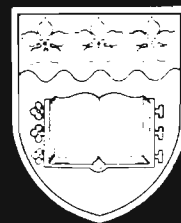


# THE UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG

# CAMPUS NEWS



October 30, 1990

## The 'new' Weerona College is officially opened

THE CHANCELLOR of the University of Wollongong, the Honourable RM Hope, AC, CMG, QC officially opened the University's second Collegiate hall of residence, Weerona College.

Also in attendance were the Lord Mayor, Alderman Frank Arkell; the Vice-Chancellor of the University, Professor Ken McKinnon; Chairman of the Australian Broadcasting Corporation, Mr Bob Somerville; and Mrs Mary Charker who lived at Weerona from 1961 until 1977 with her late husband Cecil Charker who managed the then AIS Weerona Hostel.

Weerona has been operating as a residential facility within the University since 1987 after it had been purchased from BHP on terms that reflected the strong relationship be-



*The opening of Weerona College (from left): American exchange student Laura Hughes, head of the college Philip Dutton, Chancellor the Hon. RM Hope, and Karen Willis, a student member of Weerona management committee*

tween the University and the "Big Australian".

With the addition of two new blocks

in 1990, Weerona is now established as a full-scale collegiate style residence for 200 students.

## Suzanne Uniacke appointed to health ethics committee

DEPARTMENT of Philosophy lecturer, Ms Suzanne Uniacke, has been appointed to the newly-formed Ethics Committee of the Board of the Illawarra Area Health Service.

The Ethics Committee will develop policies and protocols that will:

- Set priorities in the rationing of health services;
- Establish equity of access to health services;
- Assist in decision making relating to active medical intervention when patients have a poor prognosis;
- Ensure the delivery of quality health care while respecting the dignity and rights of the individual.

This Committee is an advisory committee to the Board and includes two Board members, the Chief Executive Officer, a minister of religion, a solicitor, a medical and a nursing representative, a lay representative and a social worker.

The Committee meets as required and receives papers from staff relating to ethical matters.

Ms Uniacke has a reputation in academia for her publications on ethics and in the community for her input into current issues.

She has been invited to make submissions to the Federal Law Reform Commission on privacy, and the Victorian Law Reform

Commission on defences to homicide. She has published extensively on such matters as self-defence.

Issues such as the rationing of access to expensive health care services, and setting priorities in health research and health maintenance are among the central questions of what has come to be called 'applied ethics'.

Ethics is that branch of Philosophy concerned with questions of right and wrong and the basis of moral worth.

Applied ethics deals with concrete issues and public policy dilemmas which have a moral or ethical dimension.

The Department of Philosophy at Wollongong University was one of the first to introduce subjects concerned with applied ethics, and has long been active in research in this area.

There is increasing community demand for professionals in areas including business, medicine, law and education to be trained in ethics by people professionally qualified in the discipline, in order to meet growing public expectations about social responsibility and sensitivity of moral issues.

# New building will be a moving experience

THE completion of the new General Purpose Academic Building (Bld 40) in December this year will mean many relocations.

Manager, Buildings and Grounds, Kevin Turnbull, said the re-allocation of space means:

- All of the Faculty of Commerce will

move to the new building (Bld. 40) from Buildings 19 and 22.

- The Faculty of Law will also be located in Building 40. Law is currently located in Buildings 19 and 30.
- Following the relocation of Commerce and Law, the remaining occupants of Building 19, primarily the Faculty of Arts, will receive some additional space. For example, the Department of Languages will receive some additional space for the development of Japanese.
- The Centre for Staff Development will also gain some additional space in Building 19.
- Parts of the Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences will also be located in Building 19 including the existing Department of Psychology; some of the Nursing positions currently located in building 23; and the Public Health and Nutrition Unit which currently shares space with Human Movement Science in Buildings 8 and 9. The Dean of the Faculty's Office will also be located in Building 19.
- The Graduate School of Journalism, currently using temporary space in the Technology Centre building, will be located in refurbished space in Building 22

vacated by the Computer Laboratories (south side) of the Department of Business Systems.

- The Computer Laboratories and teaching space on the north side of Building 22 will also be refurbished as a student computer laboratory facility under the control of Information Technology Services.
- As a result of the Nursing staff moving from Building 23 to Building 19, additional space in Building 23 will become available for the Faculty of Education and School of Creative Arts.
- There will also be some relocations within Buildings 8 and 9 by the Human Movement Science Unit of the Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences.

Mr Turnbull said the completion of Building 40 will trigger a long and complex series of moves that will take place primarily during January, 1991.

'Each link in the chain will be crucial and the co-operation of all concerned will be vital to ensure all moves are completed with minimal time and disruption,' he said.

'Those concerned with the moves will be provided with further details in due course.'

## Graduation ceremony deadline coming

THE NEXT graduation ceremonies will be held in May 1991.

Students who expect to complete the requirements for their degrees or diplomas at the end of Spring Session (or who have previously completed requirements and not taken out the degree or diploma) and who wish the award to be conferred at a May Graduation Ceremony, must submit an application for the conferral of the award by November 30.

If you expect to complete your course during Summer Session you must also apply by the same date. Application forms are available from the Student Enquiry counter.

Awards will not be conferred unless an application is submitted.

Intending Honours Students who will be enrolling in an honours bachelor degree course in 1991, will not be permitted to take out the pass degree. They should not submit an application for graduation until the last session of the honours course.

## PABX changeover on December 15-16

THE CHANGEOVER to the new PABX telephone system is scheduled for the weekend December 15-16.

Most of the existing Envoy handsets will be replaced in the preceding week with an Interquartz 9836 handset which can be used exactly as the current handset.

Following the changeover however, there will be new features available, both with the handset and the PABX.

So, to assist staff to get the maximum benefit, there will be demonstrations and instruction given during December. See schedule below:

The Commander systems are rather less straightforward in their method of replacement and so this will be tackled in two phases.

In the first phase, on the weekend of December 15-16, all Commander systems in the Administration building with an appropriate Digital handset.

The remaining Commander systems will be replaced by arrangement with

each department as quickly as time and training will permit.

However, they will continue to work as usual after the changeover except that the handset function codes will change. A copy of the new codes will be distributed at the training session.

Demonstration/training sessions will be held every hour and will run for approximately 50 minutes. Times for instruction are:

ADMINISTRATION STAFF: Interquartz handsets in Building 36, Room 303 - Thursday, December 13, 9am-noon and 1.30-4.30pm Digital handsets in Building 36, Room 303 - Friday, December 14, 1-3pm.

REMAINING STAFF: Interquartz handsets in Pentagon Theatre 5 - Friday December 7, Monday December 10 and Wednesday December 12, 9am-noon and 1.30-4.30pm.

PABX OPERATORS: In new PABX room, Building 15 - Friday, December 14, 9am-noon and 3-5pm.

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Those who have the facility are urged to use it. Those who haven't been connected, material for publication can be left, preferably, on a floppy disk, or on hard copy in the *Campus News* tray in Planning and Marketing Branch, Administration Branch.

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## Sir Richard Kirby Lecture prizewinners

A MATURE-age student and a first year student were the 1990 industrial relations prizewinners at the recent Sir Richard Kirby Lecture.

Joan Warton, a mature-aged part-time student who works in Campbelltown Library and is majoring in Industrial Relations and Management, won the Industrial Relations Society of NSW Prize.

The prize was presented by Secretary of the Industrial Relations Society of NSW, Mr Rod Grace.

John Pereira, of Warrawong, a first year student and former Port Kembla High School student, won the Hilda Kirby Prize for the best essay critically evaluating an aspect of the previous year's Kirby Lecture. He received the prize from Lady Kirby.

Captain Brian McCarthy of the Australian Federation of Air Pilots delivered the Sir Richard Kirby Lecture, which was entitled 'The Airline Dispute: Wage Determination or Union Extermination?'



TOP: The prizewinners and guests at the Sir Richard Kirby Lecture (from left): Joan Warton, Sir Richard, Captain Brian McCarthy and John Pereira.  
ABOVE: Lady Kirby

## Anne-Marie takes over in Canberra

ANNE-MARIE Cooper, the University of Wollongong's representative in Canberra, was on campus earlier this month.

Ms Cooper, who will help prospective students in Canberra and act as a resource for school career advisers, was in Wollongong being briefed about the University's plans and policies.

She is located at the University office, 5 Geils Court, Deakin, tel. (06) 2858317.



Anne-Marie Cooper

## Stephen Hill says Asia is ready to take the international lead

CO-FOUNDER and director of the National Centre for Research Policy at the University of Wollongong, Professor Stephen Hill, believes Asia is on the verge of taking a major international lead.

But it is an economic drive without a supportive cultural vision, he said.

Professor Hill put this view forward at the Asia-Australia lecture series of the Contemporary Asia Centre at the University of NSW. The lecture was called 'Science and Technology,

Keys to Asian Renaissance of the 1990s?'

He likened the changes in Asia to those of Renaissance Europe. He sees the stumbling blocks to the continuing economic development as relating to questions on the environment and social equity. His observations on 25 years' experience working with Asian governments on science and technology policy.

He is chairman of the UNESCO-based Science and Technology Policy Asian Network.

## Library's information about publishers

DO YOU need information about publishers? For fast efficient service contact the Library's Acquisitions Department.

The information can help you with the purchase of books and serials, or with establishing contact to have your work published.

We can provide details of book publishers such as publishers' addresses, Australian agents for overseas publishers and their addresses, fax and telephone numbers.

We have access to this information through *Australian Books in Print (microfiche)*, *British Books in Print (U.S.)* on CD-ROM and numerous publishers' catalogues.

For serials, we can provide information on publishers, editors and their addresses. The information is contained in *The serials directory on CD-ROM*, *Ulrichs international periodical directory* and publishers' catalogues.

Most of the tools we use are either on CD-ROM or microfiche and are updated monthly. This ensures the most current information is available.

Please contact the Acquisitions or Serials Department for any information you would like about publishers.

## Conservatorium gets a Friends group

THE Friends of the Conservatorium has been founded to help the Conservatorium function better.

Friends president, Michael O'Mullane said the group would:

- Publicise the tremendous value of the work done by the Conservatorium, and promoting its activities;
- Provide help to staff in conducting Conservatorium functions (e.g. concerts, open days); and
- Provides support to individuals or groups of students in realising their talents and abilities in areas taught by the Conservatorium.

Friends meetings are held at the Conservatorium at 7.30 pm on the first Thursday of each month. The next meeting is on Thursday November 1.

He said the Friends are preparing for the Conservatorium Open Day.

The Friends are conducting a music stall and are seeking unwanted music, records, cassettes and CDs as donations in order to raise funds for its work,' he said.

These items can be left at the Conservatorium office.'

For further information please contact the Conservatorium Office, tel. (042) 28 1122.

# Kathie Webb presents papers to two national conferences

MASTER of Education Honours student in the School of Learning Studies, Kathie Webb, recently presented papers on her research in progress at two national conferences on education in Hobart.

Following submission of a poster presentation of her current research to the ACEA National Conference, organisers decided her topic area of 'supervision' was relevant to conference themes and requested Ms Webb present a seminar followed by open forum discussion.

Entitled *Supervision, is it really helping teachers?*, the paper outlined some surprising findings of research carried out over the last 12 months into supervision of experienced teachers.

Kathie has been interviewing executives and teachers in two South Coast primary schools with respect to their perceptions, beliefs and concerns about supervision.

The research highlights major issues related to the professional development of teachers in schools.

It is clear that experienced teachers have definite ideas on how they want to be supervised and what they want from supervision,' Ms Webb said.

Kathie was one of 12 students who presented papers at the 1990 National Joint Conference for Lecturers and Postgraduate Students in Educational Administration held at the University of Tasmania on September 26-29.

Thirty-four people from universities around Australia gathered to share their research projects and their ideas and philosophies of educational research methodology.

In addition to Australian academics of high repute such as Dr Judith Chapman (Monash University), Dr Brian Caldwell and Dr Gabriele Lakomski (University of Melbourne), the students were also treated to presentations by Chair of Education at Cambridge University, Professor David Hargreaves, Chair of Education at Kenyatta University Nairobi, Professor Jotham

Olembo, Chair of Education University of Alberta, Canada, Professor Eugene Ratsoy, and Associate Professor Arthur Schwartz (University of Calgary).

It was a great experience to spend several days with these people, listening and sharing views of education,' Kathie said.

At the end of the conference the friendly informal atmosphere that had prevailed was highlighted in Jotham Olembo's speech, when he said he had found difficulty telling the students from the professors.

Students and lecturers had participated as equals - they had been learners together.

More than 500 educators and academics registered for the second conference, 'Celebrating A New Era in Education', at Wrest Point September 29-October 3.

It combined the annual conferences of the Australian Council for Education Administration, Australian Primary Principals Association and Australian Secondary Principals Association. Keynote speakers included Professor David Hargreaves, Dr Judith Chapman, Dr Brian Caldwell, Dr Jillian Maling and Professor Malcolm Skilbeck.

The theme of the conference was 'What is and what might be in education'.

Speakers and presenters described positive trends in education, outlined issues in need of resolution, predicted challenges likely to arise in the nineties and suggested strategies for meeting them.

A teacher for 17 years, Kathie has been Head Teacher Home Economics at Bomaderry High School since 1981.

She became interested in supervision after evaluating a regional inservice course for Master of Education in 1989.

She hopes to complete the research for MEd. Hons by the end of this year and plans to undertake a PhD researching Professional Development of Teachers from early 1991.

She is married with three children and lives at Gerringong.

## Women's Issues Group annual dinner

THE WOMEN'S Issues Group is holding its first annual dinner on Friday November 9. Assistant Secretary, Equity and Co-ordination Branch of the Office of Multicultural Affairs in the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet, Dr June Verrier, will be guest speaker.

Dr Verrier, who is involved with research into aspects of Australian migration, will speak on 'What a nice Welsh girl like me is doing in a place like this'.

The dinner will be held in the Bistro of the Union Building from 7pm. The cost is \$18.50 which includes smorgasbord and wine.

Booking may be made with Moira Bowman, tel. (042) 843741.



# Paul Sharrad organising Commonwealth Writers Prize

THE SOUTH Pacific Association for Literature and Language Studies (SPACLALS) in the Department of English has, for the second time, taken on the administration and organising of the prestigious Commonwealth Writers Prize.

This Prize for fiction writing in English, which is funded by the Commonwealth Foundation, London, carries prizemoney of more than \$33,000.

The administrator for this year's prize is Dr Paul Sharrad, lecturer in English, and Ms Kerry Lyon is again the project officer. Mr William McGaw, Mr Graham Barwell and Ms Juli Crooke are also part of the organising team.

Last year's Best Book winner was the acclaimed New Zealand writer Janet Frame for her novel *The Carpathians* and Bonnie Burnard from Canada won Best First Book for her collection of short stories, *Women of Influence*.

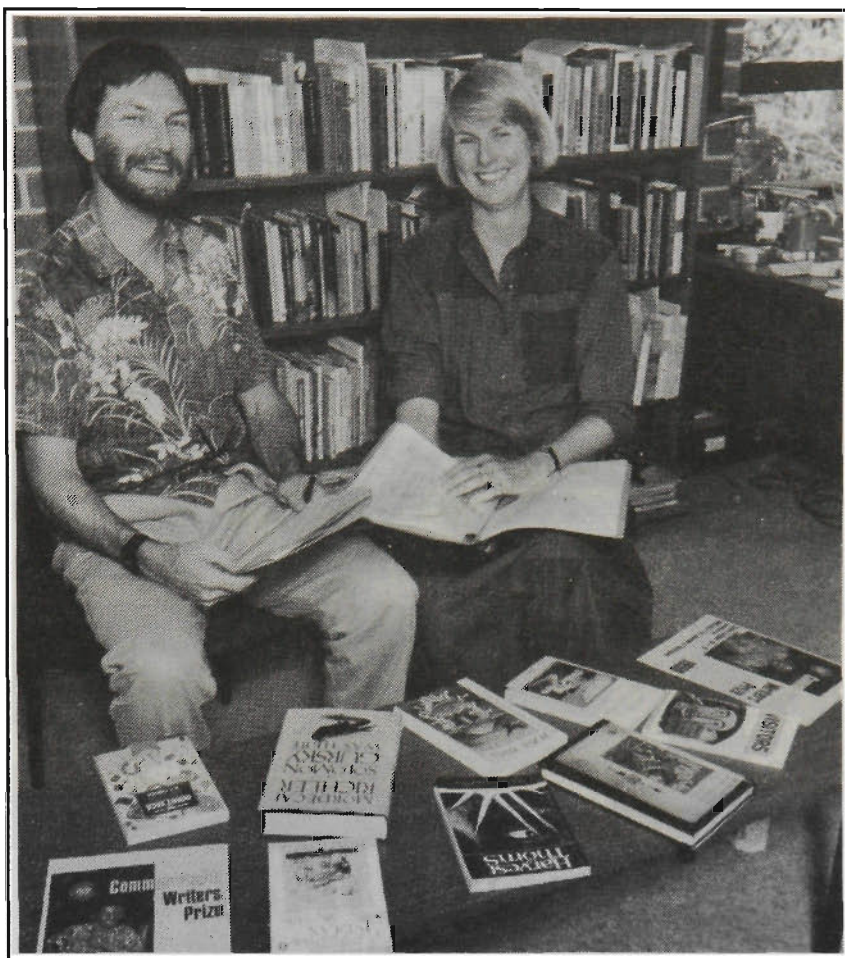
There are eight regional winners, eligible for the two major prizes of Best Book and Best First Book. They are:

## Best Book

**South East Asia and South Pacific**  
Robert Drewe — *The Bay of Contented Men* (Australia) a collection of short stories published by Picador-Pan Books

**Africa**  
Shimmer Chinodya — *Harvest of Thorns* (Zimbabwe) a novel published by Baobab Books, Harare. Heinemann have the world rights excluding Zimbabwe.

**Caribbean and Canada**  
Mordecai Richler — *Solomon Gursky Was Here* (Canada) a novel published



Daul Sharrad and Kerry Lyons with some of the books in line for the Commonwealth Writers Prize

by Viking - Penguin Canada. Published in Australia and the UK by Chatto and Windus.

**Eurasia**  
Shashi Tharoor — *The Great Indian Novel* (India) a novel published by Penguin India. Distributed by Penguin Australia.

## Best First Book

**South East Asia and South Pacific**  
John Cranna — *Visitors* (New Zealand) a collection of short stories published by Heinemann Reed, Auckland.

**Africa**  
M. G. Vassanji — *The Gunny Sack* (Kenya)

a novel published by Heinemann International.

**Caribbean and Canada**  
Darlene Barry Quaife — *Bone Bird* (Canada) a novel published by Turnstone Press, Winnipeg.

**Eurasia**  
Paul Griffiths — *Myself and Marco Polo* (Britain) a novel published by Chatto & Windus, distributed in Australia by Random Century.

Mr Mordecai Richler's *Solomon Gursky Was Here* has been shortlisted for this year's Booker Prize.

## School of Creative Arts Diary of Events

October 31-November 3: Theatre Strand Graduating Directors Presentations. 8pm

November 1: The Art of Lunch, a textile presentation by Joan Chapple, Music Auditorium 12.35pm

November 1: Preview, Art Arena Gallery, Christine Riihimaa, Ceramics and Textiles (until Nov 11)

November 8-10: "Best Of". A pot pourri of the best pieces presented in Richard Starr's project performance during the year. Performance Space 8pm.

November 15: Preview, Art Arena Gallery, Judy Weeks,

Paintings and Prints (until Nov 25).

November 16: Preview, Long Gallery, BCA Graduating Exhibition, 7pm.

November 24: 1990 subscription concert City of Wollongong Symphony Orchestra, with Roland Chadwick piano and Wayne Dixon, conductor. IMB Theatre, 8pm.

November 29: Preview, Art Arena Gallery. Peter Day, paintings, (until Dec 9).

December 4: The University Singers, Christmas concert. December 7: Preview, Long Gallery, Paul Counsel, DCA submissions, ceramics, 7pm.

December 13: Preview, Art Arena. Christmas show (until Dec 23).

## Careers advisers conference

THE 11th annual National Conference of Careers Advisers and Graduate Employers will be held at the University of Wollongong from December 9-12.

Hosted by the NSW branch of the National Association of Graduate Careers Advisers, the conference will focus on the skills and strategies careers services and employers will need to develop for the 1990s.

Major issues for discussion will include:

- Codes of practice for campus-based recruitment;
- International graduate recruitment;
- The review of higher education careers services.

For more information contact Nitsa Athanassopolous, tel. (02) 6923481.

## Centre for Staff Development courses:

November 23 and 30: Jeff Owers, University Occupational Health and Safety Co-ordinator, *Occupational Health and Safety for Supervisors*, As part of the Training for Supervisors series, this course is designed to advise supervisors of their responsibilities in terms of Occupational Health and Safety and to assist with the development of the skills necessary to fulfil these responsibilities. Academic and general staff are invited to attend. Also, those staff members who are not at present supervisors but who may be in that role in the future, should consider participating. Staff Training Room, (top floor- Admin. Building) 9am-noon. Closing date for applications, Nov 16.

December 5 and 6: Personnel, EEO and Centre for Staff Development, *Selection Techniques Workshop for General Staff*. In line with the University's commitment to EEO and legislative responsibilities, this workshop will provide guidelines on how to select staff on the merit principle. Participants

will become familiar with the University's administrative procedures, and be given the opportunity to participate on a selection committee which will conduct a mock interview for a position. It is now University policy that only those staff members who have completed this workshop should comprise selection committees.

Room 19.1004 (Management Dept.), 9am-4pm. Closing date for applications, Nov 26.

For further information or to obtain an application form, contact Jan James, Staff Development Officer, ext. 3946.

Staff Development workshops schedule for November:

November 5: Mr Mark Whalan, *Simulation as a Teaching Strategy*, 9.30-12.30

November 6: Mr Barry Russell, *Working with Adults*, 9.30-12.30

November 6: Dr John Panter, *Problems in Teaching*, 1.30- 4.30

November 7: Mr Barry Russell, *Working with Overseas Students*, 9.30-12.30

November 7: Dr Max Gillett, *Using Media Support in Lectures*, 1.30- 4.30

November 8: Professor Ron Johnston, *Research Leadership*, 9.30-4.30

November 9: Mr Mark Whalan, *Simulation as a Teaching Strategy*, 9.30-12.30

November 12: Ms Lynette Simons, *Media Training*, 9.30- 4.30

November 13: Professor Bill Lovegrove, *Getting Your Paper Published, Sciences*, 9.30-11.00

November 14: Professor Ron King, *Methods of Student Assessment*, 9.30-12.30

November 15: Dr John Panter, *Setting Multiple Choice Tests*, 9.30-12.30

November 16: Professor Stephen Hill, *Getting Your Paper Published, Humanities*, 9.30-11.30

# SEE



## "THE MAIDS"

By JEAN GENET

Translated by Bernard Frechtman

Directed by Rita Doukeridis

THURS NOV 1 1990 - 8PM

\$10 - \$5 (Con)

## "EUROPE"

By MICHAEL GOW

Directed by Pascal Guilloux

Wed Oct 31 1990 - 8pm

\$10 - \$5 (Con)



## "WILDCAT FALLING"

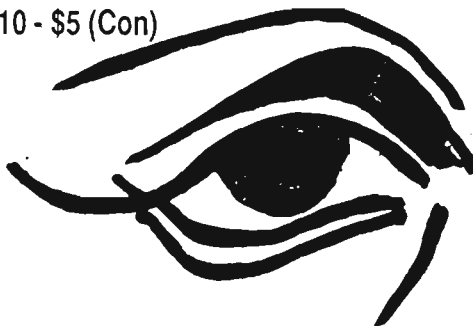
By COLIN JOHNSON

Adapted by Peter Gorman

Directed by Sally Riley

FRI NOV 2 1990 - 8PM

\$10 - \$5 (Con)



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**Graduating Directors - Theatre Strand  
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University Performance Space**

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## Research Funds

### Australian/Greek Travel Awards 91-92

Offered by the Australian Government, these awards are for 2 months to 6 months study in Greece. This is intended to give people already established in professions an opportunity of training, studying or furthering their professional experience in Greece. The University closing date is February 1, 1991.

### CSIRO Division of Horticulture

The Division of Horticulture is offering a Postgraduate Research Scholarship for a student studying plant biology/biochemistry towards a PhD. The study is being carried out in South Australia and Queensland. The University closing date is November 16.

### Pig Research & Development Corporation

**Project Grants and Student Awards:** The PR&DC is offering student awards in many different categories, both undergraduate and postgraduate as well as funding for research and development to improve the performance of the Austral-

*The sources of research funds given below are available to members of academic staff. Further information, including application forms, may be obtained from Lyndal Manton (ext. 3201). Intending applicants are reminded that all research applications must be forwarded through the Office of Postgraduate Studies.*

ian pig industry. The University closing date is December 7.

### Dairy Research & Development Corporation

Applications are being called for research grants in the Dairy industry area. There are several priority areas such as Efficient Milk Production, Efficient Manufacturing Processes etc. The University closing date is November 16.

### Australia Council for the Arts

**Aboriginal Arts Grants:** Assistance is available for Aboriginal & Torres Strait islanders to maintain traditional cultural practices and to promote and develop new arts activities in urban and country areas. These come under various categories; Visual Arts, Performing Arts, and Literature. The University closing dates are various for each category.

## Grains Research & Development Corporation

**Senior Post Graduate Awards:** The Wheat Committee is offering two PhD awards for students studying in a field of high priority to the wheat industry. The University closing date is November 2.

Previously Advertised	Closing Date
The British Council Travel Grants	Any Time
Australian Arts Council BTR/FCO Oxford Scholarship	Any Time
APRA Awards	October 31
University Postgraduate Research Awards	October 31
DCSH - General Practice Evaluation	November 2
CSIRO PhD Scholarship	November 2
The Swedish Institute Funds	November 9
Japan Foundation Grants Program	November 16
Dairy R & D Project Grants	November 16
Jon Royce Memorial Trust PR Scholarship	November 16
ATERB Research Grants	November 16
Meat & Livestock R&D	November 16
Symons Fellowship	November 16
Lady Davis Fellowships	November 16

## Seminars

### Centre for Advanced Manufacturing and Industrial Automation

**November 5:** Dr JD Telford, senior lecturer in Mechanical Engineering at the University of Auckland, *Project Planning and Control*, Wollongong Surf Leisure Resort, Fairy Meadow.

**November 15:** Dr Y Yao, Lecturer in Manufacturing Engineering at Wollongong University, *Applied time series analysis for manufacturing*, Wollongong Surf Leisure Resort, Fairy Meadow.

**December 4:** Professor Günter Arndt, *An introduction to total productive maintenance — putting quality into maintenance*, Wollongong Surf Leisure Resort, Fairy Meadow.

**December 6:** Dr Y Yao, Lecturer in Manufacturing Engineering at Wollongong University, *Condition monitoring and diagnostics of machines and processes*, Wollongong Surf Leisure Resort, Fairy Meadow.

**December 10:** Dr D P Saini, of the Department of Mechanical Engineering at Wollongong University, *Strategic Maintenance for optimisation of equipment*

*availability*, Wollongong Surf Leisure Resort, Fairy Meadow.

Booking and enquiries to: tel. (042) 270354 or fax (042) 270101.

### Department of Accountancy

**Monday November 5:** Professor Chris Nobes, Department of Accounting, Visiting Professor, University of Sydney, *Accounting standard-setting in the United Kingdom*.

Seminars are held in Building 19 Room 2001 from 11am-12.30pm.

Enquiries to the convenor, Associate Professor Hai Yap Teoh, tel. (042) 270625.

### Department of Biology

Seminars are held from in Building 35.G19, on Tuesdays at 12.30 pm.

**October 30:** Dr Marcia Byrne, Biological Sciences, Sydney University, *Starfish dispersal*.

Further information from Dr Rob Whelan, tel. (042) 27 0442 and Associate Professor Ross Lilley, tel. (042) 27 0431.

### Department of Business Systems

**Thursday November 1:** Dr Christian Noell, Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Kiel, Germany, at

present a visiting scholar in the Department of Business Systems. *Information processing and learning strategies in a stochastic environment*.

Seminar will be held in Pentagon 5 from 12.30-1.30pm.

### Department of Computer Science

#### Honours Seminars

**Wednesday, November 7:** Room 15.204, 8.30am-2.30pm

Peter Asquith, *A Loosely Coupled Expert Database System Nexpert Object - ORACLE Bridge*. 8.30am-9.30am.

Ian Dowson, *Continuous Smooth Path Planning for An Autonomous Guided Vehicle (AGV)*, 9.30am-10am.

Donald McInerney, *Real Time Extensions to IDDK DFD-Edit*, 10am-10.30am.

James Clacher, *A Case Tool for Document Painting*, 10.30am-11am.

David Crook, *VLSI Implementation of Discreet Cosine Transforms*, 11am-11.30am.

Lim Teck Sheng, *High Resolution Map Making for Mobile Robots using Low Resolution Sonar Sensors*, 11.30am-12.30pm.

David Wilson, *A Multiplexed Radio Link for Robot Control*, 1.30pm-2.30pm

Visitors please see Security at front gate, main entrance (off the roundabout) for your parking voucher for the day.

## Department of English

### New Literatures Research Centre Seminar Series

November 8: Paul Sharrad: *Imaging the Pacific*.

November 23: Graham Tucker, *Mermaid Singing, the genesis of the Charmian Clift persona*.

All seminars are held in room 19.1083 from 2.30pm

## Faculty of Education

### Equity in Education program

Meetings will be held in Building 21.104 at 4.30 pm.

The Equity in Education Program is holding regular meetings which will include reports from research projects. These reports will focus on the research process (specific problems, research design and so on) and aim to provide a forum for sharing research experiences and exchanging ideas. They will not be formal presentations - the emphasis will be on interaction and discussion with colleagues. Researchers outside the program are invited to attend to foster interdisciplinary research and scholarship as well as to facilitate information exchange. The regular Equity in Education Program meeting is scheduled for 4 pm on each of these days and members/associate members are asked to be in attendance at this time.

Thursday November 1: Alison Elliott, *Computers and learning disability*

Enquiries to Associate Professor Noeline Kyle, tel. (042) 27 0374 or Ms Jan James (042) 27 0078. Coffee/tea provided.

### Gender and Education Unit

Seminars are held in Building 21.104 at 4.30pm on Fridays (unless otherwise indicated).

November 1: A Jones, *Gender and the Play Activities of Young Children. End of year meeting*, everyone welcome.

Tea/coffee provided at all seminars. Enquiries to Associate Professor Noeline Kyle, tel. (042) 27 0374 or Ms Jan James (042) 27 0078.

### Language in Education Workshop

(Contact Bill Winser for details, ext. 3963)

Research meetings:

Members of the language in Education Unit or others who are interested in meeting on Monday lunchtimes (12.30 pm) in order to share research, undertake analysis of texts, and discuss selected journal articles/publications, please contact Bev Derewianka (27 0320) or leave a message with Kylie Pickford (27 0973).

## School of Learning Studies

Seminars are held on Wednesdays at 12.30 pm in Building 21.104

October 31: Pat Farrar and Dr Ted Booth, *Overseas Practice Teaching: Holidays with credit or significant professional development?*

November (date to be advised): Professor Michael Apple, University of Wisconsin, Madison, *The Gendering of Teaching*.

Enquiries to Bill Winser, Co-ordinator, School of Learning Studies, ext. 3963

## School of Policy and Technology Studies

November 2: Dr John Patterson, Tonia Gray, Gregg Rowland, *PE in the primary school and Police dietary habits*.

Seminars are held in the SPATS lab (21.101) on Fridays at 12.30pm

## Department of Physics

Colloquia, to be held in Physics Lecture Theatre, 18.118.

November 1: A Riza, *Temperature dependence of electrical bistability in a double-barrier resonant tunnelling structure*. 11.30am.

November 1: J Schenk, *Fano resonances associated with bound holes in germanium and silicon*. 12.30pm.

November 15: Professor Bob Clark, School of Physics, University of NSW. *Experimental detection of the electron solid in GaAs*. 12.30pm.

Further information contact Dr RA Lewis, ext. 3518.

## Department of Public Health and Nutrition

Seminars are held in Building 5.G03 between 12.30 and 1.30 pm on the dates given. Anyone who is interested is cordially invited.

Wednesday October 31, Mr Paul O'Halloran, *Trends in mental health training in Australia*.

Enquiries to Ms Linda Tapsell, Lecturer, Department of Public Health and Nutrition, tel. (042) 27 0152 or ext. 3152.

## School of Human Movement Science

October 30: Neil Halpin, *Chronic Groin Pain\**, 4.30pm

November 2: Harry Fuller, *Fishing tackle modification for the disabled*. 12.30pm

November 6: Michael Martin, *Attitudes and behaviours towards drug intake in adolescent elite athletes\**, 4.30pm

November 8: Tony Parker, *Structural adaptations of the skeletal system in response to physical activity*, 12.30pm

November 16: Mark Anshel, *Possible underlying causes of warm-up decrement in sport*, 12.30pm

November 23: Tom Penrose, *Some functional aspects of ballet dancers*, 12.30pm

November 30: Mark Brown, *Bioelectric correlates of inaccurate motor performances*. 12.30pm

\*Post-graduate student seminars  
All seminars are held in the Recreation Laboratory in Building 8. All enquiries to Mark Brown, ext. 3495.

## Social and Psychological Health Research Program

All seminars are held on Tuesdays in Building 19.1056 from 12.30 to 1.30 pm.

November 6: Dr David Jeffs, Public Health Unit, IAHS, *Childhood accidents, social conditions and public education*.

Contact Betsy Lilley, ext. 3732

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Closing date is October 31.

Contact Heads of Departments.