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## SUMMER SESSIONS AT SUNYA ATTRACT 5,000

A total of 5,000 students are expected to have registered in pre-session and other special summer programs at State University of New York at Albany. Paul A. Saimond, director of summer sessions, said that the number is equivalent to last summer's enrollment. Registration packets numbering 1,425 were completed last Monday for the regular six-week session alone, according to Registrar Donald W. Bunis. Many others already had preregistered for courses.

During the pre-session, which began the second week in June, some 60 courses were offered. All told, for the current summer sessions, an estimated 600 courses and 300 faculty are listed.

Director Saimond reports that there are "more and more demands for intensive three-week courses such as those offered during pre-session and for evening courses at both graduate and undergraduate levels." The number of evening classes has been increased this year. Some of them are of particular interest to general studies students and are offered through the Office of Summer Sessions.

The popular summer session in biology continues to be conducted at the Cranberry Lake field station. Students also may receive credit through the College of Arts and Sciences for programs at the Institute on Man and Science at Rensselaerville.

A small library program is being conducted in England under Dorothy Cole. It consists of a three-week course in British librarianship and a three-week internship in a British library.

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Four digs are going on this summer under the direction of the department of anthropology. They are located near the village of Lake George, in Wyoming, in Guatemala, and at the Saratoga Battlefield site.

Summer '75 is a varied group of activities produced and coordinated by the Office of Student Activities in cooperation with the Office of Residence and the Office of Food Service, Faculty-Student Association, for the enjoyment of members of the university community and their guests.

An innovation this year is a series of informal conversations called "Interactions." They will take place on Wednesdays, July 9, 16, 23, and 30, in the West Podium Gardens from noon till 1 p.m. Participating will be Jogindar Uppal, economics, "Inflation and Unemployment in the U.S.A."; Bernard Lentz, economics, "Political Economy and Public Employment"; Mary Ellen Stewart, placement, "The Most Effective Ways To Look for a Job"; and Martin Coffey, Counseling Center, "How To Prepare for a Job Interview."

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## PSC SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEMS CONFERENCE AT SUNYA JULY 23

A conference entitled "The Application of Solar Energy Systems For New York State" will be held on Wednesday, July 23, at State University of New York at Albany, sponsored by the New York State Public Service Commission. About 125 people, including employees from various state agencies, employees from state utilities companies in New York State, and others who have a particular interest in solar energy applications, are expected to attend the sessions to be held in the Campus Center ballroom.

Parker D. Mathusa, chief, utility research and demand management section, Department of Public Service, and program coordinator, will call the program to order at 10:30 a.m. Public Service Commission Chairman Alfred E. Kahn then will give the welcome and introductory remarks.

Those scheduled to present papers at the conference will be Piet Bos, Electric Power Research Institute, "Solar Energy Systems Concepts"; Fred Dubin, Dubin-Mindell-Bloome Associates, "Technology of Solar Energy"; Brian Sharoff, Assemblyman, 42nd District, "Legislative Incentives to Promote Solar Energy"; William Heidrich, Revere Copper & Brass, Inc., "Solar Collector Technology"; Robert Romancheck, Pennsylvania Power and Light Company, "PPL Energy Recovery and Conservation Home Project."

Also, Robert Bell, Consolidated Edison Company of New York, Inc., "Solar Energy in Large or Urban Applications"; Howard

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Philipp, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation, "Solar Energy and Thermal Storage Systems"; and Ronald Stewart, Atmospheric Sciences Research Center, SUNYA, "Evaluation of Performance Data Alumni House/Conference Center."

At the end of the day, participants will tour the university's Alumni House/Conference Center which will employ solar energy in its operations. Also, exhibits of solar energy equipment will be displayed by manufacturers at the conference.

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## EMPIRE STATE COLLEGE TO HOLD SUMMER SEMINARS AT SUNYA

Empire State College, of State University of New York, will offer a college-wide summer residency, "Issues in Social Action," at SUNY-Albany from July 25 to Aug. 1. Residency activities will consist of seminars, lectures, and films which focus attention in various ways on issues in social change. In addition to intensive formal instruction and discussion, the residency will provide an opportunity for informal interchange among students and between students and faculty.

Thirteen seminars will be offered, and enrollment will be limited to 20-25 students per seminar. The following seminars will be offered:

"Marxism as Social Theory," Bernard Flynn, ESC mentor, Metropolitan Learning Center; "An Introduction to Social History," George Rawick, ESC mentor, Northeast Learning Center; "The Demystification of Health Care," John Lichtenstein, People's Health Center, Bronx; "A Look at Other Cultures in Fiction," Nancy Edwards, ESC mentor, Long Island Learning Center.

Also, "Organizational Development and Change," Emmett Murphy, ESC Labor College; "The American Working Class Experience," Brendan Sexton, ESC Labor College; "The Sociology of Protest in Literature," Alice Jacobs, Boston University Law School; "Theatre As Social Art," Oscar Goodman, ESC associate dean, Metropolitan Learning Center.

Also, "Explorations in Psychohistory," Albert Schwartz, ESC

director of residencies, Saratoga Springs; "Women, Radicalism and Revolution," Alesia Edwards, mentor, Genesee Valley Learning Center; "Criminal Justice: Is It, Or Ain't It?", Charles Tonic, New York City Department of Correction; and "The Surrealist Vision of Society," John Hanson, SUNY-Buffalo English Department.

Students who select one of the seminars then will write up a one-month learning contract based on the residency and including the preparatory work, participation in residency activities, and a substantial final project. Those who successfully complete the contract will be awarded one month of Empire State College credit (or the equivalent of four semester hours), although the work can be done over a period longer than a single calendar month.

Students are encouraged to bring members of their families or friends if they so desire. Children will be allowed to stay in the dormitories. Except for children 16 and under, anyone who attends the residency, including non-matriculated students, will be required to pay a program charge in addition to room and board costs, however.

Those interested in obtaining a registration form for the ESC residency at SUNYA are advised to contact Katharine Ogden, Office of Residencies, Empire State College, 2 Union Ave., Saratoga Springs, 12866.

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## CAST FOR SUNYA SUMMER THEATRE MELODRAMA ANNOUNCED

Director Edward Golden at State University of New York at Albany has announced the cast for "The Drunkard," the first of four shows comprising the SUNYA Summer Repertory Company's 1975 season of American Theatre. The play will be presented July 17-20, 16, and Aug. 2 in the Lab Theatre of the Performing Arts Center.

The cast includes Nelson Avidon, Jerrold Brown, Carol Clas, Michael Gottschalk, Sheila Harrington, Paul Higgins, Martin Kass, Louise Itzler, Jerusha Kaminsky, Vicki Kichman, Tim Luskey, Michael McConkey, Len Scibilia, Mary Jo Sodd, Joseph Zubrovich, and Devorah Zusman.

The 19th Century temperance melodrama, adapted by William H. Smith, incorporates music and dance in a cabaret-style presentation. Cast members also will perform at intermissions in "olio acts," routines comparable to 1920's burlesque acts.

Ticket information about the season is available at the PAC box office, 457-8606.

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## BUSINESS EDUCATION SUMMER WORKSHOP AT SUNYA

An inservice summer workshop in "The Improvement of Occupational Competencies," sponsored by State University of New York at Albany, will be held on the SUNYA campus July 14-16.

The purpose of the workshop is to provide business department chairmen/senior business teachers with an occupational outlook as it pertains to office education and employment for the next several years. Ways for developing positive student attitudes toward school, the job, the free-enterprise system, fellow employees, and the employer will be explored. The workshop also will generate strategies and activities for greater use of the total school community as part of the business education learning laboratory and will develop techniques for actually fulfilling the challenge of meeting occupational needs of students and satisfying prospective employers.

Schedule to speak during the workshop are O.J. Byrnside, executive director, National Business Education Association, "Are The Office Education Teachers Developing Basic Occupational Competencies?"; Louis Levine, commissioner, State Department of Labor, Edward B. Brower, Rider college, "Environmental Relationships (Work Attitudes)"; Allen O. Felix, New York Stock Exchange, "Attitudes Toward the Free Enterprise System;" Helen N. Safford, SUNYA, and Willard R. Dagett, State Education Department, "Strategies For Teachers to Influence Student Attitudes"; and

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**BUSINESS EDUCATION SUMMER WORKSHOP -2-**

**Paul P. Plevyak, past president, NBEA, "The Business Teacher and Career Education."**

**Hobart H. Conover, chief, Bureau of Business Education; B. Bertha Wakin, SUNYA; and Phillip S. Atkinson, area educator, Hunter College, also will speak.**

The workshop will be opened to chairmen of business education departments on the secondary school level or the designated senior business teacher who will be responsible for "taking the message" to their business education staff. Selection will be on a first-come basis for those eligible.

No academic credit will be awarded for participation in the workshop. A certificate of participation will be awarded to each person who completes the three-day program for use in claiming inservice credit with the employing school.

Those interested in further information and application forms may write to Gordon J. Simpson, Workshop Director, South St., Greenville, N.Y. 12083.

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## LIBRARIANS' WORKSHOP JULY 16 AT SUNYA

A workshop on "Proposal Writing for Librarians" will be held on Wednesday, July 16, at State University of New York at Albany, sponsored by the university's School of Library and Information Science.

Registration will take place in Campus Center 315, beginning at 9 a.m., and the morning session will commence at 9:30. In that session, Frank Lucarelli, grants coordinator, SUNYA, and Barbara Murphy, assistant grants coordinator, SUNYA, will speak on "Setting the Stage." Later, Jacqueline Enequist, associate in public library service, Bureau of Public Library Service, New York State Division of Library Development, will speak on "Determining Needs and Selecting a Problem." Eleanor T. Smith, senior library services program officer, U.S. Office of Education, Region II, will conclude the morning session with a talk on "Establishing Goals and Seeking Funds."

Barbara Smith, government documents librarian, Skidmore College; Michael Rutherford, coordinator, New York State Poetry-in-the-Schools Program; Jacqueline Enequist; and Lucille Whalen, associate dean, SUNYA, and program coordinator, will speak in the afternoon session. A question and answer period will follow.

Those interested in further information are advised to contact Mrs. Whalen, School of Library and Information Science, SUNYA, Albany 12222.

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## SUNYA RECEIVES SECOND U.S. STEEL ALUMNI GIVING AWARD

For the second consecutive year, State University of New York at Albany has won a U.S. Steel Alumni Giving Incentive Award. For receiving honorable mention in the category of Sustained Performance in the Public Institutions, State Controlled, Albany has received a check for \$1,000 from the sponsoring company. Alumni Association President Eunice Baird Whittlesey accepted the award on July 8 from James T. Hosey, vice president and executive director of the U.S. Steel Foundation.

In 1974, the university won a \$1,000 award in the improvement category for all public colleges and universities. It earned the recognition through a 265 percent increase in funds raised and a 26 percent increase in number of donors.

Commenting on the 1975 award, Alumni Affairs Director Ronald Schafer said, "Participation is the key to the fund's success and any gift, regardless of size, is critical to the continuance of excellence at SUNYA. If our alumni respond as they have for the past two years, we stand a good chance of winning the national award again next year."

As of July 1, the 1975 Annual Fund had surpassed the \$50,000 mark in contributions, with more than 2,500 alumni having participated.

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## SUNYA DOCTORAL STUDENT WINS NATIONAL HONOR

Victoria L. Swigert, of 40 Parkwood East, Albany, a doctoral candidate in sociology at the State University of New York at Albany, has placed third in the Student Paper Competition for the American Association for Public Opinion Research, held at Itasca, Ill.

The paper, which was read at the 30th annual conference of AAPOR, discusses the role of national polls and state primary elections in winning presidential nominations. It reports on information gathered from a study of several villages in Haiti concerning the effects of friend and respect choices on diffusion of information on communication patterns. The work also will be published in the association's journal, "Public Opinion Quarterly."

The SUNYA student, who is 26, is completing her dissertation: "Criminal Homicide: A Socio-Legal Analysis." She also is the author of a new book, "Social Deviance," published by J.B. Lippincott, Philadelphia, with Ronald A. Farrell, associate professor of sociology at SUNYA. He is Ms. Swigert's senior advisor for her graduate work and dissertation.

In 1971, Ms. Swigert recieved a Bachelor of Arts in political science from SUNYA. Two years later she was awarded a Master of Arts in sociology. She has been a teaching assistant in the department of sociology since 1972 and, during two summers, was a visiting lecturer.

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## SUNYA SCIENTIST RECEIVES AWARDS FOR MEMBRANE RESEARCH

David L. Edwards, assistant professor of biology at State University of New York at Albany, has received a Research Career Development Award from the National Institutes of Health, National Institute of General Medical Sciences, for the years 1975-80. The award will provide his annual salary, enabling him to pursue full time his research on biological membranes.

Particularly, Dr. Edwards' research is concerned with how mitochondria (the cell organelles that are responsible for energy production) are assembled. The research, using both genetic and biochemical techniques, will be carried out in his laboratory at the university. Dr. Edwards' proposal was chosen from among 860 submitted to the NIH which grants the awards to promising young scientists who show potential as research scientists.

Dr. Edwards also has been awarded a five-year grant of \$238,000 from NIH to support expenses related to his research.

Dr. Edwards, a graduate of Wittenberg College, received his doctorate at University of California at Davis. He joined the SUNYA faculty in 1970.

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## FUNDED UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH PROGRAM IN CHEMISTRY AT SUNYA

Twelve students are conducting research in chemistry for a 12-week period during the summer at State University of New York at Albany under the National Science Foundation Undergraduate Participation Program, according to Ronald J. Zwarich, assistant professor of chemistry and program director. In addition, four students are conducting research under grants offered by other agencies.

NSF grants totaling \$2.8 million were awarded to 183 colleges and universities in 47 states. They support 1,765 top college students and some 222 projects. Under the grant, SUNYA has received \$23,940, which provides participants with a \$960 stipend for the 12-week period.

URP projects are designed to improve college instruction by demonstrating the teaching effectiveness that results from placing major responsibility for learning upon the student. The research also is designed to expand the students' knowledge and help them learn the creativity expected of scientists.

Participating students are full-time undergraduates who are selected on the basis of academic performance, promise as an independent researcher, and suitability of research interests to on-going projects at the university. Of the 16 students, 10 are from SUNYA and six from other institutions.

The students, home institutions, and research topics are June Almenoff, Smith College, "Analysis of Cretin and pre-Columbian Indian

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Bones for Calcium and Phosphorus Content"; Gary Anderson, St. Michael's College, "Emission Spectra of 2-Furaldehyde"; Edward Bacon, SUNYA, "Stereochemistry of Electron Impact Eliminations"; Patricia Chapman, College of St. Rose, "Stereochemistry of Photolytic Eliminations"; Frank DiStefano, SUNYA, "Chemistry of Group IV Anionoids."

Also, Alan Flamberg, SUNYA, "Electronic States of Tropone"; Wayne Gustavson, SUNYA, "Synthesis of Stannole Derivatives"; William Hall, SUNYA, "Synthesis and Structure Determination of Some Tin (II) Derivatives of Amino Acids"; Paul Hessler, SUNYA, "Exact Calculation of the First Order Wavefunction of a Two-Electron Atom"; Kathleen Kelly, SUNYA, "Metal Binding Effects on RNA and DNA Synthesis"; Kin-Hing Lau, SUNY-Plattsburgh, "Thermal Cleavage of Nucleosides by Differential Scanning Calorimetry."

Also, Jeffrey Mazursky, SUNYA, "Electrochemical Investigations of Organic Anions"; Michele Smith, Manhattanville College, "Inorganic Model Systems for the Nitrogenase Enzyme"; Jeffrey Tillinghast, SUNYA, "Purification and Characterization of the Bacillus thuringiensis Parasporal Crystal Protein"; Robert Tlumak, SUNYA, "Alloys of Inorganic Metals"; and Gary Wnek, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, "Absorption and Emission Spectra of Some Deuterated 2-Furaldehydes."

Serving as advisors for the summer projects are John N. Aronson, assistant professor; Ashley M. Bryan, professor; George A. Eadon, assistant professor; Henry Kuivila, professor; Bernard J. Laurenzi, assistant professor; Patrick Olafson, professor and resident af-

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filiate; Jon Zubieta, assistant professor; Jerold J. Zuckerman, professor and director of research; and Dr. Zwarich, all members of the department of chemistry.

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## SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP AT SUNYA

More than 200 school personnel from throughout the state will attend the Sixth Annual School Business Management Workshop to be held at State University of New York at Albany July 20-23. Sponsors are the Capital Area School Development Association, SUNYA, and the Division of Educational Management Services, New York State Education Department.

Registration will take place at State Quadrangle on Sunday, July 20, from 6 to 9 p.m. and on each day of the workshop from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. At the opening morning session on Monday, Robert Wilson, director, Division of Educational Management Services, SED, will preside. Lewis P. Welch, vice president for university affairs, SUNYA, will welcome the participants, and John W. Hartley, vice president for management and planning, SUNYA, will speak on "Meeting Resource Needs Through Improving School Business Management."

The workshop then will consist of morning and afternoon sessions, with an evening session on the 22nd. Lectures, discussion groups, and problem clinics will be the format for the sessions.

The program will conclude on the 23rd with two speakers. At 9:30 a.m., Charles Quinn, director of educational finance, SED, will lecture on "Current and Future Implications for State Aid" and at 11:30, Samuel Frone, bureau chief, Special Education Management, SED, will speak on "A Half Dozen Pieces of Legislation--1975-76."

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## TWO AMERICAN DRAMAS TO RUN CONCURRENTLY AT SUNYA SUMMER THEATRE

"The Fourposter," by Jan de Hartog, and "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?", by Edward Albee, will be presented July 24-27 and July 31-Aug. 3, at 8 p.m. on Thursdays, Fridays, and Sundays with an early curtain at 7 p.m. on Saturdays, in the Performing Arts Center at State University of New York at Albany. At 10:30 p.m., Saturdays, "The Drunkard," a melodrama adapted by William Smith, which opened July 17, will be performed.

"The Fourposter" is a light comedy which follows the life of a couple from their wedding night in 1890 through 35 years of marriage. A fourposter bed, the scene of their special memories, remains throughout the years. James M. Symons, director of the SUNYA Summer Theatre, and chairman of the university's department of theatre, is directing the show, a tour de force for Michael McConkey, of Suffolk County, who will play Michael, and for DeVorah Zusman, of Albany, who will play Agnes.

"Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?", winner of the Antoinette Perry Award and the New York Drama Critics Award, gives a sardonic view of marriages which are filled with love, memories, despair, and regrets. Eric Poppick, who many will remember as Dr. Howe on "The Secret Storm" and a 1975 recipient of the master's degree in theatre from SUNYA, will direct the show. Four Metroland residents comprise the cast: Steven Albrezzi, of Scotia, as Nick; Richard Jones, of Gloversville, as George; Jinx Lindenauer, of Delmar, as Martha, and Shelley Sternbach, of Albany, as Honey.

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Tickets for all productions in SUNYA's "American Summer of Theatre" are \$3.50 general admission; \$2.50 with an educational identification card; and \$1.50 with a SUNY identification card. Group and subscription rates also are available from the PAC box office, 457-8606.

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Agnes. "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?", winner of the Antoinette Perry Award and the New York Drama Critics Award, gives a satiric view of marriages which are filled with love, memories, gossip, and regrets. Eric Rogovin, who many will remember as Dr. Howe on "The Secret Storm" and a 1955 recipient of the master's degree in theatre from SUNYA, will direct the show. Four Westchester residents comprise the cast: Steven Alperin, of Scotia, as Nick; Richard Jones, of Claverhall, as George; Jinx Lindemann, of Delmar, as Martha; and Shelley Sternbach, of Albany, as Honey.

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## SUNYA TO HOLD REGIONAL MEETING ON STATE POLICIES ON SOCIAL CONCERNS

The New York State Welfare Conference, Inc., will sponsor a regional meeting on Monday, July 28, beginning at 9 a.m. in Lecture Center 18 at State University of New York at Albany. The purpose of the meeting is to inform interested citizens, consumers and providers of services, and lay and professional leadership within all the human services as completely as possible about the Proposed State Plan submitted for public comment under the provisions of Title XX of the Federal Social Security Act.

Title XX, a key, but relatively unpublicized, provision of the legislation which was signed into law by President Ford last January, is intended to assure that local government units and citizens at the grass roots level will have a voice in determining State policy in such matters as day care, welfare, mental hygiene, the problems of senior citizens, drug abuse, alcoholism, and other social concerns.

The meeting will open with a brief summary of the history of Title XX, followed by expert analyses of the impact of the proposed plan on children, the aging, and the family. The presentations will include trends in spending patterns for various services and in differences in the services between urban, suburban, and rural counties. A question and answer period will conclude the morning session.

In the afternoon, the meeting will break down into county

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caucuses. Each county group will be given that section of the proposed plan which specifies allocations for their county. During the county group discussion period, the experts will be available for consultation. Participants then may write their responses as soon as the county caucus feels it has discussed the plan to its own satisfaction. At the close of the meeting, all responses will be collected by the New York State Welfare Conference staff, reproduced by their Albany office, and forwarded to the Governor and the State Department of Social Services on a county-to-county basis.

J. Neil Hook, of Troy, director, Rensselaer County Bureau of Drug Education and Prevention, and a member of the state-wide Executive Committee of the New York State Welfare Conference, will serve as chairperson.

Those making presentations include Carolyn Ruhe, volunteer, Consortium in Onondaga County; Georgia McMurray, executive director, Alliance for Children; Alan Rosenthal, staff attorney, Onondaga Neighborhood Legal Services; Gail Barton, field representative, Office for the Aging for the Capital district, and aging services consultant; and David Murray, research staff, New York State Office for the Aging.

The New York State Welfare Conference is the only non-profit, non-governmental organization in New York which includes in its membership professional and lay leaders as well as providers of services and consumers. Mrs. Charlotte G. Holstein, of Syracuse, is president of the organization. "We have every reason to expect," she commented, "that the meeting will be well attended. Public



response has been heavy and we have received hundreds of inquiries from people throughout the State."

The meeting is open to the public, whether or not they are Conference members. There will be no charge for admission or participation.

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## STUDENT EXHIBITIONS TO OPEN AT UNIVERSITY ART GALLERY

An exhibition featuring the work of two young artists who are candidates for the master's degree in studio art will open at the University Art Gallery, State University of New York at Albany, on Thursday, July 24.

Jason Stewart, who is one of the artists, has been a part-time faculty member at Hudson Valley Community College while working on his advanced degree. He is a Texas native and a graduate of the University of Maine. Mr. Stewart's brilliantly colored canvases produce a variety of optical effects not only within themselves but in relation to one another.

Involvement in both print making and sculpture has led to the creation of a series of three-dimensional prints which incorporate folded and cut paper by East Chatham resident Rosemarie Keevil. Ms. Keevil received a bachelor of fine arts degree from Philadelphia College of Art in 1971. She also did undergraduate work at Indiana University and the Parsons School of Design.

The thesis exhibitions of Ms. Keevil and Mr. Stewart may be seen during the gallery's summer hours until Aug. 8. The gallery is open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday.

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## SUNYA OFFERS WORKSHOP ON DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION

A state-wide workshop on youth leadership development in distributive education for teacher-coordinators in New York State will be held at State University of New York at Albany July 21-25.

Nearly 50 teachers and other distributive education personnel will be participating in the workshop which will be directed by Reno S. Knouse, professor of distributive education, department of business education, School of Education, SUNYA. The workshop is sponsored by the Bureaus of Distributive Education and Inservice Education of the State Education Department.

The purpose of the workshop is to provide proper training in youth club advisement so that the program of the Distributive Education Clubs of America can be integrated effectively into classroom activities. The focus will be on teachers who do not have a DECA chapter and on advisors who need assistance in improving their youth organization program.

The week's program will cover the goals and philosophy of DECA, the DECA state and national structure, the student recognition program, how to start a DECA chapter, how to integrate DECA into classroom instruction, the role of the advisor, and activities which could be undertaken by a DECA chapter.

Featured speakers include Charles B. Dygert, supervisor of apprenticeship training and state association director for Vocational Industrial Club Association youth activities, Ohio State

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Department of Education; Wayne J. Harrison, Jr., head of the distributive education high school program, Wisconsin State Department of Public Instruction; Lynne Rhudy, member services director, Distributive Education Clubs of America, Falls Church, Va.; Richard Berry, teacher-coordinator of distributive education, Williamsville North High School, Williamsville, N.Y.; Wesley Scott, teacher-coordinator of distributive education, Herricks High School, New Hyde Park, N.Y.; and Morris R. Poummit, honorary chairman of the Board, Colad, Inc., Buffalo, N.Y. Six student officers of the Gloversville High School DECA club also will participate.

The workshop is part of a series of inservice education programs sponsored by two education department bureaus under the direction and administration of SUNYA. Participating from the Bureau of Distributive Education are Douglas Adamson, chief, and John J. Brophy, William C. Plimley, and Marian W. Potter.

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## DEPARTMENT CHAIRPERSONS APPOINTED AT UNIVERSITY CENTER

The Division of Humanities at the State University of New York at Albany has announced the appointments of three chairpersons for the fall of 1975 in the departments of art, Hispanic and Italian studies, and Judaic studies.

Richard Callner, professor and chairperson of the department of art, was the founding director of the Tyler School of Art in Rome, Italy, from 1965 to 1969 and has taught at Purdue University, Olivet College, and the Tyler School of Art associated with Temple University. Professor Callner is a painter, printmaker, and tapestry designer whose works have been exhibited throughout Europe and the United States.

Rafael Bosch, professor and chairperson of the department of Hispanic and Italian studies, is a noted scholar of Spanish Peninsular Literature. He has taught in many universities both in Spain and the United States. They include the University of Valencia and the University of Madrid, Spain, and Oberlin College, Adelphi University, Queens College of City University of New York, and, since 1969, New York University.

Stanley Isser, associate professor and chairperson of the department of Judaic studies, comes to Albany from SUNY at Binghamton where he was coordinator of the Judaic studies program. He has a doctoral degree from Columbia University and has taught at Queens College.

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## PINE BUSH ARCHAEOLOGIST RECEIVES 23RD GRANT

Donald Rittner, Albany City Archaeologist, director of the Pine Bush Historic Preservation project, and affiliated with the Environmental Studies Program at State University of New York at Albany, has received a \$6,750 grant from the New York State Revolution Bicentennial Commission for his work in the Pine Bush area.

The grant is the 23rd Mr. Rittner has received in two years for his Pine Bush work. The Pine Bush project currently is excavating colonial taverns along Kings Highway. Twenty-two historic markers will be erected this fall and a half hour documentary on the history of the Pine Bush is being prepared.

Mr. Rittner is author and editor of "Pine Bush, Albany's Last Frontier," a two hundred page book to be published in late July or August. He received his bachelor's degree in anthropology at SUNYA in 1973 and will begin graduate work in history this fall.

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## SUNYA RECEIVES \$923,500 IN RESEARCH FUNDS

During June the University Center at Albany received research and program grants totaling \$923,500, according to a report made by Louis R. Salkever, vice president for research at State University of New York at Albany.

Project directors, sponsors, project titles, and amounts include Paul C. Boomsliter, speech pathology and audiology, U.S. Office of Education, "Preparation of Teachers of Speech Impaired," \$31,000; James W. Corbett, physics, International Telecommunications Satellite Organization, "Radiation Induced Defects in Solar Cells," \$99,894, and Office of Naval Research, "Studies of Radiation Damage in Semiconductors," \$88,000; John A. Ether, curriculum and instruction, USOE, "SUNYA-Schenectady City School District Teacher Corps Project (10th Cycle)," \$300,925.

Also, Tsao E. King, chemistry, Heart Association of Eastern New York, "Effect of Lipid on Bioenergetics of Myocardium," \$7,100, National Institute on the Aging, "Bioenergetics of Aging: Facts and Mechanism," \$44,720, and National Institute of General Medical Science, "Reconstitution of the Mitochondrial Respiratory Chain," \$4,522; Timothy L. Lance, mathematics, National Science Foundation, "Smoothing Theory at Odd Primes," \$6,200; Oliver M. Nikoloff, educational psychology, USOE, "Program for Preparation of Teachers of Emotionally Disturbed Children," \$30,000.

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## SUNYA HISTORY PROFESSOR NAMED TO NEH BOARD

Joseph F. Zacek, professor and chairman, department of history, State University of New York at Albany, has been appointed to the National Board of Consultants of the National Endowment for the Humanities. The Board consists of a limited number of academic administrators and scholars selected from the large number of such professionals who have assisted the Endowment in the past. Board members are recommended by the Endowment to act as external consultants to institutions of higher education that are revising or starting humanities programs.

Dr. Zacek holds three degrees from the University of Illinois and a certificate from Columbia University. Prior to joining the SUNYA faculty in 1967, he was assistant professor of history at the University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA). From 1954 to 1957, the historian served as an intelligence officer in the U.S. Army, with responsibility in the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe.

Author, translator, reviewer, and editor, Dr. Zacek has scholarly use of five languages, French, German, Czech, Slovak, and Russian. Among his publications are Palacky: The Historian as Scholar and Nationalist, published by Mouton, The Hague; "Czechoslovak Fascisms" in Native Fascism in the Successor States, 1918-1945, published at Santa Barbara, Calif.; and a section on "Palacky and the Austro-Hungarian Compromise of 1867," in an historical volume published in Bratislava, Czechoslovakia.

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## THREE SUNYA STUDENTS GOING TO SOVIET UNION

Three students at State University of New York at Albany are among 10 students from SUNY's four university centers who will fly to the Soviet Union next month to begin a semester of intensive study of the Russian language at the Moscow State Institute of Foreign Languages as part of the second year of the only ongoing undergraduate exchange between an American university and a Soviet institution of higher learning.

The exchange students from SUNYA are Lyn Cutulle, 20, of 1011 Ninth Avenue, Watervliet; Robert Gusberti, 21, of 1212 Hillside Drive, Watervliet; and Kathleen McBride, 20, of 5414 Prescott Road, Utica. Mr. Cutulle and Mr. Gusberti roomed with Soviet students at SUNYA during the 1974 program, profiting from both linguistic and cross-cultural exchanges.

Mr. Cutulle's interest in Russian language began in his freshman year at Watervliet High School. Although he has business as a second field, he recently entered the secondary education major program and he will receive temporary certification to teach languages upon graduation.

As he looks forward to studying in the Soviet Union, Mr. Cutulle states, "I hope to improve my competency with my business minor in a position which may involve trade or some related business."

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Mr. Gusberti has spent about eight years studying Russian languages. In the summer of 1973 he spent six weeks in the Soviet Union as a travel-study experience. He hopes to become a teacher of Russian and will go directly into a student-teaching assignment when he returns from the Soviet Union in January.

Commented the student, "Not only will I be able to teach my students Russian, but I hope to be able to share with them some of the culture I observed, and that, too, is a very important aspect of teaching a foreign language."

Miss McBride, a joint Russian-English major, has achieved a 3.85 cumulative academic index out of a possible 4. She looks forward to the semester in Moscow as a fine opportunity to learn Russian on an everyday basis.

The Soviet Union-bound student said, "It seems that the more (language) I learn, the more I realize I don't know...I'm strongly convinced that the only way to obtain a sense of competency with the language is to use it."

The 10 Soviet students will arrive at SUNYA the week of Aug. 17. The students, selected on the basis of their facility in English after many years of study, are future translators and interpreters.

The historic exchange program had its beginnings with an agreement signed in Moscow by SUNY Chancellor Ernest Boyer and officials of the Soviet Ministry of Higher Education in April 1974.

Lev Bazhanov, chief of main administration for the Soviet Ministry of Higher Education, at a meeting in Moscow this spring, reaffirmed the Ministry's decision to continue the exchange which he now regards as "firmly established".

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Among the SUNYA-bound group will be the first woman Soviet student in the program. Another first is that both the US and USSR program advisers, the faculty members who will administer and give counsel to the respective 10-member delegations, will be women.

As before, the Soviets will room with American students here in dormitory suites or double rooms. They will take part in foreign student orientation which approximately 250 students from 60 other nations enrolled at SUNYA will undergo.

SUNY students, who completed a group orientation workshop in May, will fly to the Soviet Union on Sept. 10. If space be available, they will reside in a dormitory with Soviet students in Moscow. Field trips to places of cultural, historical, and educational interest will supplement the academic programs of both groups.

The two cooperating institutions are moving to expand the exchange into the graduate education and faculty areas. During the past spring semester, Professor Klavdia Gorchkova, head of Moscow State University's Department of Russian Philology, was a guest professor and methodologist at the University Center at Albany. An invitation has been extended to one of SUNY's distinguished teaching professors to conduct a seminar for the faculty of Moscow State Institute of Foreign Languages soon.

Exchanges of textbooks and other materials also have taken place between the two institutions, involving both SUNYA's Department of English as a Second Language and Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures.

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## SUNYA'S JAMES HEAPHEY TO HEAD NATIONAL CONFERENCE PROGRAM

James J. Heaphey of State University of New York at Albany has been named to head a program on legislatures for the American Society of Public Administration. The program will consist of a series of panels at the 1976 National Conference of ASPA to be held in Washington, D.C., as part of the bicentennial observance.

Dr. Heaphey is director of SUNYA's Comparative Development Studies Center which has become a state, national, and international center for efforts at legislative improvement. The ASPA program he is chairing will be preceded by a symposium, edited by Dr. Heaphey, in the "Public Administration Review" on the subject of "Public Administration and Legislatures."

The program will bring together legislators, staff, and scholars, and will include Congress, state and local legislatures, as well as legislatures in developing countries.

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## UNIVERSITY CENTER SITE OF WORLD CHEERLEADER COUNCIL

Backflips, cartwheels, floor pattern rolls, and the words to many new cheers, chants, and songs, are on the agenda for approximately 100 girls from the Capital District who are scheduled to attend the World Cheerleader '75 Summer Conference beginning Aug. 3 at State University of New York at Albany.

Sponsored by the World Cheerleader Council, headquartered in Dallas, Texas, the three-day session at the university is one of 61 workshops held at 60 locations across the United States and Canada throughout the summer for high school cheerleaders.

Beginning Sunday evening, following registration and continuing through Wednesday, the girls will attend classes in elementary, intermediate, and advanced tumbling, and the fundamentals of gymnastics. They will be instructed in pom pom routines, fundamentals, formations, music selection and adaptability, and routines. A daily workshop evaluation is also held to discuss improvement of skills and routines. In addition, lectures are held on sportsmanship, conduct, crowd control, appearances, pep rallies, rules and regulations of sports, and leadership.

Highlight of the four-day conference is a mock pep rally. The delegates are divided into four groups, representing four different high school student bodies. Each school has its own colors, mascot, name, cheers, songs, and the like, and is given the opportunity to construct a pep assembly and present it to the conference. Awards are given to the outstanding group.

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## COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING WORKSHOP AT SUNYA SET

A workshop on "Supervision in Community Health Nursing" will be held at State University of New York at Albany Sept. 24-26 under the sponsorship of the university's School of Nursing.

The purpose of the workshop is to assist the supervisor in community health nursing to carry out the responsibilities of establishing goals for quality care, setting priorities for service, developing and utilizing staff, and evaluating personnel and programs.

The program will include the philosophy and purpose of supervision, process and method, use of standards in nursing service, the determination of staff needs and performance, and the setting of priorities for program and assignment of personnel.

Participants are asked to bring materials which they currently are using in their work to share and discuss during the workshop. Primary emphasis will be given to the topics which the participants identify as their greatest needs and interests. There will be small group and general discussions on topics selected by participants.

Catherine W. Tinkham, professor, community health nursing program, Boston University School of Nursing, will lead the workshop. She is co-author of "Community Health Nursing - Evolution and Process."

The workshop is open to nurses in supervisory positions in community health agencies. Those interested in attending may contact Judith Whitaker, School of Nursing, SUNYA, 1400 Washington Ave., Albany 12222, for registration forms.

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## NURSING PRACTICE LEGAL ASPECTS WORKSHOP SUBJECT

A workshop on "The Legal Aspects of Nursing Practice" will be held at State University of New York at Albany on Saturday, Sept. 13, in the Campus Center Assembly Hall, sponsored by the university's School of Nursing.

The purpose of the workshop is to provide registered nurses with knowledge about their responsibilities to clients and colleagues. The topics which will be discussed include recent changes in licensing laws, peer review and professional standards review organizations, recent court decisions regarding malpractice, the Buckley Privacy Law of 1974, and patients' rights and confidentiality of information.

Helen Creighton, professor of nursing, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, will be guest speaker. Dr. Creighton is a member of the Health, Education, and Welfare Medical Malpractice Commission, the American Nurses Association, the American Bar Association, the National League for Nursing, and the American Heart Association. She is the author of "Law Every Nurse Should Know" and of a monthly column on legal aspects of nursing in "Supervisor Nurse."

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"OUR TOWN" TO BE STAGED IN SUNYA'S MAIN THEATRE

Thornton Wilder's American classic, "Our Town" will be presented in the Main Theatre of the Performing Arts Center at State University of New York at Albany Aug. 7-10 as the final production in the 1975 SUNYA Summer Repertory Theatre season.

Edward Golden, assistant professor of theatre at the university, is directing. His production of "The Drunkard", which ran to capacity audiences three weeks ago, opened the season.

The cast includes several local residents as well as SUNYA students: Steven Albrezzi, Stephen Anderson, Nelson Avidon, Thomas L. Brennan, Jerrold Brown, Thomas Clark, Michael Gottschalk, Martin Kass, Sheila Harrington, Paul Higgins, Louise Itzler, Richard Jones, Jerusha Kaminsky, Vicki Kichman, Jamie Leonard, Timothy Luskey, Maria Makis, Michael McConkey, Eric Poppick, Len Scibilia, Deborah Smith, Michael Smith, Mary Jo Sodd, Shelley Sternbach, Alan Von Stetina, Georgia Tucker, Mary Ellen Yates, Joseph Zubrovich, and Devorah Zusman.

"Our Town" reaches into the past of America's rural community life and evokes a lifestyle simpler than today's "citified" routines. Without being sentimental, it creates an atmosphere full of compassion and understanding.

Curtain time for "Our Town" will be 8 p.m. Thursday, Friday, and Sunday, and at 7 p.m. on Saturday. Ticket information is available at the PAC box office, 457-8606, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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PSC SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEMS CONFERENCE AT SUNYA JULY 23  
CAST FOR SUNYA SUMMER THEATRE MELODRAMA ANNOUNCED  
BUSINESS EDUCATION WORKSHOP AT SUNYA  
LIBRARIANS' WORKSHOP JULY 16 AT SUNYA  
(SUNYA line enclosure to all papers)

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SUNYA RECEIVES SECOND U.S. STEEL ALUMNI GIVING AWARD  
SUNYA DOCTORAL STUDENT WINS NATIONAL HONOR  
SUNYA SCIENTIST RECEIVES AWARDS FOR MEMBRANE RESEARCH  
FUNDED UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH PROGRAM IN CHEMISTRY AT SUNYA  
SCHOOL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP AT SUNYA

Hometown and college mailings to Chemistry URP Students  
Swigert release--hometown mailing  
Edwards release--hometown mailing + TU with pix

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Picture of students accessing computer to Troy Times Record + Schenectady Gazette

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