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July 9-14, 1972

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Schmidt, Gayle 8290 Clarence Center Road East Amherst, N.Y. 14051	F	Clarence Central School June U. Stillwell
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Siesfeld, Tony 626 Esplanade Pelham Manor, N.Y. 10803	M	Pelham Memorial High School Ruth E. Yergin
Strout, Catherine 7813 Bear Ridge Road N. Tonawanda, N.Y. 14120	F	Starpoint Central School Donna H. Cadwell

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TWENTY ATTEND MOTORCYCLE EDUCATION COURSE

EDITORS: See attached list for person (s) from your circulation area.

Twenty driver education teachers from school districts throughout New York State recently completed a motorcycle operator education institute at State University at Albany. The institute was sponsored by the department of physical education, recreation, and safety education of the university's School of Education and was funded by the National Highway Safety Bureau.

The teachers who completed the institute now are qualified to administer similar programs in their respective districts. They received both classroom and laboratory instruction on motorcycles provided by area dealers for the institute.

The purpose of the institute was to increase the number of schools and teachers implementing voluntary motorcycle operator education programs at the secondary school level

State University of New York at Albany
Twenty Attend Motorcycle Education Course

The following persons participated in the institute:

Theodore Avgerinos
Box 24
Altamont, New York
Albany High School

Don Hurley
239 North Hamilton Street
Johnson City, New York
Johnson City High School

Howard Dashney
620 Garson Avenue
Rochester, New York
Brighton School District

Harold Hutton
11 Elm Street
Holland Patent, New York
Holland Patent Central School

John DeLellis
196 Prospect Avenue
Valhalla, New York
North Rockland School

Geoffrey Jones
Box 113
DeKalb Junction, New York
St. Lawrence County, BOCES

Andrew Dixon
5 Smart Street
Keesville, New York
Saranac Central School

Ken Long
37 Beam Hill Road
Dryden, New York
Ithaca College

Michael Dorgan
331 Delaware Turnpike
Delmar, New York
Columbia High,
East Greenbush Schools

Nicholas Morante
54 Kesuick Lane
Plainview, New York
Bethpage High School

William Estes
25 Gatehouse Trail
Henrietta, New York
Pittsford Central

David Orr
Apartment 1A
7226 Post Street
Pulaski, New York
Sandy Creek Central School

Roger Forando
Wells Road
Granville, New York
Granville Schools

John Ryan
1 Ann Drive
Schenectady, New York
Guilderland Central School

Richard Gifford

Richard Gifford

PINKERTON VISITING PROFESSOR AT SUNYA

Margaret Q. Warren, of Sacramento, Calif., who most recently has been affiliated with the California Youth Authority, will become the Robert A. Pinkerton Visiting Professor in Criminal Justice for 1972-73 at State University of New York at Albany. She is considered to be one of the outstanding women criminologists in the United States.

Dr. Warren's Interpersonal Maturity Level Classification System now is used throughout the California Correctional System. She holds degrees from Western Reserve University and from the University of California, Berkeley, where she received a Master of Arts in psychology and a Doctor of Philosophy in clinical psychology. For five years she served as program director of the Center for Training in Differential Treatment, sponsored by the American Justice Institute and the National Institute of Mental Health. Prior to that time she was principal investigator for the Community Treatment Project sponsored by the California Youth Authority and the National Institute of Mental Health.

As Pinkerton Professor in the School of Criminal Justice, Dr. Warren will teach an advanced seminar and serve as a resource person in seminars taught by other faculty members. The position was made possible by a three-year grant of \$150,000

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from the Pinkerton Foundation in New York.

Dr. Warren is a certified psychologist in the State of California. Her consultantships include the NIMH Crime and Delinquency Committee, President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice, Nevada Youth Training Center, Ohio Youth Commission, University of Denver Law School, Russell Sage Foundation, University of Chicago Center for Studies of Criminal Justice, Honolulu Family Court, and Ontario Institute for Studies in Education.

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CHIEF PARKING OFFICER AT SUNYA

Karl W. Scharl has been transferred from the Office of Planning and Development at State University of New York at Albany where he was assistant facilities program coordinator, to the university's Office of Security, where he has been named assistant director of security. His responsibilities will include traffic enforcement and parking control as primary concerns.

Mr. Scharl joined the university staff in 1966. Since that time he has had the responsibility for coordinating, and writing specifications for, equipment purchased for the university and also coordinating installation of new equipment. More recently, his duties have included the coordination of various rehabilitation projects on campus.

The new security aide, a native of Catskill, has a Bachelor of Arts from Syracuse University where he majored in zoology. Currently, he is enrolled in the graduate program of the Department of Geography. He has served as a marketing representative for Mershaw of America; a medical service representative with J.B. Roerig, a division of Pfizer Inc.; and a marketing representative for Shell Oil Company. He also served two years as a plainclothes investigator for U.S. Army intelligence in West Germany.

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AIR POLLUTION WORKSHOP SCHEDULED

Two openings for residents of Albany or Rensselaer counties remain in the Air Pollution Workshop to be held July 30-Aug. 4 at the Atmospheric Sciences Research Center's Whiteface Mountain Field Station. The two-credit graduate course is a cooperative undertaking by the ASRC of State University of New York at Albany, 10 chapters of the Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association, and the university's School of Education and College of General Studies.

Stipends of \$75 for teachers located in the area served by the Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association of the Capital District are available. Applications, which will close July 15, are being received by Robert G. Nurnberger, of the College of General Studies, and Raymond E. Falconer, of ASRC.

Scheduled speakers include several SUNYA faculty members who will discuss topics related to air pollution and weather, cleansing processes, transportation effects, plant and animal damage, economic aspects, population, and urbanization.

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GROUP DEVELOPMENT SERIES AT SUNYA

Underway at State University of New York at Albany this month is a colloquium series in group development planned as an aid in inaugurating the new sequence of group development - group counseling courses and as a means of providing students in the university's department of counseling and personnel services with an opportunity to interact with leading figures in group work. The series has been arranged by Floyd I. Brewer, associate professor, and Walter Lifton, professor, in the department.

At the opening session, Shirley Zeitlin, assistant professor of education and director of the Child Study Center at State University College at New Paltz, led a demonstration-participation experience in the effect of the individual on a group. The second session will be concerned with group approaches to self exploration. The laboratory experience will be directed by Bruce Irons, a member of the Center for Humanistic Education staff at the University of Massachusetts.

Other meetings in the series will include a marathon group experience, to be led by Peter McManus, director of pupil personnel services for the North Colonie Central Schools and a former president of the New York State Personnel and Guidance Association; group development film festival; group dynamics and counseling, Edward Maurer, coordinator of training, Center for Humanistic Education at Glenmont, affiliated with SUNYA; and group work in real life, George Pilkey, director of advisement counseling and testing at Fulton-Montgomery Community College in Johnstown.

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SUNYA DEPARTMENTS TO MOVE

The departments of economics, sociology, and foundations of education at State University of New York at Albany will move their offices into the Mohawk Tower on Indian Quadrangle in mid-August, relieving the pressures of overcrowding in the Social Sciences and Education buildings. They will occupy the first of some 200 offices that will be available when rewiring and installation of new lighting is completed.

The tower was designed originally as a student residence, but the number of students living on campus has declined and the space will not be needed. The university is renting the tower from the New York State Dormitory Authority.

The tower will have a social science orientation when it is fully occupied. The School of Criminal Justice is slated to move from its space in the library basement in January, and the Graduate School of Public Affairs and the School of Social Welfare will move from Draper Hall next summer.

No classes will be held in the tower, although there will be about 10 rooms which could be used for graduate seminars. In addition, the lounge areas on the top floor will be available for department meetings, seminars, and special programs. Departments currently are discussing the possibilities of making joint use of

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faculty and space for research.

Another move in mid-August will see the College of General Studies go from the Administration Building to the first floor of Draper. An increasing number of general studies classes will be held in Draper as the building is more accessible to the part-time student community the college serves. The graduate admissions office of the College of Arts and Sciences will move from the Social Sciences Building to space vacated by general studies.

When the two graduate schools move from Draper next summer, that space will be assumed for classes and offices of the new James E. Allen, Jr., Collegiate Center which will have all its facilities in Brubacher Hall on Alumni Quadrangle this year. Special clinics and centers now in Husted and Richardson halls will remain there.

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SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP AT SUNYA

Approximately 150 persons will attend a four-day School Business Management Workshop which begins Sunday, July 16, at State University of New York at Albany under the sponsorship of the university's Department of Educational Administration and the Division of Educational Management Service of the State Education Department. Members of the program planning committee are Richard R. Ahola, August E. Cerrito, and James O. Haydon, of the State Education Department; Arnold E. Elman, graduate student; and Robert L. Lorette, professor of educational administration at SUNYA and conference director.

Discussion topics will include "Management in the 70's", "The Role of the Chief School Officer in Modern School Management", "Vandalism and Security in New York State Schools", "Formulation of Educational Legislation", "The Business of School Business", "New Dimensions in School Finance", and "New Legislation".

The conference is being held at the State Quadrangle.

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NEW TELESCOPE AT SUNYA

A Boller and Chivens telescope with a 16-inch reflector mirror has been installed on the roof of the Earth Science Building at State University of New York at Albany. It will be used for classes in astronomy.

The telescope, primarily a photographic instrument, stands about six feet in height and is three-feet square. Its weight is about 3500 pounds and the telescope tube is five feet in length.

Currently a group of students is involved in the construction of a photoelectric photometer which is used to study the magnitudes of stars in certain colors. Such studies reveal the differences in stellar magnitudes and accent the differences among stars.

Both undergraduate and graduate students will use the telescope. It will be particularly useful for the survey course in astronomy and for the undergraduate research courses.

Donald C. Schmalberger, of the university's department of astronomy and space science, will be manager of the facility and scheduling of its use will be under his direction.

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SUNYA SUMMER THEATRE TO OPEN

"Oh, What a Lovely War", the first production of the season of State University Summer Theatre, opens Wednesday night, July 19, at 8:30 in the Main Theatre of the Performing Arts Center, State University of New York at Albany, for a four-night run.

The play is an examination of World War I through songs, dances, projections, and sketches created by Britain's famed Joan Littlewood and her Theatre Workshop company in London. The work contrasts the frivolous life of the civilian with the almost certain death faced each day by the enlisted man.

A ticket for both shows of the season is \$4, with tickets for each production priced singly at \$2.50. The PAC box office will be open from 12 noon to 3 p.m. weekdays and from 7 o'clock on production nights.

In the fourteen-member cast are Charles Alfred, Bertilla Baker, Frank Brown, Joseph Cali, Mark Cenci, William C. Doscher, Sharon Fanning, Allannah Fitzgerald, Robert Hebert, Morton B. Hess, Robert Levitt, Robin Sagon, Jessica D. Scherer, and Robert Verini. Robert Sugarman, who directed "Without a Bugle, Without a Drum" in the Capital District last season, is the director of "Oh, What a Lovely War". It is produced by Jarka Burian and designed by Edward Mendus. Others involved in the production include Stephen Hirsch, musical director; Polly Landess, choreography; Jo Oliver, costumes; and Erwin Wilder, scenery. Deborah Beecher is stage manager; Caroline Meyers, accompanist; Kenneth Kalis, house manager; and Katherine O'Connor, box office manager.

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"THE TRIAL" IN SUNYA SUMMER THEATRE

"The Trial," second 1972 production of the revived State University at Albany Summer Theatre, will be presented on campus Wednesday-Saturday, July 26-29, in the Performing Arts Center Arena Theatre. Clinton J. Atkinson, visiting professor from Vassar College, is directing the play.

Written by Franz Kafka, "The Trial" has been translated to the stage by French novelist Andre Gide and actor-director Jean-Louis Barrault. It portrays Joseph K, a minor cog in the framework of a super-bureaucracy, who is arrested for a "crime" he has not committed. As Joseph K travels from arrest to execution, Kafka paints a portrait of totalitarianism and its systematic destruction of freedom.

Ron Vawter plays Joseph K in the Summer Theatre production. Other members of the cast of 33 include Lillian Greene, well-known Albany actress; Stephen Aminoff, Jaik Schubert, and Allan Cooper, Jr.

Jarka Burian is producing "The Trial," tickets for which may be purchased for \$2.50 each at the PAC box office, noon-3 p.m. weekdays and from 7 p.m. nights of the performance. Curtain time is 8:30 p.m.

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HOLSTEIN NAMED ACTING DEAN

William K. Holstein, formerly of the Harvard University faculty, is acting dean of the School of Business, State University at Albany. He assumed the position July 1 and will begin his regular appointment as professor and associate dean for the School of Business, September 1.

Dr. Holstein will continue as acting dean, pending the results of the search committee named to choose a successor to W. Warren Haynes, who passed away April 18.

Most recently, Dr. Holstein served as subprogram chairman of the first-year Master of Business Administration program at the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration. Prior to joining Harvard in 1964, he was on the faculty of the Purdue University Krannert Graduate School of Industrial Administration for five years. He also spent two summers at the Singapore Institute of Management and has served as a consultant to more than a dozen agencies and companies, including IT&T, Gillette Safety Razor Co., Sun Oil Co., and the U.S. Agency for International Development.

Dr. Holstein is a graduate of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, from which he received a degree in chemical engineering. He earned both a Master of Science in industrial management and a Ph. D. in economics at Purdue.

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5,000 AT SUNYA SUMMER SCHOOL

Some 5,000 students are enrolled in the current summer session at State University of New York at Albany. According to figures announced by Paul A. Saimond, interim director of summer sessions, 3,000 are graduate students or students in general studies who hold bachelor's degrees.

Of the estimated 2,000 undergraduates, 1,143 are upper division students (juniors and seniors). About 10% of the total enrollment and 25% of the undergraduates are students from other colleges, most of whom live in the area and wish to accelerate their programs by taking summer classes.

Budget restrictions have led to a 10% reduction in enrollment this summer, as compared with 1971. There are approximately 100 fewer courses and 50 fewer faculty. Mr. Saimond notes, however, that "we have maintained a quality program that is educationally viable even though we did experience fiscal cutbacks."

Of the 270 faculty members, 30 are visiting faculty, who, according to Mr. Saimond, "are highly respected in their various fields." About 600 courses are available.

SUNYA is offering the only federally-funded Adult Basic Education Program anywhere in the United States this summer. Twenty-eight states,

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Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands will be represented among those registered for credit in the institute, which begins July 31.

Other special programs include the minorities instruction seminar in Germany conducted by SUNYA faculty, the driver training institute, the air resources seminar, and the institute in bi-lingual education.

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INTERDISCIPLINARY MAJOR

An undergraduate major in interdisciplinary studies leading to a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree will be initiated during the fall semester at State University at Albany. The proposal, under consideration for more than two years, has been approved by the College of Arts and Sciences, the Undergraduate Academic Council, the Executive Committee of the University Senate, and State University of New York.

Undergraduates may pursue a course of study which constitutes a major even though the areas of study contributing to the major are found in more than one department. To participate, they must display evidence of intellectual maturity and a capability for independent work. Also, they must be able to defend their proposals in terms of overall academic goals. The major may be composed of up to 25% independent study.

Among examples of areas that transcend traditional academic departmental lines are linguistics, urban studies, and environmental studies.

The study of environmental problems is particularly applicable. Professor of educational administration Paul G. Bulger, who has chaired the ad hoc committee for environmental studies, notes, "this definitely is interdisciplinary in nature. Environmental problems necessitate a person educated across a broad spectrum, because the problems are not confined to one field of study."

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The new interdisciplinary major will provide faculty members, whose training and interest qualify them to develop a program of studies which cuts across present departmental lines with the opportunity to offer such a major to students. Under the new program the major proposed must be made up of coherent studies of at least 36, but no more than 66, credits involving course work in at least two departments.

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NURSING GRANT

The recently accredited School of Nursing at State University of New York at Albany has received a \$27, 112 grant from the Division of Nursing, Public Health Service, National Institute of Health. Based on current and anticipated enrollment, the grant will provide funds for three projects which are intended to improve the quality of nursing education and service in the area.

In acknowledging the receipt of the grant, Dorothy M. Major, dean of the school, said, "We welcome the opportunity to expand our program and provide services so vitally needed in the area and in the profession. These added funds will permit us to pursue areas of study and service impossible previously because of fiscal limitations."

Plans are being made to develop an inservice education program to advance the skills of licensed practical nurses employed in area nursing homes. A series of three-day workshops, beginning in the spring of 1973, will be augmented by half-day lectures and discussion groups scheduled monthly throughout the year.

The School of Nursing will begin a program this fall to recruit and retain nursing applicants from educationally and financially deprived backgrounds. The program will be developed and conducted in cooperation with the Educational Opportunities Program at the university.

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Some of the funds from the grant will be devoted to supporting efforts of the SUNYA school to serve as the center of the consortium of nursing programs in the upstate New York region as outlined by the Governor's Executive Order in 1971. SUNYA's nursing school personnel will collaborate with staffs of the two other baccalaureate degree-awarding schools and the nine schools offering the associate degree to arrange for more efficient use of resources and personnel.

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OPEN EDUCATION WORKSHOP

The second of two sessions of an open education summer workshop in curriculum reform is underway at Alton Farnsworth Middle School, Guilderland and will continue through Aug. 4. The first session was held June 26-July 17 at the University of Manchester, England.

The workshop is co-sponsored by the State University at Albany department of curriculum and instruction and the University of Manchester. The Manchester session was concerned with on-site observation and critical examination of open education; the Albany session is concentrating on planning and production.

Course directors are Alexinia Y. Baldwin, visiting assistant professor in the SUNYA department of curriculum and instruction, and W.G.A. Rudd, University of Manchester.

A list of the participants follows:

Baker, Carmela (Mrs.)
Reading Specialist
Roosevelt School-Utica Schools

Bedell, Doris (Miss)
Director of Education
Arbor Hill School-Albany

Bellino, Elizabeth (Miss)
Teacher Aide
Arbor Hill district-Albany

Boyd, Eleanor (Mrs.)
Kindergarten Consultant
Richmond Virginia Public Schools

Brinda, Mary (Mrs.)
6th Grade elem. teacher
Waverly Central School-Waverly, N. Y.

Cypert, Susan (Miss)
English
Ticonderoga High School

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Engle, Mary Lou (Mrs.)
Teacher's Assistant 2nd Gr.
Glendale School - Scotia, N. Y.

Getman, Kathleen (Mrs.)
Teacher 2nd Grade
Arbor Hill Schools - Albany

Hill, Alvania A. (Mrs.)
Teacher 4th Grade
Arbor Hill School - Albany

Jordan, Elena (Miss)
Teacher,
Washington Irving Living Center
Albany

Kimball, Belva (Mrs.)
Principal - Elementary
Averill Park Central School

Leese, Robyn (Miss)
Teacher
Delmar

Lindsey, Rose (Miss)
Teacher 6th Grade
Waverly Central Schools -
Waverly, N. Y.

MacDonald, Joyce (Mrs.)
Teacher 5th Grade
Fulton, N. Y.

Murphy, Joseph
Teacher Grade 5
Lake George Elementary

Murphy, Ruthellyn (Mrs.)
Grades 1 & 2
Lake George Elementary

Nicosia, Joseph
Undergraduate-Independent Study
SUNYA

Park, Suzanne (Mrs.)
Nursery School Director-Teacher
Troy, N. Y.

Peightel, John (Dr.)
Rensselaer

Poston, Mary Anne (Dr.)
Teacher-Education
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Pryba, Maureen
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Scotia - Glenville, N. Y.

Rogers, Laura (Mrs.)
Teacher-Grade 1
West Sand Lake Elem.
Averill Park School District

Thetga, Sally (Miss)
Teacher - Grades 1 & 2
Lake George Elementary School

Torkarsky, Marilyn (Mrs.)
Grade 2
Paige Elementary School - Schenectady, N. Y.

Charlton, Barbara (Mrs.)
Teacher - Grade 1
Ballston Lake

Kosinski, Sharon (Mrs.)
Teacher - Grade 3
Stevens Elementary School - Burnt Hills

McCorry, Kathleen
Teacher - Grade 3
Wayne Central School Dist. - Rochester

Quackenbush, Gail
Arbor Hills - Albany Schools

Sauter, Edward
Asst. Supt. Curriculum
Ballston Spa Schools

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ASSOCIATE DEAN, DEPARTMENT CHAIRMAN NAMED

Two members of the State University of New York at Albany faculty have been appointed by President Louis T. Benezet to administrative positions within their academic areas. Melvin K. Bers, chairman of the department of economics, is the new associate dean for the Division of Social and Behavioral Sciences, College of Arts and Sciences; and Frederick H. Truscott, formerly vice chairman of the department of biological sciences, has been promoted to department chairman.

Dr. Bers, a SUNYA faculty member since 1965, replaces acting associate dean Kendall Birr. Before coming to Albany, Dr. Bers taught at the University of Denver, University of California at Berkeley, and Carnegie Institute of Technology. He has also held positions with the department of research and statistics, Communications Workers of America; Institute of Industrial Relations, University of California at Berkeley; Special Training Institute for Labor Market Analysts, New York State Department of Employment; and as a consultant to Flying Tiger Airlines, U.S. Office of Economic Opportunity, National Civil Service League. Dr. Bers received his A.B. and M.A. degrees from George Washington University and his Ph.D. in economics from Berkeley.

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The research has been supported by NSF since 1962 at the University of California, Riverside, and later at the University of Utah, where Dr. Das was employed prior to coming to Albany in 1971.

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Department of Labor; Russell Rupp, \$5,300, National Science Foundation; Ramaswamy H. Sarma, chemistry, \$6,052, National Cancer Institute; Ramond G. Stross, biology, \$18,400, National Science Foundation; Hans H. Toch, criminal justice, \$130,814, National Institute of Mental Health; and Bernard Vonnegut and Henry Chessin, atmospheric science and physics, \$35,400, National Science Foundation.

Sponsored programs receiving funds are "Social Studies Seminar for Central American Teachers", Frank Carrino, \$5,000, Agency for International Development; "Motorcycle Operator Education Institute", Richard Ellis, \$2,230, State Education Department; "Summer and Continuing Institute for Training Curriculum Leaders and Developers for Adult Basic Education", John A. Ether, \$75,000, U.S. Office of Education; "Bilingual Education Project", Richard L. Light, \$160,004, U.S. Office of Education.

Also, "Graduate Training Program in Psychiatric Social Work", Charles T. O'Reilly, \$34,377, National Institute of Mental Health; "Title VI Instructional Equipment Grants Program - Category I" and "Title VI Instructional Equipment Grants Program - Category II", Robert C. Rowe, \$48,485, U.S. Office of Education.

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ADULT EDUCATION INSTITUTE

Some 55 leaders in adult education from 30 states, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands, are expected to attend the seventh annual Institute for Curriculum Development in Adult Education, July 31-August 18, at State University of New York at Albany. The institute is sponsored by the university's department of curriculum and instruction in the School of Education.

Albany is the only university in the United States offering a graduate program specializing in curriculum planning and development for personnel working with the undereducated adult. The institute is designed to train participants to recognize behavior to be effected in the under-educated adult that will make him more employable and effective. Also, participants learn how to design a model for planning, conducting, and evaluating in-service training for teachers.

Project director for the institute is John A. Ether, SUNYA professor of curriculum and instruction. Program director is Harry Lewis, lecturer in curriculum and instruction. Also on the staff are John Camper of the State of California Department of Adult Education and Daniel Ganeles, associate professor of curriculum and instruction at SUNYA.

Other university faculty who will participate in the institute include department chairman Joseph Leese, Mauritz Johnson,

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and J. Anthony Bosco, all of curriculum and instruction; John H. Rosebach, educational psychology and statistics department chairman; and Antonio Perez, Puerto Rican program.

In addition, guest speakers will include Ralph Poe, director of housing for the Urban League; Joseph Magano of the New York State Department of Adult Education; Thomas Clyne from England; Daniel Boone, University of North Carolina; Bruce Joyce, Columbia University; and Donald Mocker, University of Missouri.

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EIGHT SUNYA STUDENTS TO STUDY IN MEXICO

Eight students from State University of New York at Albany will be among 36 students from SUNY campuses at Albany, Binghamton, and Brockport who will spend the fall 1972 semester in Cuernavaca, Mexico. They will study at two independent institutions in the Mexican city: Centro Intercultural de Documentacion and Centro de Artes y Lenguas.

The program is co-sponsored by the Albany and Brockport units, but is open to all SUNY students. It provides an opportunity for interested students to immerse themselves in a linguistic, social, political, and economic environment substantially different from their own. They also are able to learn the Spanish language in a relatively short period.

Classes in Cuernavaca begin Sept. 4. The resident director for the fall program is John Dougherty, professor of Latin American History at Brockport. Frank G. Carrino, director of the Center for Inter-American studies at SUNYA, is director of the Cuernavaca program.

The fall term will continue through the first week in December. Another group of students will attend the spring semester in Cuernavaca, February-May.

Students from the Albany campus who will attend this fall's program are:

Grosz, Kathy Jean
60 Shawnee Ave.
Yonkers, N.Y.

Melendez, Juan Jose
513 West 176th St.
New York, N.Y.

Rodriguez, Jose Antonio
60 East 104th St.
New York, N.Y.

PINKERTON VISITING PROFESSOR AT SUNYA

Margaret Q. Warren, of Sacramento, Calif., who most recently has been affiliated with the California Youth Authority, will become the Robert A. Pinkerton Visiting Professor in Criminal Justice for 1972-73 at State University of New York at Albany. She is considered to be one of the outstanding women criminologists in the United States.

Dr. Warren's Interpersonal Maturity Level Classification System now is used throughout the California Correctional System. She holds degrees from Western Reserve University and from the University of California, Berkeley, where she received a Master of Arts in psychology and a Doctor of Philosophy in clinical psychology. For five years she served as program director of the Center for Training in Differential Treatment, sponsored by the American Justice Institute and the National Institute of Mental Health. Prior to that time she was principal investigator for the Community Treatment Project sponsored by the California Youth Authority and the National Institute of Mental Health.

As Pinkerton Professor in the School of Criminal Justice, Dr. Warren will teach an advanced seminar and serve as a resource person in seminars taught by other faculty members. The position was made possible by a three-year grant of \$150,000

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from the Pinkerton Foundation in New York.

Dr. Warren is a certified psychologist in the State of California. Her consultantships include the NIMH Crime and Delinquency Committee, President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice, Nevada Youth Training Center, Ohio Youth Commission, University of Denver Law School, Russell Sage Foundation, University of Chicago Center for Studies of Criminal Justice, Honolulu Family Court, and Ontario Institute for Studies in Education.

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CHIEF PARKING OFFICER AT SUNYA

Karl W. Scharl has been transferred from the Office of Planning and Development at State University of New York at Albany where he was assistant facilities program coordinator, to the university's Office of Security, where he has been named assistant director of security. His responsibilities will include traffic enforcement and parking control as primary concerns.

Mr. Scharl joined the university staff in 1966. Since that time he has had the responsibility for coordinating, and writing specifications for, equipment purchased for the university and also coordinating installation of new equipment. More recently, his duties have included the coordination of various rehabilitation projects on campus.

The new security aide, a native of Catskill, has a Bachelor of Arts from Syracuse University where he majored in zoology. Currently, he is enrolled in the graduate program of the Department of Geography. He has served as a marketing representative for Mershaw of America; a medical service representative with J.B. Roerig, a division of Pfizer Inc.; and a marketing representative for Shell Oil Company. He also served two years as a plainclothes investigator for U.S. Army intelligence in West Germany.

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AIR POLLUTION WORKSHOP SCHEDULED

Two openings for residents of Albany or Rensselaer counties remain in the Air Pollution Workshop to be held July 30-Aug. 4 at the Atmospheric Sciences Research Center's Whiteface Mountain Field Station. The two-credit graduate course is a cooperative undertaking by the ASRC of State University of New York at Albany, 10 chapters of the Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association, and the university's School of Education and College of General Studies.

Stipends of \$75 for teachers located in the area served by the Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association of the Capital District are available. Applications, which will close July 15, are being received by Robert G. Nurnberger, of the College of General Studies, and Raymond E. Falconer, of ASRC.

Scheduled speakers include several SUNYA faculty members who will discuss topics related to air pollution and weather, cleansing processes, transportation effects, plant and animal damage, economic aspects, population, and urbanization.

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GROUP DEVELOPMENT SERIES AT SUNYA

Underway at State University of New York at Albany this month is a colloquium series in group development planned as an aid in inaugurating the new sequence of group development - group counseling courses and as a means of providing students in the university's department of counseling and personnel services with an opportunity to interact with leading figures in group work. The series has been arranged by Floyd I. Brewer, associate professor, and Walter Lifton, professor, in the department.

At the opening session, Shirley Zeitlin, assistant professor of education and director of the Child Study Center at State University College at New Paltz, led a demonstration-participation experience in the effect of the individual on a group. The second session will be concerned with group approaches to self exploration. The laboratory experience will be directed by Bruce Irons, a member of the Center for Humanistic Education staff at the University of Massachusetts.

Other meetings in the series will include a marathon group experience, to be led by Peter McManus, director of pupil personnel services for the North Colonie Central Schools and a former president of the New York State Personnel and Guidance Association; group development film festival; group dynamics and counseling, Edward Maurer, coordinator of training, Center for Humanistic Education at Glenmont, affiliated with SUNYA; and group work in real life, George Pilkey, director of advisement counseling and testing at Fulton-Montgomery Community College in Johnstown.

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SUNYA DEPARTMENTS TO MOVE

The departments of economics, sociology, and foundations of education at State University of New York at Albany will move their offices into the Mohawk Tower on Indian Quadrangle in mid-August, relieving the pressures of overcrowding in the Social Sciences and Education buildings. They will occupy the first of some 200 offices that will be available when rewiring and installation of new lighting is completed.

The tower was designed originally as a student residence, but the number of students living on campus has declined and the space will not be needed. The university is renting the tower from the New York State Dormitory Authority.

The tower will have a social science orientation when it is fully occupied. The School of Criminal Justice is slated to move from its space in the library basement in January, and the Graduate School of Public Affairs and the School of Social Welfare will move from Draper Hall next summer.

No classes will be held in the tower, although there will be about 10 rooms which could be used for graduate seminars. In addition, the lounge areas on the top floor will be available for department meetings, seminars, and special programs. Departments currently are discussing the possibilities of making joint use of

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faculty and space for research.

Another move in mid-August will see the College of General Studies go from the Administration Building to the first floor of Draper. An increasing number of general studies classes will be held in Draper as the building is more accessible to the part-time student community the college serves. The graduate admissions office of the College of Arts and Sciences will move from the Social Sciences Building to space vacated by general studies.

When the two graduate schools move from Draper next summer, that space will be assumed for classes and offices of the new James E. Allen, Jr., Collegiate Center which will have all its facilities in Brubacher Hall on Alumni Quadrangle this year. Special clinics and centers now in Husted and Richardson halls will remain there.

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SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP AT SUNYA

Approximately 150 persons will attend a four-day School Business Management Workshop which begins Sunday, July 16, at State University of New York at Albany under the sponsorship of the university's Department of Educational Administration and the Division of Educational Management Service of the State Education Department. Members of the program planning committee are Richard R. Ahola, August E. Cerrito, and James O. Haydon, of the State Education Department; Arnold E. Elman, graduate student; and Robert L. Lorette, professor of educational administration at SUNYA and conference director.

Discussion topics will include "Management in the 70's", "The Role of the Chief School Officer in Modern School Management", "Vandalism and Security in New York State Schools", "Formulation of Educational Legislation", "The Business of School Business", "New Dimensions in School Finance", and "New Legislation".

The conference is being held at the State Quadrangle.

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NEW TELESCOPE AT SUNYA

A Boller and Chivens telescope with a 16-inch reflector mirror has been installed on the roof of the Earth Science Building at State University of New York at Albany. It will be used for classes in astronomy.

The telescope, primarily a photographic instrument, stands about six feet in height and is three-feet square. Its weight is about 3500 pounds and the telescope tube is five feet in length.

Currently a group of students is involved in the construction of a photoelectric photometer which is used to study the magnitudes of stars in certain colors. Such studies reveal the differences in stellar magnitudes and accent the differences among stars.

Both undergraduate and graduate students will use the telescope. It will be particularly useful for the survey course in astronomy and for the undergraduate research courses.

Donald C. Schmalberger, of the university's department of astronomy and space science, will be manager of the facility and scheduling of its use will be under his direction.

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SUNYA SUMMER THEATRE TO OPEN

"Oh, What a Lovely War", the first production of the season of State University Summer Theatre, opens Wednesday night, July 19, at 8:30 in the Main Theatre of the Performing Arts Center, State University of New York at Albany, for a four-night run.

The play is an examination of World War I through songs, dances, projections, and sketches created by Britain's famed Joan Littlewood and her Theatre Workshop company in London. The work contrasts the frivolous life of the civilian with the almost certain death faced each day by the enlisted man.

A ticket for both shows of the season is \$4, with tickets for each production priced singly at \$2.50. The PAC box office will be open from 12 noon to 3 p.m. weekdays and from 7 o'clock on production nights.

In the fourteen-member cast are Charles Alfred, Bertilla Baker, Frank Brown, Joseph Cali, Mark Cenci, William C. Doscher, Sharon Fanning, Allanah Fitzgerald, Robert Hebert, Morton B. Hess, Robert Levitt, Robin Sagon, Jessica D. Scherer, and Robert Verini. Robert Sugarman, who directed "Without a Bugle, Without a Drum" in the Capital District last season, is the director of "Oh, What a Lovely War". It is produced by Jarka Burian and designed by Edward Mendus. Others involved in the production include Stephen Hirsch, musical director; Polly Landess, choreography; Jo Oliver, costumes; and Erwin Wilder, scenery. Deborah Beecher is stage manager; Caroline Meyers, accompanist; Kenneth Kalis, house manager; and Katherine O'Connor, box office manager.

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"THE TRIAL" IN SUNYA SUMMER THEATRE

"The Trial," second 1972 production of the revived State University at Albany Summer Theatre, will be presented on campus Wednesday-Saturday, July 26-29, in the Performing Arts Center Arena Theatre. Clinton J. Atkinson, visiting professor from Vassar College, is directing the play.

Written by Franz Kafka, "The Trial" has been translated to the stage by French novelist Andre Gide and actor-director Jean-Louis Barrault. It portrays Joseph K, a minor cog in the framework of a super-bureaucracy, who is arrested for a "crime" he has not committed. As Joseph K travels from arrest to execution, Kafka paints a portrait of totalitarianism and its systematic destruction of freedom.

Ron Vawter plays Joseph K in the Summer Theatre production. Other members of the cast of 33 include Lillian Greene, well-known Albany actress; Stephen Aminoff, Jaik Schubert, and Allan Cooper, Jr.

Jarka Burian is producing "The Trial," tickets for which may be purchased for \$2.50 each at the PAC box office, noon-3 p.m. weekdays and from 7 p.m. nights of the performance. Curtain time is 8:30 p.m.

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HOLSTEIN NAMED ACTING DEAN

William K. Holstein, formerly of the Harvard University faculty, is acting dean of the School of Business, State University at Albany. He assumed the position July 1 and will begin his regular appointment as professor and associate dean for the School of Business, September 1.

Dr. Holstein will continue as acting dean, pending the results of the search committee named to choose a successor to W. Warren Haynes, who passed away April 18.

Most recently, Dr. Holstein served as subprogram chairman of the first-year Master of Business Administration program at the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration. Prior to joining Harvard in 1964, he was on the faculty of the Purdue University Krannert Graduate School of Industrial Administration for five years. He also spent two summers at the Singapore Institute of Management and has served as a consultant to more than a dozen agencies and companies, including IT&T, Gillette Safety Razor Co., Sun Oil Co., and the U.S. Agency for International Development.

Dr. Holstein is a graduate of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, from which he received a degree in chemical engineering. He earned both a Master of Science in industrial management and a Ph. D. in economics at Purdue.

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5, 000 AT SUNYA SUMMER SCHOOL

Some 5, 000 students are enrolled in the current summer session at State University of New York at Albany. According to figures announced by Paul A. Saimond, interim director of summer sessions, 3, 000 are graduate students or students in general studies who hold bachelor's degrees.

Of the estimated 2, 000 undergraduates, 1, 143 are upper division students (juniors and seniors). About 10% of the total enrollment and 25% of the undergraduates are students from other colleges, most of whom live in the area and wish to accelerate their programs by taking summer classes.

Budget restrictions have led to a 10% reduction in enrollment this summer, as compared with 1971. There are approximately 100 fewer courses and 50 fewer faculty. Mr. Saimond notes, however, that "we have maintained a quality program that is educationally viable even though we did experience fiscal cutbacks."

Of the 270 faculty members, 30 are visiting faculty, who, according to Mr. Saimond, "are highly respected in their various fields." About 600 courses are available.

SUNYA is offering the only federally-funded Adult Basic Education Program anywhere in the United States this summer. Twenty-eight states,

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Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands will be represented among those registered for credit in the institute, which begins July 31.

Other special programs include the minorities instruction seminar in Germany conducted by SUNYA faculty, the driver training institute, the air resources seminar, and the institute in bi-lingual education.

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INTERDISCIPLINARY MAJOR

An undergraduate major in interdisciplinary studies leading to a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree will be initiated during the fall semester at State University at Albany. The proposal, under consideration for more than two years, has been approved by the College of Arts and Sciences, the Undergraduate Academic Council, the Executive Committee of the University Senate, and State University of New York.

Undergraduates may pursue a course of study which constitutes a major even though the areas of study contributing to the major are found in more than one department. To participate, they must display evidence of intellectual maturity and a capability for independent work. Also, they must be able to defend their proposals in terms of overall academic goals. The major may be composed of up to 25% independent study.

Among examples of areas that transcend traditional academic departmental lines are linguistics, urban studies, and environmental studies.

The study of environmental problems is particularly applicable. Professor of educational administration Paul G. Bulger, who has chaired the ad hoc committee for environmental studies, notes, "this definitely is interdisciplinary in nature. Environmental problems necessitate a person educated across a broad spectrum, because the problems are not confined to one field of study."

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The new interdisciplinary major will provide faculty members, whose training and interest qualify them to develop a program of studies which cuts across present departmental lines with the opportunity to offer such a major to students. Under the new program the major proposed must be made up of coherent studies of at least 36, but no more than 66, credits involving course work in at least two departments.

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NURSING GRANT

The recently accredited School of Nursing at State University of New York at Albany has received a \$27, 112 grant from the Division of Nursing, Public Health Service, National Institute of Health. Based on current and anticipated enrollment, the grant will provide funds for three projects which are intended to improve the quality of nursing education and service in the area.

In acknowledging the receipt of the grant, Dorothy M. Major, dean of the school, said, "We welcome the opportunity to expand our program and provide services so vitally needed in the area and in the profession. These added funds will permit us to pursue areas of study and service impossible previously because of fiscal limitations."

Plans are being made to develop an inservice education program to advance the skills of licensed practical nurses employed in area nursing homes. A series of three-day workshops, beginning in the spring of 1973, will be augmented by half-day lectures and discussion groups scheduled monthly throughout the year.

The School of Nursing will begin a program this fall to recruit and retain nursing applicants from educationally and financially deprived backgrounds. The program will be developed and conducted in cooperation with the Educational Opportunities Program at the university.

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Some of the funds from the grant will be devoted to supporting efforts of the SUNYA school to serve as the center of the consortium of nursing programs in the upstate New York region as outlined by the Governor's Executive Order in 1971. SUNYA's nursing school personnel will collaborate with staffs of the two other baccalaureate degree-awarding schools and the nine schools offering the associate degree to arrange for more efficient use of resources and personnel.

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OPEN EDUCATION WORKSHOP

The second of two sessions of an open education summer workshop in curriculum reform is underway at Alton Farnsworth Middle School, Guilderland and will continue through Aug. 4. The first session was held June 26-July 17 at the University of Manchester, England.

The workshop is co-sponsored by the State University at Albany department of curriculum and instruction and the University of Manchester. The Manchester session was concerned with on-site observation and critical examination of open education; the Albany session is concentrating on planning and production.

Course directors are Alexinia Y. Baldwin, visiting assistant professor in the SUNYA department of curriculum and instruction, and W.G.A. Rudd, University of Manchester.

A list of the participants follows:

Baker, Carmela (Mrs.)
Reading Specialist
Roosevelt School-Utica Schools

Bedell, Doris (Miss)
Director of Education
Arbor Hill School-Albany

Bellino, Elizabeth (Miss)
Teacher Aide
Arbor Hill district-Albany

Boyd, Eleanor (Mrs.)
Kindergarten Consultant
Richmond Virginia Public Schools

Brinda, Mary (Mrs.)
6th Grade elem. teacher
Waverly Central School-Waverly, N. Y.

Cypert, Susan (Miss)
English
Ticonderoga High School

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Engle, Mary Lou (Mrs.)
Teacher's Assistant 2nd Gr.
Glendale School - Scotia, N. Y.

Getman, Kathleen (Mrs.)
Teacher 2nd Grade
Arbor Hill Schools - Albany

Hill, Alvania A. (Mrs.)
Teacher 4th Grade
Arbor Hill School - Albany

Jordan, Elena (Miss)
Teacher,
Washington Irving Living Center
Albany

Kimball, Belva (Mrs.)
Principal - Elementary
Averill Park Central School

Leese, Robyn (Miss)
Teacher
Delmar

Lindsey, Rose (Miss)
Teacher 6th Grade
Waverly Central Schools -
Waverly, N. Y.

MacDonald, Joyce (Mrs.)
Teacher 5th Grade
Fulton, N. Y.

Murphy, Joseph
Teacher Grade 5
Lake George Elementary

Murphy, Ruthelilyn (Mrs.)
Grades 1 & 2
Lake George Elementary

Nicosia, Joseph
Undergraduate - Independent Study
SUNYA

Park, Suzanne (Mrs.)
Nursery School Director - Teacher
Troy, N. Y.

Peightel, John (Dr.)
Rensselaer

Poston, Mary Anne (Dr.)
Teacher - Education
State Univ. College - Plattsburgh, N. Y.

Pryba, Maureen
Teacher 5th & 6th Grade
Scotia - Glenville, N. Y.

Rogers, Laura (Mrs.)
Teacher - Grade 1
West Sand Lake Elem.
Averill Park School District

Thetga, Sally (Miss)
Teacher - Grades 1 & 2
Lake George Elementary School

Torkarsky, Marilyn (Mrs.)
Grade 2
Paige Elementary School - Schenectady, N. Y.

Charlton, Barbara (Mrs.)
Teacher - Grade 1
Ballston Lake

Kosinski, Sharon (Mrs.)
Teacher - Grade 3
Stevens Elementary School - Burnt Hills

McCorry, Kathleen
Teacher - Grade 3
Wayne Central School Dist. - Rochester

Quackenbush, Gail
Arbor Hills - Albany Schools

Sauter, Edward
Asst. Supt. Curriculum
Ballston Spa Schools

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Also, Nan Lin, sociology, \$39, 997, Office of Civil Defense; Peter Marfey, biology, \$47, 880, National Institute of Mental Health; Donald McNaught, biology, \$95, 043, Environmental Protection Agency; Volker A. Mohnen, ASRC, \$46, 200, National Science Foundation; Yash P. Myer, chemistry, \$30, 000, National Science Foundation; Paul Pimsleur, education, \$73, 861, U.S. Office of Education; Edward Renshaw and Bruce Hartmann, economics, \$9, 995, U.S.

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Department of Labor; Russell Rupp, \$5,300, National Science Foundation; Ramaswamy H. Sarma, chemistry, \$6,052, National Cancer Institute; Ramond G. Stross, biology, \$18,400, National Science Foundation; Hans H. Toch, criminal justice, \$130,814, National Institute of Mental Health; and Bernard Vonnegut and Henry Chessin, atmospheric science and physics, \$35,400, National Science Foundation.

Sponsored programs receiving funds are "Social Studies Seminar for Central American Teachers", Frank Carrino, \$5,000, Agency for International Development; "Motorcycle Operator Education Institute", Richard Ellis, \$2,230, State Education Department; "Summer and Continuing Institute for Training Curriculum Leaders and Developers for Adult Basic Education", John A. Ether, \$75,000, U.S. Office of Education; "Bilingual Education Project", Richard L. Light, \$160,004, U.S. Office of Education.

Also, "Graduate Training Program in Psychiatric Social Work", Charles T. O'Reilly, \$34,377, National Institute of Mental Health; "Title VI Instructional Equipment Grants Program - Category I" and "Title VI Instructional Equipment Grants Program - Category II", Robert C. Rowe, \$48,485, U.S. Office of Education.

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ADULT EDUCATION INSTITUTE

Some 55 leaders in adult education from 30 states, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands, are expected to attend the seventh annual Institute for Curriculum Development in Adult Education, July 31-August 18, at State University of New York at Albany. The institute is sponsored by the university's department of curriculum and instruction in the School of Education.

Albany is the only university in the United States offering a graduate program specializing in curriculum planning and development for personnel working with the undereducated adult. The institute is designed to train participants to recognize behavior to be effected in the under-educated adult that will make him more employable and effective. Also, participants learn how to design a model for planning, conducting, and evaluating in-service training for teachers.

Project director for the institute is John A. Ether, SUNYA professor of curriculum and instruction. Program director is Harry Lewis, lecturer in curriculum and instruction. Also on the staff are John Camper of the State of California Department of Adult Education and Daniel Ganeles, associate professor of curriculum and instruction at SUNYA.

Other university faculty who will participate in the institute include department chairman Joseph Leese, Mauritz Johnson,

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and J. Anthony Bosco, all of curriculum and instruction;
John H. Rosebach, educational psychology and statistics
department chairman; and Antonio Perez, Puerto Rican program.

In addition, guest speakers will include Ralph Poe,
director of housing for the Urban League; Joseph Magano of
the New York State Department of Adult Education; Thomas
Clyne from England; Daniel Boone, University of North
Carolina; Bruce Joyce, Columbia University; and Donald
Mocker, University of Missouri.

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EIGHT SUNYA STUDENTS TO STUDY IN MEXICO

Eight students from State University of New York at Albany will be among 36 students from SUNY campuses at Albany, Binghamton, and Brockport who will spend the fall 1972 semester in Cuernavaca, Mexico. They will study at two independent institutions in the Mexican city: Centro Intercultural de Documentacion and Centro de Artes y Lenguas.

The program is co-sponsored by the Albany and Brockport units, but is open to all SUNY students. It provides an opportunity for interested students to immerse themselves in a linguistic, social, political, and economic environment substantially different from their own. They also are able to learn the Spanish language in a relatively short period.

Classes in Cuernavaca begin Sept. 4. The resident director for the fall program is John Dougherty, professor of Latin American History at Brockport. Frank G. Carrino, director of the Center for Inter-American studies at SUNYA, is director of the Cuernavaca program.

The fall term will continue through the first week in December. Another group of students will attend the spring semester in Cuernavaca, February-May.

Students from the Albany campus who will attend this fall's program are:

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