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## University at Albany Foundation Hosts Nov. 14 Citizen Laureate Dinner

Contact: Greta Petry (518) 442-3095

ALBANY - The 1992 Citizen Laureate Dinner will be Saturday, Nov. 14, at 6:30 p.m. in the Recreation and Convocation Center at the University at Albany, 1400 Washington Ave. This formal dinner, which will benefit the University at Albany Foundation, is being held to honor local businessman Carl E. Touhey of Feura Bush and University physicist Walter M. Gibson of Clarksville, winners of the 1992 Citizen Laureate Awards.

The awards, which highlight the importance of the partnership between the University and the community, are the most prestigious given by the foundation. The foundation is responsible for the University's fund-raising activities and associated fiscal accountability.

Touhey, president of Orange Motor Company, Inc. will receive the Community Laureate Award. A retired director of Key Bank, N.A., Touhey has been an active member of the board of directors of Albany Medical College and Center for more than 20 years. Most recently, he headed the center's capital campaign, which raised more than \$26 million. Long active in community affairs, Touhey is a founding trustee of WMHT-TV and served as president of the board of the Albany Symphony Orchestra for a decade.

As trustee and treasurer of the New York State Dormitory Authority from 1963 to 1973, Touhey was involved in financing the expansion of public and private colleges and universities throughout New York state. The University at Albany's uptown campus, designed by architect Edward Durell Stone, was completed during this period.

Walter Gibson, Ph.D., is the recipient of the Academic Laureate Award. Gibson has built an extensive record of service at the University at Albany since joining the faculty 16 years ago. He is a Distinguished Service Professor of Physics and Director of the Center for X-ray Optics. Gibson has created initiatives to attract minority and female students to the Physics program, and has worked with the University to improve the teaching of science in area schools.

He is internationally known for his work with ion channeling, work that led to his latest venture with the potentially revolutionary technology known as X-ray optics. This technology, invented by his Russian friend and colleague, Muradin Kumakhov, can manipulate X-rays in ways only dreamed of by scientists until now. Articles on this work have appeared in *The Wall Street Journal* and *The New York Times*.

Tickets for the Nov. 14 dinner are \$125 each. The event is open to the public. Tickets may be obtained by contacting the University at Albany Foundation office. Ticket deadline is Nov. 6.



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**Contact:** Christine Hanson McKnight, 518-442-3091

**University at Albany Student Karen L. Mauro Wins National Business Society Honor**

ALBANY, N.Y. -- **Karen L. Mauro**, a senior at the University at Albany, is one of 29 college students named as Richard D. Irwin Scholars in a nationwide competition sponsored by Beta Gamma Sigma (BGS), the honor society for collegiate schools of business.

Mauro, who is from Inwood on Long Island, is majoring in finance at the University's School of Business.

The average over-all grade point of the 23 seniors and six graduate students chosen is 3.88. As a Richard D. Irwin Scholar, Mauro received an expenses-paid trip to the 1992 Richard D. Irwin/Beta Gamma Sigma National Seminar Oct. 21-24 in San Diego.

Beta Gamma Sigma has over 270 student chapters at schools and colleges of business in the United States and Canada. Invitations to membership are made to those students who rank in the upper 7 percent of their junior class.

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**YUGOSLAV AUTHOR/STATESMAN TO DISCUSS CURRENT WAR**

Retired ambassador and University of Ljubljana professor of political science **Gavro** <sup>✓</sup>  
**Altman** will speak on "War in Yugoslavia: Origins and Consequences" in Humanities 354 on  
Monday, Nov. 9, from 3 to 5 p.m.

Altman has published more than 2,000 articles in Yugoslavia and as a foreign correspondent for countries in four continents, and authored or co-authored on Yugoslavia, Eastern European non-alliance, and the challenge for U.S. policy in Eastern Europe.

A captain in the Yugoslav National Liberation War of 1941-45, he has been awarded a number of military decorations and several professional prizes. His areas of expertise include international relations and international change, and of special interest to him are Yugoslav foreign policy and the policy of non-alignment.

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

For more information, contact: Vincent Reda

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**UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY NAMES NEW SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR**

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ALBANY -- The University at Albany has named Kyle Serba of Ballston Lake as its new Sports Information Director.

Serba, a native of Clifton Park, graduated from Utica College of Syracuse University in 1991, with a bachelor's degree in public relations and journalism, and a minor in speech communications. His contributions to the Utica College Athletic Department were rewarded with the 1991 Dean's Student Life Award.

Before coming to the University at Albany, Serba worked as a freelance writer for the Jamison Group, Inc., in Clifton Park, and the *Capital District Business Review* in Albany.

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Contact Dara Cohen, (518) 442-6217 or Karen Berberich, (518) 489-5942

**Nov. 10 Event to Benefit Arthritis Research, Rape Prevention**

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ALBANY - Two fraternal organizations at the University at Albany, Alpha Omicron Pi sorority and Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, will sponsor a karaoke night fund-raising event Tuesday, Nov. 10, from 7 to 10 p.m. in the Campus Center Ballroom, uptown campus, 1400 Washington Avenue.

Alpha Omicron Pi will donate its share of the proceeds to the Arthritis Research Foundation, its national philanthropy. Sigma Alpha Epsilon plans to use its share to bring Congresswoman Susan Molinari, a University alumna, to the Albany campus to do a rape prevention program next semester.

Admission will be \$2 in advance and \$3 at the door. Refreshments will be served and door prizes will be given away.

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For Immediate Release

Contact: Joel Blumenthal  
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**Albany's Swygert Named to Institute Board, National Conference Panels**

ALBANY, Nov. 4 -- University at Albany President H. Patrick Swygert has been elected to the Board of Trustees of the nation's oldest center for research and education in public management and public policy analysis, and selected as a panel participant at two upcoming national conferences.

President Swygert was sworn in on October 30 as one of five new members of the Board of Trustees of the Institute of Public Administration (IPA). Founded in New York City in 1906 as the Bureau of Municipal Research, IPA is a private nonprofit research consulting and educational center which provides policy, administrative and program analysis on government issues. IPA is governed by a Board of Trustees comprised of men and women with distinguished careers in the public and private sectors, including economics, public administration, education, political science, law and business.

On Monday, November 9 in New Orleans at the annual meeting of the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges (NASULGC), President Swygert will participate in a panel discussion on "Confronting the Budgetary Predicament of Public Universities."

He also has been selected to participate in "The Anatomy of Hate: Saving Our Children," a conference that is co-sponsored by New York Gov. Mario M. Cuomo and Nobel Laureate Elie Wiesel and will be held on November 15 and 16 under the auspices of the Elie Wiesel Foundation for Humanity, Inc., at the New York University School of Law.

The NASULGC panel will be moderated by Belle Cole, Special Assistant, Office of the President, University of California. Other panel participants are: UCLA Chancellor Charles E. Young; Indiana University (Bloomington) Vice Chancellor and Dean for Budgetary Administration and Planning Maynard Thompson; and Aims C. McGuinness, Director of Higher Education Policy, Education Commission of the States.

Noted pediatrician and Professor Dr. T. Berry Brazelton of Harvard University and journalist Fred Hechinger will co-chair the Cuomo-Wiesel conference panel, on "Media and Education." Panel participants include: Boston University President John Silber; New York Times Co. Foundation President Arthur Gelb; journalists Fred Friendly, Walter Anderson (*Parade Magazine*), Elizabeth Weymouth (*Washington Post*) and Eric Breindel (*New York Post*); Boston University professors Jaime Wurzel and Stephen Ellenwood; and Bronx High School of Science Principal Vincent Galasso.



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**Lecture on Whales to Close University at Albany's  
Natural History Lecture Series**

A discussion on "Catching Whales -- On Film" is the last of the fall 1992 season of the University at Albany's Natural History Lecture Series. The event will be held on Tuesday, November 17 at 8 p.m. in Lecture Center 7 on the University's uptown campus. It is free and open to the public.

Barbara Mateunas, a teacher in the Amsterdam school system, is self-taught in whale fact and lore. She has spent much of her free time in pursuit of whales on both the east and west coasts. Her lecture will be enhanced by wonderful slides, taken during one of her many whale-watching trips.

The Natural History Lecture Series is sponsored by the University's Atmospheric Sciences Research Center and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation. It is organized by well-known area meteorologist Ray Falconer. An illustrated weather briefing will precede the lecture.

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**Editors Note: Ms. Palgi will be available for interviews both before and after her lecture. Those interested can call Gwen Moore at 442-4995.**

**Renowned Scholar to Speak at the University at Albany**

Michal Palgi, a professor at Haifa University in northern Israel, will speak about "Women in the Changing Kibbutz" on Thursday, November 12 at 3:30 p.m. in Humanities 354. Her lecture is free and open to the public.

Palgi teaches sociology and women's studies at Haifa University, and is a former director of their kibbutz research institute. She is currently on sabbatical at the Kibbutz Research Center at Harvard University. Palgi was also one of the founders of the Israeli Women's Network. She has published numerous scholarly articles and is a former Fulbright Fellow.

The lecture is co-sponsored by the University's **Institute for Research on Women** and the **Judaic Studies Department**.

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**Nothing Reported Missing From  
Weekend Break-in at University Post Office**

ALBANY, NY (Nov. 8) -- A thief or thieves using heavy tools smashed through a locked access door to the University at Albany mailroom over the weekend, and tried to crack a safe inside a US Postal Service contract branch office, University officials said today.

According to University spokesperson Joel Blumenthal, nothing appeared to be missing in either the University mailroom or the post office, which are situated in the basement of the northwest corner of the uptown campus academic podium. The break-in took place some time between Friday evening and Sunday morning, Blumenthal said.

A University Police Department (UPD) officer on Sunday morning rounds noticed that a usually closed access door to the mailroom was open. On further inspection, UPD officials noticed that a locked mailroom access door was smashed open, along with two glass windows inside the mailroom. One of the windows was to the US Postal Service branch post office. The thief or thieves tried to crack a safe inside the Postal Service office, but were unsuccessful, Blumenthal said.

UPD Chief James Williams said the thief or thieves probably gained access to the outer area of the mailroom from the Social Sciences building, which is adjacent to the mailroom and post office. UPD officers are investigating, with assistance from New York State Police and U.S. Postal Service inspectors.

**Editor's Note: The University will have no further comment on the break-in today (Sunday, November 8). Spokespersons will be available on Monday and thereafter, as further developments warrant.**

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**Meg Picotte MacClarence** Named Major Gifts Assistant Director

The University at Albany's Office of Major Gifts has announced the selection of Meg Picotte MacClarence of Albany as its first assistant director.

MacClarence comes to the University from her post as communications manager for the Picotte Companies of Albany. Before that, she was services coordinator for the Greater Boston Convention and Visitors Bureau, Boston, Mass.

A graduate of Trinity College in Hartford, Conn., MacClarence assumed her new duties Wednesday, Nov. 4.

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### University Honors Distinguished Citizens

ALBANY - Winners of the University at Albany's 1992 Distinguished Service Medals are: Assemblyman Edward C. Sullivan of the 69th District; Kendall A. Birr, Ph.D., professor emeritus of history at the University; Kevin O'Connor, president of the Center for Economic Growth of Albany; and Mrs. Edith Tanenbaum Rudolf, an alumna of the Class of 1947.

The Distinguished Service Medal is presented by the University Council to recognize specific actions by a citizen or public official which either significantly benefit public higher education in New York state or enhance the standing of the University at Albany.

Sullivan, chairman of the state Assembly's Higher Education Committee, is a proponent of incentives to encourage minority students in the State University of New York and the City University of New York systems to enter teaching and university research careers.

Birr, a volunteer leader of the Campaign for Albany, is a former member of the Board of Directors of the University at Albany Fund and a member of the Planned Giving Committee. He is also co-chairman of the University at Albany's Sesquicentennial Steering Committee, which is making plans for the 150th anniversary of the University in 1994.

O'Connor has been influential in the development of the campus regional economic impact study. He is a member and Secretary of the Board of Directors of the University Foundation, and is a member of the Council for Business and Economic Development.

Rudolf is a member of the Board of Directors of the University Foundation, former chairwoman and continuing member of the President's Club, member of the University's Campaign Planning Committee, national chairwoman of the Annual Fund and an active supporter of the Campaign for Albany.

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### CONFERENCE EXPLORES INNOVATIONS IN SOCIAL SERVICES CASE MANAGEMENT

A wide cross section of human service experts will gather in New York City on Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 16-17, to explore how case management can be effectively applied to managed health care, welfare reform, AIDS treatment and other human services.

The **"First Annual Rockefeller College Institute on Case Management: Defining the Challenge, Designing the Future,"** will be held at Hunter College in Manhattan. It is partially funded by the New York State Department of Social Services and co-sponsored by the Professional Development Program of the University at Albany's Rockefeller College of Public Affairs and Policy.

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It marks the first attempt to promote a dialogue on issues critical to successful case management in human service among policy-makers, practitioners, researchers and consumers.

Keynote speaker for the event is Jo Anne B. Barnhart, assistant secretary of the Administration for Children and Families, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Ms. Barnhart has extensive experience in child and family issues and formerly headed the federal Aid to Families with Dependent Children program. She is currently serving on a presidential study of welfare reform.

Health and human service experts increasingly view case management as a means to help individuals and families locate and gain access to a wide range of service from different sources. It is also regarded as a valuable tool to prioritize and minimize the costs of services. The conferences will bring together experts from public, private, and not-for-profit organizations.

Other scheduled speakers at the conference include Richard P. Nathan, provost of Rockefeller College and director of the Rockefeller Institute of Government; Barbara J. Sabol, commissioner of the New York City Human Resources Administration; Stanley Hill, executive director of District Council 37 of AFSCME; and Dr. Carol Austin, assistant dean of the University of Calgary School of Social Work and a leading scholar in the field of case management.

For registration information, contact Mary Campney of the Professional Development Program at (518) 442-5791 or (518) 442-5768.



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**M E M O R A N D U M**

**TO:** Christine McKnight  
**FROM:** Candace Griffith *CG*  
**DATE:** November 12, 1992  
**SUBJECT:** **Additional Press Release for the Rockefeller College  
Distinguished Alumni Awards Banquet**

If it is not too late, I would like to add one more hometown newspaper to the list of publications that I sent you on November 9. Dr. Timothy J. Flanagan has requested that an announcement be placed in the Huntsville, Texas Item newspaper. The address is 1409 10th Street, Huntsville, TX 77340. The telephone number is (409) 295-5407. This announcement would be in addition to the one in the local newspapers.

If you need additional information, please contact me at 5121.  
Thanks for your help.



HOMETOWN NEWSPAPERS

Judith Avner:

Local newspapers

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Timothy J. Flanagan:

Local newspapers

Media Relations Office  
Sam Houston State University  
Huntsville, TX 77341-2296

Berry G. Richards:

Morning Call  
101 North Sixth Street  
Allentown, PA 18103

Express Times  
531 Main Street  
Bethlehem, PA 18018

Lehigh Week  
436 Brodhead Avenue  
Lehigh University  
Bethlehem, PA 18017

PO Box 1270  
Binghamton, NY  
13902

Sandra Starke:

Binghamton Press and Sun Bulletin  
telephone number of News desk: (607) 798-1151

Albany newspaper

Peter Stimpson:

The Princeton Packet  
300 Witherspoon Street  
Princeton, NJ 08540

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**IMPORTANT MESSAGE**

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University Relations Office  
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**Rockefeller College Honors Distinguished Graduates**

ALBANY, N.Y. - The University at Albany's Rockefeller College of Public Affairs and Policy will honor five graduates at the College's annual Alumni Awards Banquet on Monday, Nov.

23. Receiving Distinguished Alumni Awards will be:

Sandra Starke, M.P.A., director of budget and financial analysis at Binghamton University, State University of New York.

Judith I. Avner, B.A., director of the New York State Division for Women.

Barry G. Richards, M.L.S., director of University Libraries, Lehigh University.

Timothy J. Flanagan, Ph.D., dean and director, Criminal Justice Center, Sam Houston State University.

Peter K. Stimpson, M.S.W., executive director, Trinity Counseling Service.

University at Albany President H. Patrick Swygert will deliver remarks at the banquet.

Rockefeller College Provost Richard Nathan will serve as director of ceremonies.

Members of the press who are interested in attending the banquet at the Century House in nearby Latham should contact Candy Griffith at 442-5200.

Rockefeller College, part of the University at Albany, comprises the School of Criminal Justice, School of Social Welfare, Graduate School of Public Affairs, and School of Information Science and Policy.

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**Sandra Starke**

Sandra Starke received her M.P.A. from the Graduate School of Public Affairs at the University at Albany in 1984. Since then, she has given eight years of distinguished service to the city of Albany and was recently appointed the director of budget and financial analysis for Binghamton University, State University of New York. In addition to the traditional functions of this position, Ms. Starke will be responsible for developing and implementing new financial models for the University and for updating the business and financial computer systems for the office.

While in Albany, Ms. Starke served first as a budget analyst for the city, then as the assistant budget director, and finally as the deputy budget director. As the deputy budget director for the city, she was responsible for the preparation and management of the annual operating budget and long range capital plan; the development of multiyear fiscal forecasts and cost effectiveness studies; the presentation of budget issues to rating agencies and at public meetings; the development of management proposals and comparative data for union contract negotiations; and the review of new programs for financial, policy, and community implications. She also worked with city department heads to recommend budget implementation policies and with state agencies on grants, mandates, and related issues.

Ms. Starke has been active in community service throughout her career, serving as chair of the Public Policy Subcommittee of the Advisory Task Force and Implementation Committee of the Albany County Democratic Party

(1991-92). She also chaired the Environment and Poverty Subcommittees for the Chamber of Commerce Capital Leadership Steering Committee (1989-92) and the Community Service Sentencing Program Advisory Committee (1988-90). While active on the Board of Directors of the Volunteer Center (1985-90), she served as the vice president and the treasurer of that organization.

**Judith I. Avner**

When Judith Avner received her B.A. in Political Science from the University at Albany in 1972, she was recognized by the Alumni Association as the senior woman who best typifies the ideals of the University. From this illustrious start, she completed her studies at Antioch School of Law in Washington, D.C., where she received her J.D. in 1975. Ms. Avner currently serves as the director for the New York State Division for Women, a post she has held since 1985. From 1984 to 1985, she worked as the assistant director in that same division.

From 1979 until 1984, Ms. Avner was employed by the N.O.W. Legal Defense and Education Fund, first as a staff attorney, then as codirector of the ERA Impact Project, and finally as the director of the Family Law Project. Ms. Avner also spent a year and a half as staff assistant to former Congresswoman Elizabeth Holtzman (Brooklyn, New York). She worked as an associate in the Drew & Garfinkle law office and also served as codirector of the Coalition to End Grand Jury Abuse.

Throughout her distinguished career, Ms. Avner has participated in numerous commissions and task forces devoted to social issues and currently chairs the Governor's Task Force on Sexual Harassment. She has taught several courses at various educational institutions, including Family Law and Public Policy at Rockefeller College. She is very active in both professional and community organizations and was recently elected president of the Board of Directors of the Center for Women in Government. A prolific author, she has written several briefs and articles pertaining to family law issues, economic equality, and other related women's issues. Ms. Avner is the recipient of numerous honors for her work in the legal profession and for her service to women's groups.

**Berry G. Richards**

A Vassar College graduate, Berry Richards received her M.L.S. degree from the School of Information Science and Policy at the University at Albany in 1968 and continued postgraduate study at Drexel University. Currently, Ms. Richards is the director of University Libraries at Lehigh University, where she has distinguished herself in her current position and in numerous other posts.

As director of University Libraries since 1978, Ms. Richards has overseen the building of the Fairchild-Martindale Library, implemented a major library automation program, introduced electronic library services in the campuswide network, developed the Chrysler Library branch to serve as an electronic access point for the Mountaintop campus, and

founded the Friends of the University Libraries. She also initiated a fee-based information service for business and industry, launched a Special Collections Division, and oversaw the building restoration program for the historic Linderman Library and the renovation of the Bayer Galleria of Rare Books.

Prior to her current position, Ms. Richards served first as associate director of Lehigh University Libraries and then as the acting director. Before beginning her academic career, Ms. Richards was the head of the Corporate Library/Technical Information Center for the Sprague Electric Company, in North Adams, Massachusetts.

In addition to her library responsibilities, Ms. Richards has taught in the Information Science Department at Lehigh University and is the author or coauthor of several publications. She has served in a leadership capacity on numerous regional and national committees and associations. In 1990, Ms. Richards was the recipient of the Paul J. Franz Award for Administration given by Lehigh University.

**Timothy J. Flanagan**

Timothy Flanagan received his M.A. (1974) and Ph.D. (1980) from the School of Criminal Justice at the University at Albany. After a notable tenure at the University at Albany, Dr. Flanagan recently assumed the deanship of the College of Criminal Justice and the directorship of the Criminal Justice Institute at Sam Houston State University.



As chief academic officer for the College of Criminal Justice, Dr. Flanagan administers an undergraduate and graduate degree granting program consisting of 25 faculty, 12 staff, and 765 full-time equivalent students. As chief administrative officer for the Criminal Justice Institute, he oversees an operation that provides professional and leadership development programs for over 16,000 criminal justice professionals annually. Together, Dr. Flanagan is responsible for an annual budget of \$4 million. Additionally, as a professor he continues to teach courses emphasizing administration of justice, adult corrections, criminal courts, public opinion research, social science research methods, and statistics.

During his tenure at the University at Albany, Dr. Flanagan was initially appointed assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor in 1986. He also served in numerous administrative and research capacities, including three years as the director of the undergraduate program, four years as associate dean, twelve years as the project director for the Utilization of Criminal Justice Statistics Project at the Michael J. Hindelang Criminal Justice Research Center, one year as the special assistant to the President and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, and two years as executive director of the Michael J. Hindelang Criminal Justice Research Center.

Throughout his distinguished career, Dr. Flanagan has continued to be actively involved in professional activities, school related service, and community service. A prolific author, he is editor of the Journal of Criminal Justice Education and an editorial associate to the Journal of Criminal Law and Criminology.

**Peter K. Stimpson**

Peter K. Stimpson received his M.S.W. from the School of Social Welfare at the University at Albany in 1977 with a concentration in clinical practice. He also holds a Master's in Theology from the University of Ottawa and is a nationally certified social worker. Reverend Stimpson has dedicated his career to human services with remarkable results. He currently is the executive director of the Trinity Counseling Service, a nonprofit, pastoral counseling service located in Princeton, New Jersey.

In this position, Reverend Stimpson oversees eighteen clinical staff, five administrative staff, and four doctoral students. He coordinates the Master's in Theology degree program offered in conjunction with two local seminaries, organizes the annual fund-raising drive, develops staff seminars and workshops, and prepares and monitors an annual budget of \$550,000. Reverend Stimpson also oversees a \$1.2 million endowment. In addition to his administrative duties, he continues to counsel clients in individual, marital, and family therapy.

Previously, Reverend Stimpson was the executive director of the Counseling Service of the Episcopal Diocese of Albany. He also served as Rector to the All Saints Episcopal Church, where in addition to his pastoral duties, he oversaw the building of the parish hall and the rebuilding of the church. Before that, Reverend Stimpson was the department head of the Theology Department at The Vincentian Institute, where he also taught theology and philosophy courses to adolescents. Reverend Stimpson was an adjunct professor for the School of Social Welfare at Rockefeller College from 1979 to 1989 and is currently an adjunct instructor for Rutgers University School of Social Work.

Reverend Stimpson has been very active throughout his distinguished career in community service, including membership on the Governor's Clergy Advisory Committee of the New York State Citizens Task Force on Child Abuse and Neglect in 1986. He has published a family advice column in local Diocesan newspapers since 1983 and continues to make numerous presentations to ecumenical groups, area high schools, and various civic organizations.



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Contact: Vincent Reda

**ADVOCATE FOR DISABLED SPEAKS ABOUT NEW LEGISLATION**

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) expert Tony Serra of the state Office of Advocates for the Disabled will speak on the advantages of businesses being proactive in their compliance with this new legislation on Monday, Nov. 23, at 12:30 p.m. in Business Administration Room 220 on the uptown University at Albany campus.

Serra will share ADA implementation strategies with employers and dispel ADA myths. While supporters claim the Act will help more than 40 million Americans, opponents have called it another boon for lawyers in an ever more litigation-happy society.

Serra maintains that ADA seeks to help those job candidates and employees who suffer from physical, visual and aural disabilities, as well as those with other disabilities such as AIDS, dyslexia, emotional illness, and alcohol and drug dependencies.

The program is sponsored by the Diversity Committee of the University at Albany's School of Business, and the University's chapter of the Society for Human Resource Management.

For more information, call Deborah Moshier at 442-4981 or 437-0581.

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**University at Albany Students to Raise Money for Somalia**

Students at the University at Albany will present Pack the RACC, an event to raise money for the Red Cross Somalian Relief Fund, on Monday, November 16, beginning at 7 p.m., in the University's new Recreation and Convocation Center (the RACC). Among the activities planned are a banner contest, basketball games, and remarks by a former graduate student from Somalia. In addition to raising money, students hope to fill the RACC, which has a capacity of 4,800. Admission is \$3 and it is open to the public.

University President H. Patrick Swygert will give opening remarks. The organizers of the benefit, Seth Leitman and Erin Sullivan, are also co-editors of the University's Greek yearbook *The Oracle*. Leitman, a senior political science major, described the event as "a pep rally with a 90s twist." According to Sullivan, a senior English major, the event is intended to introduce students to the facilities of the RACC and to promote school spirit. She added that, "A lot of attention has been focused on other causes such as the victims of Hurricane Andrew. The people of Somalia are also important and we wanted to bring this issue to the forefront."

Funds raised in this project will be donated to the Red Cross to help relieve the famine and suffering of people in Somalia. Sponsors for the event are: the departments of Residential Life, Campus Life and Student Affairs, the Student Association, the InterQuad Council, *The Oracle*, and the University Auxiliary Service.

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**Center for Stress and Anxiety Disorders Seeks Patients  
for Study of Irritable Bowel Syndrome**

ALBANY, N.Y. - It's a disorder that affects as much as 17 percent of the adult population at one time or another, yet most people never seek help for the symptoms. Instead, they just live with it.

Irritable bowel syndrome (IBS) is diagnosed in 50 percent of patients who visit gastroenterologists for the first time, according to researchers at the University at Albany's Center for Stress and Anxiety Disorders who are carrying out a new study of the disorder. Symptoms of IBS include abdominal pain and altered bowel habits, including diarrhea or constipation, or alternating diarrhea and constipation, in the absence of any explainable physical cause.

"Most people don't like to talk about it, but it's far more widespread than we realize," said Dr. Edward Blanchard, co-director of the University at Albany's Center for Stress and Anxiety Disorders, who first began developing treatments to help patients cope with IBS in 1982.

Blanchard and co-principal investigator Annette Payne, a doctoral student in clinical psychology at the University, are seeking individuals 18 and over who believe they may be suffering from irritable bowel syndrome. The treatment program, which is free, is carried out over the course of about four months. To learn more, call 456-4143.

The goal of the study is to develop better non-drug treatments, through both intensive, individual psycho-therapy and educational group therapy. One of the main questions which Payne and Blanchard will examine is whether group therapy sessions, which are less expensive than individual therapy, can be as effective. The program includes three to four weeks of assessment and psychological testing, eight weeks of treatment sessions and a one-month follow-up period. Patients must first be examined by a physician to rule out any physical cause for their bowel distress.

According to Blanchard, standard drug treatments to combat IBS have been developed, but they have produced good results only in the shortterm. The Center's new study will build on earlier research by Blanchard and his colleagues into the best non-drug methods of treating IBS.

The Center for Stress and Anxiety Disorders has pioneered the development of non-drug treatments for irritable bowel syndrome. Despite its prevalence, surprisingly little research has been carried out nationwide on irritable bowel syndrome, according to Blanchard.

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**University at Albany to be a Host Site for  
Race Relations Teleconference**

As part of its commitment to fostering multicultural understanding within the campus community, the University at Albany will join in a SUNY-wide presentation of a national teleconference on "Enhancing Race Relations on Campus: New Challenges and Opportunities." The event will be held on Wednesday, November 18, from 1 to 3 p.m. in the Recital Hall of the Performing Arts Center. It is free and open to the public.

"This live, interactive satellite broadcast will join together a group of multicultural faculty and administrators who have had some successes in enhancing diversity at their respective campuses," said Carl Martin, Assistant Vice President for Student Services. The panel will be moderated by civil rights leader and former Georgia state legislator Julian Bond. Among the topics to be discussed are: recognizing potential problems before they erupt, the changing role of minority student services administrators and factual case studies of how colleges have forged excellent racial climates.

The panel participants are University of Maryland President William F. Kirwan; economist/columnist Julianne Malveaux; Professor Ronald Takaki of the University of California's Ethnic Studies Department; Dr. Evelyn Hu-DeHart, director of the Center

for Studies of Ethnicity and Race in America at the University of Colorado, and Dr. James Anderson, dean of Undergraduate Studies at North Carolina State University.

The teleconference is presented by Black Issues in Higher Education as part of its 1992-93 Video Conference Series. In addition to the University at Albany, other SUNY schools participating are the campuses at Buffalo, Stony Brook, Cortland, Oneonta and Purchase. The campuses are linked with SUNYSAT, the state-of-the-art satellite communications system designed by SUNY's New York Network.

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