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EMU HISTORY

Sandra Harris didn't set out to make history, just earn her doctorate. She accomplished both when she became EMU's first African American Ed.D. graduate. PAGE 3

HOOPLA

The men's basketball team will play their final regular-season game in Bowen Field House, Feb. 25, 7 p.m. Call 487-2282 for tickets.

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Stephanopoulos to make Pease appearance, Feb. 28

Former Clinton administration senior adviser George Stephanopoulos will address the Washtenaw County Economic Club Feb. 28, 6 p.m., at Pease Auditorium.

Stephanopoulos will be the first speaker in a series of four to address the club. Other scheduled speakers include "Today" Show weatherman Al Roker,

Olympic gold medalist Mary Lou Retton, and Dr. Beck Wethers, a mountain climber who wrote the best-seller "Into Thin Air."

Tickets for the events are only available through membership to the Washtenaw County Economic Club. For more information, call 482-4920.

The Washtenaw County Economic

Club is a collaboration between the Ypsilanti Area Chamber of Commerce, the Ann Arbor Chamber of Commerce and Eastern Michigan University. It was formed to bring newsmakers to the area.

"This presents a remarkable opportunity for collaboration between Eastern Michigan University and the Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor chambers of

commerce in our community," said Richard J. DeVries, the volunteer coordinator of the event. "It presents a unique and singular opportunity to broaden all our horizons as we sit at the feet of prominent national and international speakers."

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BOUND AND DETERMINED



ON RAMP: Raymond Sylvain uses the ramp at McKenny Union. There are 200 students registered with disability services at EMU.

University departments work together to make campus more accessible for disabled

By David Mitchell

It's easy, especially if you have your hands full of lunch or books, to just hit the button to open the automatic doors at McKenny Union.

But what some use for convenience, others use as a necessity.

"People do not even realize the barriers that stand in the way of our faculty, staff and students with disabilities," said Kay Sekerak, physical plant interior designer.

"There are 200 (people with disabilities) registered with our office and probably even more who aren't registered," said Bob Teehan, coordinator of disability services for EMU.

Marijo Cannaday, a graduate student in the gerontology program, knows firsthand the subtle obstacles of life in a wheelchair. Cannaday has Arthrogyriposis, a physical disorder which causes

limited movement in joints.

"I park in the Mark Jefferson lot because I can't reach the push button ticket dispenser to enter the McKenny lot," said Cannaday.

The battle to continually make Eastern Michigan University more accessible is ongoing. In 1991 the physical plant took proactive measures by initiating a six-month survey of each building on campus in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). The ADA is the law which

requires equal access to all buildings for people with disabilities.

"We conducted the survey to address special needs ranging from movement from parking lots into buildings, door knob heights and access to restrooms," said Sekerak.

WHO TO CALL

The Office of Student Disabilities is located at 210 Goodison Hall. For more information, call 487-2470

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Noted psychologist next in Spectrum series

Noted psychologist Carol Gilligan, the Harvard University professor and author who wrote a landmark book on women, will offer the next Spectrum Lecture Series event, Thursday, March 5, at 7 p.m. in Pease Auditorium. The event is free and open to the public.

Gilligan is just one of several nationally known speakers who will be participating in the Girls and Women in Conversation Conference at EMU, March 5-7. Gilligan, who wrote *In A Different Voice*, is noted for her work on how girls learn and for her exploration of women's psychological development.

Conference Coordinator Diane Smalley, a graduate student in EMU's women's studies program, said the conference will focus on quality of life issues for women and girls. "We're reaching out to embrace young minds with this," Smalley said. "As a school, Eastern is already approachable, but we will be doing even more of that good work."

On Friday, March 6, Deborah Prothrow-Stith and EMU's Valerie Polakow will be the guest speakers at the 12:30 p.m. conference luncheon at the Eagle Crest Conference Center. Prothrow-Stith is assistant dean of government and community programs at Harvard

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EMU looking for repeat in Custodial Olympics

The Johnny mop has been tossed down; the floor polishers are awaiting.

Custodial staffs at Washtenaw Community College and the University of Michigan have once again accepted Eastern Michigan University's challenge and will participate in the Second Annual Washtenaw Cup during the Custodial Olympics at EMU Feb. 26.

Set for 8 a.m. to noon in the third floor of the Rec/IM Building, three teams of 24 will ski on dust mops and toss high dusters (instead of javelins) during the popular and humorous event.

"This year we will mirror more of the Olympic games, but using materials from our daily work lives," said Melinda Ostrander, interim facilities manager.

Events are free and open to the public.

"The only thing we'll be missing are cheerleaders," Ostrander said, inviting the EMU community to come and fill the void.

EMU is the defending champion, fielding the first and second place teams in last year's battle for the Washtenaw Cup.

Eastern's alumni employees give new meaning to school spirit

By Ward Mullens

Chances are you come in contact with one about every day and probably aren't even aware.

They work in almost every part of the University, from administration to faculty and staff.

They are different ages, races and sexes. Some are quiet, yet proud of their connection, while others are very vocal about their ties.

And, until recently, they were one of the best unintentionally kept secrets on campus.

They are alumni of Eastern Michigan University who are employees of the University.

"Sometimes the best things are right in front of your eyes and you just look beyond it," said Vicki Reaume Mushisky, director of alumni relations and an EMU alumna.

There are at least 340 EMU faculty and staff members who work for their alma mater, Mushisky said. More than 140 showed up for a recent celebration in their honor. The event, which featured music, food and a chance to socialize, was sponsored by the Office of Alumni Relations.

"The event was a way to give back to employees. It was a way of showing



MEMORIES: Melody Reifel, registration, is one of about 340 Eastern Michigan alumni who are employed by their alma mater.

appreciation for their hard work and dedication," Mushisky said.

It was the first time in anyone's memory that alumni employees had been recognized as a group.

"This is a great idea and it only took us 149 years to come up with it," President William E. Shelton said with a laugh during the Jan. 29 event in the

McKenny Union Ballroom. "We should acknowledge people who make a difference every single day."

"It's something we've wanted to do for quite some time," Mushisky said. "It's by far one of the best events the alumni association has ever put on...by far!"

"I thought it was a wonderful event," said Doug Bentley, a marketing associate who graduated in 1996. "I was surprised there were that many people there."

Bentley said the thing that made the biggest impression on him about the gathering was the diversity of ages.

Theo Hamilton, a career development associate at the Career Services Center, is a prime example of the spectrum of alumni employees. Hamilton takes a fair amount of ribbing about the fact that he has been at the University longer (31 years) than just about everyone.

Technically speaking, Hamilton has earned degrees from Michigan State Normal College, Eastern Michigan College and Eastern Michigan University. Hamilton earned his bachelor's degree in music in 1955, a master's degree in 1962 and his specialist degree in 1967.

Hamilton said he enjoyed the oppor-

tunity to speak with other alumni employees and is looking forward to the next event.

But both Bentley and Hamilton cited similar reasons for wanting to make their alma mater their employer.

"Education is a noble mission," Bentley said. "What could be more important than learning?"

"As long as I stay around these kids, I'll stay young," said the 75-year-old Hamilton. "These kids challenge me, but they challenge me with respect."

Hamilton said he has turned down about 27 job offers in 31 years at Eastern.

"I love these kids and I can't imagine being anywhere else," said Hamilton.

Mushisky said the celebration has helped her office identify more alumni employees. She also said that alumni relations is hoping to establish an alumni chapter for employees. Attendees at the alumni employee celebration were given a free membership to the alumni association.

Plans are already in the works for the next alumni employee event, Mushisky said.

"With this spark, we hope that we will continue to move forward," Mushisky said.

EMU IN THE NEWS

EMU names blanket area media

Young-lob Chung, economics, was featured in the Detroit Free Press Feb. 17, offering expertise on the plunge that Asian currencies have taken and their impact on Asian students studying in the U.S. Also quoted was **Kyung Hyun Lee**, a graduate student from Korea.

President **William Shelton** was quoted in a Page 1 story in the *Ann Arbor News* Feb. 13, related to Gov. Engler's proposed 1.5 percent increase in funding to state universities.

Linda Yohn, WEMU, was featured in the February issue of *Agenda* and was called "the hardest working woman in jazz promotion in this part of the country."

The upcoming "Olympics of Smarts" March 19 is already drawing headlines in the *Saginaw News*. Eastern will help host regionals of the Seventh Annual FIRST Competition, an engineering contest for high school students, which stands For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology.

Earl Boykins, now known as "the best little basketball player in America" has spread Eastern's good name around the country, including the *Las Vegas Review-Journal*, the *Chicago Tribune*, *Charleston Daily Mail*, *Dayton Daily News*, *Cleveland Plain Dealer*, *St. Louis Post-Dispatch*, *Des Moines Register* and *Cincinnati Enquirer*. The *Associated Press* also writes about him often.

The appointment of **Gersham Nelson** as academic department head of history and philosophy was in the "People" column in *Crain's Detroit Business* Feb. 9.

Willard Zirk, music, led talented young French horn players, as reported in the *Ann Arbor News* Feb. 17. Zirk is the top French horn players for the Ann Arbor Symphony Orchestra.

Hisham Sabki, political science, was used as an expert on Iraq by the *Ann Arbor News* Feb. 17. He said the U.S. should hold off on military action until all diplomatic measures are exhausted.

Vic Chiasson, recreation and park management, and students from his recreation program planning class have adopted the Ypsilanti Township Department of Recreation's free spring break camp for 200 area children in April. The *Ann Arbor News* described the volunteer work Feb. 17.

El Nino expert **Carl Ojala**, geography and geology, has been tapped in recent weeks, including a Page 1 story in the *Ann Arbor News*, and on WAAM and WYUR radio stations.

The *Gannett News Services* and *detnews.com*, the electronic *Detroit News*, asked **Michael Harris**, political science, to evaluate President Clinton's Feb. 17 speech on Iraq. "The population is typically very supportive of the president in times of crisis," he reported.

Alumna **Charlotte Clarke** was featured on the cover of the February issue of *Black Enterprise*.

On-line's *Michigan Live* state edition complimented EMU for its Martin Luther King Jr. home page. Reporter **Dave Farrell** called it "a very nice site" in his "Roadside Attractions" column earlier this month.

EMU's support of **Project PUSH** in metro Detroit garnered some favorable copy in the *Detroit News* Feb. 13. Also on that day, the *Chronicle of Higher Education Academe Today* announced EMU's morning commencement speaker is U.S. Secretary of Education **Richard Riley**.

Bernice Lindke, financial aid, and **Jim Vick**, marketing and student affairs, were honored by the *Ann Arbor News* Feb. 8 as nominees for Citizen of the Year. Eastern was well represented. The top award went to Hazel Turner, who supervises EMU student teachers in the Ann Arbor school system; a finalist was **Carolyn McKeever '76**.

Greg Peoples, dean of students, and the leadership he is showing as president of the board of education in Lincoln School District was reported in the *Ann Arbor News* and *Ypsilanti Courier*.

The *Flint Journal* included Eastern in a story on "College Choices" Feb. 1.

The *Detroit News* included alumni **Mark Roberts**, **David Chang** and **Roger Barnett** in stories Feb. 4 and 5.

EMU's Michigan Drawing Biennial exhibit in Ford Gallery was reviewed by the *Ypsilanti Courier* Feb. 5.

Dean Stu Tubbs and the **College of Business** were featured in a story on alumna **Diane Quinn** in the *Ann Arbor News* Feb. 9.

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DeVries called Ypsilanti a "diamond whose sparkle is beginning to be seen."

Co-sponsors of the Washtenaw Economic Club this year are Citizens Bank and the Ypsilanti Press edition of the *Ann Arbor News*.

Stephanopoulos will present "Politics: The Art of the Impossible - A View From Washington." He is a former Rhodes Scholar who served as Clinton's deputy campaign manager and director of communications during the 1992 presidential campaign. Stephanopoulos then served as Clinton's closest adviser. He left the administration in 1997.

Roker is scheduled to appear May 2, while Retton and Wethers are scheduled for the fall.

The club is open to all area residents. Memberships are \$150 per person.

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Harris makes EMU history as first African American Ed.D. graduate

Like many successful professionals, Sandra Harris credits an elementary teacher with changing her life. "I was kept after school by my fifth grade teacher for playing around in class," she said. "I observed another student, who was the smartest in the class, staying after school to do extra credit work. My teacher told me 'I could do anything the other student could do.' From that day forward, I also determined I could achieve anything."

In December, she made EMU history.

Harris is the first African American to earn a doctor of education degree at Eastern. Her advanced degree in educational leadership assists her in her role as director of human resource services for Ann Arbor Public Schools.

Each day Harris handles personnel issues, such as staffing, substitute teachers, complaints and evaluations for the Ann Arbor schools. "The human resource and labor relations classes were most helpful," she said, noting she learned a great deal by writing her dissertation, "Effective Strategies for Educational Leaders for Managing Cultural Diversity in The School Work Place."

As the first African American to complete the program, Harris said she was aware of her role as a pioneer. "It was a way of showing young people that you can still get involved, and make a positive contribution," she said.

Dr. Alison Harmon, who advised Harris and chaired her dissertation committee, said Harris was the first African American to enter Eastern's doctoral program. "Hers is a very unique story," she explained. "She had two major operations, three promotions and a lot of personal change during this time. But she kept her goal in mind."

Harmon, an associate professor in the Department of Leadership and Counseling, said the department has a number of "practicing administrators" in the program. "It is an outcome for us that they will take the knowledge and skills and transfer into a greater society. Sandra demonstrated that over and over again, seeking to find different ways to impact the world she is working in."

Born in West Virginia, Harris moved to Ann Arbor at age seven. There, she tackled the stumbling blocks of racism that she encountered by focusing on developing her potential. She viewed that struggle as a way to make a positive contribution in the lives of others. "It didn't stop me from learning," she explained.

In her own quiet way, Harris took the initiative to seek out mentors who would help her build bridges. One of them, Letitia Byrd, is now retired from the public school system in Ann Arbor. "Sandra was always ready and willing to do anything you asked of her," said Byrd, who earned an advanced degree from Eastern in 1970.

Harris enrolled at Eastern as an undergraduate student in 1970. "I was not a scholar," she admitted. "Time management was very important, and I made plenty of sacrifices. I worked my way through school with a combination of student loans, work study and numerous jobs."

Exposure to external learning opportunities was also a part of Harris's education. The 1979 National Alliance of Black School Educators conference in Detroit was a turning point for her. "I left that conference believing that you can never let anyone put a ceiling on how far you can go," she said.

There were no shortcuts along her journey, she



PIONEER: Sandra Harris is EMU's first African American doctoral graduate.

said. "I earned it. I worked hard for my education," she said, adding she earned a master's degree in guidance and counseling from EMU in 1980 and an educational specialist degree in educational leadership in 1989.

"I feel that just because I have my doctorate does not mean that you will never see me in a classroom again. I believe in continuous learning, lifelong learning. One never stops learning,"

UPDATE
Since 1994, EMU has awarded 12 doctor of education degrees. There are 90 active candidates in the program.

CAMPUS CAPSULES

On the road again

The new mileage reimbursement rate for business use of a personal vehicle is 32.5 cents per mile, effective immediately. Call 487-0022.

Union hours

McKenny Union's hours of operation through March 2: Feb. 23-26, 7 a.m.-9 p.m.; Feb. 27, 7 a.m.-midnight; Feb. 28, 8 a.m.-midnight; March 1, 9 a.m.-11 p.m.; March 2, resume normal hours.

Bookstore hours

Winter recess hours, Feb. 23-27, at the bookstore in McKenny Union, are Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call 487-1000.

Rec/IM hours

The Rec/IM will be open from 11:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m., Feb. 21-March 1. The swimming pool is open from 12 p.m.-2:30 p.m. and 4:30-7 p.m. Monday-Friday. The pool is open Saturday, Feb. 28, 2-5 p.m. Call 487-1338.

Library schedule

The Library's winter recess schedule: Friday, Feb. 20, 7:45 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, Feb. 21, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sunday, Feb. 22, 1-10 p.m.; Feb. 23-27, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, Feb. 28, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; and Sunday, March 1, 1 p.m.-midnight. Call 487-3316.

Provost's medal nominations

Nominations are being accepted for the Provost's Medal for Excellence in Graduate Assistantship.

This new award, which includes a \$500 cash award from the Graduate School, will be given to the graduate assistant who "demonstrates an outstanding commitment to the University, as indicated by a record of exceptional scholarly and/or creative activities and service above and beyond

assigned duties." All graduate assistants will be eligible to receive the award, though individuals may receive it only once.

Nominations must be submitted by deans, department heads, program directors, project coordinators or members of the faculty and professional staff.

Nomination forms are available at the Graduate School. Deadline for nominations is March 13. The award will be presented March 23. Call 487-0042.

Teaching excellence nominations

Nominations are being accepted for the 1998 Teaching Excellence Awards. Award criteria and nomination forms are available in the Office for Alumni Relations, 13 Welch Hall. Nominations must be received no later than Friday, March 6. Call 487-0250.

Alumni scholarships

Applications are being accepted for the fall 1998 Alumni Association Scholarship Awards. Scholarships are available to children and grandchildren of EMU alumni who will be entering EMU as freshmen in the fall 1998 semester. Scholarship criteria and application forms are available in the Office of Alumni Relations, 13 Welch Hall. Applications must be received no later than Friday, March 6. Call 487-0250.

Listen up

There are several upcoming music events. They are: a Faculty Clarinet Recital, Sunday, March 1, 4 p.m. Kimberly Cole and Garik Pedersen will present works by Crusell, Messiaen and Muczynski. Daniel Foster and Joseph Gurt will join Cole for Mozart's Kegelstatt Trio; Kevin Miller and the EMU Symphony Orchestra will perform Goldstaub's Festival Prelude, Friday, 8 p.m. Both events will be at Pease Auditorium and are free and open to the public. Call 487-2255.

Using Voyager

Web access to the new Voyager On-line Public Access catalog for the University Library is [http://portal.emich.edu] Call 487-0020.

EMU Theatre performance

Anne of the Thousand Days, Maxwell Anderson's epic tale of the lives of Henry VIII and Anne Boleyn will be presented by the Eastern Michigan University Theatre March 6-8 and 12-14, in the Quirk Theatre.

Tickets are \$7 for Thursday performances, \$12 for Friday and Saturday shows and \$10 for Sunday matinees. There is a \$2 discount for tickets purchased more than 30 minutes in advance. For ticket information, call 487-1221.

Young African American Conference

The Young African American Professionals Leadership Conference is Feb. 27-March 1.

Featured speakers include Tavis Smiley, host of the Black Entertainment Network's BET Tonight show; Sister Souljah, civil rights activist and author; and Kevin Powell of Vibe Magazine and MTV's "The Real World."

Tickets are \$140 in advance (\$160 on-site) for students and \$160 in advance (\$180 on-site) for professionals. To register, call 487-2377.

Women's Merit Awards

Applications are being accepted for the '98-99 EMU Women's Association Merit Awards for Outstanding Scholarship as well as for Financial Assistance Awards. Criteria and application forms are available at the Office of Financial Aid, 403 Pierce Hall. Applications must be received by Tuesday, March 10. Call 487-0455.

Submissions should be sent to Office of Public Information, 18 Welch Hall. Call 487-4400.

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University's School of Public Health. She is considered the foremost authority on the subject of violence and its impact on adolescent boys and girls.

Polakow, who will respond to Prothrow-Stith, is a nationally-known scholar and author from the College of Education. She has been recognized for her study of the impact of poverty on female-headed households and her analysis of the impact of the U.S. welfare system on these families. Her current research focuses on cross-cultural comparisons of welfare systems in the U.S. and abroad.

Many other speakers and events are planned for the conference, which is hosted by Eastern's Women's Studies Program. For more information, call 487-1177.

Award-winning journalist Donna Ferrato will address conference participants at 11 a.m., Sat., March 7, in the McKenny Union Ballroom. Ferrato has devoted her life to documenting, exposing and preventing the abuse of women and children by the ones they love. Ferrato's photographs have been used by the White House for a national ad campaign addressing domestic violence and welfare reform.

Other events include:

- "Bridging Sound and Silence," with EMU Regent and psychiatrist Rosalind Griffin and the Unity of Hands Theater Troupe, 4 p.m., March 5, McKenny Union Ballroom;

- "A Journey into Voice," featuring panelists Amy Sullivan, Jill McLean Taylor, and Joyce Grant. Sullivan and Taylor are co-authors with Carole Gilligan of *Between Voice and Silence*, a ground-breaking study of the ways in which girls lose their voice between eighth grade and sophomore year of high school. Grant has collaborated with Taylor in organizational efforts to develop mentorship bridges between teachers and middle-school girls, 8:45 a.m., March 6, McKenny Union Ballroom.

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"The perception of accessibility affects everything we do," said Melinda Ostrander, interim facilities manager, "from renovations to engineering, including the construction of the new Halle Library and convocation center."

Ostrander said that the new library will not need ramps, because it was designed to be more accessible. Dan Klenczar, project manager for the physical plant, said the new convocation center will be fully accessible as well.

"It will be in compliance with the Michigan Barrier-Free Code and the ADA," Klenczar said. "Special seating will be available on the concourse level, and it will have an elevator."

"On the newer buildings, such as McKenny, they have done an excellent job with accessibility," Teehan said.

Teehan said it's the older buildings which present the challenge, not only to those with disabilities, but to those who are trying to make them more accessible.

"We have replaced many door knobs with pull-down levers, and curb cuts have been added for wheelchair access to buildings," Ostrander said. "We have also increased the number of handicapped parking spaces and have added braille signs and audible tones to elevators throughout campus buildings."

"There are now 172 handicapped parking spaces on campus, including the Rynearson Parking lot," said Al Robinson, parking manager.

"Communication is the key," said Ostrander. "We rely on

members of the faculty, staff and students to let us know when they see something on campus that requires our attention."

"ADA compliance remains a top priority in the physical plant," said Ostrander. "A second survey is now underway to insure that all campus buildings remain up to government specifications."

The changes are not unappreciated.

"I am pleased with the changes that Eastern has made," said Cannaday. "I have noticed that Eastern has added automatic doors to several buildings."

But Cannaday and Teehan said that there is more work to be done.

"There should be more emphasis placed on handicapped issues," said Cannaday. "It's also the student's responsibility to address the individual issues of those with special needs."

"We have put our best efforts forward, but we're not there yet," said Teehan.

Teehan said everyone can help make the campus more accessible.

"Not blocking the disabled parking spaces is one thing we can change without any significant effort," Teehan said.

"What helps a disabled person, helps an able-bodied person," Teehan said.

Remember that the next time you see someone push the button to open the automatic doors at McKenny.

Why I attend Eastern Michigan University

I guess I've always been an unusual bird. I love music theory. I'm 6-foot-7 and don't play basketball. And, I chose to use my Fulbright Scholarship at a small school where personal contact is important.

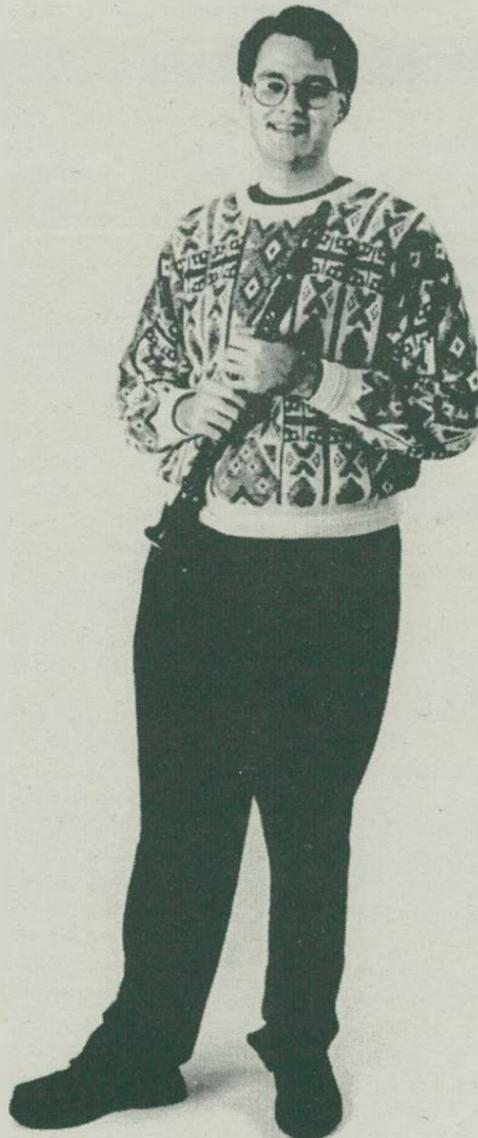
Ever since my initial contact with EMU, I knew this is where I wanted to do graduate work. I applied to many universities and was accepted to all of them. But the personal contact and involvement from Eastern's faculty is what really sold me on EMU. I was especially impressed with the clarinet professor here. She is not only highly recommended as a professor, she has been singled out as a rising star in the clarinet world by her peers.

Since my arrival, I have found the program to be very impressive. The faculty are constantly performing, giving students an opportunity to hear and see them actively pursue their careers. It's a real advantage to watch them formulate their professional lives because music is such a competitive field.

The music professors and students are very respectful and supportive of each other. That's a great environment to work in.

My acceptance at EMU has been very quick, and the performance opportunities are amazing.

I can't wait to go home and play for my former teacher.



Trevor Pittman
Fulbright Scholar and Master's Candidate
Department of Music

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The National Institute of Health (NIH) will award National Research Service Awards short-term institutional training grants to eligible institutions to develop or enhance research training opportunities for individuals interested in biomedical and behavioral research careers.

The program supports intensive, short-term research experiences for students in health professional schools during the summer. Trainees must pursue research full-time during the program. Proposed training must be in either basic or clinical aspects of the health related sciences. Deadlines vary by institute. Grant size depends on the number and experience level of trainees the institution will support. The award period is up to five years and grants are renewable.

The National Science Foundation (NSF) is inviting applications under the Collaboratives for Excellence in Teacher Preparation program for projects to recruit and develop future K-12 teachers of science, math, engineering and technology (SMET) who are sensitive to the varied learning styles, backgrounds and needs of their students.

The National Science Foundation (NSF) is inviting applications for Local Systemic Change Projects focused on science education in grades 6-12 and emphasizing professional development of all teachers within the school organization, rather than on an individual level.

If you would like to receive guidelines for any of these programs, please respond via E-mail, or call Wendy Winslow at 487-3090. For further information regarding submission and program requirements, contact your college's ORD program officer.

JOBSLINE

www.emich.edu/public/hr/employ.htm

To be considered for vacant positions, all Promotional Openings Application Forms MUST BE SUBMITTED directly to the Compensation/Employment Services Office and received no later than 4:45 p.m., Monday, March 2. NOTE: LATE OR INCOMPLETE FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

The Compensation/Employment Services Office announces the following vacancies.

Vacancy information may also be obtained by calling our 24-hour Jobs Line at 487-0016. Compensation/Employment Services office hours are Monday - Friday 8 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

CLERICAL/SECRETARIAL

(Minimum Bi-Weekly Salary)

CSSA9802 CS-04 \$742.34
Senior Account Clerk, University Apartments.

CSPR9800 CS-05 \$838.86
Senior Secretary, Budget.

FOOD SERVICE/MAINTENANCE

(Minimum Hourly Salary)

FMBF9823 FM-06 \$7.35
Custodian, Physical Plant (Rackham).
Hours: Monday through Friday, 5 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

ADMINISTRATIVE/PROFESSIONAL

(Minimum Semi-Monthly Salary)

APUR9806 AP-14 \$3,101.29
Executive Director, University Computing.

PROFESSIONAL/TECHNICAL

(Minimum Bi-Weekly)

PTBF9807 PT-07 \$1,060.91
Accountant II, Accounting (Non-Academic).

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