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New director of Public Policy Center appointed

By ROBERT BATTISTON

Chancellor Mark S. Wrighton has announced the appointment of a new director of the Center for the Study of American Business at Washington University in St. Louis and a new name for the Center.

Steven S. Smith, currently the Distinguished McKnight University Professor of Political Science and Law at the University of Minnesota, will assume the top administrative position at the University's public policy center on Jan. 1, 2001. On the same day, the Center will be renamed the Murray Weidenbaum Center on the Economy, Government and Public Policy, in honor of its founder and director, Murray Weidenbaum.

Smith also has been named the Kate M. Greggs Professor of Social Sciences at the University and will join the Department of Political Science in Arts & Sciences.

"Professor Smith joins us with rich experiences and many accomplishments that make him the ideal leader for the Weidenbaum Center," said Chancellor Wrighton. "He will be a great addition to our faculty in Arts & Sciences and continue to build the impact of our Weidenbaum Center."

Weidenbaum founded the Center in the Study of American Business at the University in 1975. For most of the past 23 years, he led the Center as director and chairman of its mission of producing scholarly research on issues affecting the American business system. The Center was originally funded by a grant from the John M. Olin Foundation and continues to be entirely self-funded with donations from foundations, corporations and individuals.

In 1981 and 1982, Weidenbaum was President Ronald Reagan's first chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers. He helped formulate the economic policy of the Reagan Administration and was a key spokesman for the Administration on economic and financial issues. From 1983-89, he was a member of the President's Economic Policy Advisory Board.

Earlier, Weidenbaum was the first Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Economic Policy. He also served as Corporate Economist at the Boeing Company and has been a member of the boards of directors of several major companies. He has been a faculty member at the University since 1964 and was Chairman of the Economics Department from 1966 to 1969. He continues to serve as a Malcolm Pirnie Distinguished University Professor. The author of eight books, including six editions of "Business and Government in the Global Marketplace," Weidenbaum has written numerous articles in publications ranging from the American Economic Review to the Wall Street Journal. He received the National Order of Merit from France in recognition of his contributions to foreign policy. In 1999, Weidenbaum was elected chairman of the Congressional Trade Deficit Review Commission. Weidenbaum will continue his writing and research at the Center following his return from a one-year sabbatical.

"In naming the Center in honor of Professor Murray Weidenbaum we pay tribute to his exceptional leadership and distinguished contributions as an economist, faculty member and public servant," said Chancellor Wrighton. "His contributions will be enduring, and naming the Center in his honor will be inspiring to future generations of people associated with the University.

Smith appointed Kate M. Gregg Professor of Social Sciences

By GERRE EVENING

Steven S. Smith, currently the Distinguished McKnight University Professor of Political Science at the University of Minnesota, will join the Washington University faculty in January as the first Kate M. Gregg Professor of Social Sciences in Arts & Sciences.

A prolific writer known for his important research in legislative politics and public policy, Smith also has a strong reputation for innovative teaching methods. "Smith has an excellent reputation as a teacher of both undergraduates and graduate students, and several of his graduate students have gone on to make important contributions to political science," said Edward S. Macias, Ph.D., executive vice chancellor and dean of Arts & Sciences, "At the University of Minnesota, Smith plans to expand opportunities for students and to encourage them to use the Internet, and he has developed a prototype software for social science research methods instruction in a virtual laboratory environment."

Smith also becomes the director of the Murray Weidenbaum Center on the Economy, Government and Public Policy, formerly known as the Center for the Study of American Business at Washington University. For those undergraduates entering joint research projects at Minnesota, Smith plans to expand opportunities for students and faculty here to become more involved in Center research.

Smith earned a bachelor's degree in 1975 from St. Cloud State University and a doctorate in 1980 from the University of Minnesota.

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Paulson installed as William Gardner Hammond Professor of Law

By ANN NICHOLSON

Stanley L. Paulson, J.D., Ph.D., professor of law and of philosophy, was installed as the inaugural William Gardner Hammond Professor of Law on Nov. 20.

"This new chair provides a wonderful opportunity to recognize not only the outstanding contributions of a member of the law faculty, Stanley Paulson, but also to pay tribute to such an important person in the history of the law school, William Gardner Hammond," Chancellor Mark S. Wrighton said. "Dean Hammond's precedent-setting scholarly approach to legal education provides an appropriate basis for celebrating the achievements of Professor Paulson who has earned extraordinary distinction in the field of legal philosophy."

"Stanley Paulson is truly one of the world's great figures in comparative jurisprudence and is widely recognized as the authority on the work of legal philosopher Hans Kelsen," said Joel Seligman, J.D., law school dean and the Ethan A.H. Shepley University Professor. "I can think of no one more deserving of this new chaired professorship, which along with the inauguration of our Institute for Global Legal Studies, is helping us to celebrate the school's increasing commitment to international and comparative legal studies."

Paulson is an internationally recognized scholar in legal philosophy. His work has centered primarily on Hans Kelsen (1881-1973), considered to be the 20th century's leading legal philosopher. In addition to extensive work on Kelsen's legal philosophy, Paulson's research has focused on Kelsen's role as framers of the Austrian Constitution of 1930 and architect of constitutional review in Europe.

Paulson has frequently taught and conducted research in Europe. Among many honors and distinctions, he has been a Fulbright lecturer at the University of Vienna and later at the University of Göttingen, and an Alexander von Humboldt Fellow.

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United Way drive exceeds goal

By Neil Schoenbucher

Thanks to the generosity of the Washington University community, the United Way has not only met its 2000 goal; it has far exceeded it.

The goal this year was $425,000. As of Nov. 28, the University faculty and staff raised more than $450,000 for the Greater St. Louis United Way.

The myriad of fundraising activities included a carnival, barbeque lunch, and raffles. One employee even donated 25,000 personal airline flight miles to be auctioned.

"We are extremely grateful to everyone who participated in our Volunteer United Way campaign and helped us surpass our goal," said Chancellor Mark S. Wrighton. "I have come to know and appreciate the wide range of services the United Way provides in the St. Louis community. I am allowed to say that Washington University contributed in a very important role of a supporter of such a worthy cause."

More than 160 local and business services organizations in Illinois and Missouri benefit from contributions to the United Way of Greater St. Louis. In fact, one in three people in the St. Louis area has been helped by United Way funded agencies—through job training, family-counseling, daycare services, the YMCA, the American Cancer Society, the American Heart Association and other programs.

"One of the keys to this campaign is that more than 90 percent of every dollar donated goes directly to United Way-supported organizations," said Ann Prenatt, executive director of human resources and executive chair for the 2000 United Way campaign. "The administrative costs are extremely low."

Prenatt said the hard work of the campaign co-chairs and volunteers did not go unnoticed. "We truly appreciate everyone who helped to make this year's campaign a great success. People worked diligently and creatively to bring awareness to the United Way and we are very grateful for their time and energy."

All the contributions and pledges made during the 2000 United Way campaign will go directly to the fund on Jan. 1, 2001. "If you are still planning on contributing, please do so," said Prenatt. "We继续 to receive all pledge cards."

Filmmaker Burns to present a screening

By Barbara Rea

Acclaimed filmmaker Ken Burns will show a screening of his new documentary on the history of jazz on Thursday, Dec. 7 at Washington University.

The screening will be accompanied by remarks by Burns and Gerald L. Early, Merle Kling Professor of Modern Letters and professor of English and African-American studies in Arts & Sciences, who is interviewed in the film. The event, which will be held in Gampel Chapel at 7 p.m., is free and open to the public; doors will open at 6:30 p.m.

"It's an enlightened and co-produced by Burns. The 10-part series tells the history of jazz from its inception, from the turn of the 20th century in New Orleans to the blues and black, whites, the music and an international audience.

"No music tells the story of a diverse American better than jazz," said Early. "The roots are African. American but everyone from Jews to cowboys, from the black to the white, from the tenuous to the religiously observed, have played an important role in its development and dissemination. It was America's great dance music and it has now become America's great art music."

Early also served as a consultant and contributed an essay on the subject of white jazz musicians to the companion book, "Jazz: An Illustrated History.

Burns is one of the most acclaimed chroniclers of the American experience. Best known for the award-winning, multiple-Emmy-winning, "Baseball" and "The Civil War" films, aired on PBS, Burns first received national attention with the 1981 Oscar-winning documentary film, "Brooklyn Bridge."


The 1990s brought another long string of hits, including "The West" (1996), "Thomas Jefferson" (1997) and "Baseball: America's Game."

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Actor Christopher Reeve McDonald and visits medical school

By Gila Reckess

John W. McDonald III, M.D., Ph.D., professor and director of the Spinal Cord Injury Program, and of neurological surgery, and Reeve answer questions from the faculty, staff and students in Steinberg Amphitheater. Reeve was in attendance at the event, which was a brown-bag lunch. The RUFN serves as a forum for issues concerning research track faculty and provides guidance to the faculty council's executive committee and to the faculty retreat implementation task force.

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**University Events**

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Worship

**Tuesday, Dec. 12**
8 p.m. **WU Choire consort, Eric Anthoine**
632 forth St. Bldg. 935-9191.

8 p.m. **Advent celebration. Find Us Ready?** $3.33 for students.
Chapel. 935-9191.

**Wednesday, Dec. 13**
11 a.m. **Interfaith prayer for peace.**
Sponsored by the Catholic, Jewish, and Protestant student groups.
Chapel. 935-9191.

5 p.m. **Dinner dinner. Catholic student**
Center 632 forth St. Bldg. 935-9191.

**Saturday, Dec. 2**
8 p.m. **Men’s Basketball**
vs. Webster — Webster University.
Chapel. 935-9191.

6 p.m. **Women’s Basketball**
vs. University of St. Thomas — University Athletic Complex.
935-9191.

6 p.m. **Choral Music and Student**
Programs — Webster University.
Chapel. 935-9191.

6 p.m. **Continuing Medical Education**
seminar — *Practical Management of Congestive Heart Failure.
Center. 935-9191.

**Saturday, Dec. 9**
8 p.m. **and Sunday, Dec. 10**
**Advent celebration.**
Chapel. 935-9191.

8 p.m. **Concert — Messiah**
42, 79-37, just over five minutes
led by 17 at the half, 47-30, and
headed a few hours west to Fulton,
past week. The Red and Green
gained momentum as the Bears
returned home
after struggling in the second half
and in the first. The Bears faced
their second consecutive home game,
with both victories.

The Bears return to action
on Tuesday, Dec. 5,
and will be available for purchase
at the Campus bookstore.

Talking shop
Adrienne Franz, who won a Tony Award for her portrayal of Linda Loman in the
Broadway revival of Arthur Miller’s “Death of a Salesman,” discussed her work, professional
life and new interest in writing with students from the Performing Arts Department in Arts &
Sciences last week. Franz was in St. Louis as part of the show’s current national tour.

Sports Section

**The Bears continue to dominate on the basketball court. The Washington University women’s basketball team kept its winning streak alive.**

By LAFAY LOMEN

Since its founding in 1990, the Chamber Choir of Washington University — under the direction of John Steinert, director of vocal activities in the Department of Music in Arts & Sciences — has developed an extensive repertoire that ranges from intricate multi-part songs to large-scale choral works.

Now, for the first time, highlights from that repertoire will be available for purchase on compact disc. "The Chamber Choir of Washington University; The \*Ten Years\*" collects 14 mostly a cappella pieces that run the gamut from Antonin Dvořák’s "Our Nature’s Realm, op. 63" to "3 Froles for eccle." Women’s Basketball vs. Johns Hopkins — Athletic Complex. 935-5220.

Both concerts are free and open to the public. More information can be found at (314) 935-5941.

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at the Free University of Berlin and also at Muenster and Goettingen universities. He was a research fellow at the Max Planck Institute for Foreign Public Law and Public International Law in Heidelberg. He has served as Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft Guest Professor in Muenster and Goettingen. He teaches a short course at the Federal Academy of Public Administration in Vienna each year, and he serves as international correspondent of the Hans Kelsen Institute, Vienna, appointed by the Austrian federal chancellor. Paulson earned a bachelor’s degree in 1964 at the University of Minnesota, a master’s degree in 1966 and a doctorate in 1968, both from the University of Wisconsin at Madison; and a juris doctorate in 1972 from Harvard University. Writing in English and German, he has published nearly 100 papers to date. He often works with his wife, Bonnie, whom he calls “my great sparring partner and research consultant.” The Paulsons’ second book, “Normativity and Norms. Critical Perspectives on Kelsenian Themes,” contains papers from 27 authors representing 12 countries. His current work-in-progress is a treatise on Kelsen’s theory from a juridico-philosophical perspective.

The chaired professorship is named in honor of Hammond, who in 1981, became the first full-time dean and professor of law at the St. Louis Law School, which later became the Washington University School of Law. Within the American Bar Association, he spearheaded the promotion of higher standards for legal education and admission to the bar. At the law school, Hammond greatly expanded the curriculum and stressed that legal education should go beyond preparation for the bar to focus on training students in “legal reasoning.”

An eminent scholar, Hammond’s published works include an edition of Sonders’ Institute of Jurisprudence (1876) with an elaborate introduction on the nature of law in general and on civil law; an edition of Francis Lieber’s Legal and Political Hermeneutics (1880); and a treatise on Kelsen’s theory (1890) containing notes on the history of common law.

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The Chair

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with the Center and its work.” Smith will also hold a new endowed chair in the political science department in the name of Kate M. Gregg, a generous benefactor to the College.

Smith plans a shift in the Washington University School of Business Center to a greater focus on the political process in public policy and an expanded association with University faculty research.

Employment

Use the World Wide Web to obtain complete job descriptions. Go to http://medicine.wustl.edu/wumshr (Medical).

Program Watch

University College will be holding a Roll Call on Dec. 6 to discuss degree programs. Other topics such as semesters, credits and financial aid will also be addressed. The event will be held in Brockings Hall, and is free to faculty and staff.

Campus Watch

The following incidents were reported to University Police Nov. 10. — Nov. 27. Readers with information that could assist in investigating these incidents are urged to call 935-6000. This release is provided as a public service to promote safety awareness and is available on the University Police Web site at http://uwpd.wustl.edu. For the current campus crime prevention bulletin, go to the center’s web site at http://wustl.edu/offices/cpsafety/facts.html.

November 10

11 a.m. — A student reported that her credit card information was used to charge $4,000 in merchandise.

November 18

3:13 p.m. — A student reported that his black laptop computer bag that contained a laptop computer, cell phone, and $2,190.00, from the Commerce Bank Lounge located in Simon Hall.

University Police also responded to an incident of theft, two reports of vandalism, four reports of vandalism and report of dispatching the peace.
Speaking of

Ronald S. Indeck, Ph.D., professor of electrical engineering, and Joseph A. O'Sullivan, Ph.D., professor of electrical engineering, attended the Fifth Perpendicular Magnetic Recording Conference 2000, held October 23-25, in Sendai, Japan. At one of the conference's invited sessions, they delivered a paper they co-wrote: "Signals, noise and perpendicular recording system performance." Engineering graduate student Andrew Gallian and Adjunct Professor, Nantes and Sejo University, Tokyo in the Balance.

Of note

Christopher I. Byrnes, Ph.D., and Florence G. Skinner, professor emeritus of Systems Science and Engineering, and Engineering dean, will be honored at the Department of Electrical Engineering's annual dinner and awards ceremony on Tuesday, December 19, in New York City. The dinner and awards ceremony is an opportunity for faculty, students, and alumni to come together and celebrate the achievements of our community.

David M. Holtzman, M.D., associate professor of Medicine in Neurology, has received the third presidential debate award from the St. Louis Federation of Medical Schools. The award recognizes outstanding students pursuing careers in dementia care and research.

Kenneth W. Chilton, Ph.D., the Henry Edwin Jones professor of engineering, and professor of Systems Science and Engineering, has been named a fellow of the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM). The world's first educational and scientific computing society, ACM has more than 80,000 professional members worldwide.

Jeffrey M. Gidday, Ph.D., associate professor of neurosurgery, has received a $900,000 award from the Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute of the National Institutes of Health for a research project titled "Episodic Hyponxia and Acute Cerebrovascular Inflammation." The study will investigate mediators and modulators of inflammation in the cerebral circulation in perinatal animals subjected to intermittent hypoxia as a model for assessment of prematurity and respiratory distress syndrome.

Student Life, the student newspaper of Washington University, recently was named a 2000 National Newspaper Pacemaker Finalist by the Associated Collegiate Press (ACP) and the Newspaper Association of America Foundation. The ACP/PACM journalism competition recognized outstanding students pursuing careers in journalism and communications.

Mark D. Levin, M.D., clinical instructor in emergency medicine at Washington University School of Medicine, has been selected for the position of medical director for the St. Louis Fire Department and Emergency Medical Services. He was also asked to be part of the medical response team and motorcade for Vice President Al Gore at the third presidential debate held at the University.

Ronald D. Matta, professor of occupational therapy received the Alzheimer's Disease Research Center Director's Awards of $500,000 to support their educational pursuits in Alzheimer's disease-cutting research.

Late Koenick, associate professor of German in Arts & Sciences, recently received the Aldo and Jeannie Scaglion Prize for studies in Germanic languages and literatures for his book "Walter Benjamin and the Aesthetics of Power." The prize, awarded by the Modern Language Association of America, consists of $1,000 and a certificate and is given biennially.

Tzuy-Jong Tarn, Andrew B., and Gretchen B. Jones professor of neurology and head of the department of neurology in the school of medicine recently received the Santiago Grissell Chair from the Fundación Museo de las Ciencias Príncipe Felipe in Valencia, Spain. As part of the award, Cho was able to present workshops on the subject of neurology.

Legal eagles

Missouri Supreme Court Judge Stephen N. Limbaugh, left, discusses strategies with the winning teams in the Case Western Reserve University’s National College Moot Court Competition at the School of Law in St. Louis. From left are second-place winners Ivan Poullaos and Adam VanGrack, both second-year students; and first-place winner Teresa Young a third-year student. Young’s teammates, Russell Riggins, also a third-year student, is not pictured. The two teams, who argued before a panel of Missouri Supreme Court judges in last month’s finals, will compete nationally in March.

Burns

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Alone: The Story of Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony (1999). "Baseball," broadcast in 1994, was the most-watched series in PBS history, "The Civil War," which aired in 1993, was the most-watched series in PBS history. Both series were highly successful and received numerous awards.

Merrifield to serve as director of community relations

Leah Merrifield has been appointed director of community relations for Washington University School of Medicine. Pamela S. Loken, director of governmental and community relations, will remain as the University’s primary liaison to the school’s associations and neighborhood organizations, be a resource for the University’s neighbors and coordinate the activities of the Washington University Neighbors’ Council. Merrifield, a recent graduate of the University’s School of Business, formerly held positions in community relations and program administration at a number of universities, most recently, Western Illinois University.

Merrifield: Liaison to the community

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Legal eagles

Missouri Supreme Court Judge Stephen N. Limbaugh, left, discusses strategies with the winning teams in the Case Western Reserve University’s National College Moot Court Competition at the School of Law in St. Louis. From left are second-place winners Ivan Poullaos and Adam VanGrack, both second-year students; and first-place winner Teresa Young a third-year student. Young’s teammates, Russell Riggins, also a third-year student, is not pictured. The two teams, who argued before a panel of Missouri Supreme Court judges in last month’s finals, will compete nationally in March.

Burns

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Alone: The Story of Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony (1999). "Baseball," broadcast in 1994, was the most-watched series in PBS history, "The Civil War," which aired in 1993, was the most-watched series in PBS history. Both series were highly successful and received numerous awards.

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Cheri Boeglin Casanova talks about her job as assistant to the chair of the psychology department in Arts & Sciences. She describes her role in managing the department's administrative tasks and supporting faculty. Casanova discusses her job responsibilities, including handling office work, making travel arrangements, and coordinating events. She also shares her daily routine, which includes managing multiple tasks and staying organized.

Cheri Boeglin Casanova has been with the department for nearly two decades and has served in various roles, including assistant to the chair. She is known for her organizational skills and ability to handle multiple demands simultaneously. She praises her colleagues for their support and notes the challenges of balancing work and family life.

Cheri Boeglin Casanova continues to keep the psychology department running smoothly with a balancing act.