Tuition/Fee to $13,950, and Other Trustee Actions

A New York HQ: Following up on a June 1987 approval to purchase the building at 30 West 44th Street from Touro College, the executive board approved the acquisition at $15 million, subject to approval by the Department of Education. The building is to become the Penn Club.

Parking at PGH: Again as follow-up to earlier actions, the Executive Committee authorized participation in the proposed development of a parking garage on parcels 6 and 8 of the former PGH site, sharing costs with other developers in proportion to spaces to be allotted for employee parking (Penn 680, CHOP 390, Children’s Seashore 195, and the future developer of parcel 5, 95). Total project cost is estimated at $18 million.

Library Overseers: The trustees approved the formation of a Board of Overseers for the University Libraries, and elected its founding members including Dr. R. Jean Brownlee, former Dean of the College for Women, and Emeritus Trustee Charles D. Dickey Jr.

A Publishing 'First': The International Encyclopedia of Communications

Five years ago the Annenberg School of Communications and Oxford University Press began collaboration on the world’s first comprehensive reference work on communications—an encyclopedia that would attempt to survey, and in many respects define, a burgeoning field of scholarship that also draws widespread public interest.

Now set for release in April is the four-volume International Encyclopedia of Communications—1.2 million words from 450 authors of 29 nations about forms of communication ranging from primitive sign systems to space technology. As Editor-in-Chief Erik Barnouw, Columbia professor emeritus of dramatic arts, summed it up: “We include in communications all the ways in which information, ideas, and attitudes pass among individuals, groups, nations, and generations...” examining disparate genres and processes from psychological, sociological, anthropological, and other perspectives. “A number of entries focus on forms of nonverbal communication—emphasizing that although each stage in communications history has added new ways of communicating, all have remained with us, in patterns of ever-growing complexity. Numerous types of animal communication, and the light they throw on human communication, are also examined. Special communications phenomena and problems in various parts of the world are analyzed, and the challenging tasks of intercultural communication form a preservative theme in the work.”

The School’s Dean George Gerbner served as chair of the editorial board with, with Editorial Director Tobia Worth and Associate Editor Dr. Larry Gross as two other Penn members of the board. Dr. Barnouw, Dean Peter Clarke of the Annenberg School of Communications at USC; Wilbur Schramm, director emeritus of Stanford’s Institute for Communication Research; Maurice B. Mitchell, former president of Encyclopedia Britannica, Inc.; and two Oxford University Press members—Senior Vice President-Editorial Sheldon Meyer and David Atwood, editorial director for reference and general books, completed the board.

The 2000-page work, with its 22,000 entries, 1100 illustrations, and analytic index to concepts and key terms, required 25 section editors and more than 170 editorial advisors.

Dean Gerbner called the Encyclopedia “a lasting tribute to the generosity and vision of Ambassador Walter H. Annenberg,” whose grant made the project possible: “It is not only an expert compendium of what is known but a creative synthesis advancing the field in new directions. It sums up what its authors, who are founders and pioneers in the field, believe to be of lasting value.”

President Hackney cited the Encyclopedia as a “unique contribution that will continue to shape the field that it describes.” And Oxford University Press’s President Ed Barrett views it as the flagship of an Oxford commitment to publishing major academic reference books in its U.S. division. The four-volume set is priced at $350.
On the Questionnaire Sent to the Faculty

The Senate Committee on Administration sent a questionnaire on faculty role in governance and resource allocation to the entire standing faculty, who should have received it by now. The questionnaire has a dual purpose: to determine faculty opinion on matters critical to Penn’s future and to the role that the faculty might play in shaping it, and to evaluate the quality of this relatively easy method of communication between the entire faculty and the Senate Executive Committee.

The questionnaire is easy to complete. Please complete and send it back by 5 pm, Friday, 17 March 1989 as requested. Your valuable opinion would be most helpful in obtaining results which are highly representative of the Penn faculty’s views and expectations.

If you have not received the questionnaire, please get in touch with Ms. Carolyn Burdon at the Faculty Senate office, 15 College Hall, Ext. 8-6943.

—Noam Lior, Chair of the Faculty Senate Committee on Administration

Alice Paul/Leonore Williams Awards

Nominations are due by March 16 for two awards given by the Association of Women Faculty and Administrators. The Alice Paul Awards, named for the Penn alumna who wrote the original Equal Rights Amendment and funded by contributions of Association members, honor with cash prizes several undergraduate and graduate women for outstanding service to women. The Leonore Rowe Williams Award, endowed by the late widow of the former Dean of Students, is for women. The Leonore Rowe Williams Award, given annually to an outstanding individual in the realm of women’s achievement and why her contribution is outstanding.

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The nomination should include a thesis advisor’s letter nominating the graduate student and a recommendation from the faculty advisor. The recommendation should include a thesis statement and a description of the student’s work. Guidelines for nominations are available from the undergraduate dean’s office or the Office of the Vice Provost for University Life.

The deadline for nominations is March 16, 1989. Two awards of $500 each are made to Ph.D. candidates for theses of outstanding quality and contribution to science at the Thesis Award Dinner on Monday, April 10, 1989. The winners receive certificates as well. Nominations are made by the thesis advisor on the thesis advisor’s initiative for theses completed during the 1988-89 academic year.

Rose Fund: April 7 Deadline

The Rose Undergraduate Research Award Fund, supported by the Rose Foundation, recognizes and awards modest grants to undergraduates and their faculty advisors for outstanding research achievements. Funds are administered by the Office of the Vice Provost for University Life, with awards made on a competitive basis by the Council of Undergraduate Deans.

All research projects must have faculty advisors and must be nominated by a member of the faculty. Projects may be in any discipline or represent an interdisciplinary effort. Up to five awards of at least $500 each will be made yearly, with an additional award of at least $200 to the faculty advisor(s) of each project. In cases where there are multiple student research investigators and/or advisors, the awards will be divided among the participants. The criteria used in judging the projects will include the quality, originality, and the importance of the research.

Nominations consist of the faculty letter of nomination and a student application form, which is available at the student’s home school or departmental office, or the Office of the Vice Provost for University Life, 200 Houston Hall. Neither the nomination letter nor the student application abstract should be longer than three pages. The abstract must include a description of the project, methodology, findings, conclusions, and implications. A copy of the student’s research paper and other materials, any supporting documentation, the faculty letter of nomination and the student application, must be submitted in duplicate to the Undergraduate Dean’s Office of the student’s home school no later than April 7. Awards will be announced by the Council of Undergraduate Deans before Commencement and publicized in the appropriate campus media.

Death of Dr. Daly

Dr. Lloyd W. Daly, the Allen Professor Emeritus of Classical Studies who was Dean of the College from 1952-59, died February 26 at the age of 78.

In three decades on the active faculty, and well into a fourth as a volunteer at the Mascon archives after his retirement in 1977, Dr. Daly was admired by hundreds of students whom his teaching and scholarship won to the study of Latin and Greek. He is also remembered for his work in building and rebuilding liberal arts programs at Penn during the Harrwell era.

A 1932 alumnus of Knox College in Illinois with a Ph.D. from Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Dr. Daly came to Penn at 37 after varied and energetic experiences in archaelogy in Greece, studies in Paris and Rome, service in World War II, and teaching at Kenyon College and the University of Oklahoma.

His first appointment here was as associate professor of Greek in 1947. Four years later he became vice dean of the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences (not to be confused with the present SAS) and a year later he was named dean of the College—the oldest deanship in the University and the central one from which the arts and sciences was carry out its part in the educational plan of the "fifties to broaden a faculty that had been identified as inbred. Named to the Allen Professorship in 1958, he continued in a number of leadership roles after leaving the dean's office in 1959—as departmental chair of classical studies from 1961-67 and later as chair of the graduate group; as chair of the College's personnel committee for many years; and as chair of the Medieval Studies program.

Meanwhile, among his many publications over the years he produced volumes such as the 1961 Aesop Without Morals, a translation, and Alphabetization, a history of the alphabet and its use. He was elected to the American Philosophical Society and received an honorary degree from his alma mater.

"He brought great wisdom and hard work to anything he turned his attention to," said Professor Robert E. Palmer, who had been Dr. Daly's student (during Dr. Daly's visiting professorship at John Hopkins) as well as his eventual charge in classical studies. "He was much-admired not only because he was a good and gentle person but because of what he contributed in new direction to the institution and to his chosen field."

Dr. Daly is survived by two daughters, Carol Johnson and Sara Rothenburger; three grandsons, and a granddaughter.

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Proposed Amendments to Bylaws

For Action April 12

On the Academic Review Committee

(The amendment would remove the committee charge below from the bylaws. Research institutes, interschool organizations that report to the provost, will be established or discontinued by the provost with the advice of the Academic Planning and Budget Committee. Research centers, intraschool organizations that report to a dean, will be established or discontinued by the dean acting after a review process conducted within the school by the faculty.)

(a) Academic Review Committee for Centers and Institutes. The Academic Review Committee shall, upon request of the Provost, give advice on matters of academic policy. It shall maintain, through the Office of the Provost, a close liaison with the Academic Planning and Budget Committee, especially when the Committee's work requires budget information or touches on issues of academic and financial planning in the schools or in the University as a whole.

The Committee shall advise the Provost on proposals to establish new centers, institutes, and other organized academic units not within a single school. The Provost will send to the Committee copies of requests for establishing such new units, and the Committee will advise the Provost on their academic and fiscal soundness and their conformity with University policies and procedures.

When the dean of a school recommends to the Provost the establishment of a new center, institute, or other academic unit within that school, the Provost may ask the Committee to review the proposal before acting on the recommendation.

When a center, institute, or other organized academic unit is established on condition that it be reviewed at a certain period of time, the Provost may ask the Committee to conduct the review.

At the request of the Provost, the Committee will also review any existing center, institute, or other organized academic unit. The Committee may, on its own initiative, suggest to the Provost that it undertake such a review.

The Committee shall be appointed by the Steering Committee by June 1 of each year as follows: 1) Eight faculty members nominated by the Senate Executive Committee. These appointments shall be for staggered three-year terms. 2) Up to six faculty members, administrators, or students nominated by the Provost, four of whom shall have faculty appointments. Nominations of students shall be made after consultation with the appropriate student organizations. Faculty members and administrators shall be appointed for staggered three-year terms, and students shall be appointed for one-year renewable terms. 3) Four students—two graduate/professional students and two undergraduates—each nominated by the appropriate student organization. These shall serve for one-year renewable terms.

The Deputy Provost shall be a non-voting ex officio member of the Committee. In case of vacancy, the unexpired term will be filled from nominations made by the appropriate person or group.
Transportation Strike Contingency Plans

A strike against SEPTA's Philadelphia transit division beginning at 12:01 a.m. Wednesday, March 15, now appears possible. Such a strike may pose transportation problems for many employees of the University. To assure full continuation of University operations and services, we recommend that each department provide bulletin board space or other suitable means for facilitating employee car pools. All employees are urged to make transportation plans in advance of the strike emergency.

Administrators are encouraged to be as flexible as possible in adjusting hours for staff personnel to meet the needs of employees and the operating requirements of the departments. If possible, arrival and departure times should be at other than peak load periods for commuters. Where they can, people are encouraged to walk to work or take alternate rail transportation rather than drive to campus. All personnel who commute are advised to allow sufficient time for the delays they are likely to encounter.

University business will continue as usual. Except for individuals taking bona fide sick time, personal days or vacation, absence from work will be charged as lost time. Administrators are, however, encouraged to use discretion in making reasonable allowances for lateness attributable to transportation conditions.

Below is information prepared by the University Department of Transportation and Parking related to special parking and campus bus service plans for use during the SEPTA strike. Additional information may be obtained by calling the Department of Transportation and Parking at Ext. 8-8667, or by consulting a tape-recorded message on Ext. 8-6358.

Barbara S. Butterfield
Vice President for Human Resources

Steven D. Murray
Associate Vice President for Business Services

Plans for SEPTA Strike

PARKING

Suggested locations for all day parking include:
34th and Chestnut Streets;
35th and Walnut Streets;
36th and Walnut Streets;
38th and Walnut Streets;
39th and Walnut Streets;
40th and Walnut Streets;
44th and Locust Streets;
Paley Lot; Penn Tower; Sheraton Hotel; Civic Center;
University Avenue exit of the Schuylkill Expressway.

BUS SERVICE

University-operated shuttle buses/vans will operate between the center of campus and 16th and Locust Streets (Lindenwold Terminal) and the 69th Street Terminal. If the suburban train lines are operational, stops will also be made at 30th Street Station. This shuttle service is free and available to all faculty, staff, and students showing a University I.D. card. A prerecorded message on 898-6358 will identify any changes to the following schedules.

NOTE: Due to abnormal traffic conditions that are usually prevalent during SEPTA strikes, the following time schedules should be used as guidelines only.

The plaza in front of Houston Hall will serve as the OUTBOUND terminal for all University of Pennsylvania buses.

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* 30th Street Station stops will NOT be made if Suburban commuter lines are not running.
** Buses marked with "**" are those operated by Drexel University between the identified location and 33rd Street between Market and Chestnut Streets. University of Pennsylvania faculty, staff, and students may use these buses provided they show the driver their University I.D. cards.

Update

MARCH AT PENN

FILM

17 Last Supper; 8 p.m. Donation: $5, benefits Philadelphia Venceremos (Christian Association and Venceremos).

FITNESS/LEARNING

20 Careers in Museum Administration; 9:15 a.m.-noon, Classroom 2, University Museum. Registration: Ext. 8-7530 (University Museum and Career Planning and Placement).

How I Got My Job: Advice from Recent Ph.D.s; 4:30-6 p.m., Bishop White Room, Houston Hall (Career Planning and Placement).

MUSIC

18 Folk Festival; 7:30 p.m., Christian Association. Donation: $8, benefits returning Salvadoran war refugees (Philadelphia Going Home and the Christian Association).

A Little Night Music; Penn Musicians Against Homelessness; 8-9:30 p.m., Church of the Saviour. Free admission. Donations benefit the homeless through UCHC. Information: Ext. 3-5528 (University City Hospitality Coalition).

RELIGION

22 Interfaith Service: commemorates the assassination of Archbishop Romero; 7:30 p.m., Tabernacle Church (CALL TO ACTION).

SPECIAL EVENTS

16 St. Patrick's Day Feast; Don Raphael at piano; 5-7:30 p.m., Faculty Club. Price: $9.75 per person. Reservations: Ext. 8-4618.

23 Ice Skating Party; for faculty, staff, and students; 5:15-6:45 p.m., Class of 1923 Ice Rink. Free admission and skate rental with valid PennCard. Information: Ext. 8-4618. Public skating ends March 25.

TALKS

17 Mechanism and Therapy of Late Degeneration After Cerebral Air Embolism; Andrew Dutka, Naval Medical Research Institute; 12:15 p.m., Room 1, John Morgan Building (Environmental Medicine).

20 Classical Thought, Confucian Politics, and Genry Lineages; Benjamin Elman, UCLA; 4 p.m., Lounge, 2nd Floor, College Hall (East Asian Colloquium).

Talk with Robin Warshaw; author of I Never Called It Rape; 7-9 p.m. Details/location: Gloria Gay, Ext. 8-8611 (Women's History Month).

21 Current Crisis in Haiti and the Caribbean; Judith Claude, AFSC Haiti Program; 4 p.m., Room 301, Houston Hall (Central America Solidarity Alliance).

Nakshibendi Networks; Shafi Martin, Bagazici University; 7 p.m., Classroom 2, University Museum (Turkish Studies Seminar).

Reasons for U.S. Intervention in Central America; speakers include Salvador Martinez; 7:30 p.m., Lounge, Christian Association (Central America Solidarity Alliance).

Change: Informal discussion with Spike Lee is rescheduled for Wednesday, March 22, at 2:30 p.m., Annenberg Auditorium (New co-sponsor: Connaissance).

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