Thuesen, Isaf Appointed to College Council

Robert S. Isaf of Cortland, N.Y., and Barbara W. Thuesen of Ithaca, N.Y., have been appointed by Gov. George Pataki to serve seven-year terms on the SUNY Cortland College Council.

An associate professor emeritus of education at SUNY Cortland, Isaf retired from the College in December 1999 after 33 years on the faculty. He succeeds Harold Ferguson, who resigned from the College Council.

Thuesen, who founded and has owned Music in Motion® for the past 38 years, is also co-owner and president of Wilcox Press, Inc. Thuesen replaces Sandra Rausa, who recently completed her College Council term.

The College Council has certain supervisory responsibilities at SUNY Cortland which include: recommending candidates for appointment as president of the College; reviewing major plans for operation of the College properties; reviewing proposed budget requests; fostering the development of advisory citizens’ committees; naming buildings and grounds; and making or approving regulations governing the conduct and behavior of students.

Events Planned For International Education Week

SUNY Cortland will celebrate its expanding international presence during the third annual International Education Week from Nov. 15-20. Events including music, art, games, international foods, lectures and special events will take place on campus.

An initiative of the U.S. Department of State and the U.S. Department of Education that is celebrated globally, International Education Week has been used by American colleges and universities to promote programs that prepare Americans for a global environment and that attract future leaders from abroad to study, learn and exchange knowledge in the U.S.

Following are changes and additions to the International Education Week calendar, which was detailed in the Nov. 1 issue of The Bulletin. Events are free and open to the public, unless otherwise noted.

Auxiliary Services Corporation will make international cuisine menu choices available throughout the week. The Colloquium, Dragon’s Court, and Neubig Dining Hall will feature Hispanic food on Monday, Eastern European food on Tuesday, Asian food on Wednesday including Emeritus President James Clark’s Lemon Chicken, Middle Eastern food on Thursday, African food on Friday, and Music in Motion® food on Saturday and Sunday.

Faculty Senate

Committees Created to Study Senate Reorganization, Cornell ROTC Request

The Faculty Senate voted on Nov. 9 to form an ad hoc committee of faculty and students that will gather information on the merits of permitting Cornell University ROTC to conduct classes on the SUNY Cortland campus.

ROTC classes have not been taught at SUNY Cortland since the early 1990s, when the College withdrew official recognition of its ROTC program in protest of then governmental policies against homosexuals in the military. That College action was overwhelmingly supported in a campus-wide referendum.

Last month, the Faculty Senate heard a request from a Cornell University ROTC professor seeking classroom space on campus to teach freshman and sophomore ROTC courses to SUNY Cortland students enrolled in the Cornell ROTC program.

The Faculty Senate, to establish an information-gathering committee.

Following that meeting, Senator William Griffen, foundations and social advocacy, presented the Faculty Senate Steering Committee with the motion, the one eventually endorsed by the full Senate, to establish an information-gathering committee.

To fill the 13-member committee, the Student Government Association will forward the names of the two students who will serve. Meanwhile, the Faculty Senate Committee on Committees will conduct searches to fill the remaining seats. In all, there will be two representatives from each school as well as from the professional staff and the student ranks. Management/Confidential, the Library and classified staff will each have one representative.

Senator Vice Chair Joseph Rayle, foundations and social advocacy, noted...
African Poverty Paradox Will Be Discussed Nov. 17

Bob Jalang’o, the former ambassador from Kenya to the United Nations, will address “The Paradox of Africa’s Poverty Amidst Vast Natural Resources” on Wednesday, Nov. 17.

Jalang’o will begin his lecture at 4:30 p.m. in Brockway Hall Jacobus Lounge.

Analyses confirm that Africa’s problems are both internal and external. Internal factors include corruption, mismanagement of resources and high incidence of HIV/AIDS, while external factors include the effects of globalization, lack of level playing ground in world trade and, most notably, the refusal by the U.S., Europe and Japan to reduce agricultural subsidies to farmers in their own countries.

The lecture is sponsored by the TransAfrica Project affiliated with the College’s Center for International Education, African American Studies Program, the Center for International Education, the Center for Multicultural and Gender Studies, the Campus Artist and Lecture Series and International Programs. For more information, contact Mecke Nagel, philosophy, at ext. 2013 or nagelm@cortland.edu.

Classified Staff Will Be Honored Dec. 3 for Service to College

The 35th annual Service Awards Luncheon honoring classified staff for their years of service to the College will be held in the Corey Union Function Room on Friday, Dec. 3. Punch will be served at 11:30 a.m. and lunch will be served at noon.

The recipient of the President’s Award for Excellence in Classified Service will also be announced at the luncheon. All employees are encouraged to attend. Reservations are due in the Human Resources Office by Wednesday, Nov. 24.

The following staff members will be recognized for their years of service:

- **35 Years**
  - Elaine Galaska, library

- **30 Years**
  - Larry Jubbett, structural maintenance

- **25 Years**
  - Elia Dorman, library
  - Marty Kinner, structural maintenance
  - Bonnie Smith, custodial services

- **20 Years**
  - Sharon McConnell, student health service
  - Michael Toomey, university police
  - James Withers, custodial services

- **15 Years**
  - Dianne Bays, custodial services
  - Gail Cutler, enrollment management
  - John Evans, transportation
  - Gretchen Gogan, library
  - Genevieve Herrling, education
  - Carol Kanelis, Academic Support and Achievement Program
  - Steven Shufelt, structural maintenance

- **10 Years**
  - Richard Breidinger, heating plant
  - Camillo Cimini, custodial services
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  - Charlene Lindsey, field placement
  - Helen Low, university police
  - Michael McGill, custodial services
  - Cecil Meadows, custodial services
  - Bonnie Merchant, admissions
  - Darlene Phillips, campus activities
  - Joseph Stockton, custodial services

For more information or questions, contact the Human Resources Office at ext. 2302.

Faculty Artwork Displayed in Gallery

The Dowd Fine Arts Gallery will feature the works of 10 studio art faculty from the Art and Art History Department in its 2004 Faculty Biennial exhibition, which runs through Saturday, Dec. 18. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Tuesdays through Saturdays. The gallery will be closed Nov. 24-27.

Included in the exhibition are recent two- and three-dimensional works by Jeremiah Donovan, Loru Ellis, Charles Heasley, Allen Mooney, Carlyne Poore, Minna Resnick, Elizabeth Sharp, Bryan Thomas, Neil Zusman and Stiller Zusman. The media used in the eclectic exhibition include wood and bronze sculpture, photographs, ceramics, prints, paintings, digital images, mixed media sculpture, drawings and an installation.

Donovan, an associate professor, specializes in ceramics. He received a Bachelor of Fine Arts from Kansas City Art Institute in Kansas City, Mo., and a Master of Fine Arts from Boston University. A full-time faculty member at SUNY Cortland since 1998, Donovan’s richly textured vessels reflect influences of his travels to China, Korea and Tibet.

“My work references traditional pottery forms, which I throw, alter, and then reconstruct on tilted planes,” Donovan said. “I bring contrasting forms and surfaces together in order to suggest relationships that are formed from dissimilar parts. The walnut bottle series reveals textures from nature. They expose inner spaces of a modern-day mythology of fear and danger.”

Ellis, an assistant professor at SUNY Cortland since 2000, has focused on drawing and painting. She received a Bachelor of Fine Arts from the University of Michigan and a Master of Fine Arts from Louisiana State University. Her work searches for an understanding of the process by which individuals in society become differentiated from one other. Her current series depicts characters that can be seen both as individuals and as universal human traits. The “figures” are built of elements suggesting behavior and character structure, but contain no representation of the physical human.

Heasley works in computer graphic design, books and printmaking. He graduated from the University of New Mexico with a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Printmaking and a concentration in lithography. He received both a Master of Arts and Master of Fine Arts in printmaking and multimedia from Western Michigan University. Heasley joined the College in 1981. His most recent prints and photographs are reflections on scientific concepts of time and space.

Mooney, a professor who joined the College in 1987, currently chairs the Art and Art History Program.

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The Bulletin will next be published Monday, Nov. 29. The deadline for copy for that issue is 4:30 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 19. Articles of more than 50 words should be submitted on a diskette in PC or Mac format or by email to: bulletin@cortland.edu.

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Memorial Lecture Nov. 18 to Look at Rift Between Islamic and Modern World

Nadia Al-Bagdadi, a visiting Islamic scholar in the Department of Religious Studies at Wells College in Aurora, N.Y., will give a lecture titled “Good Muslims, Bad Muslims and Others” on Thursday, Nov. 18.

Al-Bagdadi will present the 12th annual Memorial Lecture in Honor of John Galipault and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crumb at 7:30 p.m. in Brockway Hall Jacobus Lounge. Galipault and the Crumbs were instrumental in forming the Interfaith Association, which is sponsoring the event. Refreshments will be served during the talk. The event is free and open to the public.

Al-Bagdadi is a long-term visiting professor at Central European University in Budapest, Hungary, where she teaches in the History and Sociology-Social Anthropology Departments.

She earned her Doctor of Philosophy in Islamic Studies at the Free University Berlin. Her main field of research focuses on modern sociocultural history, including literature, religion and print culture in the Arab world, as well as on vision and visuality in classical Arab civilization.

Campus Directory Available for Emeriti Faculty and Staff

Emeriti faculty and staff who want a copy of the 2004-2005 Faculty-Staff Directory should call the Publications and Electronic Media Office at (607) 753-2519 or send a request by e-mail tolundbergp@cortland.edu

Faculty-Staff Directory Changes Announced

Please note the following changes to the information in the 2004-2005 Faculty and Staff Directory:

• On page 7, the Bursar/Student Accounts Office location should be Room 332. The Business Office location should be Room 330. Under Business Office, Property Control, change Christopher Tucker’s phone number to 2488.

• On page 44, the office phone number for Henry Steck should be 753-4807 and the home phone number should be 749-7016.

To report a change or request a directory, call the Publications and Electronic Media Office at ext. 2519 or send a request by e-mail to lundbergp@cortland.edu.

OSP Announces Grant Award Recipient

Thomas Lickona, childhood/early childhood education, received $25,000 from the Character Education Partnership for his project “Smart and Good High Schools: Developing Excellence and Ethics for Success in School,” for the period of Sept. 1, 2004-Aug. 31, 2005.

Ahn Trio from Korea To Perform Classical Music on Nov. 19

The Ahn Trio, a musical ensemble composed of three sisters originally from Korea, will perform classical music for violin, cello and piano on Friday, Nov. 19.

Sponsored by the Campus Artists and Lecture Series (CALS), the performance will begin at 8 p.m. in the Old Main Brown Auditorium. The general admission ticket prices are $2 for SUNY Cortland students, $5 for other students, $8 for faculty, staff and senior citizens and $10 for the general public. Tickets are available in Corey Union, Room 406, or at the door beginning one hour prior to the performance. For information on the concert, contact the Campus Activities and Corey Union Office at ext. 2322.

“The Ahn Trio gives classicism a hip, young and attractive twist,” wrote a New York magazine reviewer. Dressed in designer clothes and devoted to gourmet food, fashion and art, the sisters were described as “the ideal piano trio for the MTV Generation.”

The sisters, cellist Maria, her twin sister pianist Lucia, and younger sister, violinist Angelia, are all graduates of The Julliard School in New York. Born in Korea, they traveled to the U.S. at the ages of nine and seven. They were featured in Time, Vogue, MTV and in the GAP ads last spring. The Ahns are attracting young audiences to their concerts, which feature works composed for them by Michael Nyman, Kenji Bunch, Maurice Jarre, Ronn Yedidia and even an adaptation by Michal Rataj of “Riders on the Storm” by the Doors.

The Ahn Trio added exciting new dimensions to the perception of classical music by appearing on MTV as part of Bryan Adams’ Unplugged concert. Inspired by that experience, the Ahns created Ahn-Plugged as a way to present classical music in a modern, alternative format.

The Ahns have made several national, European and Far Eastern tours. They were finalists in the 1994 Naumburg Chamber Music Competition. In acknowledgement of their music education contribution, they received the 1998 Kentucky Colonels Award, a coveted distinction shared by the late Bing Crosby and Red Skelton. The sisters appeared in an NBC-TV documentary made during the 1988 Seoul Olympic Games. They have also been featured on PBS and in the New York Times and Time magazine.

The group has commissioned a number of contemporary works for piano trio. Their first CD, a release on the Chesky label of the Ravel and Villa-Lobos trios, won acclaim as “one of Ravel’s best, and never better played.” They have released recordings of trios by Dvorak, Suk and Shostakovich.
Kristen L. O’Neil Memorial Service Planned for Dec. 3

A public memorial service will be held on Friday, Dec. 3, for Kristen L. O’Neil, a SUNY Cortland alumna and graduate student who died Oct. 15 in an automobile accident in Orchard Park, N.Y.

The service begins at 7 p.m. in the O’Heron Newman Hall on 8 Calvert St., and will continue with a candlelight procession down Prospect Terrace to Corey Union.

“There will be a short slide show and video presentation of Kristin’s life followed by a time for everyone to meet together informally,” said Rev. Donald Wilcox, the Protestant campus minister.

Light refreshments will be provided.
For more information, contact Wilcox at 753-1002.

Faculty Senate

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that the ad hoc committee will have March 15 as the target date for its final report to the Faculty Senate.

Faculty Senate Reorganization

The Faculty Senate unanimously endorsed the creation of another ad hoc committee, this one to study the composition of the Senate, which will also have a March 15 deadline to report back on its findings.

Senator John Cottone, exercise science and sport studies, offered the motion which came from the Steering Committee. It calls for the ad hoc committee to “make recommendations that will assure fair and adequate representation of each constituency.”

During its deliberations, the ad hoc committee is directed to review information gathered during the 2003-04 referendum and follow-up questionnaire, to consider other available relevant information, and to conduct further investigation, if necessary. The Faculty Senate is charged with conducting a referendum of the voting faculty on its approved recommendations.

David Kreh, the Senate parliamentarian, emphasized the strict timeline that must be met in order for the committee to accomplish its goal by the March deadline.

In other action, the Faculty Senate discussed ways to deal with the rare instances of profanity written in the comments section of the Course Teacher Evaluation (CTEs). The Senate took no formal action but asked Senator Phillip Walsh, sociology/anthropology, a member of the committee studying the CTEs, to share the ideas discussed with his committee.

SUNY Cortland to Host Maasai Educators

Five Simba Maasai cultural performers from Kenya, Africa, will share the practices of their community through song, dance, storytelling and lectures during a visit to campus that continues through Friday, Nov. 19.

As guests in residence for a second time of the Center for Multicultural and Gender Studies, these members of a nomadic, pastoral people living in the Rift Valley of Eastern Africa are meeting with college students and groups of children at school districts in Cortland and Onondaga Counties.

Most on-campus events with the Maasai are free and open to the campus community and public. Visitors may come and go from the lectures but are asked, as a courtesy, to sit in back if they cannot attend an entire class.

On Wednesday, Nov. 17, the African guests will spend much of the day giving a series of lectures and performances in Old Main Brown Auditorium. Sessions will begin at 10:20 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 12:40 p.m. and 1:50 p.m.

The Maasai will sell African jewelry as a fundraiser for future development and educational activities in the Old Main lobby during the Brown Auditorium campus lectures on Nov. 17.

In Cortland County, the five African cultural performers will visit Smith School in Cortland, Homer High School and Cortland High School. They will visit schools in Onondaga County, including Blodgett Elementary School in Syracuse, the Onondaga Nation School in LaFayette and the Tully School District in Tully.

The Maasai visitors plan to demonstrate a Maasai peace ceremony and discuss peace and conflict resolution; perform Maasai traditional songs, dramatized in an entertaining way; explain the Maasai belief systems, sacrifices and ceremonies; offer storytelling for all ages; discuss family life; explain their community leadership and political structure; and define their belief of the relationship between nature, environment, God and people.

The five educators are founding members of the registered non-governmental organization called Simba Maasai Outreach Organization (SIMOO). The group seeks to improve living standards of the poorest Maasai community members and to celebrate and preserve the most valuable Maasai traditions.

SIMOO has successfully renovated a dam, which has greatly helped this pastoral group by providing drinking water for cattle and goats. They also operate an educational center that hosts and educates visitors on Maasai culture and indigenous medicinal plants. Through this U.S. tour, they hope to raise funds for the ongoing projects of their organization and educate people about their culture.

The Maasai emphasize the importance of learning about other cultures to bring about mutual understanding, especially to combat stereotypes of Africa and to minimize Africa’s marginalization in the global community.

“U.S. audiences can benefit from the message of peace that the Maasai bring,” said Sheila Cohen, literacy, who directs the Multicultural and Gender Studies Council. “Their insights on mutual self-governance, emphasis on the family, and harmony with animals and nature are greatly needed in our own society, which is plagued with rising violence, environmental destruction and breakdown of relationships. This cultural exchange will be valuable for both givers and receivers of the Maasai accumulated wisdom.”

For more information, contact the Center for Multicultural and Gender Studies by phone at ext. 5784 or via e-mail at mgs@cortland.edu.

Sponsors, in addition to the Center for Multicultural and Gender Studies, include: the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs Office, the African American Studies Committee, Vice President for Student Affairs Office, the Multicultural Life Office, the Center for the Arts of Homer, Inc., a New York State Council on the Arts Decentralization Grant, Cortland High School, Homer High School and the Onondaga Nation School.
Sellevold Named Phi Kappa Phi Scholar

Amanda Sellevold of Davenport, N.Y., a senior health education major at SUNY Cortland, was named the College’s Phi Kappa Phi Scholar of the Month for November.

Phi Kappa Phi is a national honor society that recognizes academic excellence in the fields of higher education. She is being honored by the Cortland chapter for her academic achievements, leadership and volunteer involvement.

Sellevold, who plans to graduate in December, has maintained a 3.81 grade point average and has been honored among the top five percent of her class for five semesters. She has made the Dean’s List every semester and also made the President’s List.

She was also inducted into the freshman honor society Phi Eta Sigma, and the health honor society Eta Sigma Gamma.

Sellevold was presented with the College’s Ross L. Allen Award and has been recognized among student employees. In her hometown, she received a Charlotte Valley Central School National Honor Society Scholarship for four years and the Charles O. and Elsie Haynes Foundation Scholarship for five years.

Kappa PHI Scholar

Sellevold has been active in the brothers and sisters in Christ (BASIC) all four years at SUNY Cortland. She has served as secretary for the Outdoor Adventure Club. While at Cortland, she has participated in Circle K, the Resident Hall Association, the fitness development majors student club FIT and the intramural sports clubs for broomball, floor hockey and women’s rugby.

She served as treasurer of Eta Sigma Gamma her senior year, as well as a peer tutor, and a volunteer in the Youth Assist Program, SUNY Binghamton Health Education Department, and Cortland Memorial Hospital nursing facility.

“Being a part of the community has helped me grow as an individual and become a dedicated citizen to the City of Cortland,” Sellevold said.

“My future professional goal is to be a teacher at the junior high or high school level and to educate students about health while enhancing their overall health and wellness,” she said. “As a health teacher, I want to be involved with the school and community as well as the classroom. Possibly a future professional goal is to pursue a degree in school administration, so I can apply my leadership qualities and skills.”

Fifth Annual O’Heron Tournament

Corey Gymnasium will be the site of the fifth annual O’Heron Invitational Tournament on Friday-Saturday, Nov. 26-27, featuring the varsity boys and girls basketball teams from five local high schools.

Cortland, Groton, Homer and Marathon High Schools will participate in the boys competition and Cortland, Dryden, Groton, Homer High Schools in the girls bracket. The event organized by the SUNY Cortland O’Heron Newman Foundation. Trophies will be presented to the respective team champions. All-tournament teams and an MVP will be selected and will receive plaques.

Tournament proceeds will be used for the Rev. Edward J. O’Heron Scholarship, which is awarded annually to a deserving SUNY Cortland English major, and to support the Newman Hall student organization. Rev. O’Heron was the founder and chaplain of the College’s Newman Center for 38 years until his death in November 1999. He earned his master’s degree in English at SUNY Cortland.

Competition opens on Friday at 1 p.m. with the Homer-Groton girls game, followed by the Cortland-Dryden girls contest at 2:45 p.m. Varsity boys competition starts at 6 p.m. with the Homer-Groton game, followed by the Cortland-Marathon contest at 8 p.m.

On Saturday, the girls consolation game is slated for 10 a.m. and the girls championship for 11:45 a.m. The boys consolation game takes place at 2 p.m. followed by the boys championship contest at 3:45 p.m.

Tickets are $3 for adults and $1 for students per each day of competition. A two-day pass for $5 may also be purchased. All tickets will be sold at the door. For more information, contact Peter Koryzno, public relations, the O’Heron Invitational Tournament co-chair, at ext. 2518.

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Department. He received a Master of Fine Arts from Cornell University and a Bachelor of Arts from California State University. A sculptor, Mooney's recent bronze sculpture is a metaphor dealing with the absurdity of war.

Poore has taught weaving and fabric design at the College since 2002. A SUNY Cortland graduate, she studied weaving under Libby Kowalski, art and art history. Poore's current work reflects her fascination with nature altered by the effects of human influence. Her mixed media sculpture suggests strength and contemplation while creating a concept that is unique to the individual viewer.

Resnick, a part-time faculty member in art and art history since 1997, received a Bachelor of Fine Arts in graphic design from University of the Arts in Philadelphia and a Master of Fine Arts in printmaking from San Francisco Art Institute. Resnick's work focuses on the personal and internal debate that occurs when women confront themselves and their role in present-day society. Recent imagery incorporates information both inspired and provoked by text and images found in mid-20th century publications on themes such as home management and decoration, health, education and home repair.

Sharp has taught Backgrounds in Art at SUNY Cortland since 2001. She received a Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill and a Master of Fine Arts from Tyler School of Art at Temple University. Sharp explores the designs of natural forms and employs the materials of nature in her installations.

Thomas has been a part-time faculty member in the Art and Art History Department since 2002. He earned a Bachelor of Fine Arts from the New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University and a Master of Science in Education at Alfred University followed by a Master of Fine Arts from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst. Thomas describes his mixed media sculpture as “media driven ... implied narrative ... fun ... cool ...” His work is conceptual by instinct, interactive by intent, and sculptural by chance.

Neil Zusman began teaching design, graphic design, art and the Internet and animation in the department's New Media Program this semester. He received a Master of Fine Arts from SUNY Buffalo. He considers the Internet “an arts discipline super-collider” and characterizes his recent “Internet cinema,” as music, dance and poetry.

Part-time sculpture instructor Stiller Zusman received a Bachelor of Arts from Ithaca College, a Master’s in Art Therapy from Buffalo State College and a Master of Fine Arts from SUNY Buffalo. For this exhibition, she created a “cluster” of insect-like wooden sculptures that speak of many dualities – machine vs. nature, stability vs. fragility, line vs. mass and motion vs. repose. Titled “Leg Mechanics,” they are a population of curiously animated objects, whose mechanics may change and evolve as the show goes on. The pieces may fall down, be relocated or rearranged.

Zusman has been an artist in residence in the public schools of New York City through David Marquis Studios and a long-time consultant to the Museum of Modern Art through its Department for Visitors with Special Needs. Her work has been shown at the Albright-Knox Gallery and Hallwalls Gallery in Buffalo, Adrienne Adrian Gallery in New York City and White Apple Gallery in Ithaca. Her public projects and residencies include Chautauqua Institute, Art Park, Dorland Mountain, Metropolitan Project at Hallwalls, Tell Tale Tail at the Albright-Knox and The Peacemakers Mural Project at the Buffalo Zoo.

The faculty exhibition is made possible, in part, by the Mandatory Student Activity Fee. For more information or directions to the Gallery, contact Dowd Fine Arts Gallery Director Barbara Racker at ext. 4216 or rackerb@cortland.edu.
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basketball at Marathon (N.Y.) Central School from 1960 to 1965. He then supervised student teachers for a year at SUNY Geneseo where he was an assistant professor of education.

Isaf taught numerous education courses at SUNY Cortland, including curriculum construction and elementary school social studies. He has instructed both the undergraduate and graduate level. Over the years, he was selected by his peers to review textbooks on teaching. A curriculum consultant to public schools in New York, Ohio and Georgia, he co-edited Social Science Education.

Isaf, a former Executive Council member of the Faculty Senate, was advisor to the Board of Governors, Alpha Sigma Sorority, and, for five years, served as advisor to students who had not declared a major. He is a former Education Department chair and coordinator of undergraduate advisement for the Education Department.

Within the community, Isaf was appointed this year to the Police Commission by Cortland Mayor Tom Gallagher. Isaf served as a City of Cortland councilman between 1977-83. A former member of the City of Cortland Public Safety Committee, he has been active with the Heart Fund Drive and United Way.

He and his wife, Maureen, reside in Cortland. They have five children.

Barbara W. Thuesen

Thuesen earned an associate of arts degree from Stephens College in Columbia, Mo., a bachelor's degree in psychology from Chaminade University in Honolulu, and a master's degree in education administration from Pepperdine University in California.

A master dance teacher, choreographer and director, she is a founding member of the National Dance Association and is certified by the Amer-ican Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance of Washington, D.C.

In 1966, she founded Music in Motion® which has offered dance presentation services for the past 38 years. Music in Motion® licensed studios, academies and dance companies are located throughout the Eastern United States.

Thuesen, the author of The Choreographer, Jack of All Trades, has been a consultant to the New York Foundation for the Arts, Community and Parental Outreach; and the NYSCA Arts in Education.

She has been a regional coordinator of National Dance Week since 2001 and serves on the Empire State Plaza Art Commission.

She has annually directed both the Teacher Training Certification institute in Ithaca and choreographic workshops in New York and Georgia. The producer of more than 120 ballets and musicals, she has served as a director of dance projects responsible for surveying and researching sites for performances in theaters, parks and civic centers across the nation.

Named the Ithaca Women's Club 1997 Woman of the Year, Thuesen is a past president of the Rotary Club of Ithaca. She is a trustee of the Tompkins County YMCA and was a New York State 50th Senate District New York State Woman of Distinction in 2002. Honored by Cornell University for her creative integrity, Thuesen’s extensive public service has aided the New York State Division for Women, the Ithaca-based Community School of Music and Arts, Inc., the Ithaca City School District and the Tompkins County Tourist Council.

The widow of COL. Ralph Thuesen, she has two children, Nancy T. Gell of Georgia and Michael W. Thuesen of Ithaca, and two grandchildren.

Library Hours

Extended Late Night Hours

Through Dec. 9

Main Library Late Night Reading Room Only

Monday-Thursday 7:45-3 a.m.
Friday 7:45 a.m.-6 p.m. 6 p.m.-midnight
Saturday 11 a.m.-6 p.m. 6 p.m.-midnight
Sunday 10 a.m.-3 a.m.

Thanksgiving Break Hours

Wednesday, Nov. 24 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Thursday, Nov. 25- Saturday, Nov. 27 Closed
Closed Sunday, Nov. 28 4 p.m.-3 a.m.
4 p.m.-3 a.m.

For more information, call ext. 2590, send an e-mail to library@cortland.edu or visit the Library Web site at http://library.cortland.edu

Sports Schedule

Capital Letters Denote Home Games

Friday, Nov. 19
MEN’S/WOMEN’S SWIMMING AND DIVING — CORTLAND INVITATIONAL, 4 p.m.
MEN’S ICE HOCKEY vs. Oswego, 7 p.m.
WOMEN’S Ice Hockey vs. Farmingdale, 8 p.m.
(NYU Tournament)
Field Hockey — NCAA Div. III Semifinals, TBA
(at Westfield (MA) State)

Saturday, Nov. 20
MEN’S/WOMEN’S SWIMMING AND DIVING — CORTLAND INVITATIONAL, 8 a.m.
WOMEN’S ICE HOCKEY vs. U.Mass — Boston, 7 p.m.
Wrestling at Olivet (MI) Duals, 9 a.m.
Field Hockey — NCAA Div. III Finals, TBA
(at Westfield (Mass.) St.)
Women’s Volleyball — NCAA Div. III Quarterfinals, TBA

Sunday, Nov. 21
WOMEN’S ICE HOCKEY vs. U.Mass — Boston, TBA

Tuesday, Nov. 23
Women’s Basketball at Elmira, 5 p.m.
Men’s Basketball at Elmira, 7 p.m.
Men’s Ice Hockey at Hamilton, 7 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 26
Women’s Volleyball — NCAA Div. III Semifinals, TBA
(at Mayo Civic Center, Rochester, Minn.)

Saturday, Nov. 27
Women’s Volleyball — NCAA Div. III Finals, TBA
(at Mayo Civic Center, Rochester, Minn.)
News Briefs

Concert on Nov. 16 in Dowd to Feature Classical Masterworks

The Cortland College Community Orchestra will present its fall concert at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 16, Dowd Fine Arts Theatre.

The program, featuring masterworks by three classical era composers, is free and open to the public.

Works include: Symphony 103 (The Drum Roll) by Joseph Haydn; Ballet Suite I by C.W. Gluck; and Clarinet Concerto by W.A. Mozart. The clarinet concerto soloist will be Anthony Fabrizio, principal clarinet, National Ballet Orchestra, and former music faculty member at SUNY Cortland.

For more information, contact the Performing Arts Department at ext. 2811.

Memorial Library Display Will Celebrate Bloomsday in November

A Memorial Library exhibit will celebrate Bloomsday, a holiday centered around the character of Leopold Bloom from James Joyce’s novel, *Ulysses*, during the month of November.

The display will include memorabilia, photographs and books collected by Robert Rhodes, English emeritus, during a visit last June to Dublin, Ireland, where Bloomsday celebrations were in progress. Bloomsday, a holiday in which James Joyce is celebrated, is traditionally held on June 16, echoing the date, June 16, 1904, on which the novel is set.

The display cases are located near the Bookmark Café. For more information, contact Ellen McCabe, library, at ext. 4051 or by e-mail at mccabe@cortland.edu.

Women’s Studies Events Planned

Members of the Women’s Studies Program will hold a regular meeting from 3-4:30 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 18, to review events for Women’s History Month and other agenda items.

The meeting is open to the campus community and will be held in the Multicultural and Gender Studies Office, Old Main, Room 122.

A Women’s Studies Colloquium Discussion on the Crisis in Darfur will be held at noon on Friday, Nov. 19, in Old Main, Room 110.

Cecile Lawrence, philosophy, and Caroline Kaltefleiter, communication studies, will lead the discussion which will focus on the treatment of women in refugee camps. Those with additional information on the Darfur Crisis are asked bring it to the discussion.

For more information, contact Lawrence at ext. 2910 or Kaltefleiter at ext. 4203.

Faculty Recital Planned for Nov. 20

Performing Arts Department members Karen Bals Zimmerman, piano, and David Neal, bass baritone, will present a faculty recital at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 20, in the Dowd Fine Arts Theatre.

The performance, offered in partial fulfillment of Zimmerman’s sabbatical leave project, is free and open to the public.

The program will feature German lieder by Franz Schubert, Robert Schumann and Johannes Brahms, including “Gruppe aus dem Tartarus,” “Du bist wie eine Blume,” and “Verrat.” Jacques Ibert’s “Chansons de Don Quichotte” will also be performed.

The second half of the program will focus on American composers. Music will include “An Old Song Re-Sung” and “The Song of the Dagger” by Charles Griffes; “Waitin’” and “Black Max” by William Bolcom; and songs by Charles Ives, who incorporates Americana in his own very unique style.

For more information, call ext. 2811.

Timely Return Requested of Signed Winter Session Contracts

Winter Session contracts were distributed to faculty by campus mail on Nov. 10. One signed copy of the contract should be returned within 10 days of the contract date to Mary Cervoni, Winter Session Office, Miller Building, Room 16.

Since Winter Session occurs during the contract year, departments will also be receiving a memo with instructions as to what paperwork is necessary for payroll.

Timely return of the contract assists the office with preparation of the Winter Session payroll so individuals may be paid on time. Those with questions about their contract, or those not receiving a contract but expecting one, should contact Mary Cervoni at ext. 4207.

Scholars’ Day 2005 Participation Forms Due Friday, Dec. 17

Scholars’ Day 2005 Call for Participation and Call for Abstracts forms are now available at the Scholars’ Day Web page at www.cortland.edu/scholars/.

Those interested in participating should submit completed forms by Friday, Dec. 17, to Mark Prus, arts and sciences, by e-mail at prus@cortland.edu.

Scholars’ Day is scheduled for Wednesday, April 13, 2005. It is a daylong event highlighting faculty, staff and student scholarship and research.

For more information, contact Prus at ext. 4312.

Scholar to Present Lecture on Health Education in Kyrgyzstan

Vincent O’Brien, a senior lecturer in public health at St. Martin’s College in Lancaster, England, and the course leader of SUNY Cortland’s International Health Program there, will discuss “Public Health in Post-Communist Kyrgyzstan” on Wednesday, Nov. 17.

The lecture at 7 p.m. in Brockway Hall Jacobus Lounge, is free and open to the public. His talk is part of International Education Week.

While on campus during that week, he will meet with students and faculty and lecture to several classes on public health. He is also working with Health Department faculty on a joint student exchange program with St. Martin’s. They are developing an international health course to be offered in Winter Session 2006.

The lecture is supported by the Campus Artists and Lecture Series, the Health Department, and the Project on Eastern and Central Europe.

For more information, contact Lisa Gugerty, health, at ext. 2974.

1950s Diner Theme Will Be the Backdrop for Nov. 19 Fundraiser

A student fund-raiser titled The Gimme 5 O’Diner will be held from 4:30-6:30 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 19, on the first floor of Brockway Hall.

The theme of the event will be a 1950s diner setting. For $10 per person, guests can choose from hot dogs, hamburgers, milkshakes and dessert. Children under 16 years attend for free. A cash bar will be available.

Music will be provided by DJ Philly C. A silent auction and raffles will take place during the event.

Proceeds will benefit the C-Club general athletic fund and the Vice President for Student Affairs Scholarship Fund. The event is sponsored by the Student Affairs Office and the Athletic Department in conjunction with Vleck Corporation.

For more information, contact Susan Vleck, residential services, at ext. 2095 or by e-mail to vleck@hotmail.com.
Marley S. Barduhn, School of Education, was invited to review federal Migrant Education Even Start grants for the Office of Migrant Education in Washington, D.C., targeting family literacy for migrant children and their families.

Former biology undergraduates Cara Fiore ’04, and Jamie Tull ’03, graduate student Sean Zehner and Peter Ducey, biological sciences, are co-authors of the article “Tracking and Predation on Earthworms by the Invasive Terrestrial Planarian Bipalium adventitium (Tricladida, Platyhelminthes).” The article was published in the November issue of *Behavioural Processes*. The article describes results of experiments conducted here examining the predatory abilities, behavioral ecology, and evolution of earthworm-eating planarians that have recently spread across North America. Ducey, with co-author J.A. Wicknick of the University of Montevallo, recently gave an invited presentation “Burrowing behavior in Ambystoma salamanders” in the Functional Morphology of Vertebrate Burrowing Symposium at the International Congress for Vertebrate Morphology in Boca Raton, Fla. The presentation summarized more than a decade of research on the evolution of behaviors and structures associated with subterranean living in salamanders.

Andrew Fitz-Gibbon, philosophy, read a paper, “Spiritual Practices as a Foundation for Peacemaking,” at the Concerned Philosophers for Peace annual conference held Oct. 28-31 at the University of North Carolina in Charlotte.

Minna Resnick, art and art history, attended her solo exhibition opening at Tom Blaess Gallery/Printshop in Bern, Switzerland, on Oct. 24. The show includes works she made at the print shop in June and prints that she has produced in her own studio in Ithaca, N.Y., over the last 15 years. The show, titled “Applying the Language,” runs through Dec. 19.


Arden Zipp, chemistry, recently made two poster presentations at the 32nd Northeast Regional American Chemical Society Meeting that was held in Rochester, N.Y. The presentations were titled “Synthesis and Characterization of [Re(4,4’-bipyridine)]4 Squares” and “Preparation and Properties of Re(CO)3(1,10-phenanthrolinepyrrole) Compounds.” The papers were based on research work carried out by students Sharron Lunas and Ann Campbell, respectively. Lunas is a senior chemistry major at SUNY Cortland and Campbell is a first year graduate student in chemistry at SUNY Buffalo.

### Coming Events

**Friday, Nov. 19**

$ Fundraiser: The Gimme 5 O’Diner, a 1950s fund-raiser, Brockway Hall first floor, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Discussion: Women’s Studies Colloquium on the Crisis in Darfur, Cecile Lawrence, philosophy, and Caroline Kaltefleiter, communication studies, Old Main, Room 127, noon.

$ Concert: The Ahn Trio, a classical music ensemble, Old Main Brown Auditorium, 8 p.m.

**Saturday, Nov. 20**

Faculty Recital: Performing Arts Department members Karen Bals Zimmerman, piano, and David Neal, bass baritone, Dowd Fine Arts Theatre, 8 p.m.

**Tuesday, Nov. 23**

Faculty Senate Meeting: Corey Union Fireplace Lounge, 1:10 p.m.
**Coming Events**

**Monday, Nov. 15**

**International Programs Presentation:** English Language Programs Abroad, Old Main lobby, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

**Presentation:** “Sights and Sounds of China,” Jeremiah Donovan, art and art history, runs through Thursday, Nov. 18, Old Main lobby, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

**Presentation:** “A View of The World,” by photographer Tom Haskell, Old Main Colloquium Room, 4-5 p.m.

**Exhibition:** “A View of the World,” display of photographs by students, faculty and staff, Old Main Mezzanine, 5 p.m.

**Lecture:** “Can You Really Dig a Hole All the Way to China?” Catherine Xi, international graduate student, Alger Hall atrium, 8:30 p.m. Traditional food will be served.

**Demonstration:** “Games from Around the World,” by Vicki Wilkins, recreation and leisure studies, and students, Corey Union Function Room, 6:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, Nov. 16**

**International Programs Presentation:** Internships, Work and Volunteer Experiences Abroad, Old Main lobby, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

**Sandwich Seminar:** “Reflections on the New Russia: Cortland Faculty in Russia,” Craig Little, sociology/anthropology and Lisi Krall, economics, Corey Union Function Room, noon.

**Presentation:** “Taste of Asia,” Corey Union Function Room, 6:30 p.m.

**Wednesday, Nov. 17**

**Performances:** Simba Maasai cultural performers from Kenya, Africa, Old Main Brown Auditorium, separate sessions will begin at 10:20 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 12:40 p.m. and 1:50 p.m.

**International Programs Presentation:** Foreign Language Programs Abroad, Old Main lobby, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

**Dedication:** The James M. Clark Center for International Education, keynote address by SUNY Vice Chancellor Elizabeth Capaldi followed by luncheon, Corey Union Function Room, 11:30 a.m., invitation-only event.

**Sandwich Seminar:** “Living in Kenya as a Maasai,” by John Sakuda and Jane Naserian, Simba Maasai Outreach Organization, Old Main Brown Auditorium, 12:30 p.m.

**Dedication Reception:** The James M. Clark Center for International Education for current and emeriti faculty, staff and former students, Corey Union Function Room, 3-4 p.m.

**Lecture:** “The Paradox of Africa’s Poverty Amid Vast Natural Resources” Bob Jalang’o, former Kenyan ambassador to the U.N., Brockway Hall Jacobus Lounge, 7 p.m.

**Lecture:** “Public Health in Post-Soviet Kyrgyzstan,” Vincent O’Brien, St. Martin’s College in Lancaster, England, Brockway Hall Jacobus Lounge, 7 p.m.

**Native American Film Festival:** “The Missing,” Sperry Center, Room 209, 7 p.m.

**Wellness Wednesday Series:** “Feel Better: Help with Depression, Stress and Insomnia,” by Richard Peagler, counseling and student development, Corey Union Exhibition Lounge, 7 p.m.

**Thursday, Nov. 18**

**International Programs Presentation:** Study Abroad Opportunities for Physical Education, Exercise Science and Sport Studies, Studio West main lobby, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

**Sandwich Seminar:** “An International Perspective on the 2004 Presidential Election,” student panel including Vanessa Weinert and Char Neal, recent study abroad students; and Bjorn Zellweger, an international student.

**Meeting:** Women’s Studies, Multicultural and Gender Studies Office, Old Main, Room 122, 3-4:30 p.m.

**Information Session:** The Costa Rica Program, presented by International Programs Office, Old Main, Room B-15, 5-6 p.m.

**Tango Lessons:** Tom Fuchs, physical education, Park Center, Room D-321, 7 p.m.

**Lecture:** “Good Muslims, Bad Muslims and Others,” by Nadia Al-Bagdadi, visiting Islamic scholar at Wells College, Brockway Hall Jacobus Lounge, 7:30 p.m.

**Friday, Nov. 19**

**International Programs Presentation:** Physical Education and Exercise Science and Sport Studies Opportunities Abroad, Park Center main lobby, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

**Presentation:** “Communication Within the Family,” by Cathy Smith, health education/student development, and Steve Smith, counseling, Brockway Hall Jacobus Lounge, noon.

**Vietnam War Film Series:** “The Green Berets,” Sperry Center, Room 126, 4 p.m.