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Rochester Institute of Technology



# Urban America Course Series Planned

Urban America--its history, sociology and planning--will be dealt with in three courses offered June 11 through August 17 by the College of Continuing Education at RIT.

Appropriately, the courses will be held at RIT's Metropolitan Center, 50 West Main St.,

in downtown Rochester.

"The American City" will deal with the history of American cities from the Civil War to the present, highlighting current patterns, trends and problems indicated in the development and renewal of established centers and new urban growth. The physical form, distribution and nature of population, and the governance of urban areas will be discussed. The course will be held from 6:35 to 10:10 p.m. on Wednesday evenings. The instructor is Mark Beach, a member of the History Department at the University of Rochester.

The sundry aspects involved in the urban social processes and the causes and consequences of urbanization will be covered in a course entitled "Urban Sociology." The course will also provide insight into the correlation and mutual dependence of urban living on economic development, social welfare, housing and politics, and will introduce students to new forms of social organizations, administration, community action, urban planning and environmental management. It will be held from 6:35 to 10:10 p.m. on Tuesday evenings. The instructoris Richard Boddie, a legal assistant for the law firm of Denson & Kurtzman.

The third course, "Planned Social Change," will introduce students to the clusters of hopes, strategies, conditions and problems dealing with social planning in both urban and rural areas. Historical background will be discussed as well as basic models of social change and social system dynamics. Also to be covered will be social decision making, popular participation, the possibility of the objective

Beginnings '73 Commencement Saturday



More than 2,600 students will graduate Saturday during "Beginnings '73," the first commencement to be held on the five year old Henrietta campus.

The 1973 graduation, totally redesigned to personalize the ceremony and give more individual recognition to graduating students, will be held in four separate ceremonies.

The individual ceremonies are interspersed with festive celebrations and musical groups. There will be no formal commencement speech.

The four separate ceremonies will be held in groups of two; two beginning at 10 a.m. and two at 2 p.m. Various other events, including open houses in the colleges, will be held between 11:30 and 2 p.m.

During that time, music will be provided throughout the academic complex by the Swamp Root Singers (blue grass and country-western); Sound System (jazz and light rock); Peterson Book (folk music); and the Eastman String Quartet (semi-classical).

In the event of rain, festivities will be held inside the academic buildings.

"To convey the festive atmosphere of the various events, large colorful flags, banners, and balloons will line the walkways to where the events are occuring," said Gene DePrez, RIT's director of Communications and the coordinator of the festivaltype celebration.

A complete schedule of commencement day is listed, page 2.

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## Golfers To Go To NCAA Championships

Five of Coach Earl Fuller's RIT golfers will be off to Riverside, Calif., this Sunday to compete in the NCAA College Division Championships. Competition is slated June 12-15 at Ouail Lake Country Club in Riverside.

Representing the Tigers are seniors Dennis Fierle and Dan Vaccaro, junior Bruce Paton and sophomores Dennis DePalma and Steve Shepard. The five won the right to compete in the nationals as a result of playoffs among the team members.

The Tigers finished with an 18-1 record for the year. In the fall, they posted a 9-0 record. This spring they were 9-1, losing to Oswego by three strokes (395-398).

In May they won the Albany Invitational by 17 strokes over nine teams, including Oswego and Ithaca, tied for second. Their Albany victory prompted the selection committee to name RIT to a berth in the nationals.

## Tribute To Dr. VanPeursem Planned June 17

All friends of Dr. Ralph L. Van Peursem are invited to an evening of tribute to the late dean of the College of Science at 8 p.m. Sunday, June 17, in the College of Science Auditorium (08-1250).

Many friends, former students and colleagues are expected to gather to reminisce about their day with Van.

The program will include a dedication of a part of the college to the memory of Dr. Van Peursem, and an announcement about a memorial fund being established in his

Dr. Charles A. Bishop, Chemistry '57, a laboratory head at Eastman Kodak Company and a former member of the RIT Board of Trustees, will read Dr. Van Peursem's biography. Tributes will be given by the dean's colleagues: James Wilson Jr., associate professor in the College of Science; Robert L. Craven, professor of chemistry; Todd H. Bullard, provost and vice president for Academic Affairs, and Leo F. Smith, who retired last year as executive assistant to President Paul A. Miller.

Dr. Miller will also be present, as will trustees and local industrialists.

Dr. Van Peursem died April 30, two months before his official retirement. He had been ill since suffering a heart attack in February.

Effective June 11, 1973 through September 19, 1973 the following will be the hours the Physical Education and Athletic facilities will be open for faculty, staff and students:

#### Swimming Pool

Monday through Friday 11:30 - 1:30 4:00 - 6:00 7:00 - 9:00

Saturday and Sunday

2:00 - 5:00

The Physical Education department asks that you bring your own bathing suit, towel and lock, and that you take these back with you after each use.

Families are welcome, but remember the shallow end of the pool is five feet deep, and is therefore not conducive to non-swimming children.

#### Gymnasium

Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Saturday and Sunday 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

#### Tennis Courts and Athletic Fields

Daily - Dawn to Dusk

For special group use, please contact the Physical Education and Athletic office 464-2614.

### Commencement '73

9:15 a.m.—College of Graphic Arts and Photography—RED CEREMONY; Line-up in lower level of gym, contact Louis Alexander for specific location.

10 a.m.—College of Graphic Arts and Photography—RED CEREMONY; Frank Ritter Memorial Ice Arena.

9:15 a.m.—College of Business, General Studies and National Technical Institute for the Deaf—YELLOW CEREMONY; Line-up in lower lobby College Union, contact Edward Steffens for specific location.

10 a.m.—College of Business, College of General Studies and National Technical Institute for the Deaf—YELLOW CEREMONY; George H. Clark Memorial Gym.

11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.—FESTIVAL; Live

Music, Open House and Refreshments for all graduation participants, family and friends; faculty; staff and special guests.

1:45 p.m.—College of Continuing Educa-tion, College of Science, School of Applied Science and Center for Community Junior College Relation—BLUE CEREMONY; Lineup in lower level of the gym, contact Louis

Alexander for specific location.

2 p.m.—College of Continuing Education,
College of Science, School of Applied Science
ands Centers for Community Junior College
Relation—BLUE CEREMONY; Frank Ritter Memorial Ice Arena.

1:45 p.m.—College of Engineering, College of Fine and Applied Arts—GREEN CERE-MONY; Line-up in the lower lobby of the College Union, contact Edward Steffens for specific location.

2 p.m.—College of Engineering, College of Fine and Applied Arts—GREEN CERE-MONY; George H. Clark Memorial Gymna-

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# Personnel Lists Staff Openings

As of our printing deadline the following staff positions were open at RIT. Employees interested in learning more about these jobs and/or applying for consideration should contact Personnel (x2424) for information or an appointment.

#### **FULL-TIME - GENERAL STAFF**

- SECRETARY Central Placement Services. Good typist & general clerical knowledge. Some receptionist duties. H.S. Graduate, 2-3 yrs, experience. 8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.
- MT/ST OPERATOR NTID. H.S. Graduate. MT/ST experience & secretarial experience helpful. Accurate typist & good verbal skills. 4:00 p.m.—11:30 p.m.
- SECRETARY I Electrical Engineering. General clerical & secretarial duties. Good typist & shorthand. H.S. Graduate & at least 1 yr, experience. 8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.
- SECRETARY Registrars. Secretary for Veteran's Affairs. General clerical skills, good typist & shorthand. 6 months to l yr. experience. To become familiar with veterans administration. Ability to solve problems. 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
- SECRETARY Protective Services. Secretary for Assistant Director. Good typist & shorthand. Previous legal secretarial responsibilities helpful. 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
- ASSISTANT Photo. Dept-Bookstore. Photography experience and/or sales work. H.S. Graduate – some college preferred. 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

#### **PART-TIME - GENERAL STAFF**

- MT/ST TYPIST NTID. MT/ST experience necessary. Accurate typist. Hours vary.
- PAYROLL CLERK Payroll Department. H.S. Graduate some office experience with business/math background. Adding time cards and filing. Must work well with people. 14 hours.

#### **FULL-TIME - HOURLY STAFF**

 JANITOR — Physical plant. Must be in good health & have use of all limbs. 6:00 a.m.—4:30 p.m. (total 40 hrs. week)

#### FULL-TIME - ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

 STAFF ASSISTANT — NTID. Prepare HEW and RIT budget & forecast materials in line with governmental requirements. Perform cost & budget analysis. Responsible for day-to-day liaison with various departments. At least BA in accounting. 1-2 yrs. experience in budget preparation, accounting & cost analysis.

### **Urban America**

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definition of human needs, consensus formation and maintenace. It will be held on Thursday evenings from 6:35 to 9:20 p.m. The Instructor is William Fine, a doctoral candidate in Social Change at the University of Iowa.

"The American City" and "Urban Sociology" are four quarter credit hour courses.
"Planned Social Change" is a three quarter credit hour offering.

For further information, contact Fred Gardner, College of Continuing Education, 464-2243.

- MANAGER Communications Services. Supervision & management of Staff of eight, consisting of writers, designers & a photographer. Bachelors degree, 5-10 yrs. experience.
- CREATIVE SERVICE COORDINATOR Communication Services. Supervisor of a Staff of three. Bachelors or equivalent & 5-10 yrs, experience.

#### **FULL-TIME - FACULTY**

- INSTRUCTOR Reading & Study Clinic. Responsibilities include teaching reading, writing & study skills. Masters in reading or related area minimum. 2 or more yrs. teaching experience with college or adult students.
- SCHOOL OF APPLIED SCIENCE (Dr. Rinehart) Faculty
  openings in graduate programs for community college faculty.
  Extensive full time experience in two year colleges and in related
  business, plus advanced graduate studies, and proven commitment
  to the community college philosophy.s,

# Photo Student Wins Red Cross Award

RIT senior photo student Edward J. Amos Jr., has been selected to receive the first annual national Red Cross award for outstanding accomplishment on the part of a student in Red Cross programs.

The award, the Red Cross Health and Safety Service Certificate of Commendation, was presented at the national Red Cross convention Wednesday, June 6.

Amos, RIT Red Cross chairman, campus blood drive chairman, a cofounder of the Student Safety Unit, and a member of the executive committee of the Inter-College Council, was trained as a First Aid instructor in Cleveland,



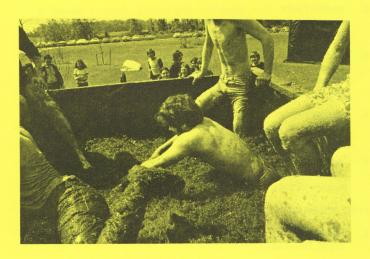
Since 1971, he has conducted 7 certification courses through which more than 100 people have received Red Cross certificates.

The Student Safety Unit, which he cofounded, serves as an on-campus emergency first aid mobile unit at RIT. The unit uses faculty members as well as students and works with the RIT security force in both locating and treating injured people on campus, particularly during poor weather when commercial ambulance services find it difficult to reach the campus.

In addition to his campus work, Amos worked with the Rochester Red Cross chapter's Program Development Office teaching first aid to day care personnel and others in city training programs.



When Fine and Applied Arts students completed their three-dimensional environmental designs last week, students found more than 900 pounds of jello in one of them, called "Jump In The Jello." They did, and this is what it looked like. Except for the jello structure, the other three environmental designs were to remain up for graduation this weekend.





# Housing Management Trainees Graduate

Rochester Mayor Stephen May addressed the 27 graduates of the Housing Management Training Program during the commencement celebration on Monday night at the Carriage Stop. The program was a joint venture of the Extended Services Division of RIT and the Housing Council in the Monroe County Area, Inc., and is the only professional housing management program in the Greater Rochester area. A second Professional Housing Management Training Course also under the auspices of RIT and the Housing Council, is currently under way and is being funded by a grant from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. May told the group that housing is a top priority in the city and that he is looking forward to the graduates seeing that good housing "is a reality for all Rochesterians."