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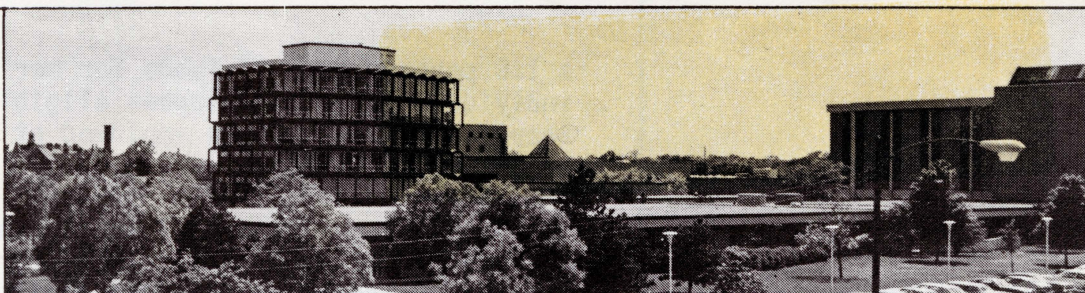
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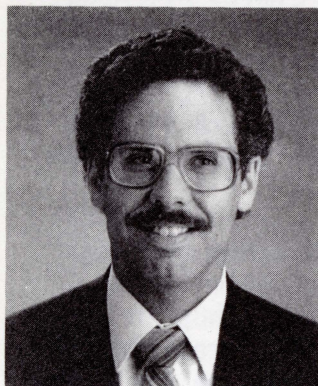


FOR YOUR INFORMATION

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JOHN C. MC GEE

John C. McGee has recently been named director of the Office of Alumni Affairs at Northeastern. He will be responsible for planning and implementing a comprehensive alumni relations program, acting as a liaison between the university and the alumni association, overseeing the maintenance of all alumni records, and working closely with the development staff.

Prior to his appointment, he served as director of development at Trinity High School in Camp Hill, Pennsylvania. During that time, he created a development program which included record maintenance, publications, public relations, and solicitations. He has also worked as a communication specialist for Cathedral Preparatory School in Erie, Pennsylvania; a business sales and service representative for New York Telephone Company; and director of forensics for Cardinal Spellman High School in the Bronx, New York.

McGee was awarded his bachelor of arts degree from King's College in Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, and his master of arts degree from St. John's University in Jamaica, New York.

He has been a member of the National Society of Fund Raising Executives Central Pennsylvania Chapter, the National Catholic Development Conference, and the National Catholic Education Association. He has also assisted with membership and fund-raising campaigns for two public broadcasting stations in Erie and Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

McGee's office is located at 5350 North St. Louis Avenue; his extension is 4800.

GUIDELINES FOR SALARY INCREASES

Effective July 1, 1986, the following guidelines for salary increases have been approved by the Board of Governors of State Colleges and Universities for all non-negotiated administrative and professional personnel and non-negotiated civil service employees.

*Five percent base increase - distributed as an across-the-board increase. Employees eligible for a general salary increase must have been employed at Northeastern prior to July 1, 1986.

*A 1.5 percent pool of funds for merit increases on an individual basis. Employees eligible for a merit increase must have been employed at Northeastern prior to January 1, 1986.

If the final Fiscal Year 1987 appropriation is at a level other than 6.5 percent, the salary increase guidelines may be adjusted to coincide with the final appropriation.

TWELVE-DAY SUMMER INSTITUTE

Elementary and high school teachers from Chicago and its suburbs are invited to attend "The Sky is the Limit: All About Science," a 12-day summer institute sponsored and funded by Northeastern's College of Education. The institute will be presented Monday through Thursday, June 30 to July 17, from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Classes will be held at North Park Village Administration Building, 5801 North Pulaski, Chicago. Tuition is free.

Among the activities planned are a four-day workshop on lunar science and space travel, a look at a new curriculum for teaching the subject of nuclear energy, and a workshop in kitchen chemistry. Guest speakers will include representatives from N.A.S.A., the U.S. Department of Energy, and the Air Force Academy. Several science publishers and museum representatives will also be on hand to present ideas for use in the classroom.

Participants will receive a variety of materials including curriculum guides for each of the subjects and an opportunity to receive a moon rock exhibit from N.A.S.A. A certificate from Northeastern verifying participation will be awarded upon completion of the institute. Teachers may also receive three hours of graduate credit, if they choose to pay tuition.

If you wish additional information about the institute, please contact Dr. Margaret Lindman at extension 5089.

IN THE MEDIA

RENNY GOLDEN, associate professor of criminal justice, was a guest on the "Studs Terkel Show" on WFMT-FM (98.7), on Monday, June 23. Golden and co-author Michael McConnell discussed their book, Sanctuary: The New Underground Railroad.

CHARLES SHABICA, professor of earth science, was quoted in an article entitled "Eroding Beaches May Disappear" in the Hammond Times, on Tuesday, May 13. In discussing the problem, Shabica said, "Most area Lake Michigan beaches will be man-made or non-existent by the year 2000. Rising lake levels and crashing waves are causing soil and sand erosion along Illinois' 65-mile lake shoreline."

ROBERT STARKS, associate professor of inner city studies education, recently served as chairman of the Local Arrangements Committee of the 16th Annual Convention of the National Conference of Black Political Scientists (NCOBPS), held at McCormick Center Hotel. At the awards banquet, Starks was awarded the NCOBPS distinguished Fannie Lou Hammer Award for Community Service.