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NEWHOUSE TO ADDRESS EDUCATION WORKSHOP ON OCTOBER 22

State Senator **Richard H. Newhouse**, a leader in the movement for education reform, will present the keynote address at the Northeastern Alumni Association's Mini-Conference for Teachers Saturday, October 22, beginning at 8:30 a.m. in the Commuter Center. The conference will include a session on "Communicating with Parents," by Dr. **Jeanne Baxter**, coordinator for Northeastern's master's program in education administration. Dr. **Estelle Faulk**, principal of Carpenter School in Chicago, and **Lorelei J. Goldman**, certified clinical psychodramatist and teacher at Nipper School in Maine Township will also conduct sessions. For more information about the conference, co-sponsored by the College of Education and the Alumni Association Education Committee, call ext. 3069.

INTERNATIONAL/ INTERCULTURAL WEEK OCTOBER 24-28

The university's eighth annual International/Intercultural Week will be held Monday-Friday, October 24-28. The week's activities will examine the arts, cultures, economies, and sciences of other nations, past, future, and present through lectures, film, and demonstrations. Topics discussed by university faculty and guests will cover "American Indian Music" to "The Muslim Contribution to Mathematics" and much more. **Fredrick E. Hoxie**, director, D'Arcy McNickle Center for the History of the American Indian, the Newberry Library, will present the keynote address. Programs will be distributed on campus. The **13th Annual International Day Festival** will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 27, in Alumni Hall. A great variety of ethnic food, cultural displays, and live folk dances, songs, and music may be enjoyed by visitors.

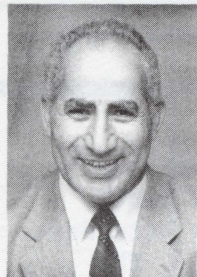
PANEL TO DISCUSS SCHOOL REFORM ON NOVEMBER 1

A panel discussion on the proposed school reform, sponsored by the Center for Program Development, will start at 4:15 p.m., Tuesday, November 1, in CC-218. Panel members are: State Senator **Miguel del Valle**, State Representative **Ellis B. Levin**, Dr. **Bruce Berndt**, president of the Chicago Principals Association, Mr. **Earl Kelly Prince**, Chicago Teachers' Union, and Professor **Carl Lieberman**, principal of the Joseph Stockton Elementary School. The event is a class project arranged by **Ligia Galassi**, CPD administrative secretary, and is open to the university community.

OSSIE DAVIS APPEARS OCTOBER 26

Actor, director and writer, **Ossie Davis** will present "In Other Words," a program of dramatic readings, interspersed with a history of the minority experience in America, Wednesday, October 26, at 7:30 p.m. in the Auditorium. Since his Broadway debut in "Jeb," Davis has appeared in many plays ("A Raisin in the Sun," "Green Pastures," "Anna Lucasta") and films; his playwrighting includes "Purlie Victorious," and he has directed films such as "Cotton Comes to Harlem" and "Countdown at Kusini." Together with his wife, actress Ruby Dee, Davis has co-hosted, co-produced and starred in the PBS series, "Ossie and Ruby." Davis's appearance is part of this year's Distinguished Lectureship Series, which is sponsored by Inland Real Estate Corporation.

**NEW FACULTY
APPOINTMENTS**

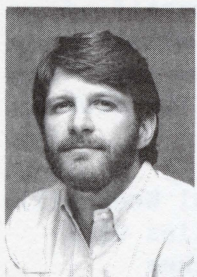


AHMED EL-ZAYATY

The Department of University Relations wishes to welcome the following new faculty to Northeastern Illinois University.

Ahmed El-Zayaty has been appointed an assistant professor in the Department of Accounting, Business Law, and Finance. Prior to accepting this position, El-Zayaty served as an assistant professor of accounting at Queens College of the City University of New York (CUNY). He received his bachelor and master of science degrees in accounting at Cairo University in Egypt. He earned an M.B.A in accounting from Baruch College/CUNY, a master of philosophy degree and his Ph.D in accounting from CUNY. He has published papers for conferences and professional journals.

El-Zahaty's office is located in 0024A, extension 2645.



FREDERICK J. EVERS

The Department of Art has appointed **Frederick J. Evers** as an assistant professor. Before coming to Northeastern, Evers was an instructor in art history at Columbia College. Evers earned his Advanced Certificate in Art History and Criticism and his master of fine arts from the School of the Art Institute of Chicago.

Among his exhibitions are "Psychological Spaces," The School of The Art Institute of Chicago Gallery (1984); "Two Chicago Painters," Merchant's Gallery, Cincinnati (1983); "The Students of Mike Shop," Chapel Art Center, New Haven (1982).

Evers' office is located in room C-513, extension 2917.

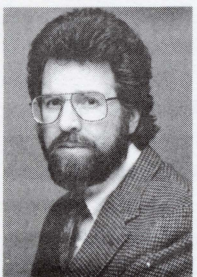


ELLEN FIEDLER-BRAND

Ellen Fiedler-Brand has been named as an assistant professor in the Department of Special Education. Prior to this, she was as a Gifted Services Coordinator in the Du Page-Kane Educational Service Center in Wheaton. She is pursuing her Ph.D. in counselor education at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. She received her master of science in education at Moorhead State University in Minnesota and her bachelor of arts in home economics at Northwestern University.

She presented papers at the World Conference on Gifted, the Wisconsin State Gifted Conference, the Central Illini Gifted Conference, and the Mid-Winter Institute of the National Association for Gifted Children. She has published articles in gifted educator journals.

Fiedler-Brand's office is located in room 4020-A, extension 2814.

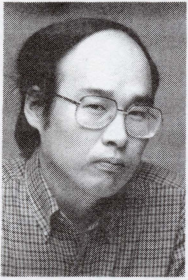


ROGER W. GILMAN

The Department of Philosophy has appointed **Roger W. Gilman** as an assistant professor. He was formerly a visiting assistant professor of philosophy at Loyola University-Chicago. Gilman was awarded his Ph.D. at the University of Chicago. He received his M.A. at the University of Chicago and his B.A. at Western Washington University.

His article, "Evolutionary Explanation of Strategies of Reading and Writing Philosophy," will be published in Philosophy and Rhetoric. He has also served as poetry editor of The Chicago Review.

Gilman's office is located in room S-307A, extension 2684.

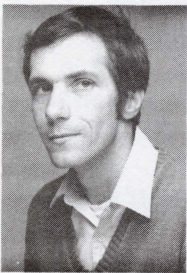


HEUNG D. KIM

Heung D. Kim has joined the Department of Information Science as an assistant professor. Previously, he was a research assistant in the Computer Science Department at Northwestern University. After receiving his bachelor of arts degree in English at Hankuk University of Foreign Studies, Seoul, Korea, Kim pursued his graduate studies in math/computer science at Mankato State University in Minnesota. He earned his doctorate in computer science at Northwestern University.

He had a paper published in the Proceedings of the First Annual Meeting of the Midwest Artificial Intelligence and Cognitive Science Societies in April 1987, and is preparing another article for publication.

Kim's office is located in room 3098, extension 2762.



DANIEL L. PEARCE

The Department of Reading has appointed Daniel L. Pearce as an assistant professor. His previous position was associate professor, Division of Elementary and Secondary Education, Eastern Montana College in Billings. Pearce received his Ph.D. in Reading at Michigan State University, after earning his master of arts in teaching degree at Wayne State University, and his bachelor of arts degree in English at Albion College in Michigan.

One of his recent papers was presented at the Research Council for Developmental and Prescriptive Mathematics' Annual Conference, and his doctoral dissertation won the Outstanding Dissertation Award from the College Reading Association. He is on the editorial advisory boards of Reading Research and Instruction and the Journal of Clinical Reading.

Pearce's office is located in room 2059, extension 2689.

NEW ADMINISTRATIVE AND PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL



DEBRA ROSS

Debra Ross has been named as an assistant director in the Office of Development. She will be responsible for identifying businesses and foundations that will provide financial support to the university. In her most recent position as assistant to the president, City Colleges of Chicago Foundation, Ross was responsible for soliciting corporate and foundation support for underfunded college programs. Her previous positions include community relations assistant for United Way/Crusade of Mercy/Chicago, and development assistant for The Self-Help Center, Evanston Illinois, where she coordinated and wrote Health Resources Guide for Chicago Area.

Ross earned her bachelor of arts degree in social work and psychology at the University of Iowa and studied data processing at Harold Washington College.

Her office is located at 5350 N. St. Louis, extension 2893.

PUBLICATION AND PUBLICITY SERVICES AVAILABLE TO FACULTY

The Department of University Relations reminds faculty and staff of its services in producing publications and publicizing university events and significant staff achievements. The photo-design-graphics group of University Relations offers a wide range of design, layout and photo services (including desktop publishing) for classroom and promotional purposes. At this time, there is no charge for any University Relations assistance. For information, call Marti Sladek, director, at ext. 3291.

**FACULTY INVOLVED IN
CITY-WIDE SCHOOL
REFORM CONFERENCE,
OCTOBER 29**

Dr. Jeanne Baxter and Dr. Kenneth Addison, educational foundations, and Murrell Duster, curriculum and instruction, will participate in a conference titled "21st-Century Schools: How to Make Schools Work for Our Children" on Saturday, October 29, from 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., at Chicago Circle Center, 750 S. Halsted. The program is sponsored by the Citizens School Committee, chaired by Duster, a citizens group working for better schools for Chicago. Featured speakers include Baxter, Addison, Gary Phillips, executive director, National School Improvement Inc., and Dr. James Slezak, school superintendent in Roselle. Participants will include Project Co-Lead principals, teachers, and parents. The conference is open to the university community and all interested parents and teachers. For reservations (the \$6 conference fee includes a luncheon), call 726-4678.

**HONORS AND
ACTIVITIES**

DANIEL BERGAN, assistant professor, economics, and LEWIS FREIBERG, professor, economics, presented papers at the Western Economics Association Conference in Los Angeles. . . . DEBRA BRUCE, assistant professor, English, won a Carl Sandburg Award from the Friends of the Chicago Public Library for her book of poems, Sudden Hunger. . . . ELLEN CANNON, associate professor, political science, conducted a three-part series on the political life of American Jewish women at the Mayer Kaplan Jewish Community Center in Skokie. . . . ELIZABETH LANDERHOLM, assistant professor, curriculum and instruction, published papers recently in Life Long Learning and in ICEC Quarterly.

IN THE MEDIA

SAMUEL BETANCES, professor, sociology, was quoted in an article, by Jess Carlos in the Chicago Post. . . . JERRY OLSON, director, Chicago Teachers' Center, and JEANNE BAXTER, educational foundations, received media coverage on WBBM and WMAQ news radio and a WVON talk show and in the Chicago Tribune for the CTC workshop on school-based management. . . . ELKIN SITHOLE, professor, inner city studies education, was interviewed on apartheid on WMAQ radio at a Nelson Mandela birthday celebration. . . . ROBERT STARKS, associate professor, inner city studies education, was a panelist on WMAQ-TV's program "Race Relations: Where Do We Go From Here?" His guest editorial, "Jackson at the Convention: 1968 Without the Violence," appeared in Crain's Chicago Business.

**ALUMNUS RETURNS TO
SHOW SCULPTURE AT
NORTH RIVER GALLERY**

"Selected Works - 1986-88" by Chicago sculptor and alumnus Alice Joyce is showing at the North River Community Gallery until Friday, November 11. The exhibition is supported in part by a Community Arts Assistance Grant from the Chicago Office of Fine Arts and the Illinois Arts Council/Access Program. Joyce's mixed media works, primarily in resins, were praised in a New Art Examiner review for their "sense of mystery, grace, and a meticulously crafted tactile immediacy." Joyce, who teaches at Northeastern and Columbia College, will lecture on her show in the Golden Eagle, Tuesday, October 25, 12:30 p.m. A reception will be held at the gallery Thursday, October 27, 5-8:00 p.m.

MORE CALENDAR NOTES

Saturday, October 22: Mazon Creek Open House, 12:30-5:00 p.m., S130. . . . Joseph Holmes Dance Theatre, 7:30 p.m., Auditorium; for ticket information: ext. 3859. . . . Monday, October 24: Faculty Concert: Phyllis Hurt, soprano, Allen Anderson, piano; 7:30 p.m., Auditorium. . . . Thursday, October 27: Poetry Reading: Alice Fulton, sponsored by Apocalypse Literary Org., 7:00 p.m., Golden Eagle. . . . Friday, October 28: Chamber Music Series: "An Evening of Zarzuela," 7:30 p.m., Auditorium. . . . Friday-Saturday, November 4-5: Northeastern Library Book Sale: 7:45 a.m.-6:00 p.m., 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. (Sat.)