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Limited Admission Deferral Procedures Started

USF this week began deferring admission of junior and community college and other transfer students who have completed less than 90 quarter or 60 semester hours of study.

Admissions Director Robert Levitt said the action was taken to help meet BOR requirements to hold 1976-77 enrollment levels at 90 percent of 1975-76 levels.

The BOR ordered deferral of some students seeking admission to the state universities until the Legislature decides on its 1976-77 appropriations.

Levitt said students who have not reached upper-division status should continue at their current institutions or at another junior or community college.

Utility Rates Expected to Fall

Due to Lower Lighting Levels

A significant reduction in utility rates is expected to result from the plan to reduce the current level of lighting in classrooms and offices wherever possible.

"In all cases where lighting is reduced," said Ken Thompson, vice president for administration, "it will be left at a brightness level which exceeds the State's specification."

The Safety Office recently determined that most, if not all, on-campus facilities are lighted well in excess of the General Services Administration standards for various types of lighting.

Lighting on the Tampa Campus alone is estimated to cost approximately $600,000 per year, but should be much lower because of this program, according to Thompson.

University Officials Interviewed

For Higher Education Documentary

A variety of SUS and University officials were interviewed for a WFLA-TV documentary on State University System entitled, "Higher Education: Can We Afford It?". The half-hour program will be aired over WFLA, Channel 8 Jan. 24 at 7 p.m.

The camera crew traveled around the state to get film and interviews with a number of officials including Chancellor E.T. York, Regent Marshall Harris, USF President Cecil Mackey, Chemistry Professor Jesse Binford, Jr. and Electrical Engineering Professor Glenn Burdick.

The documentary will be re-broadcast over WUSF-TV at a later date yet to be determined.

"USF Today" Hosts Drs. Allen, Dean

John S. Allen, the University's first President, and Harris W. Dean, Acting President following Dr. Allen's retirement, will reminisce about USF's early years on the January "USF Today" program.

The half-hour magazine-format public affairs program can be seen over WUSF-TV on Jan. 24 at 9:30 p.m.

Also featured on the show will be the newly elected Alumni Association President Don Gifford and the Campus Information Center (CIC).
Soviet Pianist to Perform
In Bayfront Center on Jan. 26

Soviet pianist Lazar Berman, on his first American tour, will perform at St. Petersburg’s Bayfront Center Jan. 26 under the auspices of the Florida Center for the Arts.

Ticket information is available from the USF Theatre Box Office, ext. 2323, between 1:15-4 p.m. weekdays.

Nominations Sought for Distinguished Teacher and Scholars Awards

Nominations are now being sought for the Distinguished Teacher and Distinguished Scholar awards which are presented annually at USF’s June commencement.

The Distinguished Teacher Award will be given for outstanding quality and effectiveness in teaching within any discipline of the University. Nominations should include assessments of the nominee’s effect on both current and previous students. The Distinguished Scholar Award will be given for creative scholarly achievement within any discipline. Nominations should include: a comprehensive curriculum vitae, a list of scholarly publications, and assessments of the nominee’s standing in the scholarly community by recognized authorities.

Nominations for each award must be submitted to the Dean of the College in which the candidate is connected in time for the Dean to submit the nominations to the Honors and Awards Council by Mar. 1.

Guidelines for submitting nominations have been sent to each Dean and Department Chairperson. Additional copies are available from S.J. Garrett, ext. 2581.

Welcome Newcomers

INTERCOM wishes a sincere welcome to the following new employees whose names have been furnished by Personnel Services.

R.R. Pascal, assoc. prof., pathology; M.E. Randolph, staff asst., admin., Sarasota; A. Saenz, psychiatty; C.A. Schneider, sec.; W. Walton III, cust. worker; F.W. Westfall, groundskeeper, golf course; J.C. Wilkes, lab tech.; V.G. Brown, sec.; C.D. Cantrell, teller, fin. & acc.; J.L. Davis, crafts instr., U.C.


*Announcements

*Vacant Positions at USF:

**Staff**
- Clerk II (1-30-76, pub. safety/traffic), $5575
- Account Clerk II (1-30-76, fin.& acc.), $6494
- TV Producer Dir. (2-6-76, ed. res.), $10,899
- Lab. Tech. I (1-30-76, nat. sci.), $6348
- Television Studio Supr. (1-30-76, ed. res.), $7726
- Custodial Worker, $5199
- Require testing. No position listed above may be filled before INTERCOM’s printing schedule; positions re-advertised may have been filled by the date of this issue. Interested persons should contact Personnel Services, FAO 011 (974-2530), or “Job Line” (974-2879) for the latest information.

Vacant positions of all state universities are posted weekly at locations throughout the campus, and Co-op and Placement Office. The deadline for submitting USF vacancies to Personnel Services is noon Wednesday. The University of South Florida is an affirmative action Equal Opportunity Employer.

*Vacant Positions in the Medical Center:

**Staff**
- Lab. Tech. II (1-30-76), $8666
- Lab. Tech. II (1-30-76, part-time, 50%-2), $4344
- Research Asst. (1-30-76), $10,899
- Clerk Typist II (1-2-76), $5826
- Sec. IV (1-30-76), $7517
- Interested persons should contact the Medical Center, Personnel Office, 974-2576.

*A seminar on collective bargaining of particular interest to women is being held today and tomorrow at the Travelodge on Fowler Ave. Further information is available from Amy Sparks, ext. 2431.

*The USF Credit Union will not be issuing 7% certificate of investments after June 30, 1976.

*Consumer Education Program - The Office of Education has announced Mar. 8, 1976, as the deadline for receipt of proposals for the FY76 Consumer Education Program. The purpose of this program is to prepare consumers for participation in the marketplace by imparting the understandings, attitudes, and skills which will enable persons to make rational and intelligent consumer decisions in the light of their personal values, their recognition of marketplace alternatives, and social, economic, and ecological considerations. The program has three priority areas: 1) Model community education projects in consumers’ education which have the potential of serving all age groups within the community or committees; 2) Short-term pre-service and in-service training for teachers and other educational and non-educational personnel at the elementary and secondary levels; 3) The development of programs, curricula, or materials designed to provide consumers’ education to groups of persons with special educational needs in the area of consumers’ education. Copies of the rules, guidelines, and application forms are available in the Division of Sponsored Research - LET 107.

*Parking for staff and students has been discontinued in the lot south of the Old Library (Parking Lot #7). The general contractor is renovating the facility and must accept deliveries and equipment in that area.

*Through the cooperation of the College of Business, accounting dept., faculty and students, the Personnel Office has coordinated the 1976 Income Tax Assistance Program for all staff and students whose 1975 income did not exceed $12,000. This service will be available by appointment through Mar. 12. Appointments may be made by calling Personnel Training, ext. 2438.
Energy Conservation Talk, Today

Two USF engineering professors, Dr. Harvey Bierbaum and Dr. Roger Crane, will speak on "Energy Conservation: An Assessment of Systems, Technologies and Requirements," today at 2 p.m. in the Engineering Auditorium.

Sponsored by the USF Student Chapters of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers, the talk will feature both a lecture and slide presentation. Faculty and staff members are invited.

Workmens Compensation "Hot Line" Set Up By Department of Commerce

A toll-free number has been installed by the Florida Department of Commerce Bureau of Workmen's Compensation to answer Floridians' questions about workmen's compensation.

The number is 1-800-342-9278 and will operate from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays.