



THE UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG

# CAMPUS NEWS

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## THE DUBLIN CONNECTION

The Minister for Education, Senator Susan Ryan, announced last St. Patrick's Day that Australia would contribute \$A200,000 towards the cost of the permanent endowment of the Chair of Australian History at University College, Dublin. A further \$A200,000 is to be provided from a private source.

Senator Ryan said that she was delighted that this Chair was to be permanently endowed not only because of the strong historic links between Australia and Ireland but also because it underlies the increasing interest in Australian Studies internationally.

Since 1976 the Department of Foreign Affairs has been making annual grants to support this Chair but

these would no longer be necessary with the permanent endowment of the Chair.

Senator Ryan said that interest in the Australian History course in Ireland had been widespread. Last year some 130 students were enrolled in the various courses including some at honours level and the course has been acknowledged as extremely successful.

Colm Kiernan, Associate Professor in History at the University of Wollongong, has occupied the Dublin Chair since 6 January 1980, the second Australian academic to do so. He will be returning to the University of Wollongong on 3 September 1985.

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### RECORD GRADUATION CEREMONIES FOR UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG

This year 860 University of Wollongong graduands received their degrees from the Chancellor at 6 ceremonies held on 1st, 2nd and 3rd May, 1985.

Speakers who delivered the occasional address at each of the ceremonies were:

Wednesday 1st May, 10.30 a.m. ceremony for Engineering, Metallurgy and Education  
Occasional Address by Emeritus Professor G. Brinson.

Wednesday 1st May, 2.30 p.m. ceremony for Arts and Mathematics  
Occasional Address by Emeritus Professor G.E. Roberts, Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Macquarie University.

Thursday, 2nd May, 10.30 a.m. ceremony for Commerce, Creative Arts and Industrial Studies  
Occasional Address by Dr. Martha Cleary, Project Manager of I.C.I., member of Commission for the Future.

Thursday 2nd May, 2.30 p.m. ceremony for Arts and Science  
Occasional Address by Mr. Frank Hambly, Secretary, Australian Vice-Chancellor's Committee.

Friday 3rd May, 10.30 a.m. ceremony for Education  
Occasional Address by Dr. Peter Wilenski, Chairman of the Commonwealth Public Service Board.

Friday 3rd May, 2.30 p.m. ceremony for Education  
Occasional Address by Professor Grant Harman, Head of the Centre for Administrative and Higher Education Studies, University of New England.

Co-recipients of the University Medal were Janet Margaret Lysaght - Bachelor of Arts (Honours Class 1) and Anthony David Hobbins - Bachelor of Engineering - Electrical Engineering (Honours Class 1).

### BERAN INVITED TO PARIS

Dr. Harry Beran of the Philosophy Department has been invited to present a paper at the triennial conference of the International Political Science Association, to be held in Paris in July.

His paper will be entitled 'Which groups have a moral right to political self-determination?' He will argue for the view that liberal democratic theory requires a much more permissive answer to the question than is generally recognized.

## JOHN ANTILL RECEIVES HONORARY DOCTORATE AT 81

John Antill, one of Australia's greatest living artists received the first Honorary Doctorate of Creative Arts from the new School of Creative Arts in the University of Wollongong.

"It is astonishing that a composer with such a vibrant personality, and who is so well known throughout the world should not have been recognised by an Australian University", said Professor Edward Cowie, the Head of the School of Creative Arts.

"Our School of Creative Arts is only just over a year old, yet we have formed a family of students and staff, equipped with some of the most exciting degree structures in the world, who felt most strongly that Mr. Antill should be the first recipient of the Doctorate of Creative Arts", Professor Cowie added.

The music of Antill is best known through his great work "Corroboree", but there are many significant works which have not yet received public performance. Professor Cowie stated, "in inviting John Antill to receive this important degree, we welcome him into one of the most innovative Arts Education Families in the world, and we see it as our duty to promote the life-work of one of this country's greatest Creative thinkers".

An Honorary Degree of Master of Arts was granted on the same day to Luigi Strano, described by Professor Barry Leal as Australia's finest Italo-Australian poet.

## OVERSEAS STUDENTS RECEPTION PROGRAMME

Mr. Khalid Ali of the S.R.C. has provided the Editor with a comprehensive report on the 1984 initiative on helping new overseas students settle in Wollongong.

"The idea of the project was first proposed by the International Chinese Students Association and the Association of Indonesian Students to the S.R.C. in October, 1984", said Mr. Ali. "Since then, the three parties involved held a number of meetings to decide on issues that had to be settled before the term ended. As decisions were made in a very short time, the project is far from perfect. However given the shortage of time and resources in terms of money, manpower and experience, we are satisfied with the result", he said.

"Most of the work was done in November when everybody was preparing for the final examinations, in December when most of the members of the three associations were away for holidays and in February when people were busily preparing to start a new term. However we are fortunate in that people still gave their help and support to us though they did not have much time to spare", said Mr. Ali.

"We want to make use of this opportunity", he said, "to say thanks to University Administration, the A.D.A.B. the S.C.O.S. and Liz Hilton (Manager of International House) for sending relevant information overseas for us. We also want to thank all those students who gave up their precious time before the examination period to prepare the information sheets, those who took our information sheets to their home country when they went back for holidays, those who went to the airport to receive new students, and those who helped the new students to settle down in Wollongong. Finally we would like to thank Mr. Sing Pung Lo, Chairman of the International Chinese Students Association for supervising

the program and helping in various spots in both Sydney and Wollongong when volunteers were available."

"We are very happy to hear that the need of this program and other services for overseas students is recognised by many people and the Overseas Students Council of Wollongong Area is in the process of being formed to give more extensive help to the overseas students in these areas" said Mr. Ali.

A full copy of the report is available from the Editor.

## UNIVERSITY AND BEIJING AGREEMENT CONFIRMED

The exchange agreement of scholarship and personnel which exists between The University of Wollongong and the University of Iron and Steel Technology in Beijing was formalised at a ceremony at the University on Monday, 27 May, 1985.

A highlight of the proceedings was the presentation to the Chinese visitors of an oil painting of Lake Illawarra by John Eveleigh of the School of Creative Arts at the University. The painting was presented to the Beijing representatives by Professor Peter Rousch, recently appointed as a second Deputy Vice-Chancellor. It will symbolise the strengthening of the academic and commercial bond which now exists between Wollongong and China.

## ESTABLISHMENT OF STANDING COMMITTEE ON EXTERNAL STUDIES

The Minister for Education, Senator Susan Ryan, announced the establishment of a Standing Committee on External Studies within the Commonwealth Tertiary Education Commission.

Senator Ryan said that this was an important initiative being undertaken by the Commission. The External Studies Committee would be a significant means of improving the co-ordination of external studies throughout tertiary education in every part of Australia and in exploring alternative means of increasing participation at the tertiary level.

The key objectives of the Committee will be to support the provision of information to potential students on external courses within tertiary education, to encourage the preparation and production of external studies course materials of the best possible quality and at minimal cost, and to investigate the impact of technology on distance education.

The Committee will focus on such issues as:

- the use of new technologies for on-site as well as off-campus education;
- the need to make adequate provision for the disadvantaged; and
- co-operation between education and the media in the production of course materials.

The Standing Committee is to be chaired by Professor Richard St. Clair Johnson, Special Commissioner of the Commonwealth Tertiary Education Commission. The members of the Committee have been chosen in terms of their widely based expertise and potential input. The Committee has been kept as small as possible to emphasize its expert character.

The Committee's first meeting will be held at the end of April. The Committee will consult widely, especially with State co-ordinating authorities, interest groups and individuals with an interest in external studies.

Initially, the following eight people have been appointed:

Professor Richard St. Clair Johnson, Special Commissioner, Commonwealth Tertiary Education Commission.

Professor F.R. Jevons, Vice-Chancellor, Deakin University.

Dr. Maureen Smith, Director, Extension Service, the University of Western Australia.

Mr. Jack Foks, Head, Victorian TAFE Off-Campus Network.

Ms. Delia Craig, Principal, College of External Studies, New South Wales.

Ms. Anne Deveson, freelance writer and film maker.

Mr. Eric Willmot, Deputy Secretary, Department of Aboriginal Affairs.

Mr. Dean Ashenden, Ministerial Consultant, Commonwealth Department of Education.

Further information: Tony Gallagher (062) 643910.

## General Notices

### DISABLED STUDENTS

by B.C. Moldrich  
University Secretary

Disabled students who feel that they have, or are likely to have, special problems associated with examinations are invited to contact Beth Urwin in the Counselling Centre (ext. 3592) or Harry Alla in the Examination Section (Student Administration, ext. 3925) by 10th May, 1985.

All enquiries will be treated in confidence.

### YOUTH FOR UNDERSTANDING

by Les Phillips

In January 1986, through Youth for Understanding, a non-profit educational exchange program, 260 international students will be arriving in Australia from U.S.A., Europe, Canada, Scandinavia, South America and Japan. What we need in the Illawarra is 30 host families; these are the backbone of the organization. Being a host family is a rich and rewarding learning experience, the world coming into your home. If you have room in your lives for a young person from overseas, then why not take part in the magic of sharing another culture. In 1986 a rewarding experience can also be available to Australian high school students who would like to live overseas and go to school for 12 months in any of these countries. Youth for Understanding is now taking applications from students wishing to take part in this unique experience for 1986. Should either of these experiences appeal to you, "host family" or "student", please telephone Youth for Understanding's regional co-ordinator, Mrs. Val Kill on 845987.

### THE BROADCASTERS BARBECUE - HELP BY ATTENDING

Illawarra Community Broadcasters are having a fund raising B-B-Q on Saturday 11th May, at 12.30 p.m. to be held at the home of Sue and Rob Salmon, 20 Parrish Ave., Mt. Pleasant. Tickets at \$12 per head include lunch, refreshments and entertainment, which will be provided by The Illawarra Folk Club. Tickets are available from Hugh Spencer: 270024 or Sue Salmon: 848468.

### NEW UNI TAXI RANK

A taxi rank has been installed on the intersection of Northfields Ave. and Union Road. It will be removed if it is not used.

A taxi ride is 60 cents cheaper if you don't ring up. So check the rank first before ringing.

### ART THERAPY

12.30 p.m. each Thursday at the Counselling Centre - Using a variety of art media we will be exploring personal resources and dilemmas and creativity - we will not be artistic - if you're interested contact Greg Hampton (27-0592).

### CARNIVALE 1985: 14-22 SEPTEMBER

People wishing to organise an activity in conjunction with Carnivale 1985 should contact the Editor on 270073.

### REWARD

A substantial reward is offered for the recovery or return of a 10" telescope and other fittings in an undamaged condition which were removed late December 1984 from the University Observatory on Mt. Keira Road.

Anyone with any information should contact MBS Loss Adjusters (phone 271700) or Susan Abraham (ext. 3931) Administrative Officer, Finance.

The reward offer is open until 24th May, 1985.

### MOVE FOR FOLK HIGH SCHOOL AT DUNOG

The Australian Folk High Schools Association Limited is a non-profit company formed to create a model, pilot Australian version of the Scandinavian folk high school.

Residential adult education along folk high school lines exists in more than fourteen countries. In most countries the number of schools is expanding in response to educational, social and economic problems similar to those faced by Australia.

The first stage of the proposed school will cost about eighty thousand dollars - thereafter the project will be self funding from student fees and other earned income. If readers would like to contribute to this initiative by a group of experienced adult educators representing a wide range of programme providers, they may join the Association as a full voting member, receive news sheets, for \$25, or make a tax deductible donation to the Association's Building Fund (\$2 minimum).

Further enquiries to: The Secretary, Australian Folk High Schools Association Limited, 4 Market Street, Hinton, N.S.W. 2321.



## ASSOCIATION OF COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITIES: PUBLICATIONS

Pamphlets about the following publications are displayed on 'Campus News' noticeboard.

ACU Publications  
British Universities' Guide to Graduate Study  
Research Opportunities in Commonwealth Developing Countries  
Grants for Study Visits by University Administrators and Librarians  
Scholarship Guide for Commonwealth Postgraduate Students

## SCI-FACTS

The March Newsletter of the Department of Science and Technology is available from the Editor. The following topics are covered:

Australia and China Sign Memorandum of Understanding  
Wildlife Survey on Macquarie Island  
C.E.P. Jobs in Antarctic Division  
World Meteorological Day  
Advanced Materials: A Key Technology for Australia?  
ASEAN-Australia Science and Technology Meeting  
Nice Weather For It

## UNIVERSITY COURSES BY SCAN

Delivery of university courses by satellite communications systems is at present being studied in the western provinces and the Northern Territories of Canada under a proposal known as SCAN. This proposal provides for audiovisual communications which would considerably enhance the effectiveness of the usual kind of external studies programmes, such as those undertaken by the University of New England. The possibility of using such a system in the far west of New South Wales with a coastal university as a primary base will be studied in Canada next month by Dr. Phil de Lacey of the Faculty of Education at the University of Wollongong.

## CASHING OF CHEQUES

Please note that Salary Cheques issued by the University may be cashed under special circumstances and on production of University I.D. card at the National Bank, Campus Centre.

This service is normally restricted to customers of the Bank and does NOT extend to cheques other than University salary payments for non customers.

For enquiries please phone: Mrs. Maureen Sullivan - 286652 or Bob Davey - 286311.

## PROFILE ILLAWARRA

A copy of "Profile Illawarra", produced by the Illawarra Industry Development Board, is available from the Editor.

## ENGINEERING/SCIENCE BUILDING PROJECT — BUILDING NO. 35

The construction of the Engineering/Science building project has progressed reasonably well in spite of delays caused by wet weather and industrial action by the Builders Labourers Federation.

The reinforced concrete frame and slab have reached roof level for the South Wing and first floor level for the North Wing. Electrical services, air conditioning and plumbing works are in progress. Brickwork for wall partitions has commenced.

Delays, as mentioned above, have resulted in the contractual completion date being extended to February 1986. However the main contractor has indicated that every effort would be made to complete the project by the end of December 1985, weather and industrial disputes permitting. At this moment, indications are that the contractor's target completion date is not unrealistic.

The main contract was let to Messrs. L.W. Giles Pty. Ltd. of Heathcote last September for a contract amount of \$5.5 million. The Architect is Mr. Brian Griffin of Brian Griffin Pty. Ltd. and the consulting engineer for the structural, electrical and mechanical engineering works is Messrs. Julius, Poole and Gibson, Pty. Ltd. Messrs. Ledingham, Hensby, Oxley and Partners Pty. Ltd. is the hydraulics consulting engineer. The University is represented by the Co-ordinating Engineer, Buildings and Grounds, Mr. M.S. Wong, who has overall control of the project.

The new building, when completed, will house the departments of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Biology and Geology.

## COMMONWEALTH REVIEW OF AUSTRALIAN STUDIES

An informal group of staff members is planning to make a submission, or submissions, to the Committee To Review Australian Studies in Tertiary Education.

Would any other staff members interested please contact Joan Hutchinson, Secretary to the Faculty of Humanities, ext. 3709.

The terms of reference of the review are set out below:

"The Minister for Education, Senator the Hon. Susan Ryan, has appointed a Committee to review Australian studies in tertiary education. The work of this Committee forms part of the National Program of Projects and Events for the Bicentenary developed by the Australian Bicentennial Authority. The Committee consists of Dr. Kay Daniels (Chairperson), Assoc. Prof. Bruce Bennett and Mr. Humphrey McQueen. The Committee invites submissions from individuals or organisations on any of the matters in the following Terms of Reference. The Committee is required to:

1. (i) review the provision of Australian studies in tertiary education institutions covering universities, colleges of advanced education and TAFE;
- (ii) make recommendations for the development of Australian studies in tertiary education in Australia, and overseas;

Note: Australian studies is to be defined as including all studies dealing with a distinctly Australian subject matter and is not limited to those studies designated Australian studies with a capital 'S'.

2. In undertaking the above, the Committee will pay attention to:
  - (i) the place of Australian studies as a discipline (in courses entitled 'Australian Studies');

within general course areas (e.g. literature, history, geography); within fields of study which combine a number of course areas (e.g. Aboriginal studies, women's studies, multi-cultural studies); and as areas of research;

- (ii) the role of Australian studies in science and technology and in professional and technical training;
- (iii) the needs of institutions providing courses in teacher education;
- (iv) the role of tertiary education institutions in developing and promoting an understanding in the general community of Australian society, history, culture and the built and natural environments;
- (v) any other related matters.

Deadline for submissions is 29 May, 1985.

## Equal Employment Opportunity Project

### STRATEGY DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS

Following the Strategy Development Workshops on 11 February, 1985, the Affirmative Action Working Party has recommended that further workshops be held to refine the information obtained, where necessary, and recommend strategies in areas which were not covered by the original workshops due to lack of time.

All members of the academic and general staff are invited to attend the Workshops and provide direct input for the strategies which will be incorporated in the Management Plan.

Please advise the E.E.O. office by 17th May which Workshop(s) you will be attending - Phone 3030 or 3917.

Workshop No. 1 - Recruitment - Academic and General: Co-ordinator, Dr. D. Hogan  
Monday, 27 May, 10.00 a.m. - 12 noon, Union Hall.

Workshop No. 2 - Selection and Appointment - Academic and General: Co-ordinator, Professor L. Kane-Maguire.  
Monday, 20th May, 10.00 a.m. - 12 noon, Council Room.

Workshop No. 3 - Induction: Co-ordinator, Ms. M. Baker.  
Monday, 27th May, 2.00 p.m. - 4.00 p.m., Union Board Room.

Workshop No. 4 - Training and Staff Development: Co-ordinator, Mr. B.C. Moldrich.  
Wednesday, 22nd May, 10.00 a.m. - 12.00 noon, Union Board Room.

Workshop No. 5 - Promotion and Lateral Transfer: Co-ordinator, Dr. J. Panter.  
Monday, 27th May, 10.00 a.m. - 12.00 noon, Union Board Room.

Workshop No. 6 - Conditions of Service (Including Child-Care): Co-ordinator, Ms. H. Kamenos.  
Monday, 20th May, 10.00 - 12.00 noon, Union Board Room.

Workshop No. 7 - Research Funding: Co-ordinator, Professor L. Kane-Maguire.  
Wednesday, 22nd May, 2.00 p.m. - 4.00 p.m., Union Board Room.



## Campus Community Interface

### LOST FRIENDS

Could anyone knowing the whereabouts of some lost members of the Friends please contact Giles Pickford on (042) 270073. Their names are:

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| G. Watchirs     | C. Leigh      |
| G.J. Freeman    | J. Leigh      |
| C.P. Knoblanche | B. Lee        |
| L. Connaughton  | J.M. Collison |
| J.B. Smith      | W.F. Miller   |
| N.H. Rahi       | D.P. Moody    |
| G. O'Neill      | C.C. Townend  |
| G. Chaudhry     | Z.I. Khan     |
| M.L. Pagnan     | J.E. Mealey   |
| G. Chorvat      |               |

### VISITING CATHOLIC SCHOLAR

His Lordship the Bishop of Sale, Bishop Eric D'Arcy, a Philosophy graduate from the University of Melbourne, will be the Friends Visiting Catholic Scholar for 1985.

Date: 2nd August, 1985

Venues: 12.30 p.m. Union Common Room - (light luncheon served)

6.30 for 7 p.m. Renown Court (dinner meeting)

Topics for both addresses will be publicized later.

## Letters

Dear Mr. Pickford,

I refer to an article published in the 29th March, 1985, edition of Campus News titled "60% Limit on Male Teacher Promotions".

While the information in the transcript was accurate, statements made by Dr. G. Moens were not and I wish to take this opportunity to correct them. The EEO Management Plan for the Education Teaching Service was launched by the Minister for Education, Mr. R. Cavalier and the Director-General of Education, Mr. D. Swan on 19th March, 1985 and has been distributed to all state schools throughout New South Wales.

The statement that "a quota of 40% of women in promotions positions will be reserved in schools as an implementation of an Affirmative Action Plan" is inaccurate and misleading. The strategy introduces an



9th April, 1985

Affirmative Action program, consistent with the object of the Anti-Discrimination (Amendment) Act, 1980, by first offering 40% of vacant Primary and Secondary promotions positions to eligible women applicants. It is a target of 40% at each level not a quota. Only women who are qualified, eligible and who apply will be considered for appointment. The notion of quotas in the American sense of lowering standards to fill positions is not consistent with the New South Wales legislation and is unacceptable to the Department of Education.

Dr. Moens statement that "merit will be replaced by sex in many cases as a criterion for promotion" is also misleading. Under the present system the Department of Education combines merit and seniority in the appointment of teachers to promotions positions. Merit is involved when applicants are assessed for placement on promotions lists. Once placed on a list it is their order or seniority on that list which determines their appointment. The Affirmative Action program will in effect re-arrange the order in which teachers are offered promotions positions to give the first offer to eligible women applicants. If a woman either does not hold placement on the appropriate list or does not apply for one of the identified positions it will be filled by the most senior eligible male applicant. This program will operate for 5 years to redress the past discrimination and disadvantage to women.

In another Strategy called the "Open Advertisement Program" not mentioned by Dr. Moens, 10% of all vacant Infants, Primary and Secondary promotions positions will be advertised and filled by interview. In this program we have placed greater emphasis on merit in filling 10% of vacant positions as any teacher, male or female who holds placement on the appropriate promotions list can apply for any position advertised. The teacher appointed will be the "best person" for the job, selected through interview. This program will operate in addition to the Affirmative Action Program thus leaving 50% of vacant promotions positions still filled under the present seniority order.

These programs were devised as part of the NSW Government Equal Employment Opportunity Program following four years of detailed research. The Director-General of Education, Mr. D. Swan, the Deputy Director-General of EEO, Mr. B. Winder and Senior Officers of the Department believe that these strategies will address the critically low level in the representation of women in promotions positions in the short term and introduce a more equitable and flexible promotions systems in the long term by ensuring equal employment opportunity for all.

I hope these points of clarification will assist your readers to come to a more informed and accurate view of two of the 91 strategies included in the EEO Management Plan for the Education Teaching Service.

Yours sincerely,

Kerry Hyland,  
Acting E.E.O. Co-ordinator,  
E.E.O. Unit (Education Teaching Service)  
Department of Education,  
35 Bridge Street, Sydney.

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Dear Ladies and Sirs,

Between July 1984 and March 1985 I had the opportunity to spend a sabbatical at your university, within the Department of Psychology. Back at my home university now, I like to express my deepest thanks to you for the marvellous time in Australia, the University of Wollongong and the Department of Psychology. In my view, the stay was extremely successful, both professionally and privately. I found a lot of support but also various opportunities for my research and teaching interests, and also some challenge to improve my professional knowledge, and of course my language skills. I am very sure that this experience will influence all my further activities.

I came as a guest but I leave as a friend.

Sincerely yours,

(Prof. Dr. Bernd Gasch)  
University of Dortmund.

## Concerts, Exhibitions and Entertainment

### SCHOOL OF CREATIVE ARTS

#### May Events:

Exhibitions - Long Gallery - University Entrance 4  
April 22 - May 12 - Peter Shepherd 'More than a Portrait'  
Drawings and Paintings

#### "JAZZ AT ITS BEST"

Don Harper and Stephen McKenna want to feature aspiring young jazz musicians in this relaxing but professional atmosphere.

Fridays between 7.00 - 10.00 p.m.

Enquire from School of Creative Arts or Union Office  
ext. 3781 or 297833.

#### QUILTING EXHIBITION

Graham Gallery, 135 Cordeaux Road, Kembla Heights.  
May 5 - 26, 1985.

Stitches by Elaine Bagnat, Gem Flood, Phyllis Green,  
Robin Jeffcoat, June Tolhurst, Wendy Vaughan.

Liz Jeneid, weaver, opened the exhibition on Sunday,  
May 5.

Hours: Saturday and Sunday 12 - 5 p.m. or by appointment. Phone (042) 715442.

#### SCHOOL OF CREATIVE ARTS EXHIBITION

"Young Artists of Promise". A free Public Exhibition of Drawing done by children and students in the Primary, Secondary and Tertiary Sectors of Education.

Preview Sunday, May 26, 11.30 a.m. to 1.15 p.m.

Open to public, Monday 27th May until Sunday 23rd June, 1985.  
Monday to Friday, 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and 2.00 to 4.00 p.m. Sundays, 2.00 to 5.00 p.m.

## Seminars

Further details about the seminars are shown on the 'Campus News' noticeboard.

### MATHEMATICS SEMINARS

Thursdays, 1.30 p.m., Room 204 Austin Keane Building

May 23

Dr. Charles Ellen,  
John Lysaghts Research Group, Port Kembla

May 30

Professor Nan Phan-Thien,  
Department of Mechanical Engineering, Sydney Uni.

### DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY

Room G25, Building 1 (Metallurgy Building)

Monday — 4-5.30 p.m. — 20th May, 1985

Kylie Mackenzie, Department of Biology, University of Wollongong.  
"Water Stress Plating Hypersensitivity in Yeast".

Monday — 4-5.30 p.m. — 27th May, 1985

Dr. David Ayre, Department of Biology, University of Wollongong.  
Title to be announced.

### DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTANCY AND LEGAL STUDIES

The following is a list of seminars to be held in room 19.2035 at 11.00 a.m. on the dates shown.

May 10

Ferdinand Gul, "Public Perception of Auditor Independence"

May 24

John Ryan, "The Monetary Model".

June 7

Hai Yap Teoh - Topic to be advised.

### INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

Time: Wednesday - 12.30 p.m.

Location: 19.206

May 29:

M. Terry, Industrial Relations Unit, University of Warwick  
"Recent developments in workplace industrial relations in Britain"

June 8:

R. Castle, Department of Economics, University of Wollongong  
"Aboriginal Employment and Training Programmes: a critique"

### JOINT SEMINAR ON PHILOSOPHY FOR CHILDREN FACULTY OF EDUCATION & DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY

10.30 a.m. Friday 10th May, 1985 in Room 19.1016 (Social Sciences).

Speakers: Professor Matthew Lipman and Ann Margaret Sharp, Director and Associate Director of the Institute for the Advancement of Philosophy for Children (IAPC), Montclair State College, New Jersey.

Topic: Philosophy and the Teaching of Thinking Skills.

This seminar should be of interest to all those who are concerned with aspects of cognitive development in children and who appreciate the importance of teaching critical thinking skills. It is one of three activities involving Drs. Lipman and Sharp in the Wollongong area. The other two are a workshop for school teachers (May 9) and an extended workshop for prospective teacher-trainers (May 13-18).

For further information, including details of the itinerary for Professors Lipman and Sharp, please contact Laurance Splitter (ext. 3605).

### UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY

Cancer Prevention Symposium 22-23 November, 1985.  
Enquiries (02) 6923526.

## Scholarships and Prizes

Details of the scholarships and prizes below are displayed on the Campus News Notice Board situated at 49 Northfields Avenue. Application forms are available from the Student Enquiries Office.

Gowrie Trust Fund 1986 Research Scholarships  
\$3500 - \$4500 p.a.

St. Johns College 1986 Commonwealth Fellowship  
Cambridge

## Job Vacancies

Details of the following positions are displayed on the Campus News Notice Board situated at 49 Northfields Avenue.

Wollongong Clerk of Works

Murdoch Lecturer in Ecology

Otago, N.Z. Lecturer/Snr. Lecturer in Marketing  
Post-doctoral Fellowships

Monash Chair in Biochemistry

Newcastle Lecturer in Sociology



# International News

Further information on the news items below is available from the AVCC.

A World Congress on Education and Technology is to be held in Vancouver, Canada from 22-25 May 1986 to examine the impact of the new technology on education, culture and society. The World Congress is an initiative of the British Columbia School Trustees Association.

The following seven themes will be the focus of the programme, and Congress participants will have an opportunity to concentrate on one theme or to sample the programme offerings of a number of theme areas:

- Teaching, Learning and Technology
- Management and Technology
- Training and Employment
- The Future Society
- Innovations
- Special Needs and Technology
- Policy and Planning

For further information, and early registration material for the Congress, please write to the British Columbia School Trustees Association, 1155 West 8th Avenue, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, V6H 1C5.

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The 31st International Summer Academy for Organists at Haarlem, The Netherlands, is to be held from 12-28 July 1985. The Summer Academy is intended for organists and harpsichordists who have completed advanced studies and who wish to study more profoundly specific subjects of the organ and harpsichord literature. Admission is open to professional musicians, graduate students, and to a limited number of advanced undergraduate students of recognised universities and schools of music.

Applications, accompanied by a registration fee of Dfl.200-, must be received by the Academy secretariat before 15 June 1985.

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The International Institute for Aerial Survey and Earth Sciences (ITC), in The Netherlands has announced a one-year Post-Graduate Diploma Course in Land Information Systems to commence in October 1985. The aim is to prepare participants to manage the design, implementation and maintenance of a geographic or cadastre based Land Information System.

## Advertisements

Advertisements in "Campus News" are repeated each week until withdrawn, OR, until new advertisements push the old ones off the end of the column, whichever occurs first.

### LOST AND FOUND

A green Speedline Cycle. Held by Security and Patrol Office, Building 9.

### MECCANO

Do you have any unwanted Meccano? I hope to use Meccano for student projects in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering concerned with development of robot manipulators. Any donations of Meccano parts will be gratefully received. Please contact Dr. Andy Russell (ext. 3070).

### THESES

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