

# NEWS & EVENTS

Rochester Institute of Technology

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## LAST DAY FOR BOOKSTORE CHARGE AUTHORIZATIONS

The last day to use bookstore charge authorizations and have them apply to fiscal year 1982 will be Friday, June 25. The bookstore will close at noon on that day for annual inventory.

## CCE Honors Three Faculty

The College of Continuing Education has honored three faculty members with Excellence in Adjunct Teaching Awards. The 1981-82 awards were given to Dr. Thomas Fabiano, Humanistic Studies; Selden H. Rockowitz, Business Management Studies; and Dr. Mason E. Wescott, Technical Studies.

The awards were presented by Dean Robert A. Clark at the college's annual spring faculty meeting.

## Dinner to Honor Retirees, 25-Year Club Members

RIT employees retiring this year, their spouses and job supervisors, as well as employees who have completed 25 years of service to the Institute in the past year, will be honored at a dinner Friday, June 25, at Liberty Hill, the home of Dr. and Mrs. Rose. Retiring this year are:

Lionel P. Allen, P.E., 9 yrs. service  
Joseph D. Coffee, Jr., Eisenhower, 17  
Margaret Collins, Residence Life, 12  
Kenneth R. Hood, Mech. Eng., 21  
Mary Jane Maher, Photo, 10  
Herbert Mossien, College of Business, 11

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## 1982-83 Caroline Werner Gannett Professor in Humanities Named

Dr. Lewis White Beck, professor of philosophy emeritus of the University of Rochester, is the Caroline Werner Gannett Professor in the Humanities, College of General Studies, for 1982-83 academic year.

Author of seven books and many magazine articles on philosophy and the history of ideas, Beck plans three public lectures and will teach the General Studies "Great Thinkers" course during the winter quarter.

Beck, who taught philosophy at the University of Rochester for 30 years, hopes to explore with students how philosophers have dealt with the feelings and emotional issues that are a part of everyone's life.

The professorship was established in 1974 to honor Mrs. Gannett and to perpetuate her life-long interest in fields of study with a humanistic perspective.

The lectures, set for November, December and March, will deal with the relationship between science and technology and the moral issues that surface from technological advances; philosophical exposition of freedom of will; and a description of Sir Harold George Nicolson, English writer, statesman, and literary critic.

Beck was born in Griffin, Ga., and received his bachelor's degree from Emory University, Atlanta, and his master's and doctoral degrees from Duke University.

He joined the faculty of the University of Rochester in 1949 as professor of philosophy and served as chairman of the Department of Philosophy and as dean and associate dean of the Graduate School.

He was named a Guggenheim Fellow in 1957 and an American Council of Learned Societies Fellow in 1965.

He was a visiting professor at the University of California at Berkeley,



LEWIS WHITE BECK

Columbia University, University of Minnesota, Sir George Williams University, and the University of Western Ontario.

He is the author of *Philosophic Inquiry*, *Six Secular Philosophers*, *Commentary on Kant's Critique of Practical Reason*, *Studies in the Philosophy of Kant*, *Early German Philosophy: Kant and his Predecessors*, *The Actor and the Spectator*, and *Essays on Kant and Hume*.



## Rankin Receives Matrix Award

Carolyn P. Rankin, RIT's director of public information, has received the 1982 Matrix Award for excellence in communications. Rankin, who has worked at RIT for nine years, the last three as director of public information, was selected for the award for achievements in increasing the productivity, quality and scope of RIT's media relations and publications work. In the last three years under Rankin's leadership press placements have quadrupled.

The Matrix Award has been given annually since 1970 to individuals who set "high standards of performance and dedication" for work in the communications profession and in the community. The award is given by a national professional society, Women in Communications, Inc., and also was presented this year to Murray J. Green, regional vice president of the Malrite Communications Group, owners of radio stations WEZO and WNYR and of WUHF-TV.

Rankin was presented the award by colleague Jack F. Smith, RIT's associate vice president for Institutional Advancement. Smith cited her work in widening the national image of RIT through placements in the *New York Times*, *Time* magazine, NBC's "Today" show, Charles Kuralt's "Sunday Morning" show, National Public Radio and other major media outlets. In addition, he noted her contributions in the department's achievements of 16 major awards



*Carolyn Rankin, director of public information, receives congratulations from Associate Vice President Jack Smith, Institutional Advancement.*

for writing, media work, publications and broadcast productions in the last three years. Rankin manages a staff of 13 within the Communications Department.

Carol Richards, regional news editor of the Gannett News Service and president of the Washington Press Club, was the featured speaker at the Matrix event.

## Fine and Applied Arts Students Receive Awards at Ceremony

The College of Fine and Applied Arts celebrated graduation day with a special student award ceremony in Bevier Gallery shortly before the graduates received their diplomas. Several hundred family members and guests of the graduates attended the award presentations at which Dean Robert H. Johnston presented prizes to nine students in the college's School of Art and Design and School for American Craftsmen.

The Winsor and Newton Painting Award, sponsored by the R.T. French Co., was presented to James Matthew Lewis of the School of Art and Design. The presentation was made by Charles Chadwick, director of Public Relations for the company. This is the fourth year that R.T. French has presented the award to an RIT student.

Thomas Pierce won first place in the Student Steel Wire Design Competition, sponsored by the American Iron and Steel Institute, for his wire gas-cap saver design. He received a check for \$500. Runner-up Glenn Smith received a check for \$250 for his design of a utility light. Pierce and Smith were industrial design majors in the School of Art and Design.

Professor Don Bujnowski of the School for American Craftsmen presented awards to three students in textile design who won national awards in the annual textile design competition sponsored by the Home Fashion Products Association. Clare Gall won first prize; Elizabeth Garver, third prize; and Laura Rowell, honorable mention—all in the Solid Woven Category.

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### TO THE INSTITUTE COMMUNITY

On Tuesday, June 29, from 3-4:30 p.m., in Clark Dining Room, the Division of Student Affairs will say adieu to Drs. Robert Minetti and Wendy Baker as they depart to begin new responsibilities at Bentley College. Please join us in wishing them well.

### HEALTH WORKSHOP

"Wellness: A Positive Approach to Health," presented by Charlyn Feeney and Barbara Chandler, will be held on Thursday, June 24, from noon-1:30 p.m. in the 1829 Room, College-Alumni Union.

For more information and registration, call Joan Cavanna, Staff Training and Development, 6956 or 6124.

### AUTO TUNE-UP WORKSHOP

The Personnel Department's Staff Training and Development Office, in conjunction with Cliff Seager, foreman, Physical Plant, will conduct a workshop to help you repair your automobile. There will be two sessions, and participants should plan to attend both: Wednesday, June 23, and Wednesday, June 30, noon-1 p.m., in the 1829 Room, College-Alumni Union.

Topics to be covered include: basic tune-up procedures; the difference between C-D and standard ignition and how both work; the most common problems that cause hard starting in the winter.

Call Joan Cavanna, 6956, to register.

### SUMMER IN THE RITSKELLER

Did you know that the Ritskeller: is open for lunch each day from 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

has waitress service every day during lunch

has the best salad bar in the area, which costs \$3.99, including beverage and tax

promises to get you through your meal in 50 minutes or less or your lunch is free

Cafeteria service is available in the Ritskeller from 2:30-8 p.m., Monday-Thursday; 2:30-5:30 p.m. on Friday.

# POLICY & INFORMATION

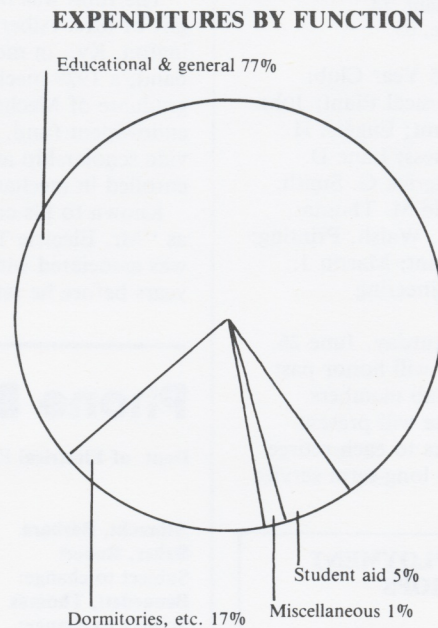
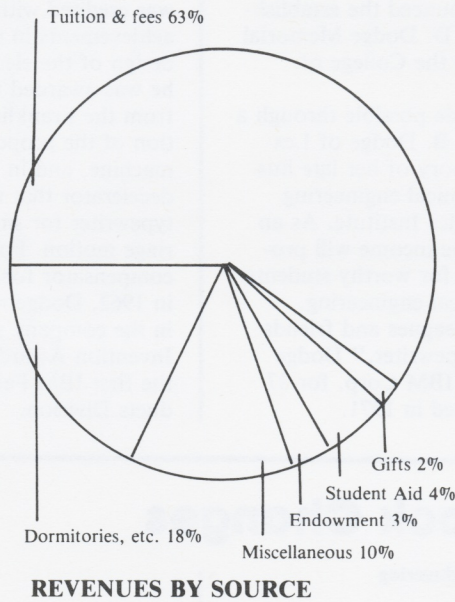
## Faculty Council Meeting, May 13, 1982

- 1) Received reports from chairperson, Academic Affairs Committee, financial officer, and ad hoc committee on faculty termination;
- 2) Accepted draft of reply to Dr. Quinn's request for input on Institute calendar.

## 1982 - 83 BUDGET PROJECTION

The 1982-83 budget, totaling \$129,035,166, was approved at the April meeting of the Board of Trustees. The following charts indicate the projected revenues by source and expenditures by function. The percentage distributions tie very closely with the 1981-82 budget.

Division heads may proceed with their 1982-83 plans and programs as reflected in their final budget presentations.



The 1981-82 fiscal year is rapidly coming to an end. It has been unusual with respect to projecting our year-end financial position. Based on the April 30, 1982, financial report, the Institute should complete the year with a net surplus.

## Fall Freshman, Transfer and Graduate Applications and Deposits Paid as of May 17, 1981 and 1982

	Apps Received		Apps Accepted		Deposits Paid	
	1981	1982	1981	1982	1981	1982
Business	1468	1326	1047	1062	510	485
Eisenhower (4-yr. referred*)	442	481	327	364	108	96
Engineering	1741	1941	890	964	382	439
Fine & Applied Arts	731	588	340	338	166	167
General Studies	163	101	112	75	50	28
App Sci & Technology	1319	1492	835	975	500	528
Graphic Arts & Photo	1302	1096	594	649	400	435
Science	556	653	429	553	175	223
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>7722</b>	<b>7678</b>	<b>4574</b>	<b>4980</b>	<b>2355</b>	<b>2446</b>

\*Reflects photography, engineering, computer science referrals to Eisenhower.

Anyone wishing source or additional information, please call 2527.



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**Retirees**

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- Daniel Pettizzi, Eisenhower, 14
- Ona Phillips, Food Service, 21
- Betty L. Saunders, NTID, 13
- Bernard E. Smith, NTID Finance, 11
- Georgette F. Toesca, Eisenhower, 13
- Arden L. Travis, Career Education, 28
- John Whaley, Physical Plant, 14
- Charles C. Witzel, Science, 05

Those entering the 25 Year Club:  
Eugene Csizmadia, Physical Plant; John J. Habets, Physical Plant; Eugene H. Fram, College of Business; Lane D. McCord, Physics; Frederick G. Smith, Student Affairs; Freddie M. Thomas, Food Service; James R. Walsh, Printing; Jenó Osze, Physical Plant; Martin J. Siebach, Electrical Engineering Technology.

A second dinner, Saturday, June 26, also at the Rose home, will honor past retirees and 25 Year Club members.

This year the Institute will present handsome mantle clocks to each retiree and wall barometers to long-term service employees.

**STUDENT EMPLOYMENT WORKSHOPS**

The Student Employment Office is offering two workshops for department managers and supervisors of student employees. Each workshop will deal with RIT policies and procedures for on-campus student employment, with special emphasis on job posting procedures, student compensation policies, and job classification. Representatives from Payroll and Financial Aid also will be present to address the concerns of departmental employers.

Dates: Wednesday, July 7, 9-11 a.m., College-Alumni Union, 1829 Room

or Tuesday, July 27, 2-4 p.m., Wallace Memorial Library, A-100

If you are interested in attending one of these sessions, please contact Staff Training and Development Office, 6956 or 6124

**Engineering Scholarship Announced**

College of Engineering Dean Richard A. Kenyon has announced the establishment of the Ronald D. Dodge Memorial Scholarship Fund in the College of Engineering.

The fund was made possible through a gift of Mrs. Alberta B. Dodge of Lexington, Ky., in memory of her late husband, a 1929 mechanical engineering graduate of Mechanics Institute. As an endowment fund, the income will provide scholarship aid for worthy students enrolled in mechanical engineering.

Known to his colleagues and friends as "Mr. Electric Typewriter," Dodge was associated with IBM Corp. for 37 years before he retired in 1971.

Throughout his years with IBM, he was credited with many significant achievements in the development and design of the electric typewriter. In 1946, he was awarded a certificate of merit from the Franklin Institute for his invention of the proportional spacing machine, and in 1954 he designed the decelerator that is used in the Model D typewriter for smooth and reliable carriage motion. For his design of the wear compensator for the Selectric typewriter in 1962, Dodge received one-third share in the company's Corporate Outstanding Invention Award. In 1963, he became the first IBM Fellow in the Office Products Division.

**Phone Book Changes**

**Dept. of Electrical Engineering**

<b>Albrecht, Barbara</b>	2165	<b>Hsu, Kenneth</b>	2379
<b>Baker, Robert</b>	2175	<b>Ingram, Alice</b>	2164
Subject to change:		<b>Lee, Robert</b>	2168
<b>Benedett, Thomas</b>	2150	<b>Madhu, S.</b>	2167
Subject to change:		<b>Mathew, A.</b>	2488
<b>Brehm, Christine</b>	2150	<b>O'Brien, Jean</b>	2165
<b>Brown, George</b>	2172	<b>Palmer, James</b>	2169
<b>Buss, Donald</b>	2150	<b>Rao, Sadasiva</b>	6638
<b>Carson, John</b>	2176	<b>Reddy, Pratapa</b>	6639
<b>Chandrasekaran, A.</b>	6640	<b>Rhody, Harvey</b>	2165
Subject to change:		<b>Salem, Edward</b>	2173
<b>Conklin, Chris.</b>	2150	<b>Sarkar, Tapan</b>	2143
Subject to change:		Subject to change:	
<b>Dianat, Soheil</b>	2173	<b>Sivaswamy, J.</b>	2150
Until Sept.:		<b>Standler, Ronald</b>	2388
<b>Fuller, Lynn</b>	2035	<b>Tseng, Fung-I.</b>	2106
Until Sept.:		<b>Unnikrishnan, R.</b>	2185
<b>Heintz, Roger</b>	2171	<b>Walker, Watson</b>	2174
<b>Houde, Robert A.</b>	2174		

**Student awards**

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The Eastern Region American Society of Interior Designers President's Award was presented by faculty member Chuck Lewis to three graduating seniors in the college's interior design program. Sharon Standley and Robert Bucher shared the

first prize and Rita McCaffery received a certificate of merit.

All of the winning student works are on display through the summer in Bevier Gallery as part of the college's annual Student Honors Show.