Senate: 12% Salary Request and Other Topics

At its November 18 Fall Meeting, the Faculty Senate unanimously approved a motion asking for a 12 percent increase in faculty salaries for 1982-83 (text on page 4), labeling 9.5 percent a cost-of-living increase and the remaining 2.5 percent a “catch-up” percentage as enunciated in principle last year.

Economic Status Committee Chair David Cummins also reported, on the basis of partial analysis of some school data, that the administration appeared to have kept its promise of 12 percent increases in 1981-82.

Trustees: Eisenlohr, Delta, and Dietrich Renovations

On November 11 the Trustees Executive Board formally approved the coming renovations of Eisenlohr Hall as a president’s house and the former Delta House as the E. Craig Sweeten Alumni Center—but disapproved, in discussion without action, of an apparent error in cash flow projections for the Wharton School’s renovation of Dietrich Hall.

Under the Trustees’ requirement that sources of funding be identified before approval of such projects, the Wharton School was to come up with $11.6 million out of operating expenses by 1986, toward a total cost of $18.3 million which included $14.7 million for Dietrich itself plus other costs connected with the school’s temporary occupation of Centenary Hall.

Budget and Finance Committee Chairman John Eckman said the School is “not that flush.” A thorough study was promised by Dr. Thomas Langfitt, and is now in progress.

For the two new renovation projects, both funds and bids are in hand: Eisenlohr at $440,000 for interior renovation and the Sweeten Center at $589,000 with a slight surplus of funds identified. Both are being funded from external sources.

The Senate also passed Dr. William Gomberg’s motion to assign faculty personnel benefits to the Economic Status Committee, after discussion of proposed changes in tuition benefits and direct grants for dependent children (Almanac November 3). Dr. Irving Kravis’ proposed amendment to have Senate withdraw from the Council Committee on Personnel Benefits was defeated, however.

Early in the meeting, Senate Chair Phoebe S. Leboy introduced President Sheldon Hackney and Provost Thomas Ehrlich for brief reports, then gave her own report:

President Hackney, just back from Nigeria, gave an update on racism issues, introduced the new executive vice president, Edward Jordan, and listed major personnel searches in progress; one of them, for a vice-president for development, is expected to end before Christmas. He reported the possibility of a quarter-million-dollar loss to the University from Commonwealth cutbacks next year to be absorbed with “relatively little pain,” but was concerned about the long-term effect of state trimming of support to education.

Provost Ehrlich’s report also touched on racial tensions and on attempts to identify those responsible for bomb threats. In his progress report on Academic Planning and Budgeting, he assured the faculty that their salaries are not being treated as a residual item. For an update on the Strategic Planning work-group reports expected later this month, he used his group on undergraduate education to illustrate: emphasis is on University-wide and inter-school programs, and ways to increase diversity of interaction on such topics as (a) increasing exposure of undergraduates to serious scholarly work; (b) English literacy and computer culture; and (c) easing barriers between liberal arts and professional studies. In all six working papers, the pattern will be to present options and open them to campus discussion.

From the Senate chair, Dr. Leboy reported the completion of committee memberships (the list on page 2, plus the appointment of Dr. Sam Fager and Dr. Henrika Kulick to complete the assistant professors’ component of SEC itself). The proposal for a ten-year tenure track for Nursing faculty with substantial clinical responsibilities, approved by SEC last spring, has been forwarded to the Provost. The reports of Economic Status (p. 3) and Academic Freedom and Responsibility (page 4) were introduced; and Dr. Leboy summarized the work of committees not yet scheduled for formal reports:

The Committee on the Faculty under Dr. Janice Madden is looking at the operation of the research faculty track and the degree to which research faculty activities are readily distinguishable from those of standing faculty; (continued on page 2)
considering a proposal from Medicine's Dean Edward Stemmle to transfer research associates from the research faculty to the academic support staff; and at the Provost's request reviewing a Law School proposal for seven-year appointments of lecturers in the School's clinical program.

The Committee on Administration, chaired by Dr. Martin Pring, is working on reconciling some objections to the policy on appointment of department and graduate group chairs approved by the Senate last April. Dean Stemmle has requested revisions to make it less difficult to extend terms of department chairs beyond 12 years. The Committee is also starting a review of documents on faculty conflict-of-interest to see if they need to be updated.

A highlight of the meeting was the Senate tribute to the late Professor Alexander Frey which appears at right. Mrs. Frey was the Senate's guest, and a message of thanks from their daughter, former Dean of Students Alice F. Emerson, was read by Dr. Leboy.

In Memory of Alexander Hamilton Frey, 1898-1981

As most of you know, Alexander Frey died late this past summer.

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Alex Frey fought for freedom of speech, but his fine sense of taste rejected long-winded discourse or solemn ceremony. Hence, I move simply that the substance of these remarks be entered in the minutes of the Senate, in appreciation for Alexander Frey's signal contribution to organized University life.

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The 1980-1981 Senate Committee on the Economic Status of the Faculty began the year by identifying a number of recurrent problems in the treatment of faculty compensation at the University. The most important of these were the following:

1. Faculty compensation increases were consistently below the increases in the cost of living during most of the 1970s. As a result, the purchasing power of average faculty compensation in the 1980-81 academic year had fallen to about 89 percent of its value in the 1970-1971 academic year.

2. In the past, the administration had listened sympathetically to the presentations of the Economic Status Committee but little was done to reverse the decline in real faculty compensation or to involve the Committee in the budgetary process in a meaningful way. In addition, financial information about the University often was very difficult for the Committee to obtain.

3. The Committee believed that faculty compensation had been treated as a residual item in past budgets, partly because the faculty compensation component of the budget was viewed by the administration as somewhat "soft" relative to other types of expenditures such as energy costs. Considering the critical importance of the faculty in maintaining the academic excellence of the University, the Committee felt strongly that faculty compensation should be given the highest priority in the budget for fiscal year 1982 and subsequent years.

In an attempt to deal with these problems, the Committee resolved to take a more aggressive stance in dealing with the administration on the compensation issue. Accordingly, a resolution was introduced at the fall 1980 meeting of the Faculty Senate calling for a 14 percent increase in faculty compensation—12 percent for the projected increase in the cost of living from fiscal year 1981 to fiscal year 1982 and 2 percent to "restore losses in purchasing power... that have occurred during the past decade." The resolution also called for 2 percent per year during the subsequent four years to further compensate for losses in purchasing power. The resolution passed, after being amended from the floor to instruct the Committee to "explore and report on possible local modes of collective bargaining which might be adapted to the particular conditions of the University of Pennsylvania." The full text of the resolution appears in the November 11, 1980, Almanac.

To help to ensure that faculty compensation would not be consigned to residual status in the budget-making process for fiscal year 1982, the Committee was in frequent contact with the administration through the year. We were promised that faculty compensation would consult with the Committee prior to taking any step affecting faculty compensation.

By early February, we were informed that a 10 percent compensation increase had been included in the provisional budget together with a $2.7 million central fund to be allocated to faculty and staff compensation. President Meyerson and Acting Provost Shen informed the Committee that the central fund "would be one of the very last items in the budget to be claimed for other urgent use should that ever become necessary as the budget evolves." In fact, the central fund remained intact throughout the budgetary process and the understanding was that a majority would be allocated to faculty salaries. The administration indicated that funds were included in the budget to provide for average faculty compensation increases of more than 12 percent. In addition, the administration promised that the Committee would be given information in the fall indicating how the funds for faculty salaries had been allocated among schools, what were average salary increases in the schools and among faculty of different ranks.

President Meyerson and Acting Provosts Shen and Girifalco were quite cooperative throughout the year in providing data and discussing the status of the budget. Except for the allocation study, which is expected this fall, the commitments made to the Committee in the course of the discussions have been kept, and we feel that the Committee played a meaningful role in the budgetary process.

The Committee took two steps to deal with the problem of obtaining adequate information on the University budget and budgetary process. First, the request was made and granted that the Chair of the Economic Status Committee be permitted to attend Budget Committee meetings as an observer. Second, the Committee suggested to the administration that a reasonably detailed version of the University budget be published annually in Almanac. The budget had been published occasionally in the past, but several years had elapsed since its last publication. This request too was granted and a report on the fiscal year 1981 was published in the February 10, 1981, Almanac.

In response to the need for more accurate compensation comparisons between the University and its peer institutions, a report was prepared by the administration and forwarded to the Committee late in the academic year. We were promised that faculty compensation would not be treated as a residual and that the administration would consult with the Committee prior to taking any step affecting faculty compensation.

Besides representing the faculty in discussions of average compensation increases, an important function of the Committee is to make recommendations about the allocation of funds among across-the-board, merit, and other types of increases.

Our recommendation on allocations was based on three principal goals:

1. Providing across-the-board for all faculty that approach the rate of inflation so that losses in real income are kept to a minimum;
2. Making funds available to recognize merit, correct past inequalities, and provide promotion increases; and
3. Ensuring that faculty in the lowest salary brackets receive an increase at least equal to the rate of inflation.

The recommendation on salary allocation policy was as follows:

(continued next page)
Annual Report of the Senate Committee on Academic Freedom and Responsibility

Covering the period October 1980 to November 1981

The Committee has continued to be involved in many major and minor matters.

1. The case of the Associate Professor in the School of Medicine remains unresolved despite many meetings with many people. The person appealed to the Faculty Grievance Commission and subsequently appealed to this Committee that various Provosts and Acting Provosts had "declined or failed to implement the recommendation of the panel to the satisfaction of the grievant." This continuing situation was brought before the Faculty Senate at its meeting on April 22, 1981. The Committee held formal hearings on the Provost's implementation during October 1981 and will issue a report on this case in the near future.

2. As part of the attempts to resolve this case and also to formalize some urgent required mechanisms, a document on "Responsibility of Clinician-Educators in Generating Appropriate Levels of Income" was developed and approved by the Faculty Senate on November 5, 1980. A motion was passed at the Faculty Senate meeting on April 22, 1981, concerning the operation of partnership agreements by clinician-educators in order to safeguard academic freedom and to protect faculty members from arbitrary action affecting their status and professional opportunities.

3. The problems associated with the Reliance Professorship have now been resolved. "Documents Relating to the Endowment of the Reliance Professorship-Deanship" were published in detail in four pages of Almanac January 27, 1981. An entirely new agreement was negotiated that was acceptable to the Committee from the standpoint of academic freedom.

4. This resulted in the formulation of a new mechanism called "Policy Regarding Acceptance of Conditional Gifts." This was published in Almanac September 22, 1981.

5. The Committee drafted the wording for the Statutes of the University concerning the Senate and School Committees on Academic Freedom and Responsibility.

6. The Committee commented on the Code of Academic Integrity.

7. The Committee noted the resolution of a problem concerned with Professional Practice Services at the School of Dental Medicine.

8. The Committee concerned itself with the question of limited appointments in graduate groups and unanimously decided that "... The right to supervise and teach graduate students is part of the academic freedoms and responsibilities of members of graduate groups, is embedded in our understanding of tenure (note: even Assistant Professors have tenure during the years of their appointment), and may not be removed or limited except for just cause and by due process. Therefore the basic rights of all Professors with indefinite tenure presently members of Graduate Groups are not dependent on the 'wish of the group to grant them membership— with renewable appointments.' Nor are their basic rights to teach and supervise undergraduate and professional students and to have tenure in the University dependent on the periodic votes or wish of their colleagues. Decisions to abrogate such rights may only be made for just cause and by due process".

9. The Committee was asked by the Chair of the Educational Planning Committee to comment on the WEFA Economic Research Institute agreement. This was done and the agreement was subsequently modified.

10. The Committee was asked by Acting Provost Benjamin S. P. Shen to comment on a recommendation by the Dental School's Committee on Academic Freedom and Responsibility. The Senate Committee concurred with the recommendation of the Dental School Committee and objected "... to the practice of having A-I employees function as faculty members and then later, without proper procedures, changing their status to that of faculty members. Such a practice can be used to circumvent the normal appointment procedures and the University's Affirmative Action requirements".

11. A variety of minor issues were dealt with during the year.

Resolution on Faculty Compensation
Passed by the Senate Committee on the Economic Status of the Faculty for action by the Senate at its meeting of November 18, 1981

WHEREAS,
1. Over most of the past decade, increases in faculty compensation at the University of Pennsylvania have fallen substantially behind increases in the cost of living; and
2. Increases in faculty compensation should keep up with increases in living costs lest deterioration discourage younger scholars from taking appointments and encourage existing faculty to seek income relief in off-campus pursuits, both of which are detrimental to the vitality of the University; and
3. Additional increases in faculty compensation should be provided over the next few years to restore losses in purchasing power that have taken place; and
4. The projected increase in living costs for the current year is approximately 9.5 percent; and
5. Increases in average faculty compensation for fiscal year 1982 fell short of the Faculty Senate target of last year's cost-of-living increase plus a percentage to equal 12 percent which will restore past losses in purchasing power.

THEREFORE, the Faculty Senate calls upon the administration to provide in the 1982-83 budget for an increase of no less than 12.0 percent in the funds available for faculty compensation.
A Statement From the Provost on Sexual Harassment

It is the purpose of this statement to reiterate the University's policy on sexual harassment and to identify the resources available to individuals who believe they have been subjected to such coercion. Provost's Memorandum #3-80, issued on May 6, 1980, defines the University's responsibilities in matters of sexual harassment:

“As an employer, the University seeks to ensure that the workplace is free from harassment. As an educational institution, the University's commitment to eradicating sexual harassment goes beyond the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission guidelines.”

Sexual harassment in any context is reprehensible, and is a matter of particular concern to an academic community in which students, faculty, and staff are related by strong bonds of intellectual dependence and trust. Sexual harassment most frequently occurs when one person has some power and authority over another. For purposes of University policy, the term “sexual harassment” refers to any unwanted sexual attention that: (1) involves a physical or implicit threat to the victim's academic or employment status; (2) has the purpose or effect of interfering with an individual's academic or work performance; or (3) creates an intimidating or offensive academic or work environment. The University regards such behavior as a violation of the standards of conduct required of all persons associated with the institution. Accordingly, those inflicting such behavior on others within the University setting are subject to the full range of internal institutional disciplinary action, including separation from the institution.

Any student, faculty member, or other employee who believes he or she is a victim of sexual harassment may report the complaint to his or her advisor or supervisor or the supervisor of the person who is behaving objectionably; the individual who receives such a complaint has the responsibility to pursue the matter and may draw upon University resources. The person receiving the complaint must treat it as confidential, to be communicated only to the appropriate authorities. In addition, all persons who believe they are victims of harassment, including those who are reluctant to raise the matter with a supervisor, are encouraged to use the other avenues within the University through which guidance and counseling can be obtained, formal and informal complaints can be made, and corrective action, as appropriate, can be taken.

The following University resources and grievance mechanisms are available:

A. General Resources

1) The Women's Center will aid students, faculty and staff with counseling, advocacy, advice and referral concerning formal and informal avenues of redress in matters of sexual harassment. The Women's Center does not conduct investigations, and will keep all information confidential.

2) The Office of the Ombudsman exists to help resolve grievances of all members of the University community—students, faculty and staff—on a confidential and informal basis, and can assist persons with complaints about sexual harassment to decide on the course of action that they want to take. The office is independent of the University's formal administrative structure and grievance mechanisms. The Office of the Ombudsman may also be requested by the Office of Student Life to undertake a formal investigation of charges of sexual harassment of students (see B-La below).

B. Additional Resources

1) Students: In addition to the General Resources listed in Section A above, students may call upon the following resources:

a) The Director of the Office of Student Life is responsible for dealing with student grievances arising under Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, which prohibits sex discrimination in education. Grievances associated with student employment may also fall within the Director's purview. Complaints by students of sexual harassment may be made to the Director, who will supervise, or delegate to the Ombudsman, an investigation into the matter.

b) Student complaints of sexual harassment by faculty may be brought to the attention of the student or an advocate on behalf of the student to the department chair or dean of the faculty member. The appropriate School Committee on Academic Freedom and Responsibility may investigate the case, either on its own initiative or at the request of an academic administrator.

c) Victims of harassment may seek assistance from the University Counseling Service, Gay and Lesbian Peer Counseling, and the psychiatric section of the Student Health Service. Contacts with these services are strictly confidential and may be particularly helpful to students desiring assistance in dealing with their feelings about their experience with sexual harassment.

2) The University Staff and Faculty: In addition to the General Resources listed in Section A above, nonacademic staff may utilize the formal grievance mechanism described in Personnel Policy #801. Faculty may utilize the Faculty Grievance Procedure described in the Handbook for Faculty and Administration.

—Thomas Ehrlich, Provost

Right to Know

On October 6, 1981, an article appeared in Almanac summarizing the current version of University Policy #101 (Confidentiality of Records). The most recent changes to the document have raised some important questions regarding legal rights of employees and moral responsibility of the University as an employer.

The Coordinating Committee of the A-3 Assembly has received inquiries on the reasons behind administrative decisions that appear to deny employees the right to examine letters and other correspondence placed in their personnel files. The answer, of course, must come from the administrators who drafted the document; our group, however, did seek to gain more information on the subject. We examined Personnel Policy #101 very carefully and also reviewed the Pennsylvania State Act which grants each person the right to inspect his or her own personnel file. It is our observation that portions of Section III, Personnel Policy #101 (Records Not Subject to Review by Employees) which refer to Section III #'s 2, 9, 11 are in violation of the State law, and that these portions, also, in several ways deny University employees some very basic rights.

Pennsylvania State law (1978, Nov. 26, P. L. 1012, No. 260), commonly called the "Employee Right to Know Act," grants specific rights for all non-federal employees:

- to inspect his or her own personnel files used to determine his or her own qualifications for employment, promotion, additional compensation, termination or disciplinary action...
- "Personnel files" as defined by this Act includes:
- any application for employment, wage and salary information, notices of commendations, warning, or discipline, authorization for a deduction or withholding of pay, fringe benefits information, leave records, employment history with the employer, including salary information, job title, dates of change, retirement record, attendance records, and performance evaluations...

Current University Personnel Policy #101 does not permit faculty, full or part-time employees to review performance evaluations, skill tests or General correspondence of commendation, or complaints addressed to the department of employment and pertaining to job performance.

A fair argument could also be made that Personnel Policy #101 is in conflict with Personnel Policy #601. Policy #601...

...is designed to encourage constructive dialogue between staff members and their supervisors, to clarify job responsibilities and to assure that job performance and career development information is recorded in each individual's University employment history...

If performance review procedures are carried out properly, as described in Policy #601, there should be no need to keep the related files from the employees they affect. The best assurance can be gained by personal inspection of one's file in order to be satisfied that additional information has not been added after the performance evaluation has been signed; and to be sure that no false or damaging information has been added without the employee's knowledge.

On behalf of all employees, the Coordinating Committee of the A-3 Assembly would appreciate a clarification of the exclusions as mentioned in Section III of Personnel Policy #101, since Pennsylvania law states that these portions of our records may not be reviewed.

—Roosevelt Dicks, Speaker A-3 Assembly
DEATHS

Dr. T. Grier Miller, emeritus professor of medicine and a well-known medical researcher, died November 14 at the age of 96. Dr. Miller, the author of more than 100 articles in medical journals and textbooks, had a broad foundation in the practice of medicine before he specialized in gastroenterology.

Dr. Miller's close affiliation with Penn began with his graduation from the School of Medicine in 1911. Following his internship, he became the first recipient of the first fellowship in medicine at the University. From 1918 to 1934, he rose through the faculty ranks from assistant instructor in medicine to professor of medicine. He was designated emeritus professor of medicine in 1952.

The School's first endowed professorship in gastroenterology was established in Dr. Miller's honor in 1977.

A memorial service for Dr. Miller will be held December 10 at 4 p.m. in the Dunlop A Auditorium, Medical Education Building.

—ON CAMPUS—

December 1-December 13

Survey of Periodicals:

Almanac is currently compiling a directory of all campus periodical publications—scholarly journals, newsletters in disciplines, school and departmental news sheets, alumni and student publications. To make sure that your publications are included, send a sample of each and brief descriptions (include title, topic, frequency of publication, audience, editor, subscription information) to Almanac, 3601 Locust Walk/CH by December 21, 1981.

Academic Calendar

December 11 Fall term classes end.

Children's Activities

Films

December 5 Jaume's Inn
December 12 Hugo The Hippo

Films are free, screened Saturdays at 10:30 a.m. in Harrsion Auditorium of the University Museum. Recommended for children aged five and older.

Theatre

December 5 The General Alumni Association presents Family Day At Mask and Wig, noon, at the Clubhouse. Featuring hot dogs and a special child-edited version of the current production, between the Covers. After the performance, youngsters are invited on stage to dance and jig with Mask and Wig. Reservations required, call Ext. 7811.

Workshops

December 5 The College of General Studies presents Carol Silvin conducting a mask-making workshop. The hours are 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and the fee is $20 for one adult and one child. To register call Ext. 6479.

Children's Holiday Decorations Workshop at the Arboretum, 10 a.m.-noon. The fee is $5 for members, $6 for nonmembers. Call 247-5777.

Exhibits

Now Through December The International House Bazaar Shop presents Traditional Embroidery of the Hmong, the vividly colored Indochinese art of pao nia (flower cloth). On display are hand-worked tapestries, pillows, small sized pieces and Christmas tree ornaments, ranging in price from $6-$40, and International Christmas Tree Ornaments, a varied display of ornaments from Austria, Mexico, India, Sweden, Ecuador and more, ranging in price from $1-$6.

Through December The Graduate School of Education presents a display of artwork by students from Bucks. Delaware and Montgomery counties; room B 31, Graduate School of Education.


Through February 14 Echoes of the Samurai: Japanese Arms and Armor at the University Museum.

Through February 21 Camera And I: The Belas of Microscopy, a collection of photographs by Harvey Reed, at the Sharshe Gallery, University Museum.

Ongoing The Egyptian Mummy: Secrets and Science at the University Museum.

Ongoing India At The University Museum at the Museum.

University Museum Gallery Tours

December 2 Echoes of the Samurai
December 6 Egypt
December 9 Ancient Egypt
December 16 Echoes of Artemis

The gallery talks and tours are free and begin at the main entrance of the University Museum at 1 p.m.

ADMIRATION OF PULMONARY FUNCTION

Admission $2.

University Museum Series

December 13/Actaeon Films in this free series are screened Sundays at 2:30 p.m. in Harrison Auditorium of the University Museum.

Meetings

GAPSA

December 9 at 6:15 p.m., in the Council Room of the Furness Building.

University Council

December 11 at 4 p.m., in the Council Room of the Furness Building.

Music

December 3 The Penn Balalaika Orchestra presents a concert, Verhervinka, 7:30 p.m., Houston Hall Auditorium. Tickets $2 at the door or call Mia Reins at 368-306.

December 5 Chamber Music Concert: 2:30 p.m., Harrison Auditorium, University Museum.

The Curtis Organ Restoration Society presents John Jackson, organist, composer and president of CORS, the Westrenstake Organ Foundation Society, and the Philadelphia U.S. Naval Base Chapel Choral Society, with A Christmas Festival of Organ and Choral Music, 3 p.m., Irvine Auditorium. Tickets are $3 and may be purchased at the door. Proceeds go toward the restoration of the Curtis organ.

December 11 The University Choral Society with members of the University Symphony Orchestra, William Parker, conducting, present a concert including Schubert's Mass in B flat and Handel's Coronation Anthem No. 2, 8:30 p.m., in the Tabernacle Church.

December 12 The College Museum, Mary Anne Bald, director, presents Christmas Music of Medieval and Renaissance Germany, 8 p.m., Harrison Auditorium, University Museum. Tickets $3, $2 for students and senior citizens, may be purchased at the door or in advance from the music department or music performances offices.

ALMANAC December 1, 1981

The Grant, above, is a wall painting from the tomb-chapel of Nakht, the royal scribe, in Thebes, Egypt, Late Dynastic, c. 1420 B.C. Nakht, seated and shaded from the sun, watches his farmhands plowing and sowing the fields of his estate. The Grant Harvey is part of the University Museum's exhibition The Egyptian Mummy: Secrets and Science which has attracted more than 120,000 visitors since it opened in September 1980.
Special Events

December 2 Annual Wassail Party and Shopping Night, 5:30 p.m., Museum Shop, University Museum. Become a member of the University Museum and enjoy holiday treats and discount shopping.


The Faculty Club presents a Holiday Tree Lighting and Dinner, 5:45 p.m., in the Alumni Dining Room. Special children’s meals and gifts from Santa Claus. For reservations call Ext. 4618.

December 11-13 Holly and Greens Sale, fresh greens in bundles, laurel, myrtle and other holiday plants, decorating supplies, wreaths, centerpieces and swags, at the Morris Arboretum. For more information call 247-5777.

December 11, 12, 14, 16 and 18 Marathon Marathon: Relax for Finals, a Christian Association. For reservations call the CA at 229-5941.

December 12 The General Alumni Society presents a Spaghetti Dinner, from the Penn-Villanova basketball game, 6:30 p.m. at the William White Training House; game in the Palestra at 9 p.m., early reservations required, call Ext. 7811.

December 16 The A-3 Assembly presents A-3 Holidays Party, noon-2 p.m., West Lounge, Houston Hall. Bring your lunch. Coffee, tea - "reservat will be provided. For contributions to or suggestions for the call Maynard Sabre at Ext. 5285.

Sports (Home Schedules)

For more information on sports call Ext. 6128; for ticket information, Franklin Field pick up window at Ext. 6151.

Locations: Franklin field: Varsity Football, Women’s Field Hockey, Lightweight Football, Freshman Football, Men’s and Women’s Soccer; Fairmount Park: Belmont Plateau; Men’s and Women’s Cross Country; Penn’s Landing: Sailing: Loth Courts: Women’s Tennis; Weightman Hall: Women’s Volleyball: Palestra: Men’s and Women’s Basketball.

December 3 Women’s Basketball vs. West Chester, 7:30 p.m.

December 8 Women’s Basketball vs. Ursinus, 6:30 p.m.

December 12 Men’s Basketball vs. Villanova, 9 p.m.

Talks

December 1 The Department of Pharmacology presents Dr. Gregory Grodsky, professor of Neurochemistry, DNIH on Biotinergic Metabolism in Rat and Man, 7:30 p.m., Medical Education Building.

The Center for the Study of Art and Symbolic Behavior presents James Fernandez, professor of anthropology, Princeton University, on Moving Up In The World - Trancescence As A Problem For Symbolic Anthropology, 4 p.m., Penn Museum, Room, Houston Hall.

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The Doctoral Program of The School of Social Work presents Dr. Norman Lourie, former executive deputy secretary, Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare, on Political Responsibilites of Social Workers, 12:30-4:30 p.m., 3rd floor, Caster Building.

The Neuropsychopharmacology Training Program Colloquium presents Vanaja V. Ragavan, postdoctoral resident fellow, Philadelphia Child Guidance Clinic, on Ontical Produnion of Proteins by the Nervous System, 11 a.m., Alumni Hall, Towne Building.

The Department of History and Sociology of Science presents Dr. William Montgomery, American Philosophical Society, on Charles Darwin and His Correspondence, 3:30 p.m., room 107, Smith Hall.

The Student Health Service, Psychiatry Sec., presents Meyer Rotblatt, M.D., Pennsylvanian associate in psychiatry, on Children of Holocaust Survivors: A Therapists Perspective, 10:45 a.m.-noon, in the Conference Room...
OPPORTUNITIES

Listings are condensed from the personnel bulletin of November 23 and therefore cannot be considered official. New listings are posted Mondays on personnel bulletin boards at:

- Anatomy-Chemistry Building: near Room 358
- Centenary Hall: lobby
- College Hall: first floor
- Franklin Professions: near Personnel (Room 130)
- Johnson Pavilion: first floor, next to directory
- Law School: Room 28, basement
- Leidy Labs: first floor, outside Room 102
- Logan Hall: first floor, near Room 117
- LHS: first floor, opposite elevator
- Richards Building: first floor, near mailroom
- Rittenhouse Lab: east staircase, second floor
- Social Work/Center Building: first floor
- Towne Building: mezzanine lobby
- Van Pelt Library: ask for copy at Reference Desk
- Veterinary School: first floor, next to directory

For further information, call personnel services, 243-7284.

The University is an equal opportunity employer. Where qualifications include formal education or training, significant experience in the field may be substituted. The two figures in salary listings show minimum starting salary and maximum starting salary (midpoint). Some positions listed may have special criteria. If you would like to know more about a particular position, please ask at the time of the interview with a personnel counselor or hiring department representative. Openings listed without salaries are those in which salary is to be determined. Resumes are required for administrative: professional positions.

Administrative/Professional Staff

Administrator, Data Communications (4259)

Application Programmer Analyst II (4439) $16,350-$22,600.
Assistant Dean (4117) $16,350-$22,600.
Assistant Director II (4148) $16,350-$22,600.
Assistant to the Director (C0397) $12,000-$16,100.
Business Administrator II (C0391) $17,800.
Coordinator, Clinical Education (C0179) $16,350-$22,600.
Coordinator, Computer Center (C0190) $12,000-$16,100.
Compensation Specialist (4435) $16,350-$22,600.
Director of Admissions (4102) $15,200-$20,600.
Executive Assistant to President (4449) $13,100-$17,800.
Librarian II (2 positions) (4450) $13,100-$19,775.
Placement Counselor (4453) $13,100-$19,775.
Programmer Analyst I (C0222) $14,500-$19,775.
Programmer Analyst II (C0316) $16,350-$22,600.
Publisher's Editor/Writer (C0302) $16,200-$21,875.
Research Specialist Jr. I (11 positions) $12,000-$16,100.
Research Specialist I (11 positions) $13,100-$17,800.
Research Specialist II (5 positions) $14,500-$19,775.
Research Specialist IV (2 positions) $15,200-$20,600.
Senior Staff Writer (4311) $16,350-$22,600.
Staff Assistant (C0380) $12,000-$16,100.
Supervisor Y, Data Processing (4368).
Systems Analyst (2 positions) (4458) (C0392).

Support Staff

Administrative Assistant I (2 positions) (C0397) (4476) $9,925-$12,250.
Administrative Assistant II (C0397) (4476) $11,225-$13,775.
Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Mechanic I (2 positions) (4499) $11,225-$13,775.
Budget Assistant II (3709) $10,575-$13,100.
Buyer I (4487) $10,575-$13,100.
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Clerk, V (4483) $9,925-$12,250.
Delivery Clerk (4483) picks up and delivers confidential material; handles cash transactions; performs routine clerical duties; graduate high school; ability to pick up and deliver material; high school diploma; City of Philadelphia journeyman plumber; valid driver's license.
Dental Assistant I (2 positions) (4324) (4337) $10,450-$12,675.
Editorial Assistant (C0401) types, edits, proofs, marks, files, coordinates schedules; handles statistical profiles; maintains bibliographies; good writing skills; 55 wpm typing; willingness to learn word processing; ability to work independently.
Electronic Technician II (C0384) $11,225-$13,775.
Histology Technician II (C0384) $11,225-$13,775.
Histology Technician III (C0384) $11,225-$13,775.
Laboratory Technician II (C0384) $11,225-$13,775.
Laboratory Technician III (C0384) $11,225-$13,775.
Office Technician II (C0384) (1 position) $9,925-$12,250.
Office Technician III (2 positions) $11,225-$13,775.
Programmer Analyst I (C0222) $14,500-$19,775.
Programmer Analyst II (C0316) $16,350-$22,600.
Programmer Analyst III (C0316) $18,100-$23,475.
Programmer Analyst IV (C0316) $19,900-$25,275.
Research Specialist I I I (2 positions) $15,200-$20,600.
Research Specialist IV (2 positions) $16,350-$22,600.
Research Specialist V (2 positions) $17,800-$23,475.
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