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USF Hosting Phytochemical Society

Biologists to Meet

Plant-insect interaction will be the topic for the 1975 Annual meeting of the Phytochemical Society of North America which will be held at USF Aug. 4-7 and feature biologists from around the world.

About 100 scientists from the U.S., Canada and Mexico are expected to attend according to Dr. Richard L. Mansell, USF associate professor of biology, and local program chairperson.

Sessions will be from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. in the University Center.

"Physiology and Biochemistry of Plant-Insect Interaction" is the conference theme.

Major speakers and their topics, at times to be announced, are:

- Dr. Paul Hedline, USDA Boll Weevil Research Laboratory, Mississippi State University, "The Boll Weevil-Cotton Plant Complex;" Dr. Kurt Mothes, president of the Duetsche Akademie der Naturforscher Leopoldina, East Germany, topic to be announced;
- Dr. L.B. Hendry, Pennsylvania State University, "Chemical Messengers in Insects and Plants;" Dr. David Rhoades, University of Washington, "Toward A General Theory of Plant Antherbivore Chemistry;
- Eloy Rodriguez, University of Texas, "Biochemical Parallelsisms in Attractant and Repellent Compounds in Plants and Arthropods;"
- Dr. Paul Feeny, Cornell University, "Likely Effects of Insects on Patterns of Chemicals in Plants;" Dr. Carolyn Roese, University of California, Davis, "Comparative Cardenolids Processing by Monarch Butterflies Reared on Different Milkweed Species;" and Dr. Stanley D. Becher, University of Wisconsin, "Insect-Plant Interaction--Nutrition and Metabolism."

Florida School of Alcohol Studies

To Offer Intensive Training Here

The thirteenth annual Florida School of Alcohol Studies, featuring more than 70 experts in school/substance abuse and related fields presenting intensive information and training sessions to about 300 participants, will be held at USF in August.

The school includes both a one-week non-credit course Aug. 17-22 and a two-week graduate credit course in "Applied Substance Abuse" Aug. 17-29. It is sponsored by the USF Center for Continuing Education in cooperation with the State of Florida Division of Mental Health, Bureau of Alcohol Rehabilitation (BAR).

Educators, social workers, law enforcement officers, doctors, nurses, counselors, ministers, public health personnel and family, friends and employers of persons with alcohol related problems are among those expected to attend.

The school is designed to provide a comprehensive review of current solutions to alcoholism, to teach the methods and procedures needed to establish proper management satisfying the requirements of the law, and to motivate participants with a renewed spirit of enthusiasm for applying new practical knowledge and insight to their community programs.

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Report Highlights Efforts

To Increase Summer Roll

Recent "extensive" efforts to increase summer quarter enrollment at USF were summarized by Vice President Carl Riggs in a requested report to Chancellor E.T. York.

Noting that 1975 summer enrollment exceeded the 1974 total by 20%, Dr. Riggs stated he believed "our efforts for the 1974 Summer Quarter were responsible for an appreciable increase than, and we are confident that our continued efforts contributed significantly to the 1975 increase." He acknowledged, however, that other factors - such as the current state of the economy - also were probably instrumental in the dramatic increase.

Twenty-one "factors affecting summer quarter enrollment" were outlined by college in the report and Dr. Riggs said "we will re-examine our efforts to try to determine what has worked and what has not, with the definite goal of continued improvement."

Veteran Members Retiring

From USF Faculty Senate

Three veteran members of the Faculty Senate will be "retiring" this fall with a combined total of 40 years service in both the Faculty Senate and the now-defunct All University Senate. New Faculty Senate by-laws prohibit re-elections.

Dr. Charles Armade, professor of interdisciplinary social sciences, has served in the Senate continuously since the 1961-62 academic year;

Dr. Jesse Binford, professor of chemistry, has served since the 1962-63 academic year, minus one year when he was on a fellowship in Honduras. He was last year's Faculty Senate president;

Hans Juergenssen, professor of humanities, has also served since the 1962-63 academic year.

Teaching Gallery Photo Exhibit

To Include Work of USF Professor

A timely exhibit entitled "Photography: The Florida Center Collection" will display the work of several contemporary photographers, including USF professor Oscar Bailey, from Aug. 6-29 in the USF Teaching Gallery. The show is open without charge during regular gallery hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays.

The exhibition includes the "Creative Photography" collection, 10 original black-and-white photographs by Bailey, Jerry Uelsmann, Paul Caponigro, Dave Heath, Warren Hill, Kenneth Josephson, Duane Michals and Charles Swedlund.

The latter six men were participants in a previous USF invitational showing, from which one work by each photographer was purchased for the Center collection. Jerry Uelsmann has had two one-man shows on campus from which two photographs were acquired. Bailey has also had several one-man shows, and two works from these past exhibitions were purchased for the collection.
Co-directors are Joe G. Marquart, director of continuing education, and Martin J. Campbell, LL.B., Myers Act coordinator, both with the BAR.

Among the topics to be considered during the days of the first week are administration of alcohol programs, alcohol and the criminal justice system, alcohol and youth, driving while intoxicated (D.W.I.), occupational health, physical assessment of persons with alcohol problems, treatment and vocational problems. Mini workshops and optional sessions planned for the evenings of the first week include special sessions for clergy, physicians and the judiciary, film previews, an AA (Alcoholics Anonymous) demonstration and a presentation on sexual dysfunction in alcoholics.

Dr. Fred B. Dickman, USF assistant professor of rehabilitation counseling who originated two courses in applied substance abuse at USF this spring, will teach the second week of the credit course for about 60 professionals. Included will be morning classes on how to counsel substance abusers, afternoon practicums working with patients and workers at 15 area centers of primary and secondary substance abuse care, and evening discussions and evaluations.

Among the numerous experts who will be lecturing, serving on panels or conducting workshops during the school's first week are: James C. Adkins, Jr., chief justice, Supreme Court; Dr. James A. Afford, M.D., chief, and George S. Clark, assistant chief, BAR; Dr. Mansell Patterson, M.D., deputy director, training, consultation and education, Orange County, Calif.; Dr. Ronald Catanzaro, M.D., director, Palm Beach Institute; Col. Eldridge Beach, chief, Florida Highway Patrol; Charles Harris, president, Florida A.F.L.C.I.O.; John King, county court judge, Orange County; Don Kelrm, chief, Bureau of Drivers License, Karl W. Baldwin, state D.M.I. school coordinator, as well as many other representatives of BAR, the Division of Mental Health, and other agencies.

USF Plays Part in Film on Red Tide

"The Day-the Tide Turned Red," a new Department of the Navy film, features red tide research at USF as conducted by Dr. Dean F. Martin, professor of chemistry. It was partially filmed on the USF campus earlier this year and is sponsored by the Office of the Oceanographer of the Navy and the Office of Naval Research. A copy of the film, which documents red tide research in the U.S., is available for showing to interested groups through Educational Resources film department, ext. 2341.

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