

'South Pacific' Opens University Theatre Season

The Rodgers and Hammerstein hit musical "South Pacific" opens the University Theatre season on Friday, Oct. 11, at 8 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center's Drama Theatre. Additional evening performances are set for Oct. 12, 17, 18 and 19. Two Saturday matinees have been set for Oct. 12 and 19 at 2 p.m.

Based on two short stories from

James Michener's wartime collection "Tales of the South Pacific," this classic musical focuses on two love stories.

The lush score, including such hits as "Some Enchanted Evening," "Younger than Springtime" and "There is Nothing Like a Dame," combined with the serious themes of racial prejudice, hate and the effects of war on a formerly pristine paradise, made "South Pacific" the

second musical to win the Pulitzer Prize in Drama for 1949.

For information and reservations, call x7462 between 1 and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Season Discount Cards, available to the general public for \$30, allow cardholders to attend "South Pacific" for free. Tickets for individual performances are \$10 for the general public. Student tickets are \$4.

The campus community is cordially invited to

President Catherine Gira's Annual Fall Convocation

Monday, Oct. 21, 3 p.m.

Pealer Recital Hall
Performing Arts Center

During the convocation, the University will present an

Honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters to Harris Wofford

former Senator from Pennsylvania, former CEO of the Corporation for National Service.

Mr. Wofford has dedicated much of his life to the goal of making citizen service a common expectation and experience for all Americans. He held the post of special assistant to President John F. Kennedy, and helped launch the Peace Corps.

He has also served as chairman of the White House Sub-Cabinet Group on Civil Rights from 1961 to 1962, counsel for the U.S. Committee on Civil Rights and trustee to the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Non-Violent Social Change.

We ask that you join us in celebrating the contributions that Mr. Wofford has made through his commitment to building citizen service.

Soprano Preshanthi Navaratnam to Perform

The Department of Music Guest Artist Series will host soprano Preshanthi Navaratnam in concert, Sunday, Oct. 13, at 3 p.m. in the Pealer Recital Hall.

Navaratnam will perform works by Claude Debussy, Richard Strauss, Frederico Mompou, Manuel de Falla and "Vissi D'Arte, Vissi D'Amore" from "Tosca" and "Un bel di" from "Madame Butterfly" by Giacomo Puccini. She will be accompanied by Betty Jane Phillips.



Preshanthi Navaratnam

She has sung solos in Poulenc's "Gloria," Haydn's "Creation," Beethoven's "Ninth Symphony" and Berlioz's song cycle "Les Nuits D'été." She made her Purcell Room debut singing the role of Hannah in "The Child of the Jago" and her Royal Albert Hall debut singing the song cycle "Four Burn's Poems" by Benjamin Britten. Navaratnam has given numerous song recitals at prestigious venues in London and the north of England. This summer she played the role of Andrea in the opera "Jerry Springer the Opera" at the Edinburgh Festival in Scotland – and received outstanding reviews and great praise from Jerry Springer.

The concert is free and open to the public. For more information, call the FSU Department of Music at x4145.

Literature 

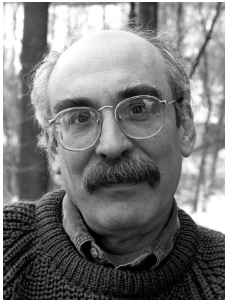
National Book Award Finalist to Visit FSU

FSU's Department of English and Western Maryland Writers' Workshop will host poet and recent National Book Award Finalist Lawrence Raab for two events on Monday, Oct. 14. Raab will give a reading at 7:30 p.m. in Lane University Center's Manicur Assembly Hall and, with Pulitzer-Prize winning poet Stephen Dunn, conduct a 3 p.m. seminar in the Ort Library, room 237.

Lawrence Raab's accolades range from the prestigious National Book Award Finalist citation to fellowships from the National Endowment for the Arts, the University of Michigan Society of Fellows and the Massachusetts Council on the Arts. His poems have appeared in numerous magazines, including "Poetry," "The New Yorker," "The Paris Review" and "The Kenyon Review." The author of five collections of poetry, his next book, entitled "Visible Signs: New & Selected Poems," will be published by Penguin in April 2003. Raab teaches at Williams College in Massachusetts.

In the afternoon seminar, Raab and Dunn will present "Versions and Revisions: Ways of Talking About Poems" and will use early drafts of their own poems and poems of their students to discuss the revision process.

Both events are free and open to the



Lawrence Raab

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public. Raab's evening reading will be followed by a book signing and reception. For more information, please call the FSU Department of English, x4221. This event is sponsored, in part, by the Office of the Provost, Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Studies, and the Office of Student and Community Involvement.

Children's Lit Centre
Hosts Author/Illustrator

The Children's Literature Centre at FSU will welcome Judith Bryon Schachner on Thursday, Oct. 17 at 7 p.m. at City Place, 14 S. Water St., Frostburg. The event is free and open to the public.

Schachner is the illustrator of several children's books including "I Know an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Pie" and "Yo Vikings!"

Growing up in Waltham, Mass., Schachner watched and listened to her older brothers draw and make up funny stories. She graduated from Massachusetts College of Art and worked as a greeting card illustrator for Hallmark. She was inspired to illustrate children's books after reading them to her daughters.

"I live in a constant state of third grade bliss - making up stories and drawing pictures," she says.

In 1995, Schachner wrote and illustrated her first book, "Willy and May." Her other books include "The Grannyman" and "How the Cat Swallowed Thunder."

In addition to the presentation, interested persons can still purchase raffle tickets for the 20th Anniversary Children's Literature Centre's commemorative quilt.

For information on Schachner, visit online at www.judithbyronschachner.com. To learn more about Schachner's visit to Frostburg, contact the CLC at x4420.



Int'l Film Series to
Present 'The Specialist'

Frostburg State University's Fall 2002 International Film Series continues with "The Specialist" on Tuesday, Oct. 15, at 7 p.m. in the Lane University Center's Atkinson Room 201. This series is sponsored by Center Stage and the Department of Student & Community Involvement.

"The Specialist" documents the 1961 trial of the notorious war criminal Adolf Eichmann in Jerusalem that shows, for the first time, a higher echelon SS officer talking about his "work." From 1941 until 1945, he was responsible for deporting Jews to concentration camps, a task that he describes in a manner that is oppressively bureaucratic and precise. The contrast between the monstrosity in Eichman's crimes and the mediocrity of the accused in itself

results in a frightening portrait of a commonplace person, but with unlimited powers.

This documentary by Israeli filmmaker Eyal Sivan is based on videotapes filmed by blacklisted filmmaker Leo Hurwitz, who was hired by the Israeli government and ABC News to record the trial.

This film, which runs for about two hours, is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.

For information, contact the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411.



Jay Friedman to Speak
on Relationships at FSU

Award-winning speaker, writer and sex educator Jay Friedman will present "The J-Spot: A Sex Educator Tells All," at Frostburg State University on Thursday, Oct. 15, at 7 p.m. in the Lane University Center's Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall.

A certified sex educator with over a decade of experience on the college lecture circuit, Friedman combines his expertise with his experience as a disc jockey and his playful sense of humor in a show both entertaining and educational. He tackles a whirlwind of issues, including communication, cross-cultural issues, gender roles, sexual responsibility and G(ee) spots to break taboos, with the goal of promoting healthy relationships.

"The J-Spot" is presented by FSU's Campus Activities Board and is free and open to the public. For information, contact the Lane University Center Information Desk at (301) 687-4411.

'Corruption in Business:
New or Old Problem?'

A special program, "Corruption in Business: New Problem or Old Problem?" will be presented Monday, Oct. 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the Atkinson Room, Lane University Center 201.

The newspaper headlines about Enron and some other corporate giants reveal significant levels of dishonesty, deception and injustice. This program will get beyond the headlines to raise important issues, question numerous assumptions and offer a note of hope.

The panel will include Dr. Randy Bandura, professor of Accounting; Lee Fiedler, Mayor of Cumberland and former CEO of Kelly Springfield Tire Co.; Dr. Tom Mappes, coordinator of the Philosophy Department and professor of Philosophy; Dr. Armond Rossi, assistant professor of Economics; and Tom Sigerstad, chair of the Business Management Department.

The event is free and open to the public.

Sponsors are the Catholic Campus Ministry, the FSU Accounting, Business Management, Economics and Philosophy departments and United Campus Ministry.

Appalachian Laboratory

On Thursday, Oct 10, "The Red Maple Paradox" will be presented by Marc D. Abrams from School of Forest Resources, Pennsylvania State University, at 3:30 p.m. in AL Room 109, part of the Appalachian Laboratory fall seminar series. Refreshments will be served after the seminar in the lobby.



Faculty Exhibit to Honor
Memory of Art Student

The FSU Department of Visual Arts will present an exhibit in commemoration of a former Frostburg student titled "Remembering Stephanie," in honor of Stephanie Ann Roper. The exhibit will be also be open through FSU's Homecoming on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 25 to 27.

The show will feature works by Stephanie and the FSU Visual Arts faculty.

During her senior year at Frostburg in 1982, Stephanie Roper was tragically murdered during a weekend trip to her home in Upper Marlboro, Md. Her death received international attention, as Stephanie's family became advocates for victims' rights and created the Stephanie Roper Committee and Foundation.

The FSU Art Gallery was named in honor of the promising art student shortly after her death.

For more information on the exhibition, call the Department of Visual Arts at x4797. For more information on the Stephanie Roper Committee, visit online at www.stephanieroper.org.



Music Dept. Gala to be
Scholarship Fund-Raiser

The tuxedos and gowns will be only one indication that this is going to be a special evening of music. The Department of Music at FSU, co-sponsored by the FSU Foundation, will present "Classic, Contemporary and All That Jazz," an exciting and diverse musical offering, on Friday, Oct. 18, at 8 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center Pealer Recital Hall.

Joining forces on this concert are jazz personalities from the tri-state region, highly acclaimed classical performers from the Baltimore and Washington area and many of the FSU Music Department faculty that have performed regularly in Frostburg and Cumberland over the years. Several local musicians have also been invited to participate in this event.

Works for clarinet and cello, for voice and piano, for trombone and percussion, for timpani, and for jazz combo are among those on the program for this recital. The concert's close will feature pieces for five grand pianos—an unprecedented occurrence in this area (and almost everywhere else). There will be, in addition, several musical surprises for the audience.

All proceeds will benefit FSU Music Department scholarships. Tickets are \$10 for the general public and \$5 for students. Call x4145 for reservations. Tickets are available at Main Street Books in Frostburg, The Book Center in Cumberland, FSU's Lane University Center and the FSU Music Department Office. For more information, contact Ellen Grolman Schlegel in the Music Department at x4117.



Take Note

'Take Me Home' to Homecoming 2002

Take me home to the memories. Take me home to the laughter. Take me home to the friendships. Take me to FSU's Homecoming 2002.

FSU will celebrate this year's Homecoming from Thursday, Oct. 24, to Sunday, Oct. 27. An exciting weekend of concerts, social gatherings, reunions, sporting events are awaiting for alumni and friends at their FSU "home."

The journey home begins on Thursday night with the annual **Delta Chi Lip Sync** in the Cordts Center at 8 p.m. Friday starts with the FSU **Hall of Fame Golf Outing** at 10 a.m. at Frostburg's Maplehurst Country Club. The remainder of the day is filled with receptions and award ceremonies (including the **Alumni Achievement Awards** at 1:15 p.m. and the **Bobcat Hall of Fame Dinner** at 5:30 p.m.)

Throughout the weekend, the FSU Roper Gallery will feature the exhibition **"Remembering Stephanie,"** showcasing the artwork of FSU faculty and Stephanie Roper, a Frostburg student who was tragically murdered in 1982 and for whom the Gallery is named. The first showing of the weekend will be at 7 p.m. in the Fine Arts Building.

Friday ends with a concert by alumni-favorite (and former Frostburg student) **Harry Traynham** with his performance of classic rock tunes spanning three decades. The free concert, courtesy of the FSU Alumni Association, will start at 8 p.m. in the Lane University Center Appalachian Station.

The **Frostburg Community Parade**, featuring FSU students, local children and community organizations, starts Saturday's events at 10:30 a.m. on Frostburg's Main Street. The event leads right to a **Campus Carnival** for the family with face painting, caricatures, balloon artistry and much more from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Lane University Center. Horse-drawn carriage rides around campus will also be available. The technology showcase, **"Get Smart!"** will bring observers up to date with the latest hi-tech endeavors by FSU students from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Lewis J. Ort Library.

The Western Maryland Scenic Railroad will holds its annual **Pumpkin Train** from 11:30 a.m. from 3 p.m. Call 1-800-TRAINS50 or 301-759-4400 for tickets.

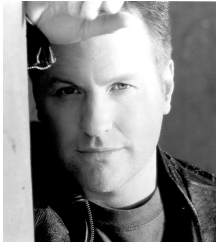
From football to soccer to field hockey, root for the home team at any of the **Bobcat sporting events** sched-

uled throughout Saturday afternoon. The **Homecoming football game** against Ursinis College will start at 1 p.m. in Bobcat Stadium. During half-time festivities, FSU will crown this year's **Homecoming queen and king**.

Reacquaint yourself with familiar faces at the various reunions held throughout Saturday leading up to two major events – the popular Annual NPHC Step Show and the Homecoming Capstone event, this year featuring country artist Collin Raye.

The National Pan-Hellenic Council Step Show starts at 6:30 p.m. (doors open 5:30) in the Lane University Center Manicur Assembly Hall. Be sure to get your tickets the day of the event for this popular performance that features the finest in Precision Step.

"An Evening with Collin Raye (and special guest star **Chad Brock**)" begins at 9 p.m. in the Cordts Center Main Arena. Often described as "the man with the most musical tenor in country music," singer/songwriter Collin Raye has 12 number one singles and four platinum albums. Chad Brock, who will open for Raye, sings such fan-favorite hits as "Yes," "Ordinary Life" and "Lightning Does the Work." The event is



Collin Raye

part of the FSU Cultural Events Series. For tickets, call x3137. Raye's appearance at Homecoming is noteworthy because it coincides with the observance of **National "Make a Difference Day."** Raye is a member of the special day's advisory board. FSU will honor "Make a Difference Day" by hosting "First Book," an organization dedicated to providing books for children in need. An information table will be set up in the Lane University Center during the Campus Carnival.

"Service" is the theme of the start of Sunday, as the FSU Student Government Association holds its annual **"Big Event Frostburg City Clean Up"** at 12:30 p.m. Teams travel the local streets, picking up litter.

At 3 p.m., the **President's Concert** in the Pealer Recital Hall will feature outstanding alumni, faculty and student musicians. The event is free.

Finally, the FSU Planetarium will round out the weekend events with the show **"Cosmos,"** a look at Carl Sagan's fascinating survey of the universe at 4 and 7 p.m. in Tawes Hall.

For a complete list of events, call the FSU Office of Alumni Programs at x4068 or visit online at www.frostburg.edu and click on "Homecoming" at the top of the page.

Homecoming/Halloween Parade Marchers Sought

This year, FSU and the City of Frostburg have joined forces and combined their annual Homecoming and Halloween parades to create one event scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 26 at 10:30 a.m. The

parade will officially be part of FSU's "Take Me Home" Homecoming 2002 celebration.

Organizers are seeking school bands and classes, civic groups and individuals who want to participate in this year's event. Participants from past FSU Homecoming and Frostburg Halloween parades are encouraged to march again in this year's combined event.

To find out more information or to register your organization, float or parade unit, please contact Lynn Ketterman, parade coordinator, at 301-687-0149 before Friday, Oct. 11th.

Monday Mornings, Muffins and Honors Info

The Honors Program is offering a series of Monday morning information sessions for students and faculty members participating in the program and those who are interested in it.

On Oct. 7, the session is in preparation for a trip to New York City for those who have registered and paid their deposits.

All sessions are at 9 a.m. in the Fuller House, home of the Honors Program, 19 Braddock Road. A continental breakfast will be available.

Regents Cup is Nov. 16 at Towson Stadium

The Fourth Annual Regents Cup Game – putting Frostburg State's Bobcat football team against the Salisbury Seagulls – will be Saturday, Nov.

16, at 1:30 p.m. at Towson Stadium, Towson University. For those keeping track, FSU has won two of the first three Regents Cup Games, including last year's 30-27 OT victory at RFK Stadium.



Faculty & Staff Authors Invited to Participate

The FSU Alumni Association and Office of Alumni Programs invite faculty and staff who have authored books to participate in The Authors Corner during Homecoming. A special corner in Lane University Center or Lewis J. Ort Library (site dependent upon participation) will be reserved for alumni, faculty and staff to showcase their books Saturday, Oct. 26, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Authors Corner is new to the traditional Homecoming events and will serve to reflect the creative and academic climate of FSU. Contact Colleen Peterson at cpeterson@frostburg.edu or x4068 by Oct. 9.

Bobcat Club Hall of Fame Dinner Oct. 25

The FSU Bobcat Club will hold its 32nd Annual Hall of Fame Dinner and Induction Ceremony on Friday, Oct. 25. Inductees for 2002 include:

125: **Susan Eisel** – Administrative Assistant, HPER Department, 1966 to present. (Eisel was recently awarded one of six 2002 University of Maryland Board of Regents Awards for Exceptional Contribution to the Institution – Nonexempt.)

126: **Keith Shorter** – Football, 1986-1990.

127: **Kathy Marron** – Women’s Field Hockey 1971, 1972-1974 and Women’s Lacrosse 1973 and 1975.

128: **Diane Wisniewski** – Women’s Basketball, 1980-1984.

The event will be in Manicur Assembly Hall, beginning with a cash bar from 5:30 to 6 p.m. The cost is \$18 per person. The deadline for reservations is Monday, Oct. 21. Make checks payable to the FSU Bobcat Club. Reservations may be made by contacting Bud Poland, executive director, FSU Bobcat Club, 4 Warfield Place, LaVale, MD 21502, or calling (301) 729-1575.

Open Enrollment Update from Human Resources

The State has postponed the Open Enrollment period for calendar year 2003 benefits until mid-November 2002. Open Enrollment is the time when employees can enroll in new plans or cancel or make changes to existing plans or coverage levels. The IVR (Interactive Voice Response) automated telephone enrollment system will be used again this year.

The Office of Human Resources will keep employees informed about the specific dates of Open Enrollment and FSU’s on-campus Benefits Fair as they are finalized. Employees currently enrolled in a benefits plan also will receive an Open Enrollment Benefits Statement and instructions on using the IVR system to make any changes to current benefits or to add new benefits.

Commencement Announcement

Any student planning to complete his or her studies during this semester must first officially file for graduation.

Undergraduate students should contact the Registrar’s Office (x4349, 144 Pullen Hall), while graduate students should submit paperwork to Graduate Services (x7053, 141 Pullen Hall). Special mailings and notices regarding Commencement are sent only

to those students who have completed all filings. The initial mailing will be sent the third week of October.

Caps and gowns are provided at no charge to all students cleared to participate in Commencement; however, each student

is responsible for placing an order in advance. Orders should be submitted to the University Bookstore by Oct. 21. All graduating students are also encouraged to attend the Grad Fair on Monday, Oct. 14, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the LUC Manicur Assembly Hall.

Advance information about Com-

mencement is always available on the University’s Web site. Go to www.frostburg.edu, click on “current students,” then on “academics.” A drop-down screen will list Commencement. (You may also type in www.frostburg.edu/events/commenc.htm.) For information, contact Beth Deatelhauser in Special Academic Services, x3130, 127 Performing Arts Center, or by e-mail at bdeatelhauser@frostburg.edu.

Foreign Student Information Seminar

The Center for International Education will be holding a seminar for all faculty and staff on Wednesday, Oct. 9, in the Lane University Center, Room 202 from noon to 1 p.m. (a second mini-session will be held at 1 p.m. for those who can’t make the noon session). This workshop is designed to bring faculty and staff up to date with changes since Sept. 11 and provide a broad foundation in INS/Dept. of State terminology. It will also address issues associated with employment, funding for students, and academic advising. All faculty and staff who have regular contact with foreign students (or who may in the future) are strongly encouraged to attend. For more information, contact Amy Simes at x3091 or asimes@frostburg.edu.



Social Work Dept. Sets Information Sessions

The Department of Social Work will hold a series of information sessions for persons interested in a career in social work. The meetings will include information on the curriculum requirements of the social work program at FSU.

The sessions will be at the Department of Social Work Offices in room 029, Guild Center, on the FSU campus.

The dates and times are Saturday, Oct. 5, from 10 a.m. to noon; Tuesday, Nov. 12, from 6 to 8 p.m.; Wednesday, Dec. 4, from 6 to 8 p.m.; Saturday, Feb. 15, 2003, from 10 a.m. to noon; Thursday, March 13, 2003, from noon to 2 p.m.; and Saturday, April 19, 2003, from 10 a.m. to noon.

The sessions are designed for people who want to learn more about the social work profession and FSU’s undergraduate social work program. For those who intend to apply, the sessions serve as orientation to the major and provide details about admissions criteria, course requirements, curriculum planning, social work licensing and continued study beyond the undergraduate level.

Those who plan to attend are asked to call the Department of Social Work at x7497 at least one day in advance of the session.

The FSU undergraduate social work program is fully accredited by the Council on Social Work Education. Graduates are eligible to take state

licensing exams at the undergraduate level and are potentially eligible to apply for advanced standing in master’s degree programs in social work. Advanced standing allows students to complete their Master of Social Work degrees in less time than it would otherwise take.

The U.S. Department of Labor projects that social work is one of 10 occupation groups at the bachelor’s degree level most likely to experience the fastest growth through the next decade. FSU social work graduates have secured employment in fields such as children and family services, gerontology, developmental disabilities, mental health and health care.

FSU’s Department of Social work offers a wide variety of co-curricular opportunities, including community service experiences, annual lobby day field trips to Annapolis and Washington, opportunities to engage in applied social research projects and a summer human service practicum in Ireland. All social work students complete a full-time internship in a human service setting the last semester before graduation. Field placements are available in hospital, correctional, school and community-based agency settings, among others.

For information about FSU’s social work program, contact Dr. Baxter Wright, department chair, at x3157.

Dunham’s Sports Discount Cards

Special Customer Discount Cards good for 10 percent off non-sale purchases at Dunham’s Sports are available from the Office of Human Resources and Payroll & Employee Services. This exclusive offer is for current FSU employees and their immediate families only. The discount cards can be used at all Dunham’s locations from now until Dec. 31, 2004. Note that the cards cannot be combined with any other offer or be used on the Dunham’s Web site. Some exclusions apply, and those items are listed on the card.

Open Meeting on Facilities Master Plan

Roger V. Bruszewski, Vice President for Administration and Finance, will presenting information regarding the Facilities Master Plan on Tuesday, Oct. 8, at 10 a.m. in Lane University Center 201. The meeting is open to the entire campus community.

Points of Pride



Six more music compositions by **Jon Bauman**, professor of music, have been added to the collection of his works at the Bibliotheque Bozidar Kantuser, the International Center of Information for Contemporary Music in Paris, France.

The compositions are “Symphony No. 3,” “Symphony No. 4,” “String Quartet No. 3,” “Pathways” for violin and piano, “Moments” for solo clarinet and “Impressions” for solo flute.



The Bibliotheque Bozidar Kantuser is the largest central collection of published and unpublished scores of contemporary music in the world, with 23,000 scores from composers from 73 countries.

Tom Serfass, associate professor, Wildlife Ecology, along with his colleague, Rob Brooks at The Pennsylvania State University, gave the invited presentation, "River Otters and Fishers in Pennsylvania: An Approach to Predator Reintroduction," during the a special symposium, "Restoration of Wildlife and Their Habitats," at the 9th Annual Conference of The Wildlife Society (about 1,500 participants) in Bismark, N.D., Sept. 24-28.

Eight of the nine **FSU Social Work graduates** who took the Basic Examination for licensure in 2001 passed on the first try, a first-time passing rate of 89 percent. FSU's pass rate is five percentage points above the national average of 84 percent, according to figures from the Association of Social Work Boards.

Candidates who fail the Basic Examination may repeat the exam more than once. In 2001, three students who had failed in previous attempts retook the exam; two passed. Nationally, only 39 percent of candidates who repeat the tests pass them, nearly half of the FSU rate of 67 percent.

One hundred percent of the candidates passed the exam the first time in five of the past eight years. In those eight years, only five FSU candidates out of 72 total have failed the exam on the first try.



Deadlines

Attention all Education Students!

The application deadline for students entering Phase I, II or III of the Teacher Education Program is Monday, Oct. 14.

All applications should be returned to the Office of Unit Assessment, Framptom Hall room 206-6. For an application or information, contact Felicia Leary at x7953 or the Office of Unit Assessment.

Get Involved



United Campus Ministry

On Monday, Oct. 7, UCM will perform a service project at Frostburg Village Nursing Center. Meet at 6:30 p.m. behind Ort Library.

Fall Retreat Opportunity

Would you like to get away in a nice fall setting and enjoy the company of others? United Campus Ministry is sponsoring a fall retreat Oct. 11 to 13 at Camp Harmison in Berkeley Springs, W.Va. The theme will be "Many Parts, One Body." The cost is only \$15. For information, contact Larry Neumark at x7490 or neumark@mindspring.com.

Catholic Campus Ministry

Tuesday, Oct. 8, will be CCM's ice cream social at Osborne Newman Center at 7:30 p.m.

Special Ecumenical Worship Service

A special ecumenical worship service will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 9, at 7:30 p.m. in Cook Chapel (Frost Hall). This celebration will include student music, readings, prayers and a brief meditation. It is sponsored by the Baptist Student Ministry, Catholic Campus Ministry, InterVarsity Christian Fellowship and the United Campus Ministry.

Refreshments will follow in Bishop Murphy Hall in the Osborne Newman Center.

Internships



2003 Political Science Internship Meeting

There will be an important meeting of all students planning to intern in the Political Science Department in the spring, summer, or fall of 2003 on Tuesday, Oct. 8, at 4 p.m. in Old Main 104.

It is vital that you attend this meeting if you want to participate in a Political Science/Justice Studies internship at any time during 2003. (If you are unable to attend this meeting, please get in touch with John Bambacus as soon as possible in Guild Center 139, during office hours: MW 9-10 a.m. and TR 9-11 or by appointment. Or call x4283 or e-mail at jbambacus@frostburg.edu)

Of special interest for spring is the Maryland General Assembly Intern Program. Applicants must be either juniors or seniors and have a GPA of 3.0 or higher. A stipend is awarded for participation. The deadline is Oct. 18. Please see Bambacus for information and an application.

International



Financial Aid for Overseas Study

Students planning to study overseas during the 2003 intersession or spring semester should note that the application deadline for most scholarships, including the CIE scholarship, is Oct. 15. Scholarships are available from a number of sources, both on campus and off. Most financial aid will transfer overseas, and students on the Pell Grant may qualify for the Gilman scholarship, which will cover up to \$5,000 for overseas study.

Gilman Scholarship - Deadline Oct. 15

The Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship has begun its spring 2003

scholarship cycle. This program enables students who have limited financial means to participate in study abroad opportunities worldwide. The program provides awards of up to \$5,000 for U.S. citizen undergraduate students who plan to pursue semester or academic-year long study abroad opportunities in other countries. To be eligible, students must be receiving a Federal Pell Grant at the time of application and cannot be studying abroad in a country currently under a U.S. Department of State Travel Warning or in Cuba. The online application is now available at the Gilman Program Web site: www.iie.org/gilman.

Study Abroad Programs

The Center for International Education offers a variety of ways for FSU students to see the world. In many cases students register at FSU during a semester abroad and can take all financial aid with them and transfer credit back to FSU. For information on any of the programs or scholarships that may be available, check with Dr. Amy Simes at the CIE in the Fuller House on Braddock Road, call her at x3091 or e-mail her at asimes@frostburg.edu, or visit the CIE's new and improved Web page at www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm.

Study in Non-traditional Locations

FSU is affiliated with the School for International Training. This enables FSU students to study through SIT in over 50 locations while remaining registered at FSU. All financial aid will transfer. SIT offers programs in Africa, Asia, South America, Europe and Austral-asia. This is a fantastic opportunity for students who would like to spend a semester, year or summer off the beaten track.

Financial Aid for Studying Overseas

FSU students are able to transfer all federal financial aid overseas to help pay for study abroad programs, along with state and institutional aid for most FSU sponsored programs. The CIE also awards study abroad scholarships of \$500 and \$1,000 to qualifying students. Scholarship deadline for intersession and spring programs is Oct. 15. Many other state and national scholarships are also available to help cover overseas costs.

Semester Overseas for Same Price as FSU

The International Student Exchange Program (ISEP) allows FSU students to register at FSU, pay FSU tuition and housing, and then study overseas for a semester, year or summer at one of more than 140 locations. Students may take financial aid with them and may apply for scholarships from the CIE. Students may choose programs taught either in English or other languages. For the price of an airline ticket, this is a great way to earn credit toward your FSU degree while enjoying life in a foreign culture. Apply now for spring or fall 2003.

Choose from Over 20 Locations to Study

FSU affiliates with the American Institute for Foreign Study (AIFS), which offers study abroad programs in a

variety of locations at universities around the world. Programs are open to all majors. Study in Prague, South Africa or Japan. You may register at FSU and use your financial aid for all programs. AIFS offers scholarships to qualified students. Apply now for spring 2003.

Gain Work/Volunteer Experience Overseas

Students interested in working abroad should come by the CIE for information about internships, volunteer organizations and paid work overseas. Many organizations help students obtain jobs and work permits, and some help to arrange housing as well. Students can choose from short experiences (one to two months) to longer experiences (four to 12 months), or even look into a more serious commitment (one to three years). Destinations are available throughout the world.

Do Your Student Teaching in Copenhagen

Education majors who would like to earn a semester of FSU credits while studying in Denmark should apply now for the spring 2003 semester's exchange program with the KDAS School of Teacher Training in Copenhagen. Students complete projects and spend several weeks in Danish schools practicing student teaching skills. All courses are in English. Financial aid transfers and scholarships are available.

Study in Limerick, Ireland, Spring 2003

Students interested in taking part in the Ireland Exchange Program in Limerick during spring 2003 are encouraged to pick up an application at the CIE. Participants study at Mary Immaculate College and take one FSU class and three MIC classes. Next spring, Dr. Kenneth Witmer, Educational Professions, will accompany the group and teach three classes. All financial aid will transfer and scholarships are available.

Study Down Under

FSU is affiliated with AustraLearn, an organization that provides unique opportunities for students to study at universities in Australia and New Zealand. AustraLearn arranges cheap flights, an orientation program on the Great Barrier Reef, pre-registration and transcript evaluation. Students may choose from a broad range of courses at campuses in beautiful and exotic surroundings. Scholarships are available from both FSU and AustraLearn. Applications for spring 2003 are now being accepted.

Study in Newcastle, England

Students interested in studying at the University of Northumbria in Newcastle, England, may apply now for spring 2003 semester. Newcastle is one of the liveliest cities in the UK, just across the Channel from Amsterdam, and three hours north of London (one hour south of Edinburgh) by train. Courses are available in a wide variety of subjects. The cost of the program is about the same as one semester at FSU (in-state)

and all financial aid will transfer.

Learn More about Study Abroad

Students who would like to learn more about study abroad opportunities and how they fit into a degree program may come to the CIE. The staff will provide an overview of programs and requirements and have applications available. Scholarship and financial aid information will also be available.

Students may use the CIE library and computer to search for programs. Many videos are also available.

Music from Around the World

Tune in to the university radio station, WFWM (91.9 FM), every Wednesday between 7 and 8 p.m. for "Planet Frostburg." Listen to both traditional and contemporary world music and get the latest about study abroad.



FSU Events Calendar

Look for the FSU weekly events calendar on the Web at www.frostburg.edu/weekcal.htm

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7

- * UCM Service Project at Frostburg Village Nursing Center (Meet @ 6:30 p.m. behind Ort Library)
- * Women's Volleyball: LaRoche College 7:00 p.m. Home

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8

- * Women's Tennis: LaRoche College 3:00 p.m. Home
- * Women's Soccer: LaRoche College 4:00 p.m. Home
- * Women's Field Hockey: Juniata College 4:00 p.m. Home

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

- * Men's Soccer: LaRoche College 4:00 p.m. Home
- CAB Meeting 6:30 p.m. Lane 202
- RHA Meeting 7:00 p.m. Atkinson Room
- * BSA Mating & Dating Workshop 7:00 p.m. Lane 142
- * BURG Karaoke Contest 7:00 p.m. Derezinski Lounge/Loft
- * UCM/CCM/BSM Ecumenical Worship Service . 7:00 p.m. Cook Chapel

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10

- * Women's Volleyball: Penn State-Altoona 6:30 p.m. Home
- * SGA Senate Meeting 7:30 p.m. Atkinson Room

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11

- * UCM Fall Retreat (Camp Harmison, Berkeley Springs, WV) (10/11-10/13)
- * Center Stage Event 7:00 p.m. Lane Game Room
- * University Theatre Production: "South Pacific" 8:00 PAC Drama Theatre

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12

- * Enrollment Management Open House 8:30 a.m. Lane University Center
- * Women's Volleyball: Waynesburg College 10:00 a.m. Away
- * Women's Field Hockey: Catholic University 1:00 p.m. Home
- * Football: Wesley College 1:00 p.m. Home
- * Women's Soccer: Lake Erie College 1:00 p.m. Away
- * University Theatre Production: "South Pacific" ... 2 & 8 p.m. PAC Drama Theatre
- * Women's Tennis: Penn State-Altoona 3:00 p.m. Away
- * Men's Soccer: Lake Erie College 3:00 p.m. Away
- * Center Stage Open Mic 8:00 p.m. Derezinski Lounge/Loft

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13

- * CCM Mass noon & 8:00 p.m. Cook Chapel
- * Guest Artist: Preshanti Navaratnam, Soprano .. 3:00 p.m. Pealer Recital Hall
- * Planetarium: "Cosmos" 4:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. Tawes Hall

* Open to the public – Questions? – Call 301-687-4411. All information subject to change

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