

Seven to enter EMU Athletic Hall of Fame

HALLOWED HALL



Gates



Jennings



Jormakka



Mead



Roe



Slater

THIS YEAR'S INDUCTEES:

This year's E-Letterwinners Club Hall of Fame inductees include (clockwise from top left) Jon Gates (golf); Bob Jennings (swimming); George Mead (football, basketball, and track); Rodney Slater (football); John "Rocky" Roe (baseball); and Mauri Jormakka (track and cross country). Not pictured is Argie Fielder (softball).

Seven new members will be inducted into The Eastern Michigan University Varsity E-Letterwinners Club Hall of Fame during ceremonies scheduled Saturday, Feb. 9, at 2:30 p.m.

And the new inductees will be feted in new surroundings.

The Hall of Fame, originally located in the upper hallway of Bowen Field House, will be relocated to the front of the main lobby area in the Convocation Center.

The Hall of Fame induction ceremony, annually scheduled during football season, has been moved to basketball season to coincide with the opening of the new honorary site.

The induction ceremony will be followed by a ribbon-cutting for the new site at 4 p.m. Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased at the EMU Alumni Office or call 487-0250.

The Class of 2001 includes:

■ **Angie Fielder** was an outstanding softball player for EMU from 1986-88 and became the first-ever women's softball player to earn All-American status when she was a second-team choice in 1988. She completed her EMU career with a .362 lifetime batting average and also led the team in steals. Fielder went on to become a standout fast-pitch softball player for Daly's Restaurant. She was invited to the Colorado Silver Bullets Women's Professional Baseball tryout camp.

■ **Jon Gates** turned in four solid years on the men's golf team. He was named All-Mid-American Conference and EMU's Most Valuable Golfer in 1980. Gates went on to become a golf professional at several country clubs, including Orchard Lake, Mt. Pleasant, Travis Pointe, and his current position as PGA pro at Detroit Golf Club.

■ **Bob Jennings** was a member of four EMU men's swimming teams that won

MAC championships. Jennings served as captain of the 1988 EMU squad and was named MAC Senior Swimmer of the Year and EMU's Most Valuable Swimmer. He was a six-time MAC individual champion, winning both the 100 and 200-yard breaststroke titles three times and also swam on three MAC champion relay units.

■ **Mauri Jormakka**, now deceased, was a native of Finland who ran for the EMU track team from 1956-61. He enjoyed an outstanding career before returning to Finland where he owned and operated his own sporting goods store.

Jormakka earned All-American honors in both track and cross country in 1960. He finished runner-up in the National AAU Cross Country Championships that same season. He was an assistant Olympic track coach for Finland in 1968, 1972 and 1976.

■ **George Mead** was an Ypsilanti native who went on to become a three-sport standout for his hometown school. He earned varsity football and basketball letters in 1914 and 1915, and a baseball letter in 1915. Mead also served as president of the Men's Union.

■ **John "Rocky" Roe** was the starting first baseman on the 1970 EMU baseball team that won the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) National Championship and he was named to the All-Tournament team that season. He completed his career as EMU's all-time RBI leader. After graduating from EMU, Roe attended the Bill Kinnamon Umpire School and became a professional baseball umpire. He umpired in Major League Baseball for 21 years before retiring this past season. As an American League umpire, Roe worked in two World Series, two All-Star Games,

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Snow, ice storms shut down EMU for two days

By Ron Podell

For only the second and third times in more than two decades, Eastern Michigan University closed its doors due to bad weather.

The University closed most of Thursday, Jan. 31, and all of Friday, Feb. 1, after the area was hit with nearly nine inches of snow (starting Jan. 29), followed by freezing rain and ice. The storm left thousands in the area without power after heavy ice broke tree branches and bent power lines.

Prior to this, the last time EMU closed was Dec. 12, 2000, when a blizzard dumped nearly two feet of snow in the Ypsilanti area.



ICY SITUATION: Eastern Michigan University was transformed into a world of snow and ice after storms pummeled the area, beginning Jan. 29, and continuing through Feb. 1. The nearly nine inches of snow followed by freezing rain created conditions that warranted closing the University Jan. 31 and Feb. 1. Students (left) walk under a collapsed branch near Welch Hall while a statue (right) appears to be crying over the bad weather.

Photos by Ron Podell

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Fleming appointed to president's special ed commission

Thomas Fleming, special assistant to the provost, was one of 16 select persons appointed to President Bush's Commission on Excellence in Special Education Oct. 19. The commission will serve as an advocate for the 2.8 million students classified as generally disabled in the United States.



Fleming

Mary Ann Watson, professor of telecommunications and film, was elected chair of the editorial board of *Television Quarterly*, in November 2001. *Television Quarterly* is the official journal of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences.

Jim Vick, vice president for student affairs, is one of the recipients of the Michigan Campus Compact (MCC) Faculty Staff Community Service-Learning Awards for 2001. This is the highest annual award that MCC bestows on faculty and staff in the state of Michigan. Vick will be honored during a dinner ceremony Feb. 8.

Elvia Krajewski-Jaime, interim director of EMU's Institute for the Study of Children, Families and Communities accepted an award for EMU from the Traffic Safety Association of Michigan during a Dec. 14, 2001 ceremony at the Detroit Athletic Club.



Krajewski-Jaime

Krajewski-Jaime won the award for her safety belt education campaign with Latino youth in Wayne County.

Charles Simmons, professor of journalism, ran for Detroit City Council in October 2001. He was defeated. Simmons, a city activist, was one of three members of The Committee for the Political Resurrection of Detroit, a special interest group attempting to mobilize a grassroots movement behind its candidates.

Kathleen Chamberlain, professor of history and philosophy, has been awarded a book contract from the *University of Oklahoma Press* to write a biography on the 19th century Apache leader, Victorro. The

book will be part of the Press's ongoing "Western Biographies" series and intended for readers in graduate and undergraduate courses.

Ron Bennion, director of academic assessment, was appointed to The Higher Learning Commission's Accreditation Review Council Oct. 30, 2001. His four-year term runs through 2005.

Ron Williamson, an associate professor in leadership and counseling, working with other authors the week of Oct. 22-26, wrote a training module on collaborative leadership for the National Forum to Accelerate Middle Grades Reform. The project is co-sponsored by the Galef Institute and the National Staff Development Council. Williamson presented the module to the Southern Forum to Accelerate Middle Grades Reform in Jackson, Miss. this month.

Julianne O'Brien Pedersen, assistant professor of HPERD, performed with the Peter Sparling Dance Company Oct. 17-18 during Bowling Green University's New Music and Art Festival.



Pederson

Rebecca Martusewicz, professor of teacher education, recently received the Critic's Award of the American Educational Studies Association for her book, *Seeking Passage: Post-Structuralism, Pedagogy, Ethics.*

Sheldon Levine, assistant professor of HPERD, presented a tutorial session on "Exercise as Treatment for Parkinson's Disease" at the Midwest American College of Sports Medicine annual meeting in Columbus, Ohio.



Broughton

Elizabeth Broughton, assistant professor of leadership and counseling, has been appointed to the Livingston/Washtenaw Substance Abuse Advisory Council.

Marilyn Szymanski, executive chief of dining services, presented "Decorating Ideas and Culinary Tips for the Catering Manager" at the Catering in College and University Food

Seminar seminar in Baltimore, Maryland, in October 2001.

Ray Mellberg, an Eastern Michigan University alum (1972, 1974) and principal of Willow Run's Henry J. Kaiser Elementary School was named as "Principal of the Year" by the Michigan Elementary and Middle School Principals Association during a ceremony in Dearborn Oct. 18, 2001.

An article about **Peggy Moore-Hart's**, "Writer's Camp," which this past summer focused on the Ann Arbor airport, appeared in the weekly newspaper of the *East Michigan Hub*, an aviation periodical. Moore-Hart is a professor of teacher education.

Monroe Friedman, professor of psychology, was quoted in the Jan. 3 issue of the *Santa Monica Daily News* for an article about Mayo Clinic researchers' testing of heat-sensing cameras trained on people's faces to detect liars. In response to the events of Sept. 11, the study is focusing on ways to spot terrorists at airports.



Friedman

Sherry Jerome, assistant professor, HPERD, participated in the National Ballet School of Canada's week-long intensive dance teachers seminar in August. She was one of 100 dance teachers from around the world invited to participate.



Jerome

Jeff Armstrong, assistant professor of HPERD, has been appointed to the Policy/Environment subcommittee of Michigan Department of Community Health's Healthy Life style Initiative Strategic Planning Committee. This group is developing a comprehensive plan to address obesity among African-American women.

Jenny Clark, CATE disability lab coordinator, and the CATE Laboratory were featured on the cover of the "EMU and You" pullout section of the August 28, 2001 Ypsilanti Press edition of the *Ann Arbor News*. An article describing the CATE Lab's services to students with disabilities was included in the back-to-school supplement.



Tonkovich

John Tonkovich, professor of special education, has been named to the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association's program committee for 2002. He will chair the subcommittee on motor speech disorders in children and adults.

Jon Margerum-Leys, assistant professor of teacher education, was named as a participating investigator on the Teacher Knowledge of Technology project, a National Science Foundation-funding project housed at the Center for Learning Technologies in Urban Schools.

The National Council of Professors of Educational Administration named **Charles M. "Chuck" Achilles** a "Living Legend" at its convention in August 2001. Achilles is only the third person honored with this title by NCPEA. The award honors those who have made extraordinary contributions not only to the organization but to the field of educational administration.

Sue Grossman, associate professor, department of teacher education, is a member-at-large of the board of the Michigan Association of Early Childhood Teacher Educators.



Grossman

Jerry Robbins, dean of the College of Education, has been named to a Michigan Department of Education task force on "ensuring excellent educators."

Suzanne Hobson, assistant professor of leadership and counseling, will serve as the director of research and **Kay Woodiel**, assistant professor of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (HPERD), will serve as the director of educational interventions for Project Outreach, an EMU initiative to combat homophobia and hetero-sexism in Michigan's K-12 schools.



Hobson

Strategic plan takes a more global perspective

Editor's Note: This is the seventh in a series about the implementation and funding of the University's strategic plan initiatives over the next six months.

By Ron Podell

Starting college can be a daunting experience for any new student. It can be especially overwhelming for an international student, who may not know anyone while facing language barriers.

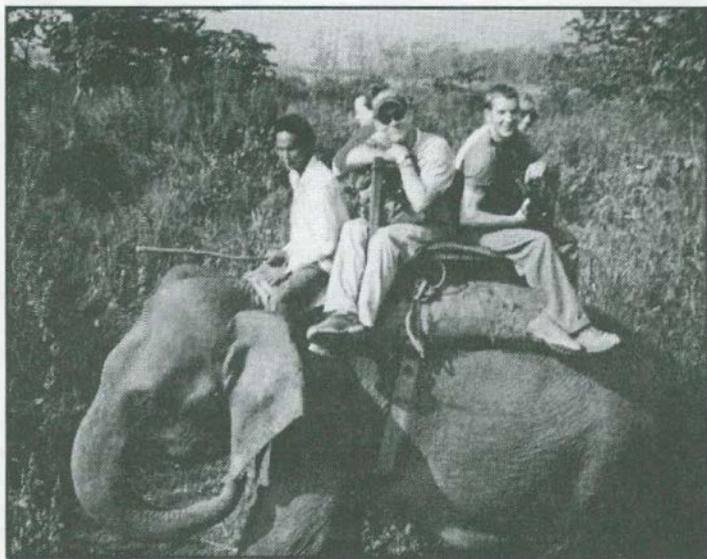
To minimize such scenarios, Eastern Michigan University is taking a number of steps to open its doors to even more international students, including increasing recruitment of international students, improving services to ensure a smooth transition to EMU, and adapting courses to include an international perspective.

Four initiatives in the University's overall strategic plan are directly related to improving the EMU experience for its approximate 1,150 international students at the graduate and undergraduate levels.

In addition, the plan ensures a richer global experience for U.S. students through enhanced courses and international programs.

Direction 5 of the University's strategic plan states that EMU will become a university with global and multicultural perspectives.

"We clearly live in an increasingly global environment and an interconnected



A DIFFERENT WORLD: These EMU international students enjoy a ride on an elephant during a Study Abroad trip. Eastern Michigan University's strategic plan focuses on increasing international student enrollment, placing more international emphasis as part of course offerings throughout the curriculum, and providing more services to help international students adjust to life at EMU.

world," Kirkpatrick said. "It is essential for us to prepare our students for life in an even more interconnected world."

These initiatives include:

- Increase efforts to recruit international students to advance the goal of being a global campus. Goals include increasing new international students by 10 percent and having Admissions make additional international recruitment visits.

"Not only are we serving the larger society by having international students on campus, but we are ensuring our students come into contact with and study with a number of students from other countries to enhance their knowledge," Kirkpatrick said.

- Establish an International Cultural Competency Institute. The institute, which is expected to be in place this summer, would be used to

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— Samuel A. Kirkpatrick,
President
Eastern Michigan University

improve courses from an international perspective and to support faculty development and projects that help globalize EMU's curriculum. This initiative received \$20,000.

"When developments oc-

cur in other countries, they are much more likely to have a daily impact on our country," Kirkpatrick said, referring to the events of this past fall. "We want to ensure that we have an international understanding and appreciation for diversity around the world."

Kirkpatrick wants classes "internationalized", ranging from courses specific to majors to general education courses.

A prime example of this approach already occurs in the international business component within the College of Business, he said.

- Form an International Programming Coordinating Council to develop international programming through policies and coordination of programs and services. This committee is expected to be functioning sometime this spring, Kirkpatrick said.

The committee will be charged with recommending policy, and coordinating programs and services relative to international programming.

"For us to achieve our international and global objec-

tives, we will need good cooperation and cross-disciplinary activities occurring," Kirkpatrick said. "We need to make sure people are cooperating well and what they do fits in well with the additional planning work of the World College."

- Rename the Foreign Student Affairs Office and enhance its services.

This would include: increasing the number of international students participating in orientation; providing assistance to international students upon initial arrival in Michigan; increasing the number and variety of programs designed to acclimate international students to campus; increase international programming in residence halls and the Ypsilanti community; and increase the number of sessions for faculty/staff on assisting international students.

One staff person was added earlier this year to help international students with everything from technical assistance to legal matters.

"It's important for faculty and staff, when working with international students, to have some knowledge of the cultures, traditions, customs and kinds of experiences these students bring," Kirkpatrick said. "This will help faculty and staff help international students with adjustments they need to make when they come to this country."



For a more extensive listing of University events, go to the Office of Public Information home page at www.emich.edu/public/public_information/

20 EMU student-athletes named Academic All-MAC for fall

Twenty five Eastern Michigan University student-athletes were named to the Mid-American Conference's Academic Honor Roll for the fall 2001 term. Of those, 20 were named Academic All-MAC.

Student-athletes who maintain a 3.0 or higher GPA and earn a letter for the current season are named to the MAC Academic Honor Roll. To qualify for the Academic All-MAC team, student-athletes need to earn a 3.25 GPA or higher and participate in at least 50 percent of competition.

EMU athletes and their honor (* denotes All-MAC team) are as follows:

The EMU student-athletes who made the 2001 Fall MAC Academic Honor Roll and Academic All-MAC are: Jo Anne Saltsman*, Amanda Kulikowski*, Meghan Williams*, Katie Lewis*, Brandy Jones*, Jessica Hupe*, Karen Kramer*, Mary Achatz, and Courtney Sindelar (women's soccer); Courtney Huffman*, Kara Kivi*, Jennifer Nighswander*, and Camilia Olaiyo* (women's volleyball); Cory Annett*, Eric Klaben*, David Lusky*, Toller Starnes*, Kevin Zureki, and Mike Salvatori* (football); Ryan Desgrange*, Paul Pobursky*, and Matt Wehrman (men's cross country); Sara DeBruyn*, Tanya Matthews*, and Marne Smiley (women's cross country).

Keal Fellowships to be awarded to female faculty Feb. 12

The EMU Women's Association and Women's Commission host the Annual Keal Fellowship Awards reception Tuesday, Feb. 12, noon-1:30 p.m., in the Carillon Room on the third floor of Halle Library. The 2000-2001 recipients will be recognized. For more information, call Diane Browning at 487-0020, extension 2116.

Slater to speak at town hall meeting Feb. 8

Eastern Michigan University alum and former U.S. Secretary of Transportation Rodney Slater will host a University-wide "Town Hall" meeting Friday, Feb. 8, 2 p.m., in Sponberg Theatre. A reception will follow.

The EMU campus community and the public are invited to attend. The University Honors Program is hosting the event.

For more information, call Dennis Beagan, 487-3130.

JOBSLINE

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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 5 p.m., Monday, Feb. 11. **NOTE: LATE OR INCOMPLETE FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

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 5 p.m.

CLERICAL/SECRETARIAL

(Hiring Rate)

CSBF0212 CS05 \$25,113
Senior Secretary, Purchasing.

CSBF02 3 CS05 \$25,113
Account Specialist, Accounting,
Student Accounting.

PROFESSIONAL/TECHNICAL

(Hiring Range)

PTIT0203 PT09* \$43,562-
\$53, 58 ICT Technical Webmaster
II, Information and Communications
Technology.

PTIT0202 PT09* \$43,562-
\$53, 158 Instructional Technologist
II, Information and Communications
Technology.

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\$53, 158 Instructional Technologist
II, Information and Communications
Technology.

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II, Information & Communications
Technology.

PTIT0206 PT09* \$43,562-
\$53, 58 Instructional Technologist

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Technology.

PTIT0207 PT09* \$43,562-
\$53, 158 Instructional Technologist
II, Information and Communications
Technology.

*Applicants who may not meet the qualifications for this position level are still encouraged to apply. Depending on the applicant pool, the position may be filled at a lower PT level with the potential for upgrade to the higher grade level.

FOOD SERVICE/MAINT.

(Hourly Rate)

FMBF0275 FM06 \$8 36-
\$13.73 Custodian, Physical Plant
(REPOST) Location: Welch/Boone
(5 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Monday-Friday).

FMBF0277 FM06 \$8.36-
\$13.73 Custodian, Physical Plant
(REPOST) (50% appointment).
Location: Business and Finance
(11 p.m.-3 a.m., Sunday-Thursday).

ATHLETICS/COACHING

(Hiring Range)

ACPR0207 AC12 \$32,756-
\$39,963 Assistant Coach, Men's
Football, Athletics.

Why I teach at Eastern Michigan University

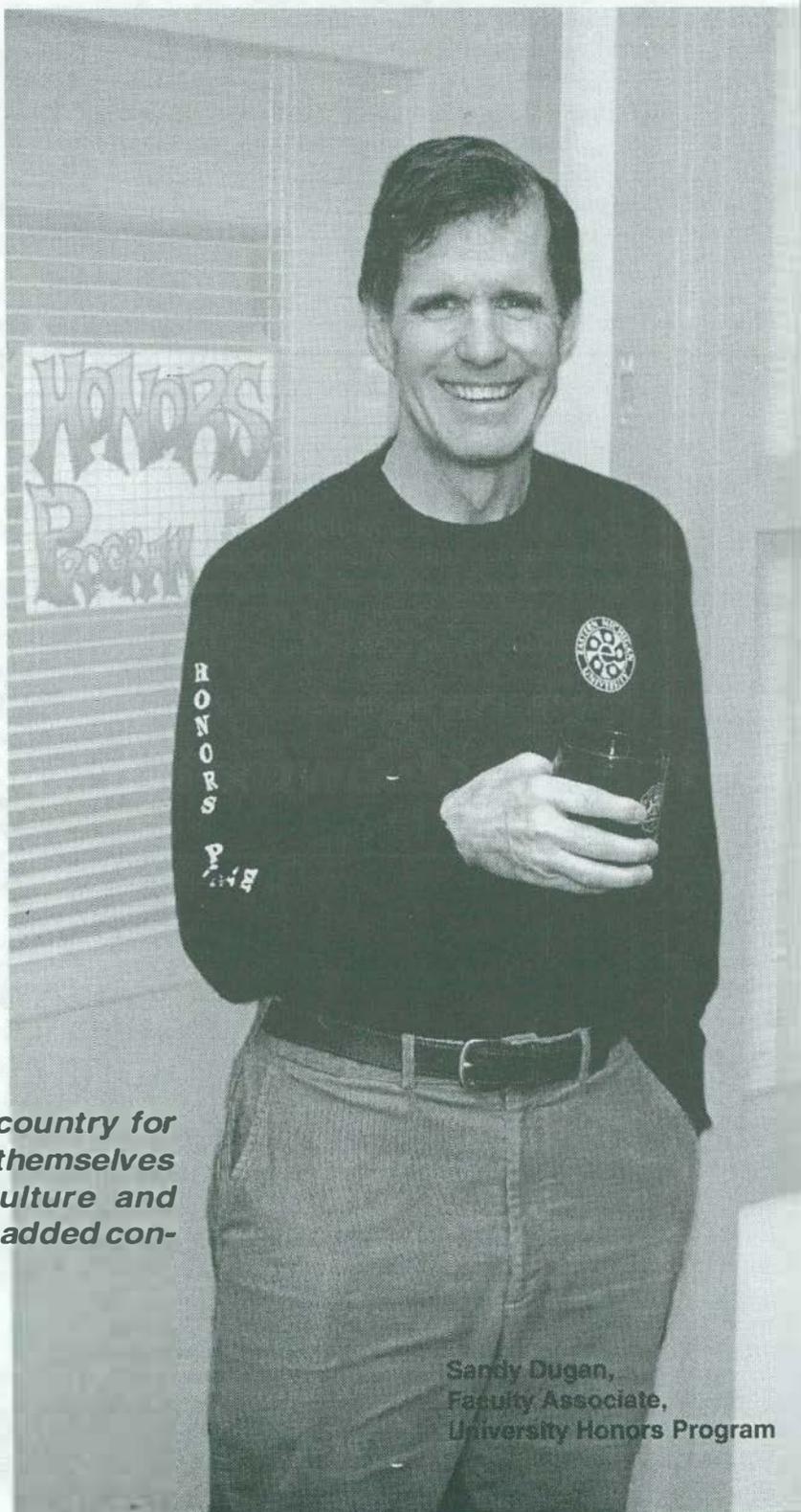
Students are the main reason I enjoy teaching at EMU. Students in foreign language classes are highly motivated. They have a lot of energy to succeed and, for a teacher, that's very gratifying. Students take risks that sometimes succeed, sometimes fail, but often are educational.

It's especially wonderful to see students who have an "immersion experience." When they visit a country for four to six weeks and immerse themselves in the country's language, culture and people, they come back with an added confidence about the language.

For the first 26 years at EMU, I taught all levels of French language classes and, as of last September, I began working with the honors program. As faculty associate, I work with colleagues in other departments to promote the honors program. It's an experience that helps me gain a more in-depth perspective of other fields.

I think about retirement some days, but don't know what else I'd do that would be so much fun as working with and teaching students.

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Sandy Dugan,
Faculty Associate,
University Honors Program

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four American League Division Series and three League Championship Series.

■ **Rodney Slater** was not only an outstanding football player for EMU from 1973-76, he also competed on the national championship forensics team. He was a two-time All-MAC All-Academic Team selection and finished his football career with 1,330 yards rushing. After graduation, Slater went on to politics and served as the Secretary of Transportation in President Clinton's Cabinet from 1997-2000. On Jan. 13, 2002, Slater was honored as a Silver Anniversary Award winner at the 37th Annual NCAA Honors Dinner in Indianapolis, Indiana.

These people are celebrating service anniversaries with the University in February.

30 or more years

Marvin J. E. Johnson (39 years), health, physical education, recreation and dance

Monroe P. Friedman (37 years), psychology

Lois J. Whitehead (33 years), learning resources-library

Bruce B. Hendricks (31 years), plumbing

15 years

Jeanette Hassan (15 years), benefit programs

10 years

Jere Græen (10 years), cashier's office

Mary McClure (10 years), VP for student affairs