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united way drive results

Although the University and the student body again received Merit Achievement Awards from United Way, the 1979 campus campaign raised less money than the record-setting amount raised the year before. Pledges and gifts amounted to \$65,988 in 1979 as against \$67,812 in 1978. There was increased giving in 1979 on the part of faculty, students and the Holy Cross Community. Contributions from staff and from nonacademic administrators declined from the year before.

law school center receives grant

A major study of civil rights policies in the Eisenhower administration will be completed with a \$50,000 grant from the Prince Charitable Trust Foundation of Chicago to the Center for Civil and Human Rights of the Law School.

Donald P. Kommers, director of the center, said the Eisenhower project will be part of a larger civil rights legal history study to be undertaken by the Notre Dame office over the next several years, and will result in the publication of several books on various aspects of American policy since World War II. Dori Dressander, a faculty research fellow in the center is author of the Eisenhower study.

memorial library hours between sessions

Tuesday, May 13-Sunday, June 22, 1980

1st and 2nd floors Monday-Saturday 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Sundays Closed

4th through 13th floors (Tower) Monday-Saturday 8 a.m.-10 p.m. Sunday 1 p.m.-10 p.m.

Memorial Library Building will be closed: May 26 (Memorial Day).

The research libraries will be open Monday through Friday 8 a.m. - Noon and 1 p.m.- 5 p.m. Thev will be closed Saturdays and Sundays.

All libraries will return to their summer school schedule on Monday, June 23, 1980.

May 16, 1980

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appointments

<u>Michael J. Etzel</u>, professor of business administration at Utah State University, has been named chairman of the Department of Marketing, replacing David L. Appel, associate professor of marketing. Etzel will join the Notre Dame faculty next fall.

Yusaku Furuhashi, professor of marketing and associate dean of the College of Business Administration, has been named acting dean of the college effective June 1. Furuhashi succeeds Bro. Leo Ryan, C.S.V., who has resigned to accept the deanship of DePaul University College of Commerce.

honors

<u>Thomas P. Bergin</u>, dean of continuing education and professor of management, has been elected to the board of the National University Continuing Education Association.

James P. Dougherty, associate professor of English, has been awarded the Frank O'Malley Publication Prize of the College of Arts and Letters for his book, <u>The Fivesquare City:</u> <u>The City in the</u> Religious <u>Imagination</u>.

Linda C. Ferguson, assistant professor in the General Program of Liberal Studies, has been awarded a grant of \$2,500 from the National Endowment for the Humanities to participate in an eight-week seminar, "Technology and Music," at Dartmouth College, June 16-Aug. 8 under the directorship of Jon Appleton. Moira Geoffrion, assistant professor of art, has been notified that her works have been chosen to appear in the Lerner-Heller Gallery in New York City.

John J. Gilligan, White Professor of law, was elected to a three-year term on the national governing board of Common Cause.

Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., University President, has been selected by the Association of Graduates of the U.S. Military Academy as the 1980 recipient of the Sylvanus Thayer Award, given annually to an American citizen whose service to his country exemplifies the ideals of West Point. Father Hesburgh also received an honorary degree last month from Tuskegee Institute at a Founder's Day observance at which he spoke.

<u>Klaus Lanzinger</u>, professor of modern and classical languages, wrote an essay on Melville and the Cathedral of Cologne that was selected by the Cultural Affairs Office of the City of Cologne to appear as a feature article in the special issue of the magazine <u>Koln</u>, commemorating the 100th anniversary of the completion of the cathedral.

Robert Leader, professor of art, has been notified that his Mess Night address to the Marine Midshipmen of the Notre Dame NROTC unit has been distributed for course inclusion to the staff and students of The Basic School, the Amphibious Warfare School, the Communications Officer School and the Marine Corps Command & Staff College.

Thomas G. Marullo, assistant professor of modern and classical languages, has been awarded a fellowship by the National Endowment for the Humanities to participate in a summer seminar on Russian Modernism to be held at Cornell University from June 16-Aug. 8.

Kevin M. Misiewicz, associate professor of

accountancy, has been named Coopers and Lybrand Research Fellow in Accountancy.

Thomas J. Schlereth, associate professor of American studies, has been appointed by the executive committee of the American Studies Association to serve a four-year term as a member of the national organization's Committee on Publications. Schlereth was also recently named to the nominating committee of the Regional Association (Ohio-Indiana) of the American Studies Association.

activities

Howard G. Adams, executive director of the National Consortium for Graduate Degrees for Minorities in Engineering, Inc., presented an invited paper on "Engineering for Blacks in the 80s: the Need to Expand Professional and Graduate Opportunities," at the Fifth National Conference on Blacks in Higher Education, Washington, D.C., April 11-13.

<u>Hafiz Atassi</u>, professor of aerospace and mechanical engineering, delivered a paper, "On the Aerodynamics of Swirling Flows Interacting with Airfoils," at the Fluid Mechanics Retreat held in Rochester, Ind., April 18-19.

<u>Stephen M. Batill</u>, assistant professor of aerospace and mechanical engineering, delivered a paper, "High-Speed Flow Visualization," at the Fluid Mechanics Retreat held in Rochester, Ind., April 18-19.

Linda S. Beard, assistant professor of English, delivered a paper, "The Self in the Writings of East African Women: Rebeca Njau, Grace Ogot and Charity Waciuma," at the annual meeting of the African Literature Association held at the University of Florida, Gainesville, April 9-12.

Harvey A. Bender, professor of biology, presented a Sigma Xi lecture, "Genetics, Evolution and Society: Rights and Responsibilities," at Murray State University, Murray, Ky., April 4.

<u>Rev. David B. Burrell, C.S.C.</u>, chairman and professor of theology and professor of philosophy, lectured on "Men and Women Believing" at Saint Mary's College, Leavenworth, Kan. April 2-3.

Donald P. Costello, chairman and professor of American studies and professor of English, presented a paper, "And the Word Was Made Fresh: Synge's The Playboy of the Western World," as part of an ethnic studies series sponsored by Chicago State University and the National Endowment for the Humanities, at the Chicago Public Library, April 5.

George B. Craig, Clark Professor of biology, served on the executive committee as councilor for northern Indiana at the fourth annual meeting of the Indiana Vector Control Association held March 19-21 in Evansville, Ind. Craig also delivered a paper, "Aedes atropalpus Introduced into Indiana; a New Arbovirus Threat," and narrated a film by Cameron Gunderson of LaCrosse, Wis., entitled "LaCrosse Encephalitis" at the meeting. James M. Daschbach, professor of aerospace and mechanical engineering, presently on leave to the National Defense Laboratory, lectured on "Parametrics as a Teaching Tool--Pilot Study" at a workshop sponsored by the International Society of Parametric Analysts and RCA/Price Systems, April 28-30, Cherry Hill, N.J.

<u>Walter R. Davis</u>, professor of English, gave a lecture, "Renaissance Media," at St. Maryof-the-Woods College, West Terre Haute, Ind., April 8. Davis also gave an invited lecture on "Dual Structure in Spenser's Eclogues" for the University of Chicago Renaissance Seminar in Chicago, April 15.

James P. Dougherty, associate professor of English, read a paper, "Prophecy and the Profane: Words in T.S. Eliot," at a regional meeting of the Conference on Christianity and Literature, held at Illinois State University, Normal, April 25-26.

<u>Msgr. John J. Egan</u>, director of the Center for Pastoral and Social Ministry and special assistant to the President, was an invited participant in a panel discussion on "The Priest as Instrument of Peace and Justice" at Moreau Seminary, April 17. Egan addressed the members of St. Barnabas Parish, Indianapolis, on "Parish Renewal, Spiritual and Social" on a renewal weekend, April 19-20. On April 23 Egan gave the Thomas Paine lecture at the Third Unitarian Church, Chicago. The topic: "Urban Rights--the People in our Cities."

Harald E. Esch, professor of biology, conducted a workshop on "Instrumentation in Behavioral Research" and participated in the poster session at the Midwest Animal Behavior Meeting held in Milwaukee, Wis., April 11-13.

Thomas P. Fehlner, professor of chemistry, presented an invited lecture, "Diiron-metalloboranes: Structure and Bonding" on April 21 to the Department of Chemistry, University of Wisconsin-Madison.

<u>Thomas S. Fern</u>, associate professor of art, conducted a workshop on perspective at the University as part of "On the Map," a built-environment workshop for high school students, April 18-19.

Rev. James F. Flanigan, C.S.C., chairman and associate professor of art, conducted a workshop on life drawing at the University as part of "On the Map," a built-environment workshop for high school students, April 18-19.

<u>Canon Astrik L. Gabriel</u>, director of the Frank M. Folsom Ambrosiana Microfilm and Photographic Collection, lectured on "The Pictorial History of Medieval Student Life" at Columbia University, New York City, on April 10, using slides taken from 14th-and 15-century illuminated manuscripts.

Moira M. Geoffrion, assistant professor of art,

conducted a workshop on fibers at the University as part of "On the Map," a built-environment workshop for high school students, April 18-19.

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John J. Gilligan, White Professor of law, addressed the New York Symposium on the Report of the Presidential Commission on World Hunger, on April 10 at New York City.

Philip Gleason, professor of history, spoke on "Americans All: Ethnicity, Ideology and American Identity in the Era of World War II" as one of the principal lectures at the meetings of the European Association for American Studies in Amsterdam, The Netherlands, April 15.

Denis Goulet, O'Neill Professor of Education for Justice, presented a paper, "Goals in Conflict: Corporate Success and Global Justice?" at a symposium on "The Judeo-Christian Vision and the Business Corporation," April 16, at Notre Dame. On April 17 Goulet was interviewed on the topic of "Transnational Corporations and Developing Countries" on a 30-minute Voice of America radio program for worldwide broadcast.

<u>Richard W. Greene</u>, associate professor of biology, represented Notre Dame when the University served as sponsoring member of the annual meeting of The Institute of Ecology (TIE) at Holcomb Research Institute, Butler University, Indianapolis, March 30 through April 1.

<u>Alexander J. Hahn</u>, associate professor of mathematics, gave a colloquium lecture for the Math Department of the University of Oklahoma, Oklahoma City, entitled "Morita Equivalence and the Linear Groups" on April 10.

<u>Frank Henry</u>, postdoctoral research associate in aerospace and mechanical engineering, delivered a paper, "Low Reynolds Number Flow Over an Array of Cylinders," at the Fluid Mechanics Retreat held in Rochester, Ind., April 18-19.

<u>A.Murty Kanury</u>, associate professor of aerospace and mechanical engineering, conceived and coorganized a symposium in honor of P.H. Thomas entitled "Advances in Fire Physics" which was held at the National Bureau of Standards, Washington, D.C., April 15-16. Kanury also presented a paper there, "A Systematic Identification of the Family of Limiting Case Fires involving Liquid Fuel Tanks."

<u>Conrad J. Kowalski</u>, assistant professor of chemistry, presented an invited lecture, "Generation and Reactions of α -Keto Dianions," at Miles Laboratories, Elkhart, Ind., on April 15.

John J. Kozak, professor of chemistry and senior scientist in the Radiation Laboratory, gave an invited talk, "Gas-Liquid Coexistence Phenomena: A Distribution Function Approach," at the session on phase transitions at the M.S. Green Symposium on Statistical Physics, held April 24-25 at the National Bureau of Standards, Washington, D.C.

Barbara A. McGowan, assistant professor of

American studies, delivered a paper, "American Catholics: The Postwar Success Story," at the American Catholic Historical Association meeting held in Milwaukee, April 11-12.

Ralph M. McInerny, Grace Professor of Medieval Studies, director of the Medieval Institute and director of the Maritain Center, presented a paper, "Principles of Natural Law," at the Natural Law Forum sponsored by the <u>American</u> <u>Journal of Jurisprudence</u> at the Notre Dame Law School, April 9.

<u>Robert P. McIntosh</u>, professor of biology, presented a seminar on "Succession--a Confounded Concept," to the Department of Botany, University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee, April 2, and to the University of Wisconsin, Madison, on April 3.

Rev. Ernan McMullin, professor of philosophy, read a paper: "Is Progress in Science Dialectical?" at the annual Notre Dame-Calvin College philosophy conference in Grand Rapids, Mich., March 7. He spoke at the annual meeting of the Metaphysical Society of America, held at Notre Dame, March 13-15, on the topic: "Are Scientific Theories ever True?" He took part in a panel discussion: "What is Catholic Philosophy?" at the annual meeting of the American Catholic Philosophical Association in Philadelphia on April 11, and also chaired the philosophy of science division of the meeting.

Rev. Donald P. McNeill, C.S.C., director of the Center for Experiential Learning and adjunct assistant professor of theology, gave a presentation on "Alumni Clubs and Social Concerns" to the alumni club of Chicago, March 17, and to the alumni club of Indianapolis, April 8. On April 9 McNeill collaborated in a team presentation of the Urban Plunge to the Notre Dame Clergy Institute. McNeill and members of the College of Business Administration chaired a session at the conference on "The Judeo-Christian Vision and the Modern Business Corporation" on April 14. He also collaborated in orientation and preparation meetings for the Holy Cross Associates and CILA Summer Project students, April 19-20.

Rev. John A. Melloh, S.M., director of the Center for Pastoral Liturgy, associate professional specialist in the Center for Pastoral and Social Ministry and concurrent assistant professor of theology, gave a three-day workshop on preaching the Word of God at the Tenth Annual Priests Convention in Denver, Colo., April 14-16. At the National Association of Pastoral Musicians convention in Providence, R.I., April 24-25, Melloh lectured on "The Celebrant as Animator" and gave the closing convention address: "The Dilemma of Pastoral Music."

<u>Ruth Neta</u>, a postdoctoral research associate in microbiology, gave a presentation on "The Genetic Control of <u>in vivo</u> Lymphokine Formation" at the 64th Federated American Society for Experimental Biology annual meeting in Anaheim, Calif., April 13-18. <u>Carl W. O'Nell</u>, associate professor of sociology and anthropology, presented a paper, "Hostility Management in a Zapotec Community," before a general session on "Anthropology and Conflict" at the Central States Anthropological Society Meeting in Detroit, April 11.

Dean A. Porter, director of The Snite Museum of Art and associate professor of art, presented a paper on "Bringing the Gallery to Life" at Marquette University, Milwaukee, April 21.

<u>Kenneth F. Ripple</u>, associate professor of law and director of the White Center for Government, Law and Human Rights, gave the principal address at the American Bar Association Law Student Division's Seventh Circuit Conference at Notre Dame, April 12. The topic: "The Legacy of Mr. Justice Reed."

Joseph G. Rushton, Jr., assistant professor of art, conducted a workshop on museology at The Snite Museum of Art as part of "On the Map," a builtenvironment workshop for high school students, April 18-19.

<u>Thomas J. Schlereth</u>, associate professor of American studies, conducted a workshop on "Above-Ground Archeology" at the South Bend Century Center as part of "On the Map," a built-environment workshop for high school students, April 18-19.

Mark Searle, associate director of the Center for Pastoral Liturgy and concurrent assistant professor of theology, spoke to religious educators of the Fort Wayne-South Bend diocese on "Liturgy and Evangelization" at Mt. Alverna Convent in Mishawaka, April 22.

<u>Kenneth L. Slepicka</u>, assistant professor of aerospace and mechanical engineering, chaired a session, "Forecasting and Sampling," at the American Institute of Decision Sciences meeting held in Dayton, Ohio, April 17-18.

<u>Clagett G. Smith</u>, professor of sociology and anthropology, and John Gessner presented a paper at the Midwest Sociological Society Meetings in Milwaukee, Wis., on April 3: "Some Concomitants of Attitudes Toward Nonviolence in the Settlement of Disputes: A Multilevel, Multidimensional Analysis."

<u>Richard Stevens</u>, associate professor of art, conducted a workshop on photography at the University as part of "On the Map," a builtenvironment workshop for high school students, April 18-19.

<u>Boleslaw B. Szczesniak</u>, professor emeritus of history, continued advanced research on Russian penetration into the Mediterranean from Peter the First to the present and on an edition of letters of Michael Boym (1612-1659) in the Vatican archives and in the general archives of the Society of Jesuits, Dec. 15, 1979-March 10, 1980.

Anthony M. Trozzolo, Huisking Professor of

chemistry, spoke on "The Image of Chemistry" to the Permian Basin Section of the American Chemical Society (ACS) in Midland, Texas, April 22. On April 23, Trozzolo spoke to the South Plains Section of the ACS at Texas Tech University, Lubbock, on "Excited State Reactions of Laser Dyes." Trozzolo spoke on "Cyclic Photochemistry" to the Rio Grande Valley Section of the ACS at the University of Texas, El Paso, April 24. On April 25, Trozzolo spoke on "Solid-State Photochromism" to the Central New Mexico Section of ACS at the New Mexico Institute of Technology, Socorro, N.M. Trozzolo gave all these talks while serving as the American Chemical Society's visiting lecturer.

Edward R. Trubac, associate professor of finance and business economics, presented a paper, "Economic Guidelines for Corporate Decision-Making," at the Judeo-Christian Vision and the Modern Business Corporation Symposium held at the University April 14-16, sponsored by the Joint Committee of Business, Theology and Philosophy. On April 21, Trubac delivered a talk, "Inflation, Our Greatest Challenge," at a banking seminar sponsored by the First Merchants National Bank in Michigan City, Ind.

Kathleen J. Turner, assistant professor of communications and theatre, presented two papers at the Central States Speech Association Convention in Chicago, April 11-12: "Archival Resources in Contemporary America for Speech Communication Research: The Presidential Libraries," and "Case Studies in 'Nonpolitical' Influences on a Campaign Issue: the United Mine Workers and the Energy Issue."

<u>Donald G. Vogl</u>, associate professor of art, conducted a workshop on painting at the University as part of "On the Map," a builtenvironment workshop for high school students, April 18-19.

<u>F. Ellen Weaver</u>, assistant professor of theology, presented a paper on the "Histories and Historians of Port-Royal" at the American Catholic Historical Association's annual meeting at Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wis., on April 12.

<u>Rev. Robert Wilken</u>, professor of theology, lectured on the Augsburg Confession to a group of Lutheran campus pastors in South Bend, April 14-16.

Donald Yates, assistant faculty fellow in the Medieval Institute, presented a paper, "Spain's Participation in the 12th-Century Revival of Interest in Seneca," at the Sewanee Mediaeval Colloquium, Sewanee, Ky., on April 12.

John Yoder, professor of theology, lectured on "Practical Moral Reasoning" as part of the annual Hoover lecture series at Disciple's Divinity House, University of Chicago, April 22.

deaths

Rev. John A. O'Brien, 87, author-in-residence, on April 19.



Types of Grants:

SCHOLAR PROGRAM: Five-year grants for a total of \$125,000 are awarded to individuals who have demonstrated distinct ability in the investigation of leukemia and related disorders. Under special circumstances, the society may award a reduced scholar grant for a shorter period of time.

<u>SPECIAL FELLOW PROGRAM</u>: Two-year grants for a total of \$37,000 are awarded to investigators who have demonstrated ability in postdoctoral research and who have become interested in working in the field of leukemia and related disorders. This program has been tailored to meet the needs of individuals whose qualifications place them between fellow and scholar status. Under special circumstances, the society may award a reduced special fellow grant for a shorter period of time.

FELLOW PROGRAM: Two-year grants for a total of \$30,000 are awarded to promising younger investigators to encourage work in leukemia research. Under special circumstances, the society may award a reduced fellow grant for a shorter period of time.

Established investigators, under rare and exceptional circumstances may apply to take a sabbatical in order for them to gain more information on leukemia and related diseases. Funding will be given only if such

information circulars

Additional information on all circulars listed below may be obtained by calling the following extensions:

- Extension 7432, for information on federal government programs.
- Extension 7433, for information on private foundations, corporations and state agencies.

Leukemia Society of America, Inc. Research Grant Program

No. FY80-257

Program:

The Leukemia Society of America, Inc. is a national voluntary health agency dedicated to the conquest of leukemia through medical research. To accomplish this, the society welcomes applications from investigators willing to dedicate their careers to leukemia research. work will greatly add to the knowledge of leukemia and related disorders. Only two sabbaticals will be given in any one year.

Deadline: Sept. 1, 1980.

Application:

For a copy of detailed guidelines and an application, contact the Office of Advanced Studies, Division of Research and Sponsored Programs.

National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminars for College Teachers

No. FY80-258

This program is intended to provide opportunities during the summer for teachers at undergraduate and two year colleges to work in their areas of interest with distinguished scholars at institutions with library resources suitable for advanced study. Funds permitting, the endowment plans to offer approximately 120 seminars, each with 12 members, in all disciplines of the humanities and the humanistic social sciences, during the summer of 1981. The seminars will be held at institutions broadly distributed throughout the country. A few seminars may be located abroad.

Summer Seminar Participants -- applicants must have been teaching for at least three years at two-year, four-year or five-year colleges or universities. Faculty members of departments with doctoral programs in the humanities are normally not eligible to apply. The stipend amount is \$2,500 to cover travel expenses to and from the seminar location, books and other research expenses and living expenses for a tenure period of two full months.

Summer Seminar Directors -- scholars interested in directing summer seminars may obtain proposal guidelines from the fellowships division. The deadline for the submission of proposals to direct seminars in the summer of 1981 is July 1, 1980.

National Science Foundation Science for Citizens Forums, Conferences and Workshops

No. FY80-259

The Science for Citizens Forums, Conferences and Workshops is an experimental program in which citizens and scientists come together to educate each other about science-related policy issues.

Through the support of forums, conferences and workshops involving scientists and citizens, SFC encourages activities that: (1) contribute to the development and public dissemination of facts, issues and arguments about policy issues in which science and technology play an important part; and (2) help citizens to reach informed decisions and participate effectively in the policy-making process on these issues. The issues are expected to be matters of public concern that may affect people's daily lives in their roles as consumers, workers, family members and community residents.

Colleges and universities are eligible sponsors. Preliminary proposals are due on July 15, 1980.

Office of Education Community Education Program

No. FY80-260

The Community Education Program awards grants to local education agencies, state education agencies, other public agencies, nonprofit private organizations and institutions of higher education. The purpose of the awards is to plan, establish, expand and offer a community education program; promote an efficient use of school facilities; encourage effective delivery of social services; and train persons involved in community education.

In FY 1980 \$3,138,000 has been appropriated for the Community Education Program. Of this amount, \$500,000 is available to institutions of higher education. In addition, institutions of higher education may serve as contractees, contractors to SEA's and LEA's for a variety of training programs.

The deadline for submission of proposals is June 30,1980.

National Institute of Mental Health Small Grants Program

No. FY80-261

The National Institute of Mental Health has a small grants research program for individuals interested in conducting research on problems associated with mental health. Both the small grants and the regular research program are focusing on the effects of divorce on the mental health of children of divorced parents, the effects on children of mentally disturbed parents and the effects of war on Vietnam veterans.

NIMH's small grants will provide financial support for studies in behavioral, biomedical and medical services. The grants can be used to develop and test a new technique or method; to exploit an expected research opportunity; to analyze data previously collected; or to carry out exploratory or pilot studies. Small grants may be requested for a year or less and are limited to \$10,000 for the direct costs of conducting the research.

The proposals, which can be submitted at any time, are reviewed five times a year. Approximately one of six applications are funded, with the ratio for small research grants being somewhat less, approximately one out of five.

Environmental Protection Agency Partners in Research Program

No. FY80-262

Program:

Grants to researchers from colleges and universities for exploratory research that will provide bases for anticipating new problems and making regulatory decisions, in addition to improving the scientific quality of EPA's program and assuring the relevancy of the grant program to EPA's mission. For FY 80, the research areas are as follows:

- Pollution Control Processes
- Health Research
- Environmental Chemistry and Physics
- Environmental Biology

Deadline: June 30, 1980.

For Further Information, Contact:

Environmental Protection Agency RD-675 401 M Street, SE Washington, DC 20460 (202) 426-2355

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NIH-National Institute on Aging Social and Behavioral Research on Aging

No. FY80-263

Program:

This program is concerned with the social, cultural, economic and psychological factors that affect both the process of growing old and the place of older people in society. Four major emphases are: the dynamic character of aging; the interrelatedness of old age with earlier ages; the cultural variability of aging, and the multiple facets of aging. In addition, three major categories for relevant research within the program are:

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- Psychological and Social Components of the Aging Process
- Older People in the Changing Society
- Older People and Social Institutions

Three special criteria for assessing grant applications for this program are: conceptual clarity, substantive integration and appropriate research design. Mechanisms of Support include Research Project Grants, Special Research Awards and Special Initiative Awards (July 1 deadline).

Deadline:

June 1, 1980 and July 1, 1980.

For Further Information, Contact:

NIH-National Institute on Aging Social and Behavioral Research 9000 Rockville Pike Bethesda, MD 20205 Bldg. 31, Room 5C-27 (301) 496-3136

(From 1980 ARIS)

National Science Foundation Applied Research- Biological and Ecological Applications

No. FY80-264

Program:

Colleges, universities, industry, including small businesses and other organizations, profit or nonprofit, as well as state, regional, local units of government, individuals without organizational affiliation and combinations of these organizations are eligible for this program whose objective is to accelerate the rate of technological innovation based on basic advances in the biological and ecological disciplines. Areas of interest include, but are not limited to: (1) Utilization of plant cell and tissue culture techniques for production of secondary metabolites; (2) Protoplast fusion to speed tests of new plant materials; (3) Microbial ecology of disturbed soils; (4) Modeling and management of ecosystems as a way of increasing effective use of land, water and renewable resources; (5) Aquatic animal and plant culture using nutrient and water recycling in natural and artificial systems; and (6) Effects of harmful substances on the physiology, behavior and biochemistry of organisms, including movements through trophic levels and food chain dynamics. Cost sharing (greater than 1% of total project costs) is required on each unsolicited research proposal.

Deadline: June 30, 1980.

For Further Information, Contact:

National Science Foundation Division of Applied Research Applied Physical, Mathematical and Biological Sciences, and Engineering Donald Thayer, Program Manager Applied Biology and Biological Applications Room 1211 1800 G Street, NW Uashington, DC 20550 (202) 634-7183

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National Science Foundation Division of Physiology, Cellular and Molecular Biology

No. FY80-265

<u>Unsolicited Research Proposals</u>: Unsolicited proposals are invited from colleges and universities; nonprofit, nonacademic research organizations; and private profit organizations for research in the following areas:

<u>Cell Biology Program</u> Contact the following:

> National Science Foundation Directorate for Biological, Behavioral and Social Sciences Division of Physiology, Cellular and Molecular Biology Eugene Fox, Program Director Room 333 1800 G Street NW Washington, DC 20550 (202) 634-4117

<u>Genetic Biology Program</u> Contact the following; same address as above:

Philip D. Harriman, Program Director Room 326, (202) 632-5985

<u>Recombinant DNA Research Activities</u> Contact the following; same address as above:

Philip D. Harriman, Program Director

Room 326, (202) 632-5985

<u>Biochemistry Program</u> Contact the following; Same address as above: MacDonald Green, Program Director Estella K. Engel, Associate Program Director Room 329 (202) 632-4260

Biophysics Program

Contact the following; same address as above:

Arthur Kowalsky, Program Director Brenda Flam, Assistant Program Director Room 329 (202) 632-4260

<u>Developmental Biology Program</u> Contact the following; same address as above:

> Mary E. Clutter, Program Director Room 326, (202) 632-4314

Metabolic Biology Program Contact the following; same address as above:

> Elijan B. Romanoff, Program Director Jane Shen-Miller, Associate Program Director Room 331, (202) 632-4312

Regulatory Biology Program See MSR IV, No. 8, p. 44. Contact the following; same address as above:

> Bruce Umminger, Program Director Elvira Domen, Associate Program Director Room 333, (202) 632-4298

Deadline: July 1, 1980.

(From 1980 ARIS)

National Science Foundation Division of International Programs Europe Section

No. FY80-266

International Travel Grant Program: Awards to enable U.S. scientists to participate in international scientific meetings held abroad for the purposes of 1) obtaining and exchange of scientific information and 2) professional development. Neither travel to Canada nor travel to any U.S. Trust Territory or possession will be supported. A U.S. scientist is any recognized member of the U.S. scientific community, regardless of nationality, who performs work in the U.S. Two types of travel awards are available:

- Group awards: grants to institutions, professional societies and nonprofit organizations, including universities, that wish to coordinate U.S. participation in international meetings held abroad. For proposal guidelines, consult the "Grants for Scientific Research," NSF 78-41.

- Individual awards: grants will be awarded to individuals only if the applicant has been: 1) invited to lecture at a plenary session of an international scientific meeting; 2) invited to organize a special session at an international scientific meeting; or 3) invited to participate in a NATO Advanced Study Institute (ASI) and recommended for travel support by the institute director. Applicants should consult the "Grant Policy Manual," NSF 77-47, for instructions.

Deadline:

July 1, 1980 for travel between April 1 and June 30, 1981.

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US-Israel Binational Science Foundation Grants: Grants to scientists from institutions of higher learning, government research institutions, hospitals and other nonprofit research organizations to support and promote cooperation between the US and Israel in scientific and technological research. Projects may take the form of: 1) Joint research activities where interdependent projects of a single program are conducted in different laboratories and involve different sources of funding; 2) Provision of research facilities, materials, equipment and/or services to cooperating scientists; 3) interchange of personnel; or 4) Joint planning of research design and joint evaluation of results. The BSF will support research in any of the following areas: agriculture, health sciences, life sciences, physics, chemistry, mathematical sciences, atmospheric and earth sciences, oceanography and limnology, materials research, environmental research, energy research, biomedical engineering, economics, sociology, anthropology, social and developmental psychology.

Deadline: July 1, 1980.

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Cent. Study Man	Leege, Kerrigan	Jose Ortega y Gasset's MAGNUM OPUS (translation)	M.E. Wilbur Fdtn.	5,000
Microbiology - Lobund Lab.	Pollard	Intestinal carcinogenesis in conven- tional and germfree rats	Natl. Inst. Health	82,466 12
Chemistry	Castellino	Structure - function studies on plasminogen and plasmin	Natl. Inst. Health	88,652 12
Aerospace Mech. Eng.	Cullinane	Classification and coding scheme for decision support systems	Higher Order Software, Inc.	20,000 16
Aerospace Mech. Eng.	Lloyd, Yang	Radiation convection interaction in heat transfer	Natl. Sci. Fdtn.	75,000 12
Advanced Studies	Gordon	Biomedical research support grant	Natl. Inst. Health	79,620 12
Biology	Goetz	Endocrine control of oocyte maturation/ ovulation in yellow perch/brook trout	Natl. Sci. Fdtn.	43,000 24
Metallurgical Eng.	Kargol	Paintability of high strength cold rolled steels	Amer. Iron Steel Inst.	25,600 12
Electrical Eng.	Sain	Zero modules and inverse system design	Natl. Aero. Space Admin.	15,366 12
Psychology	Kline	Stimulus persistence and age: A prospective analysis	Natl. Inst. Health	34,836 12
Chemistry	Scheidt	X-ray and chemical studies of metalloporphyrins	Natl. Inst. Health	45,435 12

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Chemistry	Fehlner	Metal-metal interactions in clusters by photoelectron spectroscopy	Natl. Sci. Fdtn.	40,000 12
Chemistry	Thomas	Photochemistry and structure in microemulsions	Natl. Sci. Fdtn.	51,800 12
Chemistry	Labinger	Homogeneous catalysis of CO Reduction	Natl. Sci. Fdtn.	48,792 12
Physics	Huang, Johnson	Relativistic equation of motion approach to transition proc. in many-particle sys	Research . Corp.	3,600 12
Chemistry	Bretthauer	Dolichal intermediate in lung glyco- protein synthesis	Amer. Lung Assn.	9,200 12
Microbiology - Lobund Lab.	Pollard	Development and maintenance of germfree animal colonies	Natl. Inst. Health	175,403 12
		AWARD FOR FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT		
Memorial Library	Miller	College library resources program (FY1980)	U.S. Off. Educ.	1,900 12
		AWARDS FOR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS		
Electrical Eng.	Cohn, Garson	Interactive graphics programs for computer literacy	Apple Educ. Fdtn.	9,715 12
Cent. Study Man	Samora	Institutional grant and fellowship program	U.S. Off. Educ.	100,800
Urban Studies	Broden	Youth advocacy program development	U.S. Dept. Justice	350,000 18
	<u></u>	AWARDS FOR SERVICE PROGRAMS		
Biology	Grimstad, Craig	Arbovirus surveillance laboratory service	Ind. State Bd. Health	124,272
Cent. Human Develop.	Dwyer	Ministry to priests program - ministry to laity program		34,360
Cent. Past. Soc. Min.	Gallen	Notre Dame Center for Pastoral Liturgy		2,234
Cent. Past. Soc. Min.	Melloh	The Notre Dame Center for Pastoral Liturgy - training programs		395
Cent. Past. Soc. Min.	Pelton	Notre Dame Institute for Clergy Education		26,894
Cent. Past. Soc. Min.	McNeill	Center for Experiential Learning		635
Cent. Past. Soc. Min.	Gaynor	Religious Leaders Program		135
Comm. Internatl. Lay Apostolate	McNeill, Mitchell	Tijuana summer project (Los Ninos program)	Trust Fund, Inc.	550 1.5

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Civil Eng.	Razzaq	Stability of crooked columns with par- tial rotational end restraints	Natl. Sci. Fdtn.	81,729 24
Chemical Eng.	Wolf	Infrared studies of surface intermediates during CO oxidation on polymetallic cat		127,743 24
Aerospace . Mech. Eng.	Brach	Least squares accident reconstruction	U.S. Dept. Transportation	35,751 12
Microbiology - Lobund Lab.	Wagner	The anticaries activity of colostrum whey	Impro Products, Inc.	22,498 7
Chemistry	Miller	Camille and Henry Dreyfus teacher- scholar grant	Camille & Henry Dreyfus Fdtn., In	48,950 c
Chemistry	Miller	Synthesis of β-Lactums for hydroxamic acids	Natl. Inst. Health	54,759 12
Chemistry	Hayes	X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy of Heme compounds	Natl. Inst. Health	66,357 12

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Cent. Civil Human Rights	Kommers	Operating support, Center for Civil and Human Rights	(private fdtn.)	294,044 24
Civil Eng.	Irvine, Kulpa, Wolf	Use of sequencing batch reactors in biological waste treatment research	Natl. Sci. Fdtn.	456,199 36
Chemical Eng.	Schmitz	Oscillatory catalytic reactions and their kinetic models	Natl. Sci. Fdtn.	46,421 12
Microbiology - Lobund Lab.	Asano	Physiological aspects of senescence in germfree animals	Natl. Inst. Health	60,018 12
Electrical Eng.	Sain	Total synthesis algorithms for multi- variable control systems	U.S. Dept. Navy	65,000 12
		PROPOSALS FOR EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS		
Biology	Weinstein	Experimental parasitology and vector biology training	Natl. Inst. Health	119,027 12
College Eng.	Marley	Program to increase the number of women and minorities in engineering	Corning Glass Works Fdtn.	6,876 9

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Proposals must be submitted to the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs seven (7) calendar days prior to the deadline dates listed below.

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eulogy for rev. john a. o'brien

(Following is the eulogy preached by Rev. Edmund P. Joyce, C.S.C., executive vice president of the University of Notre Dame, at the funeral Mass for Rev. John A. O'Brien in Sacred Heart Church, April 21, 1980.)

All of us have listened to this parable many times over the years. I daresay it manages to command our attention readily enough. While it applies to every human being I suspect it carries special weight for the priest who has freely chosen to follow in the footsteps of Our Lord as a successor to the small group of men to whom Christ gave this dramatic final mandate. Just before His Ascension He gathered his 11 disciples around him and said:

"Full authority in heaven and earth have been given to me. Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations; baptize them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teach them to observe all the commands that I gave you. And know that I am with you always; yes, to the end of time."

While many of us, as we listen to the parable of the talents, may wonder whether we ourselves have made adequate use of those God has given us, we can today become both humbled and inspired by the priest we are burying this morning, who made incredible use of the special talents God had given him.

In a short eulogy it is impossible to do justice to the full range of Father John A. O'Brien's achievements. I leave this to church historians and biographers. My only objective today is to suggest to you how John O'Brien has lived and died close to the Lord and this morning is preaching to us an eloquent sermon from his casket. During the decades of the '40s and '50s, Father John A. O'Brien was a household name to most American Catholics, perhaps just a shade less recognizable than Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen, who came into the nation's living rooms through the magic of television.

It is fascinating to note that the two most widely known priests in America were near contemporaries and graduates of St. Viator's College in Illinois. It was then that John A. O'Brien had his initial contact with Notre Dame when he was St. Viator's quarterback in a football game played at Cartier Field on Oct. 5, 1912. Father O'Brien in later years at Corby Hall took a lot of good-natured kidding about his role in this game which Notre Dame managed to win by the score of 116-7. However, in 1913 he received his revenge when he captained the St. Viator's team in a stunning upset of Notre Dame. I should add that the team in this case was the debate team.

Father John never lost his interest in sports and physical conditioning. He was a fierce competitor in handball and golf. Until he became incapacitated he walked five miles every day.

If there is one central thread which pulls together all the facets of John A. O'Brien's remarkable priestly career it is his burning desire to bring vast numbers of men and women into the loving, embracing arms of Christ and His Church. No modern day apostle took more literally than did John A. O'Brien the words of Our Lord: "Go, therefore, make disciples of all the nations." He also liked to refer to the incident at Jacob's well when throngs of Samaritans trooped out to see Christ and He turned to His apostles and said

"Do you not say, 'There are yet four months, and then comes the harvest.' Well, I say to you, lift up your eyes and behold that the fields are already white for the harvest. And he who reaps receives a wage, and gathers fruit into life everlasting."

While John O'Brien undoubtedly engaged in individual convert instructions and was in much demand as a splendid pulpit orator, it was through the power of his facile pen that he sought to reach the millions of people "untouched by the ministrations of any religion." One of his books was entitled <u>The White Harvest</u> but the book that was read by millions and became the classic work for converts was his <u>Faith of Millions</u>, first published in 1938. It has gone through 27 editions and has been translated into 10 different languages.

During his lifetime Father O'Brien authored 45 books and countless pamphlets and magazine articles. He was not a profound theologian or creative thinker. He was an extraordinarily lucid writer, an apologist in the best sense of the words, who attempted to present Christian truths to the reasonably intelligent laymen to enlighten him, to inspire him, to make the Faith more meaningful to him.

Father O'Brien was a courageous writer. He did not shy away from controversial topics and was frequently in the vanguard writing about such matters as evolution, birth control and a married clergy. His literary production was awesome, reflecting a very disciplined schedule, especially when you realize that he didn't withdraw from the world to an ivory tower simply to write. He traveled extensively, organizing Catholic Information and Census programs in some 50 dioceses. For many summers he engaged in street preaching in southern hamlets which had never seen a priest. His strong interest in ecumenism involved more than just writing about the subject. Probably only Father O'Brien with his gracious manner, his genuine interest in people on both sides of an issue, his consummate salesmanship, could have brought about an amicable, working relationship between the Masons and the Knights of Columbus. This was ecumenism in action both on the local and national levels.

Another important national movement which found Father John O'Brien in a pioneer role was the Newman Club growth at secular universities. Father John's first assignment as a priest in 1918 was to a parish in Champaign, Ill., where he could help minister to the relatively few Catholic students at the University of Illinois. Within a few years he had bought property contiguous to the campus, built a new church and constructed a residence hall for 300 Catholic students. He also worked for and received a Ph.D. at Illinois and taught religion courses at Newman Hall for which the University granted credits.

Father O'Brien's efforts at Illinois were not without opposition--interestingly enough from Catholic educators who felt that Catholic youngsters should restrict their college education to Catholic institutions. Father O'Brien correctly predicted the day when tens of thousands of Catholics would be attending the large, state-supported institutions. His work at Illinois became a showplace for similar developments around the country.

Father O'Brien came to Notre Dame on a permanent basis in 1940 at the invitation of Father John F. O'Hara and with the encouragement of Bishop John Noll of the Fort Wayne Diocese, whose Sunday Visitor Press disseminated the <u>Faith of Millions</u> and many O'Brien pamphlets.

Father O'Brien's residence at Notre Dame for the past 40 years has been a wonderful blessing for us. His teaching of apologetics soon gave way to the demands of writing, preaching and traveling. Until his serious illness he lived all these years in the same book-cluttered room in the Main Building, now part of the provost's office. He frequently joined the Holy Cross Community at prayers and at meals. A ready smile and a warm greeting were his daily trademark. He always had time for visitors seeking advice or spiritual counsel.

Notre Dame also gave Father O'Brien a base for one of his most persistent hobbies-that of matchmaking. Naturally there were apostolic overtones. An attractive young couple visiting the Grotto was fair game. It may have been embarrassing for some couples who knew each other only slightly or for whom marriage was the last thing on their minds but for others it was a grace-filled encounter. (Parenthetically, I cannot resist needling him a bit in Paradise today by reminding him that he tried this tactic on me at my home in South Carolina during preseminary days. Had he succeeded there would have been a different eulogist in the pulpit this morning.)

As I intimated earlier there is much, much, more that could be said about Father John A. O'Brien. Many of you must have anecdotes which come to mind and help illumine the man.

I repeat that we have been blessed as a community to have had him in our midst for 40 years. As a priest he has been an example par excellence. He dearly loved to offer the Sacrifice of the Mass. His zeal for souls was boundless, his capacity for apostolic work extraordinary. He was faithful to the magisterium of the Church while venturing his own reasoned opinions on difficult moral questions. Fame and honors never unduly elevated his self-esteem. Without the vow of poverty he nevertheless lived in every respect as a poor man, as one who wanted to die without tangible possessions. He asked that the funeral preparations be simple and inexpensive. He requested to be buried in the Holy Cross Community cemetery. This we are gratified to do for our brother and exemplar in Christ.

Seven years ago the University decided to make priests and religious eligible for the University's highest honor, the Laetare Medal, and Father John A. O'Brien was immediately selected as the first cleric to receive it. Thus did we honor one who has honored us with his presence and example.

I conclude by quoting a brief section from a book of Father O'Brien's entitled <u>The</u> Priesthood in a Changing World.

"...our own salvation is found in saving others. Our lodestar is the trust confided to us by Christ--that no single one of the flock committed to our care be lost. It rouses the hope that we may minister to our flock with such unflagging zeal and tireless energy that, when 'night is coming, when no one can work,' the recording angel may write on the epitaph on our tomb what St. Luke wrote on our divine Model in the priesthood, "He went about doing good.'"

Father John A. O'Brien "went about doing good." May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace.

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