

## Sara Ramlo named Truman Scholar

"As we face increasingly difficult social problems, it is of great importance that dedicated people accept the challenge of public service," junior Sara Ramlo wrote on her application to the Truman Scholarship Foundation. The importance of Ramlo's preparation for a career in public service has been recognized by the Foundation as she is one of only 70 students from about 50 institutions who has been named a 1995 Truman Scholar.

"Sara has reflected, improved and accepted the challenge of public service with grace and honor," said Elsie Gaber, Truman campus representative.

A political science major from Fargo, N.D., Ramlo plans to pursue a master's degree in public policy and a law degree. She is considering Columbia University and Georgetown University for graduate school programs. She hopes to work in public policy, public



Sara Ramlo receives congratulations from President Jack Magruder, Truman Campus Representative Elsie Gaber and John Ishiyama, assistant professor of political science and a 1980 Truman Scholar from Ohio.

administration or as a Senate staff member.

"You need a lot of information about how public policy is formulated, but I think there is also a need for a legal background," she said.

Ramlo is involved in Student Senate, Model United Nations, the Political Science Club and the Young Democrats. She was a congressional intern in Washington, D.C., and has worked on local campaigns.

While Ramlo will receive \$30,000 for graduate school expenses, she feels the honor of the award is equally important due to the rig-

orous application process.

Of 2,500 people who applied initially, approximately 200 candidates were interviewed, of which 70 were awarded scholarships.

The application required, among several essays, a "memo" to a government official analyzing a public policy issue. In her memo, she advocated case management for the homeless. The selection process concluded in late February with an interview in Minneapolis, where she competed against candidates from her region (North Dakota, South Dakota and Minnesota). ☛

## Kohlenberg-Towne Lecture set for April 6

Brian Armstrong, professor of history at Georgia State University, will present this year's Kohlenberg-Towne Lecture at 3:30 p.m., April 6 in the SUB Alumni Room. Armstrong will present "If Father Veron Would Take An Enema, He Would Vanish Instantly: The Vituperative Polemic of Pierre du Moulin."

Armstrong's extensive writing includes numerous book chapters, journal articles and monographs including *The Calvinism of Moïse Amyraut: The Warfare of Protestant Scholasticism and French Humanism*. He has served as president of the Calvin Studies Society and the Sixteenth Century Studies Society. In 1992, he was named distinguished professor at the Sorbonne in Paris. His personal career highlights include being invited to give a plenary address at the Third International Congress on Calvin Research and his unanimous election to the Praesidium of the International Congress. ☛

## Northeast selected site for New Media Center

Northeast is the only school in Missouri selected to join the New Media Centers program, an innovative non-profit organization that teams industry and academia to enhance teaching and learning through the use of media.

New Media Centers, first announced in October 1993, identifies colleges and universities around the world best suited to serve as models for innovation, both on campus and in their communities.

"Because of this association, Northeast will be able to

acquire and use state-of-the-art new media technology to incorporate interactive media into a multitude of campus teaching and learning activities," said Carol Race, director of the Instructional Technology Center. "We will also have the ability to incorporate tremendous amounts of information, such as sound and graphics, into a traditional text document. For example, next semester a journalism class will learn how to do electronic imaging and image manipulation and export that image into their story." **cont., p. 4**

## Northeast Notables

**Ben Bennani**, professor of English and editor of *Bestia* and *Painbrush*, was recently commissioned by the Greenwood Publishing Group (London and Westport, Conn.) to write (in part), compile, and edit the definitive *Encyclopedia of Animals in Literature*. Bennani is under contract to complete the encyclopedia within a five-year period ending Jan. 1, 2000. Entries for major literary animals will be parceled out to various specialists in fable and folklore scholarship. The Greenwood Group is publisher of six different imprints including Auburn House, Bergin & Garvey, Greenwood Press, Praeger Publishers, Quorum Books and GP Subscription Publications, with an output of 600 books a year.

**Stephen Hohman**, assistant professor of health, gave a presentation to Greenhills Northeast District Dietary managers on March 23. The topic was "Stress in the Workplace." He also had a recent publication in *Wellness Perspectives* titled "Examining Adolescent Injury Prevention."

**Philip LeMasters**, assistant professor of philosophy and religion, recently read a paper in the ethics section of the Southwest Regional Meeting of the American Academy of Religion in Dallas. His paper is titled "Barth, O'Donovan, and Gunton on the Politics of Kingdom and Creation." LeMasters will serve as the program chair of the ethics section for the next two years.

**David McKamie**, associate professor of music, recently served as an adjudicator for the Jefferson City Symphony Piano Concerto Competition. Also on March 1 he presented at a workshop jointly sponsored by the St. Louis Area Music Teachers Association and the St. Louis Piano Teachers Roundtable. The title of his presentation was "Relationship Between Technical Principles and Artistic Realization in Piano Performance."

**Sara E. Orel**, assistant professor of art, presented "John Garstang and the Excavations at Beni Hasan," to the Friends of the Petrie Museum, University College, London, over spring break. On March 25 she presented a paper at the University of Kansas titled "Political Border, Cultural Change: The Case of Gebel el-Haridi (Egypt)" as part of the conference "Shifting Frontiers in the Late Antiquity." The paper, which is co-authored with Christopher J. Kirby of the British Museum, will be published in the proceedings of the conference. In addition, Orel's recent publications are "The Stela of Khnumhotep in the British Museum (BM625)" in *The Unbroken Reed: Studies in the Culture and Heritage of Ancient Egypt in Honour of A.F. Shore*, published by the Exploration Society, London and "Pottery Survey and Preliminary Typology" in "Preliminary Report of the Second Survey Season at Gebel el-Haridi, 1993" (Christopher J. Kirby, primary author), *The Journal of Egyptian Archaeology*.

## Gold Medal Competition winners announced

The final round of the Third Annual NMSU Symphony Orchestra Gold Medal Concerto/Aria Competition was held March 19. This year's judge was Elvera Voth, chorus master of the Kansas City Lyric Opera.

The student finalists were Jason Warren, alto saxophone; Jennifer Norton, flute; Rachel Morrison, piano; Andrew Beard, baritone; Leighann Chumney,

soprano; and Lisa Neubauer, soprano.

The instrumental winner was Jennifer Norton, a student of Julianna Moore, assistant professor of music, and the vocal winner was Leighann Chumney who studies voice with Paul Crabb, associate professor of music.

The names of the winners will be engraved on the competition plaque in Baldwin Hall. 🍀

## University Career Center

For information about and applications for the following opportunities, contact the University Career Center, 785-4353.

**The University of Memphis' International MBA program** includes 56 required and nine optional credit hours. Students participate in an overseas internship experience, develop geographical area expertise, and become proficient in a language of their choosing in this two-year program.

**The 1995 Education Vacancy Report** is in the UCC. The report is provided by the Association for School, Colleges & University Staffing, Inc. and the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education.

**Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville** is hosting a Career Day on April 4 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. A variety of workshops will be held in addition to the attendance of numerous companies and organizations. There is no charge for any of the activities.

## Scholarship Opportunities

For more information or applications for the following opportunities, contact the Financial Aid Office, McClain Hall 103.

1. Applications for the Orville Redenbacher's Second Start Scholarship program are available for students age 30 or older who are enrolled or planning to enroll in an undergraduate or graduate program. Applications must be post-marked by May 1.
2. Applications for the Alpha Delta Kappa Scholarship are available to graduates of a Des Moines County high school who show qualities of leadership, success in academics and involvement in extra curricular/community activities. Deadline is April 30.

## Northeast Notes

The **SEE program** application deadline has been extended until March 31. Application forms are available in the Office of Multicultural Affairs, Kirk Memorial 203.

The **Adair County Historical Society Museum** has a job opening for museum director with a one year minimum stay period beginning in late May. The deadline for letters and resumes is April 6 at 4 p.m. Applications may be mailed to P.O. Box 342 (Kirksville) or dropped off at the Museum, 221 S. Elson. For more information call Adam Marchand at 665-6502.

A **Northeast Cheerleader Coach/Advisor** position is open for the 1995-96 academic year. This position is part-time and responsibilities include, but are not limited to attending all practices and games at which the squad cheers, attending a summer camp with the squad at which you would become AACCA certified for liability purposes, and serving as an advocate for all aspects of budget management. Interested persons should have personal cheerleading experience including knowledge of tumbling and partner stunting. Any faculty or staff member would be compensated for this position. For more information, contact Kathy Turpin, associate athletic director, Pershing Building 201-D or call 785-4235.

The **Writing Center** is accepting applications for writing consultants for fall 1995. Deadline is April 21. Contact the Writing Center, McClain Hall 303, for more information.

The **Comm 170 speech screening make-up day** will be held April 21 from 9:30-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-4 p.m. in the Speech Clinic, Barnett Hall 121. The speech screening is a requirement for all students enrolled in Comm 170.

The **additional Bright Flight checks** are in. Please sign for your check at the Cashier's Window, Monday-Friday from 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. You must be enrolled full time and present a picture ID to sign for your scholarship check.

The **Missouri Community Service Commission for AmeriCorps USA** is accepting applications for funded projects. Applications are available at the Center for Service-Learning, McKinney Center.

The **Omicron Delta Kappa National Honorary Leadership Society** applications are available at the CAOC office. Juniors and seniors with a 3.3 GPA or higher who have exhibited leadership ability are encouraged to apply.

The **Language Learning Center** is accepting applications for student workers for the next school year. Applications can be picked up in McClain Hall 304 from 8:30 a.m.-8:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Computer experience is required. Deadline is April 13.

## Alumnus to serve as Bentele/Mallinckrodt Executive-in-Residence

Charles M. Foudree, executive vice president for finance for Harmon Industries will visit Northeast April 3-4 as part of the Executive-in-Residence Program.

The Bentele/Mallinckrodt Executive-in-Residence Program was made possible by a grant from the IMCERA Group in honor of Northeast grad Raymond F. Bentele, former president and CEO of Mallinckrodt Inc. The Executive-in-Residence Program brings executives on campus to share information and insights about the challenges in the "real world."

Foudree will participate in discussions with students and faculty in and outside the classroom. He will present an interdisciplinary topic to University-wide and Division-wide audiences, make presentations to selected business and accounting classes, and spend time visiting with students, faculty and staff outside the classroom.

Drawing from his many years of successful experience in the accounting and finance fields, Foudree will provide exciting, timely and relevant information concerning a variety of topics. These topics include such areas as business and environmental issues, specific financial reporting and international and global issues.

Foudree's interdisciplinary presentation, "Regulation vs. Strangulation: Issues Involving the Environmental Protection Agency" will be held on April 3 from 4-5:30 p.m. in the SUB Activities Room.

A 1966 graduate of Northeast, Foudree was employed by Peat Marwick Mitchell and Co. in Kansas City for six years as a certified public accountant. He joined Harmon Industries of Blue Springs, Mo., in 1972 as controller with the responsibility of reorganizing the financial operations. Foudree has received such awards and honors as: Who's Who in Finance/Industry, Who's Who of Emerging Leaders of America, and Standard & Poors Directors and Executives. While attending Northeast, he was a member of Sigma Tau Gamma, Blue Key National Honor Society and several service and business organizations. He continues to be active in civic and community organizations.

Harmon Industries is a leading supplier of sophisticated signal and train control products and systems throughout North America and the world. Harmon also provides a single source, paid delivery service for urgently needed railroad components. Harmon emphasizes engineering innovations and rapid response to customer needs. The company experienced a record year in 1993 in new highs for sales, earnings and orders. The company is also undergoing internal changes by replacing a traditionally structured hierarchy with a company-wide team concept. They believe that "empowering people at all levels has made a substantial difference in quality and products."



Charles Foudree

# This Week

## 27 Monday

**Annual High School Art Competition**, Baldwin Hall second floor. Exhibit will run through April 7.

**College Republicans Rush Week** through March 31

## 28 Tuesday

1-3:30 p.m.--**1994 Educator of the Year award presentation** and reception for Patricia Burton, SUB Alumni Room.

2:30 p.m.--**Softball v.** Central Missouri State University

--**MFAT**: business, computer science, economics, history, math, political science and psychology, SUB Activities Room; also March 29.

7 p.m.--**Last Lecture Series** featuring Robert Graber, professor of anthropology, SUB Alumni Room

--**History Colloquium Series** featuring Kevin Freese on his experiences at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, SUB 5

## 29 Wednesday

1 p.m.--**Baseball v.** Westminster College

6:30 p.m.--**Service Recognition Banquet**, SUB Georgian Room

9 p.m.-- "**Spiritual Discipline of Stewardship**," Wesley House

## 30 Thursday

7 p.m.--**Last Lecture Series** featuring David Cicotello, Academic Planning Services, SUB Alumni Room

7:30 p.m.--**Psychology Club**

*Northeast Today* is published weekly on Mondays. Deadline for entries is 3 p.m. the Wednesday preceding Monday's publication. Entries should be submitted on the *Northeast Today* forms available in the Public Relations Office, McClain 106. All activities listed in *Northeast Today* are open to the public.

open meeting, speaker Irene Hickman on parapsychology and hypnosis, Violette Hall 172

8 p.m.-- "**Everything You Need To Know About Moving Off Campus**," Ryle Hall lounge

## 31 Friday

7 p.m.--**Poetry reading** by Adam Davis, assistant professor of English, Used Books And Unicorns, 395 S. Franklin

## 1 Saturday

Noon--**Baseball v.** Washburn University; also on April 2 at 1 p.m.

3 p.m.--**Softball v.** Missouri Western State College

--**Senior piano recital featuring Jo Ann Daugherty**, piano, Baldwin Auditorium

7:30 p.m.--**Lakeside Review**, Baldwin Auditorium. Admission is free with a student ID.

## 2 Sunday

1 p.m.--**Softball v.** Northwest Missouri State University

## 3 Monday

Noon--**Baseball v.** Missouri Southern State College

7 p.m.--**Steve Schad** from Lt. Governor's Office speaking on AmeriCorps, Ryle Hall lounge

7-11 p.m.--**Free babysitting** during Lyceum Series provided by Panhellenic Council, Baldwin Hall 252.

7:30 p.m.--**Othello**, Lyceum Series, Baldwin Auditorium

## 1995 Faculty and Staff Campaign nears goal

As of March 24, slightly more than 34 percent of the campus community have taken part in the 1995 Faculty and Staff Campaign in support of the University's Challenge for Excellence Campaign. With a participation goal of 35 percent, campaign co-chairs Kathy Crisp and Garry Gordon hope to top their goal during this final week of volunteer efforts.

Faculty and staff members wanting to help surpass the campaign goal by offering their support with a one-time gift or through payroll deduction are encouraged to contact their area/division volunteer, a campaign co-chair or the Office of Alumni and Development (785-4133).

All volunteers and participating members of the campus community will be recognized in a future issue of *Northeast Today*.

## OTHELLO

by William Shakespeare



A Lyceum Series presentation

Monday, April 3  
7:30 p.m.  
Baldwin Auditorium

Free tickets are available for students, faculty and staff in the SAB Office.

### New Media Center site cont. from p. 1

According to Race, work on the new media lab will begin this summer and, barring no unforeseen problems, should be ready by fall semester.

Some other universities selected include Brown University, Columbia University, Ohio University, Southern Illinois University-Carbondale, University of Arizona, University of California-Los Angeles, University of Iowa and National Chengchi University (Taiwan), University of Art and Design Helsinki (Finland), University of British Columbia, and University of Manitoba (Canada).

The New Media Centers' corporate members are Adobe Systems, Apple Computer, FWB/Hammer, Macromedia Prentice Hall, Supremac, Eastman Kodak, Korg USA, Oracle Corporation, Radius, the Times-Mirror Company and Clement Mok designs. Corporate members provide campus-based centers opportunities to develop special relationships and industry contacts, as well as institutional access to advance testing and new technologies. ☛