Ronald A. Feldman, WU professor of social work, has been awarded a 17-month, $180,000 grant from the National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) to establish a Center for Adolescent Mental Health at the George Warren Brown School of Social Work, beginning January 1983.

The center's primary responsibility will be to gather research-based information on adolescent mental health and disseminate the information to policy makers, practitioners, legislators and the general public, according to Feldman.

"To my knowledge, there is no organization in this country that is charged with pulling together, synthesizing and distributing the latest research information on adolescent mental health," Feldman said. The center will be co-directed by Arlene Stiffman, research director of the Washington University-based Group Activities for Individual Needs (GAIN) Program, an NIMH preventive mental health program for children who are vulnerable to mental illness because of family or social problems.

The new center's program is still being planned. Feldman said, but it is expected to include competitions for research papers, publication of an annual volume on recent research, the writing of children's books, a report series for legislators, summaries of books and articles on adolescent mental health.

Juvenile fiction will be written and prepared to aid adolescents with problems with substance abuse, suicide within the family, divorce and separation, peers and sexuality. The books will be written by social work graduate students, faculty members and practitioners.

The twice-yearly competition for research papers will be judged by Feldman, Stiffman and a committee. Winning contributors will receive monetary awards, and their articles will be printed in the Center's annual volume, along with other papers and articles on adolescent mental health.

Lecture series established in mathematics

The first named lecture series in the Department of Mathematics—the William H. Roever Lectures in Geometry—will be held Jan. 10-14. John Milnor, professor of mathematics at the Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, N.J., will speak during the series on infinite dimensional lie groups. All sessions will be at 4 p.m. in 101 Lopata.

The lectures are being funded by William A. and Frederick H. Roever in memory of their father, who specialized in the study of descriptive geometry. William H. Roever graduated from WU in 1897 with a BS in mechanical engineering. He taught astronomy here for two years before studying at Harvard University, where he earned an MA and a PhD. He returned to WU in 1908 as an assistant professor of mathematics, and in 1932 he became chairman of the Department of Mathematics and Astronomy. He retired as professor emeritus in 1944, but continued to teach until his death in 1951 at age 76.

Both his sons and their wives, William A. and Myrtle (Oliver) Roever of Houston, Tex., and Frederick H. and Katherine (Larrabee) Roever of St. Louis, also graduated from WU. The former son worked for many years for Draper Industries, a Houston firm that manufactures compressors and pipeline equipment, and the latter spent most of his career in engineering personnel administration at McDonnell Douglas Corp. Both are now retired.

Milnor, this year's speaker, was professor of mathematics at Princeton University and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology before joining the Institute for Advanced Study in 1970. He received the Field Medal, the highest international award in mathematics, in 1962, and the National Medal of Science in 1966. He also is a member of the National Academy of Sciences.

Julian Bond speaks Dec. 16

Georgia state senator and prominent civil rights activist Julian Bond will speak at 2 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 16, at Graham Chapel. A reception will follow in the Anne Whitney Olin Women's Building Lounge.

Bond will speak on "Is the Civil Rights Movement Dead? A Blueprint for Survival in the 80s."

The lecture is sponsored by the WU Black Studies Program, the Vaughan Cultural Center and the Missouri Committee for the Humanities, Inc.

An exhibition of the work of 13 photographers associated with the civil rights movement, titled "We'll Never Turn Back," will be on view through Dec. 31 at the Vaughan Center, 1408 North Kingshighway. The exhibition of 130 photographs is touring the country for two years and is circulated by the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service.
Raymond L. Williams (center), assistant professor of Spanish, organized the first WU Summer Language Institute in Medellin, Colombia, last May and most of June. He and two of the dozen students of Spanish who made the trip, Stephanie Hedstrom (left) and Lisa Kalmans, reviewed their trip recently using a large atlas.

Hasta la vista!
Campus Notes

John W. Bennett, professor of anthropology, spent two weeks in November in Indonesia consulting with the United Nations Development Program (UNDP) on environmental problems. The UNDP and the Ford Foundation are financing environmental research centers at a number of Indonesian universities, designed to assess the impact of agricultural and resource development programs on the physical and human environment. This program is tied to a new state ministry, the Ministry of Development and Environmental Supervision, so that Indonesia will eventually have a combined university-government program of monitoring environmental effects. Bennett will retain a connection with this program and will probably return to Indonesia in winter or spring of 1983.

Pianist Seth Carlin, associate professor of music, has been invited to participate in the Marlboro Festival, Marlboro, Vt., for seven weeks next summer. The festival is directed by Rudolf Serkin.

William Gass, David May Distinguished University Professor in Humanities and professor of philosophy, attended the Conference on Contemporary American Writing in Graz, Austria, and lectured at various universities in Egypt last month. While abroad he spoke at four institutions in Cairo (Ain Shams University, the University of Cairo, American University and the Cairo American Center). He also lectured at the University of Alexandria, and Mansoura University in Mansoura. His Egyptian tour was sponsored by the U.S. Information Agency, U.S. Department of State.

Earlier this month, he read from his literary works at the Washington Square Gallery in New York in connection with an art exhibition by Marlaina Deppe of Manhattan, who was "inspired" by his book, On Being Blue. His itinerary for the rest of December includes a meeting in Washington, D.C., of the Literature Panel, which he chairs for the National Endowment for the Arts, and a symposium, "On the Idea of the City in Contemporary Literature," at the annual meeting of the Modern Language Association in Baltimore.

Janet Kevrich, a placement officer for Engineering Student Services, has been appointed to serve on the college's advisory committee of the Midwest College Placement Association during the 1982-83 academic year. The association's members include college and university placement counselors and employer members from business and government.

Diana Lee, assistant professor of drama, is serving as assistant director of the Repertory Theatre of St. Louis production of A Christmas Tapestry at the Loretto Hilton Center. The Rep's holiday offering, composed of several fables by Chekhov and directed by Jan Eliazeberg, associate director of the Rep, runs through Dec. 31.

Peter Marcus, professor and chairman of the Two-Dimensional Department, and Dan Gualdoni, art-museum director, WU School of Fine Arts, received kudos in a recent article, "Contract Lithography — A Renaissance in Printing," written by Michael G. Rubin, St. Louis art critic and commentator, published in AN, the artists' newsletter. The publication issued a supplement on "Prints and Printmaking."

Philip A. Osdoby, assistant professor of anatomy and biomedical science at the School of Dental Medicine, has been awarded a three-year, $70,000 grant from the Arthritis Foundation. Osdoby is studying bone development at the cellular level.

Michel Rybalka, professor of French, spoke on the "French New Novel" at a New York University colloquium recently, and published an account of this meeting's proceedings in the French newspaper, Le Monde, on Oct. 22.

George D. Selfridge, dean of the School of Dental Medicine, will travel to Indonesia for two weeks beginning Jan. 11 to consult with the Indonesian government on the potential for developing graduate dental programs there. Such programs would be established in cooperation with dental schools in the United States or the U.S. Armed Forces.

Herbert Spiegelpberg, professor emeritus of philosophy, will give a presentation at a meeting of the American Philosophical Association/Eastern Division in Baltimore on Dec. 29. He will discuss his thoughts, as well as those of Bertrand Russell and Albert Schweitzer, on civil disobedience. Spiegelpberg was honored recently by the Society for Phenomenology and Existential Philosophy on the occasion of the publication of the third revised edition of his book, The Phenomenological Movement, by Martinus Nijhoff, The Hague.

Donald West, a janitor with Clean-Tech, sweeps the broken glass of a Shepley Hall picture window, one of six in that building and one in Eliot Hall that shattered as a result of gale-force winds Dec. 9. The March-like storm blew-off small sections of the roofs of several campus buildings, caused flooding of the lower levels of offices and dashed to the ground large tree limbs.

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based on current research.

The center will also prepare reports for legislators either in a regional area — Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and Missouri — or for state legislatures across the U.S. Feldman said the series will not advocate specific programs or legislation, but will serve as a source of scientifically based research that legislators may use in their decision making.

Feldman also hopes to hold a national symposium in St. Louis next fall or spring 1984 on research advances in adolescent mental health.

Southwest Baptist graduate to help coach Lady Bears

Scott Ebersold has been named assistant women's basketball coach at WU, it was announced by John Schael, director of sports and recreation. Ebersold received a BS in physical education from Southwest Baptist University in 1982. During his last two years at Southwes Baptist, Ebersold was a student-assistant coach for the women's cage team.

Son creates scholarship in honor of his father, former Ralston president

Denis J. O'Brien, a 1967 alumnus of WU's School of Law and a native of St. Louis, has established a $40,000 scholarship at the School of Law in honor of his father, Albert J. O'Brien, former president and chairman of the board of Ralston Purina Co., St. Louis. Albert J. O'Brien earned a BA from WU in 1935 and an MA in 1940.

Denis J. O'Brien is chairman of EuroAtlantic Group of Companies, London, Los Angeles and Guernsey, Channel Islands, U.K., a financial and legal consulting company. He is also co-founder and chairman of Handmade Films of London, which financed, produced and distributed films such as "Money Python's Life of Brian," "Time Bandits," and "The Missionary."

The Albert J. O'Brien Scholarship is part of the law school's Scholars in Law Program. The program develops named endowments and term scholarships that recognize achievements and support of alumni and friends of the school.
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Dec. 16-Jan. 22

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2 p.m. Black Studies Program Lecture, "Is the Civil Rights Movement Dead? A Blueprint for Survival in the 80s," Julian Bond, Georgia state senator.

Friday, Dec. 17

Saturday, Dec. 18
9 a.m. Neural Sciences Seminar, "Techniques of Disease Diagnosis in Filipino Tribal Societies and Modern Western Medicine," Kenneth Payne, WU visiting asst. prof. of anthropology.

Wednesday, Dec. 22


Friday, Jan. 7

6 and 8:30 p.m. WU Association Travel Film Lecture, "Discover Portugal," Philip Walker, former announcer, writer and director with NBC. Graham Chapel.

Monday, Jan. 10

4 p.m. William H. Rorther Lectures in Geometry, "Infinite Dimensional Lie Groups," John Milnor, prof. of math, Inst. for Advanced Study, Princeton, N.J. 101 Lopata. (Also Jan. 11, 12, 13 and 14, same time, same room.)

Tuesday, Jan. 11


Wednesday, Jan. 19

11 a.m. Assembly Series Lecture, with Murray Weidenbaum, Edward Mallickkorsing University Professor. Sponsored by the Student Speakers Committee. Graham Chapel.

Thursday, Jan. 20


4 p.m. Department of Anthropology Lecture, "Techniques of Disease Diagnosis in Filipinos," Kenneth Payne, WU visiting prof. of anthropology. 101 Lopata.

Friday, Jan. 21

1 p.m. "The Faculty Show." Works in all media by WU faculty artists. Through Jan. 9. Upper Gallery, Gallery of Art, Stritling Hall. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays; 1-5 weekends.

4 p.m. "Speaking a New Classicism: American Architecture Now." Projects by 20 prominent American architectural firms depicted in 133 models, drawings and photographs. Through Dec. 19. Lower Gallery, Gallery of Art. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays; 1-5 p.m. weekends.

4 p.m. "The Art of the Portrait." Paintings, sculptures and prints from the University collection demonstrate the variety and appeal of the portrait. Through Jan. 9. Print Gallery, Gallery of Art. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays; 1-5 p.m. weekends.

4 p.m. "Infinite Dimensional Lie Groups," John Milnor, prof. of math, Inst. for Advanced Study, Princeton, N.J. 101 Lopata. (Also Jan. 11, 12, 13 and 14, same time, same room.)

4 p.m. "Modern Architecture in St. Louis." Featuring the work of 13 prominent St. Louis architectural firms. Through Dec. 19. Lower Gallery, Gallery of Art. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays; 1-5 p.m. weekends.


Films

Friday, Dec. 17

7:30 p.m. WU Filmboard Double Feature, "Busch Candy and the Sundance Kid" and "The Sting" (1973 p.m.) Brown Hall Aud. $2. (Also Sat., Dec. 18 and Sun., Dec. 19, same time, Brown.)

Saturday, Jan. 15

7:30 p.m. WU Filmboard Double Feature, "Busch Candy and the Sundance Kid" and "The Sting" (1973 p.m.) Brown Hall Aud. $2. (Also Sat., Dec. 18 and Sun., Dec. 19, same time, Brown.)

Sports

Saturday, Jan. 15

7:30 p.m. Women's Basketball, WU vs. Greensville College. Francis Gym.

Tuesday, Jan. 18

7:30 p.m. Women's Basketball, WU vs. Principia College. Francis Gym.

Wednesday, Jan. 19

7:30 p.m. Men's Basketball, WU vs. Concordia Seminary. Gen. admission, $2; other students, $1; WU students free. Francis Gym.

Thursday, Jan. 20

7 p.m. Wrestling, WU vs. MacMurray College. Francis Gym.

Saturday, Jan. 22

7:30 p.m. Men's Basketball, WU vs. Illinois College. Gen. admission, $2; other students, $1; WU students free. Francis Gym.

Calendar Deadline

The deadline to submit items for the Jan. 20-25 calendar of the WU Record is Jan. 6. Items must be typed and state time, date, place, nature of event, sponsor and admission cost. Incomplete items will not be printed. If available, include speaker name and identification and the title of the event. Those submitting items, please include your name and telephone number. Address items to King McEltoy, calendar editor, Box 1142.

Performing Arts

Thursday, Dec. 16

8 p.m. WU and Opera Theatre of St. Louis present "The Pirates of Penzance," Gilbert & Sullivan's nautical opera. Edison Theatre. Tickets are $18 matinees with each full-price ticket. WU students admitted half-price Thursday, Dec. 16. Tickets available at Edison Theatre box office, 889-6545. (Also Dec. 17, 18, 21-23, 26, 28, 29, Matinees at 2 p.m. on Dec. 18, 19, 26. Jan. 1 and 2. Edison.)

Saturday dance classes for children ages 6 and 7, 8-12, and 13-18 will be held Jan. 22-23. The classes, sponsored by WU's Performing Arts Center Dance Division, will cost $35 per student. Parents who have a second child may enroll both for $55. For more information, call 889-5388.

Former teacher in Egypt to head international English programs

Patricia A. Eldadah has been named English Programs Coordinator for the International Office. Eldadah has served as acting coordinator of the English as a Second Language Program at WU since August 1982.

Before coming to WU, Eldadah taught English at the American Cultural Center at Alexandria, Egypt, and at the American University in Cairo. She also served as a principal at Bethelham Elementary School in Addis Ababa in Ethiopia for four years. She began her teaching career at DeAndrei High School in St. Louis.

Eldadah earned a BA in English and home economics from Webster College and an MA in teaching English as a foreign language from American University, Cairo.

New Kaleidoscope features freshman writing, 1981-82

Students whose work has been collected in the latest issue of Kaleidoscope: A Journal of Freshman Writing, were honored Dec. 8 with a reception sponsored by the Department of English. This issue, the fourth one published by the department, contains the best freshman writing of the 1981-1982 academic year.

The authors are: Michelle Barron, Sanford Boxerman, Michael Donnelly, John Fang, Laura C. Knowlton, Henry Sobel and Ann Stertch. Copies of Kaleidoscope are available at the English Department office, room 118, Dunker Hall.

Philip Walker

Murray Weidenbaum

Sunday, Dec. 16