



# *Association of Professional Advisers and Counselors*

ARTS AND SCIENCES CENTRAL ADVISING OFFICE

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## January Meeting

The January APAC General Meeting will take place on Wednesday, January 20, at noon in Savery 207. Featured speaker will be Maureen Sawyer, ACSW, who will be speaking on stress.

## Medical Technology

As mentioned in the previous Newsletter, the Medical Technology program will be holding an information session for advisers on Thursday, January 21, from 3-5 pm in HUB 209A,B. You should receive an invitation shortly. If you need more information, contact Carol LeCrone at 6-6131 or Ann Trail at 3-7547. ALSO -- MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY HAS DROPPED THE FOREIGN LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENT. This ruling is actually retroactive to students who entered the professional program Autumn Quarter 1987.

## Placement Center Events

The Placement Center is gearing up for a Winter Quarter full of events for Liberal Arts students. Three interviewing techniques seminars are scheduled, as are four resume-writing workshops. The interviewing seminars will be held on January 13 (9:30-10:20), February 2 (3:30-4:20), and February 23 (3:30-4:20). The resume workshops are scheduled for January 14, January 25, February 8, and March 1 -- all from 2:30 to 3:20. All workshops and seminars will be held in 220 Loew, and students are required to register with the Placement Center (301 Loew) before attending any sessions.

## Computer Science Information Sessions

The Department of Computer Science will be holding information sessions for prospective majors Winter Quarter from 3:30 to 4:30 pm on January 11, February 8, and March 14. The sessions will be held in Sieg 422. Students should pick up and read the Computer Science Handbook before attending the meetings. The handbooks are available in Sieg 114.

## Community College Visits

—Michael Magie

Representatives from the Office of Admissions visit all twenty-seven Washington community colleges each Winter Quarter, as part of a coordinated program of College Days. Representatives from the other four-year colleges are also present on these occasions. In Autumn and Spring Quarters each year, UW Admissions staff make special visits to the westside community colleges within an hour's drive or so, from Centralia to Bellingham. On many of these visits the Admission staff members are accompanied by representatives of other University divisions: Central Advising, Business Administration, Engineering, sometimes Education or Nursing. During the visits UW staff sit at tables and meet with prospective students individually, to answer their questions about admission, to review their transcripts for transferability of courses, to provide information about specific University degree programs and help students plan their studies, and generally to offer a University presence for prospective transfers, who are often anxious.

## AIF Revision

AIF #14 (Credit by Examination) has been revised. The revision concerns item #2 under "Restrictions on Credit by Examination." The item was amended to read:

"All credits secured by examination shall be counted as extension credit and shall be included in the 90-extension-credit maximum allowed toward the bachelor's degree. All courses taken credit-by-examination must be assigned a numerical grade, unless the course is offered credit/no-credit only. (Eligible students may choose the satisfactory/not-satisfactory -- S/NS -- option, but should be warned that only electives may be taken S/NS. If the S/NS option is chosen, a numerical grade is assigned and "S/NS option" written at the bottom of the credit-by-examination grade card.) No credit shall be allowed by examination with a grade of less than 2.0. Grades earned are not included in the grade-point average. (The underlined sentences were added.)

## NACADA '88 Call for Proposals

The 12th National Conference on Academic Advising is now calling for proposals for programs for the 1988 session. The theme for this upcoming conference is "Academic Advising: Tradition versus Innovation." If you would like to submit a proposal but did not receive the form, contact Ann Trail at 3-7547. The conference, by the way, will be held in Miami. Cosponsors of the 1988 conference are Kansas State University and Barry University (Miami).

Staff Changes

DON WHITNEY, formerly Academic Coordinator in Intercollegiate Athletics, has accepted a position in Social Work as Director of Student Services.

More APAC Members

APAC welcomes the following new or renewing members for 1987-88:

Nancy Acheson	International Studies	DR-05
Mary Ellen Asmundson	Placement Center	FH-30
Sara Caka	Geological Sciences	AJ-20
Ted Carpenter	Financial Aid	PE-20
Nancy Cooper	Chemistry	BG-10
Betsy Palmer Crampton	Psychology	NI-25
Kathy Elkins	Education	DQ-12
Ken Etzkorn	Central Advising	GN-10
Robert Fenner	Counseling Center	PB-05
Robin Hennes	Admissions	PC-30
Keiko Ii	Minority Affairs	PC-45
Janet Kime	Central Advising	GN-10
Charlotte Nelson	Education	DQ-12
Steve Simeona	Minority Affairs	PC-45
Charlotte Utting	English	GN-30
Don Whitney	Social Work	JH-30

There is still time to join APAC for 1987-88. Send your check (payable to APAC) for \$10 to Martha Brasfield, DJ-10.

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1987-88 EXECUTIVE BOARD

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