



# What's New(s) at RIC

## Ninety at RIC Honored for State Service

Classified state employees at Rhode Island College were honored at a reception held on Wednesday, October 18 at the Faculty Center. Certificates and pins were presented to the employees who have completed 10, 15, 20 and 25 years of service to the state.

The following 59 employees received silver pins for ten years of service: Agnes Albright, Carol Andreozzi, Gaetano Andreozzi, Joyce Ariosto, Bertha Barron, John Bedard, Kenneth Blanchard, Marian Bouley, Edwin Bowry, Virginia Broccoli, Phyllis Bucci, Carmela Burke, Miriam Burke, Frank Carbone, Ann Carnevale, Theresa Conte, Viola Coppa, Simone D'Ambra, Frank Davoli, Marion DePaolo, Fatima DePetrillo, Bonfio Digiacinto, Lucille Faella, Mildred Foley, Dorothy Forloney, Gertrude Foster, Pasqualina Iafrate, Geraldine Ingegneri, Joseph Krupka, and Helen Lavery.

Also receiving ten-year pins were: Yolanda Leonelli, Pauline Margerison, Robert McCready, Margaret McGowan, Mary McWey, James Medeiros, Margaret Murphy, Geneva Nardi, Yolanda Palmieri, Angelo Quaranto, Daniel Rainone, Joseph Reinaldo, Frances Renzoni, Elaine Ricci, Gloria Ricci, Beatrice Roberge, Carol Romano, Emily Ruozzo, Carola Russo, Tomasina Scaglione, Ann Scanlon, Eleanor Simard, Dorothy Smith, Anna Stabile, Joseph Torre, Henry Uccello, William Wilson, Barbara Zito, and Dorothy Znosko.

In addition, the following 20 employees were presented with silver pins for their 15 years of state service: Robert Cavanaugh, Christine Cotugno, Virginia DeRise, Frank DeSanto, Natalie DiRissio, Lillian Flynn, Anne Krupka, Walter Lee, Sandra Levine, Anna Menard, Vincent Northorp, Barbara Nute, Alice Nuttall, Bertha O'Hara, Palma Recine, Ethel Sherman, Jennie Sorafine, Louis Trinque, Joseph Ursillo, and Luigi Velletri.

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# President's Column

The composition of the 1978-79 President's Advisory Committee on Budget and Management is as follows: Donald C. Averill, president, RIC/AFT, or designee; Joseph P. DiMaria, president, RICSA; Irene A. LaFaille, Council 94; Thomas Pavelka, president, Student Parliament; Sidney P. Rollins, chair, Curriculum Committee; John J. Soares, Hospital Trust Bank, community representative; David E. Sweet, president of Rhode Island College; and John C. Williams, chair, Council of Rhode Island College.

Because of the work of the advisory committee in 1977-78, the college was able to engage in a substantial review of the college's allocation of resources. Based on this review, the administration prepared and defended budget requests exceeding the "max" imposed by the Governor's Budget Office. The defense of that budget continues even now.

While our original budget requests have been reduced to fit the "max," the Regents have demonstrated their support of the needs of the college as is indicated by the following letter dated September 29, 1978 from Mr. Henry Nardone, chairman of the Postsecondary Education Subcommittee of the Board of Regents:

Dear Dr. Sweet:

The purpose of this letter is to clarify the action of the Postsecondary Subcommittee in requesting a resubmittal of your budget request for fiscal year 1979-80. In no way is the action by the subcommittee to be construed as meaning that the needs set forth in your initial submission were not considered to be legitimate. We recognize that you and your staff went through a process of setting priorities within your request, not an easy task for any institution with a variety of competing needs, and we appreciate the magnitude of the problem and the effort put forth.

On the other hand, the regents feel an obligation to submit a request for state appropriations within the "maximum" amount of ten percent as directed by the Governor through the State Budget Office. Similarly, we do not want to place an undue burden on the students attending higher education institutions by proposing tuition rates which are not affordable. Considering these factors, there is just not enough "room in the lifeboat" for all the things that should be in it. This does not diminish the need for nor the legitimacy of the budget request you submitted. With this point in mind, we have requested that a special paper be developed which sets forth our problems in the area of capital at the three institutions and to submit this paper with our budget request with the hope that it will receive due consideration by the administration. Thus, both you and your staff should feel that the efforts expended in the preparation of your budget request were not in vain. Our request for a resubmission at the "max" level was not made to eliminate the effect of careful budget preparation, but rather with the realization that the actual state appropriation for fiscal year 1979-80 may be substantially less than 10 percent.

We urge you to continue your vigorous and vocal advocacy for higher education in general and for Rhode Island College in particular. To do less would be less than responsible to the best interest of education for the state of Rhode Island. You may be sure that within the constraints of reasonably available resources, the subcommittee will continue to support qualitative changes at your institution. We know that once the budgets have been established and allocations made that you will accept it as your own and will bend every effort to make it a viable instrument for success at Rhode Island College.

Sincerely,

Henry J. Nardone,  
Chairman  
Postsecondary Education  
Subcommittee

Mr. Nardone's letter is clear evidence of the support from the regents. I am hopeful that the work of the committee during 1978-79 will be even more fruitful in  
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## **Task Force to Examine Opportunities for Interinstitutional Cooperation**

At a special meeting on September 22 with Dr. Carl Trendler, deputy assistant commissioner for Postsecondary Education, the Presidents of Rhode Island College, Rhode Island Junior College, and the University of Rhode Island discussed the common interests and problems of their institutions. Resulting from that discussion was a proposal to act on several issues which present opportunities for interinstitutional coordination and cooperation.

These issues will be addressed by task force representatives from each institution and from the Rhode Island Department of Education. In addition, a convener has been assigned to each group who will report to the presidents. They, in turn, will report to the regent's Postsecondary Education Subcommittee.

The issues and the appointed task force representatives from RIC include the expansion of articulation-transfer agreements reached over several years that facilitate students' movement between and among institutions of higher education, and within educational programs at those institutions - Claire Giannamore, assistant director of Admissions; a plan for cooperation and coordination in the utilization of administrative computer systems - Richard Sundberg, director of The Computer Center; a plan for cooperation and coordination in the utilization of academic computer systems - James Koch, dean of Arts and Sciences; the development of inter-library cooperative efforts, especially in the areas of periodicals acquisition and identified, high-cost collections of print and nonprint media - Richard Olsen, director of the library; a plan

for the cooperative use of buildings and other physical facilities in Providence and throughout the state - John Nazarian, vice president for Administrative Services; the development of a common list of educational programs and course offerings so that students may more easily identify opportunities to pursue their interests - Annette Ducey, associate dean of Arts and Sciences.

In addition to these efforts, the Postsecondary Education Subcommittee has asked that the presidents, working with the commissioner and his staff, examine the possibilities of greater coordination of program offerings among the three institutions, and where appropriate, the possibilities of program consolidation.

In particular, the subcommittee has asked the presidents to report on such coordination and possible consolidation in relation to graduate programs offered by the college and the university, and in relation to nursing and health programs offered by all three institutions. In addition, the presidents have been asked to examine the interrelationship among prebaccalaureate programs at the junior college, baccalaureate programs at the college, and graduate programs at the university to ensure that there is the greatest possible coordination among these three levels and to ensure that qualified students can move easily from one level of program offerings to another, between and among institutions. In this regard, the subcommittee is especially concerned about those programs which are - or may be - offered at all three institutions at different levels.

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In examining these matters, the presidents and the commissioner are expected to develop reports and plans which include details pertaining to matters of faculty and other personnel, programmatic impacts, costs and possible savings, and timetables for change that will enhance orderly and rational changes in the current activities of each institution. They are also being asked to submit periodic progress reports and prepare a preliminary report for the December meeting of the subcommittee.

The regents recognize that making changes of the magnitude expected will not be easy, but that such changes are absolutely necessary. They also recognize that the presidents must consult with their faculties, students, and staff members as they develop their reports and recommendations. In addition, the regents and the presidents share a responsibility to secure the views of citizens who are affected by these changes prior to implementing any proposals.

The regents are calling for this action by the presidents in the interest of more effective use of the limited resources available for higher education, in the interest of improving the educational opportunities available to the citizens of Rhode Island from their three, publicly supported institutions of higher education, and in the interest of enabling the institutions to better concentrate their energies and resources on programs of quality which are unique to each and those which are necessary for all.

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Receiving gold pins for 20 years of service were the following ten employees: Elsie Corbett, Fannie DiPaolo, Anthony Dorquilone, Sherry Hanoian, Revella Joly, Ida Maccarone, Agnes Markarian, Roberta Olsen, Ernest Stockwell, and Nellie Williams.

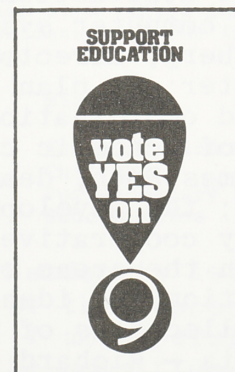
Adele Koluch was also awarded a gold pin for her 25 years of state service.

## **Bond Issue Campaign Continues With Phonothon**

As election day approaches, the college committee to promote passage of bond issue referendum number 9 has organized a "phonothon" to solicit votes from the RIC community and the college's "natural network" of supporters.

Beginning on Monday evening, October 23, telephone volunteers will place calls to RIC students, staff, alumni, friends, and neighbors asking them to support the bond issue.

On October 23 the Henry Barnard parents and faculty will make calls. On Tuesday, October 24 RIC fraternity and sorority members will take over the phones. Wednesday, October 25 the task of phoning will be handled by two groups, the RIC Staff Association and the Student Community Government. On Thursday, October 26 calls will be made by the Music Department faculty and student advisory group members. Other campus groups are being organized for calling on October 30, November 1 and 2 and November 6. Refreshments will be available for the volunteer callers who will operate out of the OCAS area in Roberts Hall. Election day is November 7.





# RIC Calendar of Events

OCTOBER 20 - OCTOBER 29, 1978

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20

8 30 AM WOMEN'S TENNIS. New England Women's Intercollegiate Tennis Tournament, at Amherst, Massachusetts. Continuing until Sunday, October 22. Away.

6:30 - 10:30 PM ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS MEETING. Room 309, Student Union.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21

1 PM CROSS COUNTRY. Tri-States at Clark University. Away.

2 PM SOCCER. RIC vs. North Adams State College. Away.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22

10 AM SUNDAY MASS. Student Union Ballroom.

2 PM "FOUR FROM PROVIDENCE" CLOSING DAY READING by the poet, Michael S. Harper, director of creative writing at Brown University. Professor Harper, a 1977-78 Guggenheim Fellow, will read from his recent work, "Images of Kin." Bannister Gallery, Art Center.

6:30 - 9 PM KAPPA DELTA PHI MEETING. Student Parliament Chambers, Student Union.

7 PM SUNDAY EVENING MASS. Upper Lounge, Browne Hall.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23

UNITED WAY CAMPAIGN. Continuing until Friday, October 27.

10 AM - 3 PM HANDICAPPED AWARENESS LITERATURE TABLE AND BULLETIN BOARD. Continuing until Friday, October 27. Bridge, Student Union.

12 NOON DAILY MASS. Celebrated everyday except Wednesday. Meditation Room, Student Union.

1 - 2 PM ANCHOR CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP LITERATURE TABLE. Foyer, Student Union.

2 - 4 PM CONSCIOUSNESS AND THE VOICES OF MIND. AFTERNOON SEMINAR. Dr. Julian Jaynes, author of *The Origin of Consciousness in the Breakdown of the Bicameral Mind* will be available to answer questions on the educational, religious and philosophical-ethical issues of how consciousness began. Alumni Lounge, Roberts Hall.

3 PM WOMEN'S TENNIS. RIC vs. Fitchburg State College. Away.

3:30 PM SOCCER. RIC vs. Salem State College. Home.

7 - 8:30 PM STUDENT COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN MEETING. Room 310, Student Union.

8 PM CONSCIOUSNESS AND THE VOICES OF MIND. EVENING LECTURE. Dr. Julian Jaynes will speak on "The Nature of Consciousness." Fogarty Auditorium, Room 050.

8:15 PM RIC ORCHESTRA CONCERT. Performances to be conducted by Dr. Edward Markward will be: Dvorak's *Symphony No. 9 in E Minor*, *Piano Concerto No. 4 in G* by Beethoven, and Varenne's *Ionisation* which will be conducted by George Goneconto of the RIC faculty. The concert is open to the public, free of charge. Roberts Hall Auditorium.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24

9 - 10:30 AM SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY MBA PROGRAM. A representative of the School of Management will be available to speak to students interested in the graduate program in management. Career Development Center, Craig-Lee 050.

10 - 11 AM RESUME WRITING WORKSHOP. One hour workshop designed to cover all aspects of the resume presentation. For students interested in education careers. Also from 1 - 2 p.m. for students interested in other career fields. Career Development Center, Craig-Lee 050.

12 NOON HISTORY DEPARTMENT LUNCH TIME COLLOQUIUM. Dr. Kenneth Lewalski to speak on "John-Paul II: The Catholic Church in Poland". Gaige Hall, 211.

1 PM CONSCIOUSNESS AND THE VOICES OF MIND. AFTERNOON SEMINAR. Dr. Julian Jaynes will be available to answer questions concerning the artistic responses to the bicameral mind. Art Center, Seminar Room 15.

1 PM RHODE ISLAND COLLEGE CHAMBER MUSIC SERIES. David Laurent, baritone, will perform. Roberts Hall, Room 138.

1 - 2 PM ANCHOR CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP MEETING. Lounge F, Student Union.

2 PM ENGLISH DEPARTMENT COLLOQUIUM SERIES. Dr. Taki Votoras will speak on problems in translation, "It's Greek to Me." Refreshments will be served. Craig-Lee, Room 255.

7 PM JUST FOR THE HEALTH OF IT GYN EXAM: A Woman's Rights and Responsibilities. Sponsored by Lucie Minuto, Health Education coordinator. Willard Dormitory.

8 PM CONSCIOUSNESS AND THE VOICES OF MIND. EVENING LECTURE. Dr. Julian Jaynes will speak on "The Bicameral Mind." Fogarty Auditorium, Room 050.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25

1 PM CONSCIOUSNESS AND THE VOICES OF MIND. AFTERNOON SEMINAR. Dr. Julian Jaynes will be available to answer questions concerning health care issues for bicameral people. Alumni Lounge, Roberts Hall.

2 PM CONSCIOUSNESS AND THE VOICES OF MIND. AFTERNOON SEMINAR. Dr. Julian Jaynes will be available to answer questions concerning business and management in the bicameral period. Alumni Lounge, Roberts Hall.

2 - 3 PM ANCHOR CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP MEETING. Lounge F, Student Union.

2 - 4 PM JOB SEARCH STRATEGIES WORKSHOP. A two hour workshop focusing on the techniques and strategies of an effective job search. Career Development Center, Craig-Lee 050.

3 PM WOMEN'S TENNIS. RIC vs. University of Bridgeport. Home.

3:30 PM SOCCER. RIC vs. Connecticut College. Home.

8 PM CONSCIOUSNESS AND THE VOICES OF MIND. EVENING LECTURE. Dr. Julian Jaynes will speak on "Consequences of Consciousness." Fogarty Auditorium, Room 050.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

10 AM RECEPTION FOR ARGENTINE EDUCATORS. Four visiting Argentine educators will present their country's flag to President David Sweet. He and Dr. William Lopes will reciprocate presenting the four with an American flag. Alumni Lounge.

2 PM CONSCIOUSNESS AND THE VOICES OF MIND. AFTERNOON SEMINAR. Dr. Julian Jaynes will be available to answer questions concerning psychological, biological and sociological considerations of bicameral groups. Horace Mann Hall, Room 193.

3:30 - 4:30 PM RESUME WRITING WORKSHOP. One hour workshop designed to cover all aspects of the resume presentation. For students interested in education careers. Career Development Center, Craig-Lee 050.

7 PM VOLLEYBALL. RIC vs. Assumption College Home.

7 - 10 PM SIGMA MU DELTA MEETING. Lounge F, Student Union.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27

6:30 - 10:30 PM ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS MEETING. Room 310, Student Union.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28

1 PM CROSS COUNTRY. Easterns at Massachusetts University. Away.

1 PM SOCCER. RIC vs. Fitchburg State College. Away.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29

10 AM SUNDAY MASS. Ballroom, Student Union.

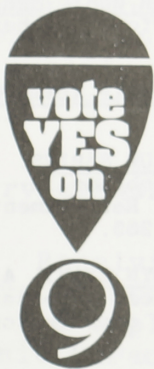
6:30 - 9 PM KAPPA DELTA PHI MEETING. Parliament Chambers, Student Union.

7 PM SUNDAY EVENING MASS. Upper Lounge, Browne Hall.

7:30 & 9:30 PM SUNDAY NIGHT FILM SERIES: Frankenstein starring Monique Van Vooren. Admission is 50¢ with a RIC ID and \$1 without.

8 PM TORONTO DANCE THEATRE PRODUCTION in a performance of Canadian Modern Dance. The company's works are in the tradition of America's pioneer of modern dance, Martha Graham. Tickets are on sale one week prior to the event in Roberts Box Office or at the door the night of the event. Hours are 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. General admission is \$5. RIC Faculty/Staff - \$4. RIC full-time undergraduates - \$2. Other students - \$3, Senior citizens \$2.50. Roberts Hall Auditorium.

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### PRESIDENT'S CALENDAR

Friday, October 20, 2 p.m., Council of Rhode Island College retreat, W. Alton Jones Campus, URI. Monday, October 23 and Tuesday, October 24, North American Association of Summer Sessions Conference '78, Omaha, Nebraska. President Sweet will speak on "Summer Session: Partner in Meeting Education's Future." Thursday, October 26, 6 p.m., Board of Regents meeting, Regents Board Room.

## Focus on the Faculty

DR. WILLIAM AHO of the Sociology Department is the author of an article to appear in a future issue of the *Journal of Gerontology*. Based on interviews conducted with senior citizens at the St. Martin de Porres and Fox Point Senior Centers, the article examines the attitudes, beliefs and behaviors of the senior citizens toward the Swine Flu Inoculation Program conducted nationally in 1976-77.

Professor Aho recently co-authored another article, "Race, Intergenerational Occupational Mobility, and Career Aspirations of African and East Indian Secondary School Teachers in Trinidad and Tobago," with West Indian Scholar Farley Brathwaite. This article appeared last spring in the *International Review of Modern Sociology*.

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An article by DR. KENNETH F. LEWALSKI of the History Department has been published in *The Polish Review*, XXIII, No. 2, 1978. Entitled "Lelewel's Third Exile: Alternatives for Relocation," the article deals with the plight of East European émigrés and the political harassment they encountered in seeking a new home. Joachim Lelewel had considered, among other possibilities, relocating in Boston or Philadelphia.

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DR. ANDD WARD of the Department of Instructional Technology received her Ph.D. last spring in instructional media and technology from the University of Connecticut. Her doctoral dissertation is titled "A Comparison of the Relative Effectiveness of Graphic, Photographic, and Non-Pictorial Techniques in Teaching Vocabulary Words to Third and Fourth Graders."

## Grants and Awards

Professors GEORGE H. KELLNER and JAMES STANLEY LEMONS of the History Department will produce a multi-image, visual presentation entitled "Providence: Century of Greatness" with a grant of \$14,855 from the Rhode Island Committee for the Humanities.

The period chosen for this project extends from the time that Providence received its charter to the onset of the Great Depression of the 1930's. According to Dr. Lemons, this century was "Providence's period of greatest growth and expansion, and as such, created the environment for the city's future development and its distinct personality."

The presentation is scheduled to be shown four times throughout the city during May and June 1979.

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A training grant in the amount of \$32,000 for the 1978-79 academic year has been awarded to the rehabilitation counseling program of the DEPARTMENT OF COUNSELOR EDUCATION. The granting agency is the Rehabilitation Services Administration (RSA) of the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare. Dr. Stephen Bookbinder, assistant professor of counselor education, is the director of the program.

The award will help support the RIC rehabilitation counseling program in its efforts to train counseling personnel for public, state, and federal agencies, private rehabilitation centers, and other settings which serve the physically, mentally, emotionally and socially handicapped.

The grant was written by Dr. Hanoch Livneh, assistant professor of counselor education and assistant director of the program.

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identifying areas of high priority in which the college can place its resources.

The initial meeting of PACBAM will be scheduled shortly. These meetings are open and interested members of the college community are welcome to attend.

### **Counseling Center Focuses on Student Development**

During the 1978-79 academic year, the college's Counseling Center will focus on the enhancement of general student growth and development with a series of workshops dealing with key developmental topics. Students are currently signing up for several, free workshops which begin during October.

Among the workshops to be offered is a four-to-six-session mini-course for freshmen entitled "Taking Charge of Your College Life and Having Fun While Doing It" by the center's director, Dr. Thomas Pustell. Issues to be covered include the transition to college, concentration, effective study, test taking, time management, recreation, making friends and coping with stress.

A two-session workshop on study skills, test taking and time management is being offered by Dr. Richard Prull. In addition, he and Dr. Matthew Andresino will conduct a ten-session, behaviorally oriented, weight control workshop. Dr. Andresino is also teaching a Couples Enrichment Workshop for those who have a serious commitment to one another, and are interested in clarifying issues concerning communication, intimacy, understanding, etc.

A five-session workshop on Assertiveness Training is being offered by Ms. Judy Leopard.

She will also conduct a four-session Androgyny Workshop which focuses on combining positive characteristics of both male and female traditional sex roles into a more adaptive, modern style of living.

Additional developmental programs will be announced throughout the year by the Center which is working together with other Student Affairs offices to achieve coordinated, comprehensive offerings designed to meet students' developmental and informational needs.

(This is the first of a three-part series of articles on the programs, services and personnel of the college's Counseling Center.)

### **Opportunities**

Students at or near the beginning of their graduate study in any field of science, engineering, social science or mathematics are invited to apply for NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS. Eligibility is limited to individuals who have not completed more than 18 quarter-hours/12 semester hours or the equivalent in postbaccalaureate study.

Approximately 420 new Graduate Fellowships will be awarded in the spring of 1979. The fellowships are awarded for periods of three years, subject to the availability of funds and certification of a student's satisfactory progress toward an advanced degree after the first and second years of study. Awards are not made in clinical, education, or business fields, in history or social work, for work leading to medical, dental, law or public health degrees, or for study in joint science-professional degree programs.

The deadline for submitting applications for NSF Graduate Fellowships is November 30, 1978.

For further information, contact the office of Associate Dean Annette Ducey, Gaige 153.