ONCE AGAIN IT'S ENROLMENT TIME

The first round of new enrolments was completed on Friday February 7, with acceptance rates up for most courses. There are 89 first-round offers still out for overseas students and they have until February 12 to take them up. These are late because the new Overseas Students Office in Canberra was late in giving the dates to the Universities and Colleges Admissions Centre.

A limited number of second round offers will be made in a few of the courses with enrolments to be made today, February 18. By then there should be in the region of 2,200 new students enrolled.

Join the Graduates Welcome to the new students
Thursday March 6 at 7 pm — Union Hall
Food, drinks, rock video disco
All welcome

KEEP US INFORMED
Efforts are being made to expand and improve on the content of Campus News. To achieve these aims we need the co-operation of administrative and academic staff. See panel on back page for new delivery point for copy...
APPLE EDUCATION FOUNDATION

APPLE COMPUTER, INC., is now accepting applications for their third Australian cycle of grants. Forty-four grants have been awarded to date. Grants are awarded to assist educators working in the field of computer-based teaching and learning systems, including courseware, software or hardware.

In 1986 special emphasis will be given towards projects applicable to Education Programs for the Macintosh with special emphasis on teaching and learning-based projects, lesson presentation including authoring programs, and courseware for specific secondary school subjects. However, all grant applications complying with the guidelines will be considered.

The Australian Research Grants Scheme

The Australian Research Grants Scheme (A.R.G.S.) operates under broad terms of reference within which it has established certain policies.

The proposed methodology and aims of projects are judged on their feasibility and originality, and the applicants themselves are assessed on their capacity to make high-level contributions in their field of inquiry.

The ARGS supports non-directed basic research; non-directed in the sense that applicants present their own research topic, set their own goals and structure their own research plans. The Committee does not attempt to discriminate between outstanding fundamental or scholarly work and outstanding applied work.

Generally speaking, the criterion for success of an application will be whether the project is likely to make a real advance either in the fundamental sense by making some contribution to our understanding of the subject, or in the applied sense by making a contribution to the solution of an important practical problem.

The scheme supports outstanding and promising research irrespective of the division between academic disciplines. It is expected that research funded by the ARGS will lead to the publication of findings of significance.

Work of a strictly developmental nature is not supported.

ARGS – 1987

Professor Don Aitken, Chairman of ARGS, will deliver a lecture to staff on ARGS at 12.30 pm on Monday February 24 in Pentagon 5.

Research projects in the physical, chemical, biological, earth, engineering, applied and social sciences and in the humanities may be recommended for support under the ARGS.

The committee's recommendations are based solely on the quality of scholarship or excellence of research in each individual proposal and are made without regard for any arithmetical distribution of the funds among states, institutions or subject areas.

Each application should be complete in itself so that the sub-committee and assessors have at their disposal all information which is not readily available now in referred journals.

ARGS distributed over $27m for the 1986 calendar year. A similar sum will be available for 1987.

Types of grants:

Project Grant: may be supported for up to six years, but is subject to annual renewal over that period.

Program Grant: may be awarded for a period of up to six years and will be offered to investigators with a substantial record of research achievement.

Pilot Projects: funding is for one year with support renewable for one further year only.

Applications close with ARGS on April 2.

Scholarships and Prizes

Details of scholarships and prizes listed in this feature are on file at the Campus News office — room G24A, on the ground floor in the administration building.

TRAVEL GRANTS

The Australian Academy of Humanities is offering two grants-in-aid for short-term study abroad during 1986-87, to scholars resident in Australia and working in the field of Humanities (Philosophy and Religion, Literature and Philosophy, Linguistics, History, Prehistory, Archaeology, Fine Arts and Musicology).

The grants are designed for scholars engaged in full-time teaching or other full-time employment through the year. Applicants will be favoured who have a project going forward which requires a short visit overseas for its completion or advancement near to that stage, or who have already published work in a similar or related field. The grants will normally be $A1000 each, paid as a contribution to the cost of one return air fare between the applicant’s place of employment in Australia and his/her centre of research abroad.

The Academy will not award grants to attend conferences, or to complete a higher degree. The Council of the Academy expects that the typical university or college of advanced education applicant will be seeking aid towards approved leave abroad during the long vacation. A grant, which will
not be made for periods abroad of less than six weeks, cannot be combined with any other travel grant.

Applications are available from The Secretary, Australian Academy of the Humanities, GPO Box 93, Canberra, ACT, 2601, and must be returned to reach the Academy's office in Canberra before July 31.

Awards will normally be announced before August 31 each year.

STUDY IN INDONESIA

Scholarships are available for study in Indonesia in the areas of Indonesian Language and Literature, Regional Language and Literature, or Indonesian Music and Dance.

For further information, contact Overseas Scholarships Enquiries at the Department of Education (062) 837637.

WEST GERMAN SCHOLARSHIPS

Annual scholarships are being offered by the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) to Australian students for research or study at the University of their choice in the Federal Republic of Germany.

The DAAD want to encourage more students of science and engineering to apply for scholarships. Applicants should be 18 to 32 years old, have a bachelor degree or its equivalent and basic knowledge of the German language. They should be willing to enroll in an intensive German course at a Goethe Institute after arrival in West Germany.

Application forms and further information available from The Department of Education, German Government Scholarships, P.O. Box 826, Woden, ACT 2606.

Applications close July 1.

FREDA BAGE FELLOWSHIP

Applications are called for Australian Federation of University Women — Queensland FREDA BAGE Fellowship for tenure 1986/87. It is open to all members of the University of Queensland, for postgraduate research with a stipend of $8,000, half of which is paid at the beginning of the year of tenure and the second half six months later on receipt of a progress report on the research carried out.

At the conclusion of her tenure of the Fellowship, the Fellow must submit a report on the year's work to the Committee.

The Fellowship is tenable at any Australian university or other approved tertiary institute. If the award is made to an Australian it may be tenable overseas or at an approved University or Tertiary Institute in Australia (i.e. not at one's Alma Mater).

Applications may be obtained from the Secretary, A.F.U.W. — Qld Fellowship Committee, B7 Khartoum St., Kedron, Brisbane, 4031. Closing date for applications is September 30 annually.

1987 AWARD IN THE HISTORY OF CULTURE IN AUSTRALIA

As part of its contribution to the Australian Bicentenary, the Australian Academy of the Humanities, with the support of Esso Australia Ltd, is offering an award for substantial and important contributions to the understanding of the history of culture in Australia.

An award will be given to the author(s) of the work which the Academy considers makes the best and most substantial contribution to the understanding of the history of culture in Australia, and which has been published or produced not more than 24 months preceding the closing date.

The award is open to any work published or produced anywhere in the world. A work may be nominated for consideration by its author(s), publisher(s), or producer(s). Such nominations, together with a copy of the work itself should be forwarded to The Secretary, Australian Academy of the Humanities, GPO Box 93, Canberra, ACT, 2601. Closing date is September 30, 1986.

The Committee to make the recommendation to the Council of the Academy on the conferring of the Award will consist of three Fellows of the Academy appointed by it for that purpose.

DANISH SCHOLARSHIP

The Danish Ministry of Education is offering one scholarship of nine months duration to one Australian graduate or younger research worker for studies at a Danish University or Institute of Higher Education.

Benefits are a living allowance of D.Kr 3,375 per month and a contribution of Kr 3,000 travelling expenses.

It should be noted that no tuition fees are payable and no provision is made for dependants.

Applications to the Secretary, Department of Education, PO Box 826, Woden, ACT, 2606.

Seminars

CONFERENCE IN MALAYSIA

IMP — the Universiti Pertanian Malaysia — will host the 17th General Conference and Seminar on Professionalism in University Education: Implications for ASA IHL Universities from December 7 to 11. The acronym ASA IHL of course stands for the Association of Southeast Asian Institutions of Higher Learning.

Theme of the seminar will be the problem facing governments of trying to accommodate the ever-growing demands for tertiary education. To a developing country with limited resources a major problem is the choice between quantity and quality — whether to spread available resources thinly and widely or to optimise them to a limited number of students.

The seminar will aim to bring together academicians and career administrators to identify and analyse factors related to professionalism with the view to developing more competent academicians and administrators towards achieving excellence in teaching, research, public service and administration.

STRATEGIES FOR COMMUNITY EDUCATORS

Department of Arts Heritage and Environment's Second National Environmental Education Seminar and Workshops will be held in Canberra from February 24—26. The theme is 'Getting to People — Strategies for Community Educators'. The Seminar will provide an opportunity for those involved in community environmental education to increase their awareness, understanding and skills in developing environmental education programs.

The seminar and workshops program will focus on community education strategies and include a case study on wetlands management to complement the theme of Wetlands for World Environment Day on June 5.

Brochure at Campus News Office.

INDUSTRIAL SAFETY CONVENTION

The 23rd NSW Industrial Safety Convention and exhibition will be held in the Wollongong Town Hall on October 22 and 23. Papers are being called for now. Abstracts of preoffered papers should be sent to Dr Neil Adams, Program Co-ordinator, NSW Industrial Safety Convention, PO Box 1992, Wollongong, 2500.
Safety Policy

The policy of the University of Wollongong is to provide a safe working environment for its staff, students and visitors. The University thus encourages all members of the University complex to regard accident prevention and safe working as a collective and individual responsibility.

In order to implement this policy, the University supports the activities of the Occupational Health and Safety Committee in monitoring the safety environment and safety awareness and training at all levels of activity.

The University regards seriously its corporate responsibility under the various Occupational Health and Safety Statutes and will ensure that all members of the University staff understand clearly their individual responsibilities outlined in such legislation. In this regard, Chairpersons of Departments and Heads of Schools and other Academic and Administrative Units are responsible for day-by-day safety within their areas of responsibility. The Safety Officer is available to advise on specific matters or assist in implementing safety programs.

The University insists that all staff and students work within the various legal requirements with regard to safe working and the current, and future, safety rules devised to protect them in specific situations.

Personal habits and conduct on the campus should be such that they do not cause accidents or hazards which may endanger members of the University or other persons.
UNIVERSITY MOTTO AND FLAG

The University Council would welcome views on the need for a University motto. The 'motto' question was raised and discussed before 1975 and no conclusion was reached. The University is now ten years old and has had time to develop its own character. It might therefore be an appropriate time to consider whether the University needs a motto and, if so, what form it should take.

I would be grateful if you would return the completed reply slip to the address provided by March 1. Entry slips are available from Marie Cooper in the SRC office.

K. E. Baumber, University Secretary.

STUDY LEAVE

Applications to study Leave or Professional Experience Program Leave during 1987 close with Staff Office on 1 April 1986. A memo has been circulated to all academic staff.

GUIDE TO THE ILLAWARRA

A gatefold leaflet entitled A Statistical Guide to the Illawarra Region 1986 has been produced by the Illawarra Regional Information Service. Within its size limitations the leaflet carries a deal of useful data, from demographic statistics to employment by industry, regional trade labour force and real estate.

DANTE ALIGHIERI AWARDS

Members of the Wollongong Chapter of the Dante Alighieri Society have sent an open invitation to the Eighth Annual Awards Ceremony on March 16. It will be held from 2.30 pm to 5 pm at the Italian Social Welfare Offices, 21 Stewart Street, Wollongong.

The Alighieri singles out with an award those students in the Illawarra from primary through secondary school level who have excelled in the study of the Italian language.

ALLIANCE FRANCAISE DE L'ILLAWARRA

1. French Classes
   - Begin this month for:
     1. Primary school children
     2. High school students
     3. Adults - advanced, continuing and traveller's French

2. Free Conversation Evenings
   - 7.30 pm Thursday, February 27, March 20 (with Scrabble in French), April 17.
   - To be held chez John and Mary Bell, 64 Sunninghill Cres., Mt Osley.

3. Video Movie
   - French film on Wednesday, April 30, at Migrant Resource Centre, 7.30 pm.
   - Inquiries Michelle Atkin, 615122 after 5 pm.

GRADUATES ASSOCIATION OF MITCHELL COLLEGE

Local association contact for the Graduates Association of Mitchell College is Jane Jennings (University Administration). Jane has application forms for membership which, with the $10 life membership fee, may be returned directly to the college.

WELCOME TO NEW STUDENTS

New students are invited to a welcoming address to be given by the Vice-Chancellor, Professor K.R. McKinnon, to be held in Pentagon Lecture Theatre 1 at 4 p.m., next Monday, February 24.

SERVICES FOR OVERSEAS STUDENTS PROVIDED BY THE AUSTRALIAN DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE BUREAU

The Australian Development Assistance Bureau (ADAB) is the Overseas Aid Unit of the Department of Foreign Affairs, A.D.A.B. has a welfare responsibility for sponsored and private overseas students and their families from developing countries and Japan, while they study in Australia.

Activities, Entertainment and Associations for Students Overseas.

Several voluntary organisations in New South Wales are funded by A.D.A.B. These organisations assist overseas students to settle into Australia, meet Australians and give assistance with the orientation and accommodation. The organisation in Wollongong is The Illawarra Committee for Overseas Students and can be contacted through the Secretary, Ms Marie Lewis, on 270796.

JOGGING AND AEROBIC CLASSES

From Tuesday March 11 you will be able to make a great start to the day when the University Sports Association begins its exercise classes to music. Classes will last approximately 45 minutes and will include a warm-up and stretching, calisthenics, running and warm down. All classes will be of moderate intensity. The prime objective is enjoyment.

You may also wind down from a hard day at work by joining the jogging group for a relaxing leisurely jog throughout the Botanical Gardens. You will spend some 30 minutes exploring and enjoying Wollongong's picturesque gardens before cooling down with some specific jogging stretches.

Aerobic Classes:
- Tuesday 8.30 am; Wednesday 8.30 am.
- Indoor Sports Centre - $1 per class.


Concerts, Exhibitions and Entertainment

EXHIBITION ON PAINTINGS AND DRAWINGS

An exhibition of the work of the Queensland artist Irene Amos entitled 'Metaphysic of Bio-morphic Abstraction' will be officially opened by Professor Peter Rousch, Deputy Vice-Chancellor, on Sunday March 2. The preview will begin at 11.30 am and go on until 1.15 pm.

The exhibition will be open to the public from Monday March 3. Times are Monday to Friday 10 am to 4 pm and on Sunday from 2 pm to 5 pm, in the Long Gallery.

Irene Amos conducted the inaugural Painting Summer School for the School of Creative Arts in May 1982. She lectured again in 1983 and conducted a workshop in July of that year and again at the recent Bask in the Arts Program in January this year.

She has been actively engaged as a creative catalyst in her teaching for a period of some twenty years.

As one of Queensland's best known and active personalities on the art scene, she has held over thirty solo exhibitions to date. This 'solo' is the first external Post Graduate Exhibition to be held at the Long Gallery.

Irene has travelled widely, visiting some 40 countries. Studies in Italy and Japan have electrified and intensified her use of colour. She understands its power and uses it boldly and with clarity. Strong, decidedly complex and cloaked in abstraction, the works are however, profoundly female in their obsession with growth, death and the organic,
ELECTION OF ONE GENERAL STAFF MEMBER OF THE UNIVERSITY COUNCIL TO FILL A CASUAL VACANCY

A casual vacancy has arisen following the resignation of Gary Ryan. The term of office will expire on 20 November 1987.

Pursuant to the University of Wollongong Act, 1972 (as amended), and the by-law made under the Act, nominations are invited from qualified persons for election as one of the three general staff members of the Council of the University.

The general staff member will be elected by and from members of the staff of the University other than those members of the staff who are eligible for election to the Council as academic staff members or as members giving instruction within the Institute of Advanced Education.

Written nominations made on the appropriate form should reach the Returning Officer no later than 5 pm on Monday, 3 March, 1986.

Nomination forms can be collected personally from the University Secretary's Office at the University or obtained by telephoning the University (ext 3799).

K.E. Baumber, Returning Officer.

International News

The Australian Embassy in Rome has provided the Department of Foreign Affairs with information as to generous grants available for research undertaken at scientific institutions in the south of Italy. The research grants scheme is being sponsored by FORMEZ, The Training and Studies Centre for Souther Italy, and is designed to improve the integration of research institutions in the south of Italy with the international scientific community. A total of 30 grants is available to foreign scholars for research periods of between two and twelve months. Further information and application forms are available from the AVCC.

The Department of Science has received information from the British Council relating to courses to be held in Britain under the Council's auspices during 1986:

- Course 641 — Financial and resource management in higher education, July 6–18, Bath, UK.
- Course 649 — The British brass band, September 28 – October 10, Manchester and London.
- Course 629 — Developments in secondary school science: an international symposium, July 20 – August 1, York, UK.
- Course 652 — Effective teaching in higher education: an international seminar, June 8–20, Edinburgh.

Copies of prospectuses for these courses are available from the AVCC.

Job Vacancies

Details of the positions listed below are on file in the Campus News Office — room G24A, on the ground floor in the administration building.

Massey University

Temporary Lecturer in Social Anthropology

Chair of Accounting and Finance
GATEWAY TO A MOUNTAIN

In last week's issue of Campus News we published a picture of Bert Flugelman's Brobdingnagian steel structure, 'Gateway to Mt Keira', with the designer posing in front of it.

Our picture did little to give clue to the overpowering impact of the structure on the view of the mountain. It is only when Mt Keira is seen as a backdrop that the full impact of Flugelman's work strikes home. If you haven't already seen it — it is on the lawn behind the School of Creative Arts — then you should waste no time.

The sculpture was conceived last year as part of BHP's centenary and was presented to the University to make the beginning of a new era of prosperity and growth for the Illawarra.

The design is Bert Flugelman's, of course. The fabrication however — the bending of the massive-diameter stainless-steel tubing — was carried out by Tubemakers, a subsidiary of BHP in Newcastle.

For this reason it was totally appropriate that the formal handing-over of the work to the University should be performed by Mr J.K. Ellis, general manager of BHP Steel, Port Kembla.

The 'Gateway' was received on behalf of the University by the Chancellor, Mr Justice Hope, at a ceremony on Friday February 7.

Also present were Professor Peter Rousch and Professor Ken McKinnon, both of whom stressed the fact that the way in which the design and construction of Flugelman's work was carried out was symbolic of the increasing level of co-operation between the University and BHP.

Also among those present were the BHP craftspeople who took the 'Gateway' from a drawing to its present magnificence in stainless steel. They were Graham Thomson, Nick Leinsle, Bob Mountford, Derek Mendoval, Tony Gulyas, Phil Mobberley, Merv Chapman and Ken Charker.

Murdoch
- Lecturer/Snr Lecturer in Occupational Environment, School of Environmental and Life Sciences
- Lecturer in Economics, School of Social Inquiry
- Lectureship in Computer Science, School of Mathematical and Physical Sciences
- Lectureship/Snr Lectureship in Finance, School of Social Inquiry

James Cook
- Lecturer/Snr Lecturer, Department of Commerce
- Lecturer (Special Education), Department of Pedagogics and Scientific Studies Education
- Temporary Lecturer (Physical Education) Department of Pedagogics and Scientific Studies in Education

La Trobe
- Personnel Manager (Staff Officer)
- Waite Chair of Agricultural Biochemistry
- Lecturer in Entomology
- Lecturer in Elder Conservatorium of Music
- Lecturer in Computer Science
- Lecturer in Department of Statistics
- Research Officers (five positions), Department of Biochemistry

Melbourne
- Chair of Finance, Faculty of Economics and Commerce

Queensland
- Snr Tutor in Architecture
- Chair of Child Health

UNIVERSITY VACANCIES – OVERSEAS

NEW ZEALAND

Otago
- Lecturer in Psychology
- Lecturer (Science) in Biochemistry
- Assistant Lecturer in Education
- Lecturer or Snr Lecturer in Information Systems
- Lecturer/Snr Lecturer in Management Faculty Positions in Accounting and Finance
- Assistant Librarian

Canterbury
- Lecturer in Mathematics
- Snr Lecturer/Lecturer Accountancy
- Snr Lecturer/Lecturer Civil Engineering

Massey
- Director of Equine Blood Typing and Research Unit, Faculty of Veterinary Science
- Victoria Uni. of Wellington
- Research Fellowship/International Marketing and/or Produce Innovation
- Junior Lecturer in Geology
- Research Fellowship, Institute of Criminology
- Teaching appointments, Department of Business Administration

UNITED KINGDOM

Durham
- SERC funded postdoctoral research position/Observational Cosmology, Physics Department

SOUTH PACIFIC

Fiji
- Bursar

COMMONWEALTH PARLIAMENTARY ASSOCIATION

POST OF DEPUTY SECRETARY-GENERAL

The Headquarters Secretariat of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association, London, is seeking a new Deputy Secretary-General.

The post is permanent and currently graded at the British Civil Service Grade 5 (20,964 – 25,533 pounds p.a.) plus an Inner London Weighting Allowance of 1,365 pounds. The post is pensionable, and a removal and installation grant will be paid should the appointee normally reside outside the United Kingdom, Home leave will be provided every three years.

Applications, accompanied by a detailed biography, should reach the Headquarters Secretariat by March 1, 1986. Correspondence should be addressed to Sir Robin Vanderfelt, Secretary-General, and marked 'Personal and Confidential', both the letter itself and the envelope.
CAMPUS NEWS RELOCATED

With the change of editorship of Campus News have come other changes.

The journal has been incorporated into the publications division of the University. The editor is therefore located in room G24A in the Administration Building. Material for Campus News should in future be left there in the tray provided inside the door.

Background material to 'briefs' appearing in Campus News will be available in the same room.

Deadline for material is as before — noon on Monday.

The journal will be distributed on Tuesday of the next week.

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Book of the Week


This is a comprehensive, dispassionate and scholarly account of the affirmative-action movement and its impact on Australia. As Professor Chipman remarks, in his foreword, this is one of very few accounts of this important issue that is objective, has academic detachment, and is not a product of 'the bargaining affirmative-action industry'.

Both legal and philosophical principles are employed in this detailed analysis. In six chapters, Moens deals with the search for equality, the American experience of affirmative action, anti-discrimination legislation in Australia, the Australian debate on affirmative action, compensatory justice, and forward-looking arguments.

Dr Moens is well qualified for his task. Born in Belgium, he has American law degrees and a PhD in philosophy from the University of Sydney. A regular lecturer in summer schools at the University of Wollongong, he has published and researched with Dr de Lacey on this subject.

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THE FRIENDS CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

Wednesday 19
Graduates Group
6 pm, Board Room

MARCH

Thursday 6
Senior Citizens' Day at University
10-4 pm, Union Hall

Thursday 6
Graduates Group Welcome to the First
Year Students
7 pm, Union Hall

Friday 14
Community Involvement Committee
5:30 pm, Town Hall Meeting Room

Wednesday 26
Graduates Group
6 pm, Board Room
Board of Directors
4 pm, Board Room

Date to be
decided
Friends visit to the Department of Geology
4:00 pm, Board Room

APRIL

Wednesday 9
Projects Committee
5 pm, Board Room

Monday 13-20
Date to be
decided
Presentation of Papers to Accountants and
Finance Industry
5 pm, Board Room

SPORT

TOWN V GOWN RUGBY MATCH

A change of date has been announced for the Town v Gown rugby match, traditionally held on the weekend of the University Day Celebrations.

Date previously announced for the game was August 9. But now, to avoid a clash of dates, match organiser Ian Lowe has announced a change to Sunday August 10, which is as close as might be to August 8, date of the University’s 11th Anniversary.

Ian has suggested that Friends, and others, might look to their diaries ...

ADVERTISEMENTS

PRIVATE TUTORING IN RUSSIAN

By experienced university lecturer recently migrated to Wollongong, Phone 272949 after 4 pm.

PLEASE NOTE

The Centre for Technology and Social Change has moved and is now located at 55 Northfields Avenue. New phone numbers to be advised.

ACCOMMODATION WANTED

Nineteen-year-old male student seeks accommodation close to Uni. Please contact Justin on (02) 9188191 or business (02) 9186273 (reverse charges).