in the girls' home care habits could be monitored.

The dental hygiene students were invited by Fountain Square to present their dental program as part of an overall Body Awareness Program sponsored for the youngsters by the Club. Plans are in the making to return to Fountain Square for a follow-up next spring semester.

The dental hygiene students have been especially active in outreach-type projects this year, having recently completed a program in which members of the Gorman Boys Club received free dental cleanings and counseling.



Scenes From
Fountain Square
Girls Club,
As Photographed
By Prof. Louise Judd

**Gift of Daruma Doll
Reaffirms Goals of
Friendship Agreement**

When visitors from Matsumoto Dental College, Shiojiri, Japan, came to town last March, they brought with them an unusual gift for the IU dental school to reaffirm the goals set forth in the Agreement of Friendship signed by the two schools in 1985.

In a brief ceremony in the Dean's Office, **Dr. Takahiro Imanishi**, academic director and chairman of pediatric dentistry at Matsumoto Dental College, presented Dean H. William Gilmore with a doll that is a representation of the Indian Buddhist priest Bodhidharma ("Daruma" in Japanese), the founder of Zen Buddhism in China. Also present were **Dr. Hiroshi Yagasaki**, a faculty member in the Matsumoto Dental College department of oral histology who is also a son of the MDC founder and president; **Mr. Arthur L. Bingham**, of the MDC office of external affairs; and **Dr. Lawrence I. Goldblatt**, IU associate dean for graduate and postgraduate education and acting associate dean for academic affairs.

As explained by Mr. Bingham, some of the many legends regarding Daruma's unusual discipline and his pursuit of enlightenment lend meaning to the doll's round shape. As one story goes, the doll is round because Daruma lost the use of his arms and legs after spending nine years meditating



Participating in the presentation of the daruma doll are, from left: Dr. H. William Gilmore and Dr. Lawrence I. Goldblatt, of Indiana University; and Mr. Arthur L. Bingham, Dr. Hiroshi Yagasaki, and Dr. Takahiro Imanishi, of Matsumoto Dental College.

in a cave. Original models of the doll were called "the little priest who stands up" and symbolized perseverance because they always returned to an upright position when tipped over. Although the shape of the doll has changed somewhat, the symbolism remains.

Today, daruma dolls are used as charms for the fulfillment of a special goal. When a daruma doll is made, its eyes are left unpainted because legend has it that Daruma chastised himself for falling asleep while meditating by cutting off his eyelids! When a new goal is undertaken, the owner of a daruma doll paints in one eye and then places the doll on display. Once the goal has been reached, the other eye is painted.

"It is our hope that evidence of a strengthened relationship between Matsumoto Dental College and Indiana University School of Dentistry will manifest in the form of an increase of student and faculty exchanges," Mr. Bingham stated recently.

The daruma doll, which will become part of the IU dental school's exhibit dedicated to Matsumoto Dental College, serves as a symbol of that goal.

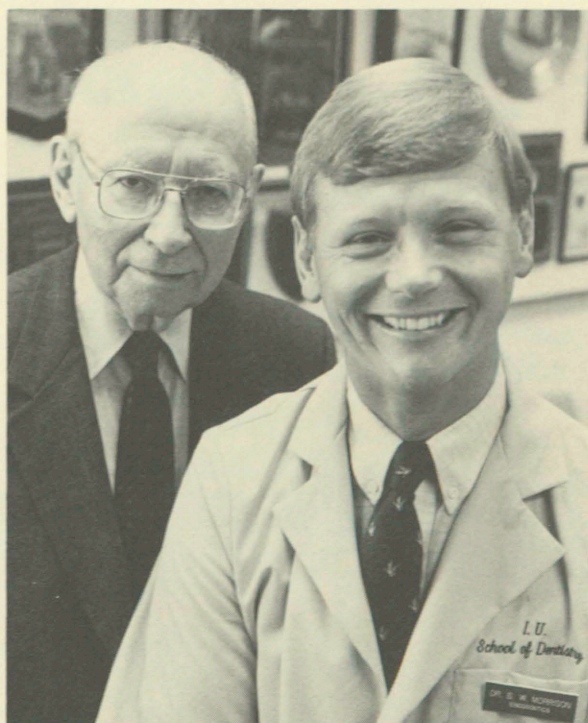
Endodontist Receives Second Annual Hine Research Award

Dr. Scott W. Morrison, a part-time assistant professor of endodontics at the IU School of Dentistry and full-time practitioner in Evansville, received the **Dr. Maynard K. Hine Award for Excellence in Research** during the annual business meeting of the Indiana Section of the American Association for Dental Research last spring.

The award, created in 1987 and named for IUPUI Chancellor Emeritus Hine and former dean of the dental school, is sponsored by Procter and Gamble Company and is given annually in recognition of outstanding achievement in research by a postdoctoral student.

Dr. Morrison received the MSD degree in endodontics from IU last September. While enrolled in that program he conducted an in vitro study concerning the effects of steam sterilization and usage on cutting efficiency of endodontic instruments.

Originally from Seattle, Washington, Dr. Morrison attended dental school at Indiana University and stayed on in Indianapolis as a general practitioner after graduating in 1979. He moved to Evansville last year and has been a member of the faculty in the department of endodontics since 1986.



**Dr. Scott W. Morrison (right)
and Dr. Maynard K. Hine**



Special Invitation from the Dental School to the Dental Alumni

COME ON BACK TO INDIANA!

Dear IUSD Graduates:

Alums from 'A to Z' are invited back to IUSD for **Dental Alumni Day** on October 13, 1989. Activities are being planned in recognition of the 20th anniversary of the IUPUI campus. The dental school is proud to fly its colors, and we hope that you will join us.

If you haven't been back to the dental school lately, we can guarantee that you will not find the hallowed halls of IUSD exactly as you left them. Chances are you're going to need a tour guide for that trip down memory lane; so we are lining up volunteer guides from the faculty, staff and student body who will be delighted to accompany you along the way.

Many changes, yes. But we believe that if you visit us in October, you will also find much truth to the adage, "The more things change, the more they stay the same." For instance, those friendly-looking folks in the photo at left represent a few of the many longtime faculty and staff members you are likely to meet during your tour of the school. We are taking an informal approach to planning Dental Alumni Day so that there will be plenty of unstructured time for those of you who might want to seek out a favorite teacher, a former mentor, or a staff member who in some manner made your trek through a dental education a little more pleasant for you.

There will also be some short, snappy presentations from a variety of faculty members who will provide you with an update of the departments throughout the school. We have much to 'show and tell' and are looking forward to filling you in on everything that's happening at your alma mater.

So, please arrange to be with us on October 13. Dental Alumni Day won't be fancy or high-paced. It will be informative and, we hope, a whole lotta fun. Registration is necessary so that we can provide box lunches for all of our guests and make sure there are a sufficient number of hosts to look after you during your stay. To register, simply fill out the form on the last page of this newsletter and mail it back to us. We will send you an agenda of the day's activities in a few weeks. We need to know by October 1 if you plan to join us.

See you soon!

(Registration Form on Following Page)

Working with today's students at IUSD are more than 400 full- and part-time faculty and staff members, and a good number of them will be on hand to visit with alumni on October 13. Some employees pictured here are (standing, left to right): Dr. James Dirlam, professor emeritus of oral and maxillofacial surgery; Dr. David Dickey, associate professor of dental diagnostic sciences; Dr. Sybil Niemann, director of dental auxiliary education; Dr. James McDonald, professor of preventive and community dentistry; and Jeri Francis, assistant professor of dental assisting. Seated, from left: Dr. Philip Rake, assistant professor of prosthodontics; Dr. Melvin Lund, professor of operative dentistry; Ms. Janet Duncan, supervisor of public services for the library; and Mr. Donald Nealy, laboratory technician in prosthodontics. That's Sarah Manion, secretary to Associate Dean Bogan, in the IU sweatshirt.

Calling All Dental Alumni

**Registration for 'Dental Alumni Day'
Indiana University School of Dentistry
October 13, 1989 - 8:30am-4:30pm**

Name _____

Address _____

Year of Graduation from IU School of Dentistry _____ Type of Degree _____

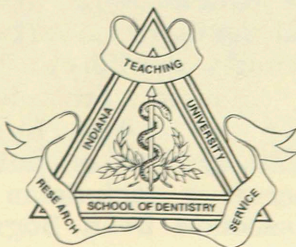
Check one below:

___ I will not have a guest with me.

___ I will have a guest with me. My guest's name is _____

Mail this registration form to: Susan Crum, Room 104, Indiana University
School of Dentistry, 1121 West Michigan Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202

We need to hear from you by October 1, 1989



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