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Steck Tapped to Lead Clark International Center

Henry Steck, political science and a SUNY Distinguished Service Professor, has been appointed to serve as interim director of the James M. Clark Center for International Education.

The Center, which aims to unite the College's many international initiatives under one umbrella, was dedicated to President Emeritus James M. Clark at a November 2004 ceremony. During his presidency from 1979 until his retirement in 1995, Clark is credited with helping to position the College as a study abroad pioneer within the SUNY system.

"As many of you know, Dr. Steck has been a strong visionary and advocate for international initiatives on campus," said Elizabeth Davis-Russell, provost and vice president for academic affairs, in announcing the appointment. "His work has resulted in the development of many programs in Eastern Europe.

"As interim director, Dr. Steck will work with the campus to complete a self-

Fall Opening Meeting Scheduled

President Erik J. Bitterbaum has announced that the opening meeting of the 2005-06 fall semester is scheduled for Thursday, Aug. 25.

Detailed information, including an agenda and response form, will be sent via e-mail by July 28.

The opening meeting will begin with light refreshments at 8:30 a.m. in the Corey Union Function Room followed by the president's state-of-the-College address and updates from vice presidents and the associate provost for enrollment management. The meeting will conclude by noon.

All classified, United University Professions (UUP), and Management/ Confidential members of the campus community are invited to attend.

For more information, look for upcoming announcements via e-mail or call the President's Office at ext. 2201.

study and help us determine our future directions," she said. "Please offer your support to Henry in this role, and I ask you to join him in his enthusiasm and hard work to make SUNY Cortland truly an international institution and a leader in international education."

Steck, who has taught at the College since 1963, also directs the Project on Eastern and Central Europe (PECE) at SUNY Cortland and oversees a Department of State grant working with the University of Nis in Serbia to develop a program in political science. He serves on the Board of Directors of the Alliance of Universities for Democracy.

Steck is the author of the textbook chapters "Corporatization of the University: Seeking Conceptual Clarity," published in *Annals* (January 2003);

"SUNY in the 1990s: Politics, Budgets and the Democracy of Excellence," included in *Governing New York State*, 5th edition (forthcoming); "Contested Futures: Public Higher Education and the State University of New York," published in *Governing New York State*, 4th edition; and "Contested Paradigms of Higher Education Policy," included in *The University in a Liberal State* (1996). He is the co-author with Michael Zweig of "Take Back the University," published in *Campus, Inc.* (2000).

In the last 10 years, Steck has worked to strengthen the linkages between the College and SUNY and institutions in Central and Eastern Europe.

He earned a B.A. from Kenyon College and a Ph.D. from Cornell University. He has served as a visiting professor at the University of British Columbia.

Alumni Reunion Weekend Planned For July 15-17 at SUNY Cortland

Nearly 600 alumni and friends are expected to enjoy class get-togethers, parties and other activities on campus during the 2005 Alumni Reunion Weekend July 15-17.

"Alumni Reunion Weekend is a wonderful opportunity for our graduates from different generations to come together to celebrate their time at Cortland," said Douglas DeRancy '75, alumni affairs. "It's our premier event that annually attracts alumni from all over the country to attend not only class reunions but affinity group gatherings such as for this year's former Arethusa sorority and Gamma fraternity. Adding the affinity reunions has brought more alumni back to Cortland."

A schedule of Reunion Weekend events is posted on page 2.

A highlight of the weekend is the Alumni Luncheon which begins Saturday at noon in the Corey Union Function

Room. The event honors reunion classes and this year's Distinguished Alumni Award recipients: Ingrida Karlsons Miemis '66 of Westport, N.Y., a retired physical education teacher who 10 years ago established and runs two children's summer camps in her native homeland of Latvia: Therese Sullivan Caccavale '75 of Hopedale, Mass., noted for her highly innovative kindergarten through 12th grade language and French immersion program in the public schools of Holliston, Mass.; and Richard Pollack '77. of Arlington, Va., who has served since 1991 as the executive vice president of the American Hospital Association.

Reunion Weekend will close with a farewell breakfast scheduled on Sunday from 9-11 a.m. in the Corey Union Caleion Room.

For more information, contact the Alumni Affairs Office at ext. 2516.

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Barduhn to Serve as Interim Director of OIP

Marley Barduhn, associate dean of the School of Education, has been appointed to serve as interim director for the Office of International Programs (OIP). She has been assisting in the OIP since the May 31 retirement of John Ogden (see story to right).

"Marley has provided leadership for many international initiatives on campus, including our Australia programs, and has been a tremendous asset in the OIP," said Elizabeth Davis-Russell, provost and vice president for academic affairs, adding, "Please give Marley your ideas and support as we strive to make SUNY Cortland a leader in international education."

Fall Bulletin Reminder

The next issue of *The Bulletin* will be published on Monday, Aug. 29. The deadline for all submissions is 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 23.

All copy should be typewritten and sent to the Publications and Electronic Media Office, Studio West, Room B-3. Articles of more than 50 words should be submitted in Microsoft Word format by e-mail to bulletin@cortland.edu.

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John Ogden Retires; Director of International Programs Since 1990

John Ogden, the director of international programs at SUNY Cortland since 1990, retired on May 31. He has been awarded the designation of director emeritus of international programs.

He became only the second director of the Cortland program when he replaced Willi A. Uschald, who created one of the first Study Abroad programs in the State University of New York in 1964.

A native of Little Rock, Ark., Ogden grew up in Ithaca, N.Y. He earned a B.A. in French from Brown University. He and his wife, Chris, joined the Peace Corps and taught for two years in Liberia.

Ogden earned an M.A. and a Ph.D. in French, specializing in Francophone African Literature, from SUNY Buffalo. For a number of years, Ogden taught French language and literature at the University of Michigan-Flint, where he chaired the Foreign Language Department.

He served as the Michigan State Provost's representative to the planning committee for the new Japan Center for Michigan Universities, which created a study center in Hikone, Sigha Prefecture, Japan.

In 1981, Ogden was a Fulbright Lecturer at Omar Bongo University in Gabon. He subsequently

earned a master's degree in communication from Michigan State University and taught cross-cultural communication at the University of Michigan-Flint.

At SUNY Cortland, Ogden directed an extensive program with 30 study abroad and international exchange sites on five continents. He oversaw initiatives to create new opportunities in Australia, Belize, Costa Rica, Egypt, France, Kenya and Venezuela.

In 1988, the University of North London presented Ogden with an honorary Doctor of the University degree during ceremonies at its Barbican Centre. He worked to develop special programs in health, communications, education, and recreation and leisure studies at the University of North London.

Ogden was the assistant director of the SUNY-Kenya Educational Partnership Project from 1999-2000. The project focused on the feasibility of adapting the community college concept to the Kenyan educational system.

For several years, Ogden was a member of the SUNY Directors of International Education Steering Committee.

He and his wife, who have two adult sons, Curtis and Eric, reside in Cortland.

Alumni Weekend Schedule of Events Posted

Friday, July 15

Golf Tournament: Walden Oaks Golf Course, noon.

General Registration and Information: Corey Union, Room 209, 1-10 p.m.

Reception for Class Committee Members: President's Home, 5-6 p.m.

Reunion Party: Corey Union Fireplace and Exhibition Lounges, 8:30-11:30 p.m.

Saturday, July 16

Donor Breakfast: President's Home, 8 a.m.

General Registration and Information: Corey Union, Room 209, 8 a.m.-noon

Continental Breakfast: Corey Union Caleion Room, 8-9:30 a.m.

Moffett Center, Bowers Hall and Old Main: Open to visitors from 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Tour of Alumni House: 9-11 a.m. and 3-4:30 p.m.

Tour of Athletic Complex: 10 a.m.

College Memorial Library Tours: Self-guided tours and the College Archives will be available, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Class Gatherings: Individual class gathering locations will be posted in the Corey Union Lobby, 10:30 a.m.-noon.

Alumni Luncheon: Honoring reunion classes and this year's Distinguished Alumni recipients; Corey Union Function Room, noon-2:30 p.m.

Sorority Gatherings: Members of Alpha Kappa Phi/Agonian, Sigma Rho Sigma, and Sigma Sigma Sigma; Corey Union Fireplace Lounge, 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Nu Sigma Chi Alumnae Tea: Nu Sigma Chi Sorority, 52 Prospect Terrace, 3:30-5:30 p.m.

All-Class Banquet: Reunion classes will be seated together in groups by class year; cash bar available; Moffett Center, 5-11 p.m.

Sunday, July 17

Farewell Breakfast Buffet: Corey Union Caleion Room, 9-11 a.m.

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Gathagan to Direct Faculty Development Center

SUNY Cortland appointed Laura Gathagan director of the Faculty Development Center, effective July 5.

Reporting to Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs Elizabeth Davis-Russell, Gathagan will work with the Faculty Development Committee to provide professional development programming that meets the needs of faculty.

She replaces Mary Lee Martens, professor emerita of foundations and social advocacy, as director of the center, which is located in Memorial Library.

As software training and support specialist for SUNY Cortland from 2003-2004, Gathagan planned and provided workshops and group sessions in the use of technological tools for both academic and administrative purposes.

She also developed and implemented new programs for faculty WebCT training. In addition, Gathagan expanded the House Call program, which features one-on-one office visits to help faculty and staff with technology issues.

She joined the College in January 2003 as special events coordinator in the President's Office.

Gathagan earned her Ph.D. in medieval history from the City University of New York Graduate Center, and her M.S. in medieval studies from Fordham University.

Her teaching experience includes courses in medieval history at SUNY Cortland and Cornell University. Her article, "The Trappings of Power: The Coronation of Mathilda of Flanders," was published in 2004 in the *Haskins Society Journal*.

Faculty-Staff Activities

Cristina Bacuta and Carol Bell, mathematics, participated in the Allied Delmarva Enhancement Program for Teachers (ADEPT) K-16 Collaboration Workshop, held June 25-27 at Salisbury University in Maryland. Their presentation was titled "Infusing ADEPT ideas into SUNY Cortland's Mathematics Teaching Program."

Thomas Mwanika, communication studies, presented his paper titled "Context in Texts: An Exploration of Uses and Elements of Context in College Textbooks" at the Hawaii International Conference on Social Sciences which convened June 13-16 at Waikiki Beach Marriot Resort and Spa in Honolulu, Hawaii. The paper is based on his sabbatical research project during spring semester 2005.

ASC Announces 2005-06 Grant Recipients

Each year, the Auxiliary Services Corporation (ASC) Board of Directors allocates funds to support grants for a wide range of purposes and projects that enhance the life of the SUNY Cortland community.

In April, the ASC Board of Directors approved the Fiscal Year 2005-06 Grant Program. Following is a list of grants funded by ASC that includes the project name, organization and amount received.

Admissions Recruitment Programs, Admissions Office, \$25,000

Advancing Relationships with Eastern and Central Europe, Project on Eastern and Central Europe, \$900

Advisement and Transition: COR 101 — The Cortland Experience Instructor Grants and Transfer Welcome and Success Series, SUNY Cortland Advisement and Transition, \$1,000

Alcohol-Free "Connections" Coffeehouse, Health Promotions Office, \$3,500

Alternative Spring Break, Cortland Student Volunteer Project, \$1,400

Brooks Museum Lecture Series, Brooks Museum, \$2,000

Campus Artists and Lecture Series Lecture Grant Program, Campus Artists and Lecture Series Committee, \$11,960

Campus Artists and Lecture Series Performing Arts Program, Campus Artists and Lecture Series Committee, \$11.000

Chinese Documentary Film Series 2005-06, Sociology/Anthropology Department, \$500

Disability Awareness Weekend with COR 101 Students at Raquette Lake, Diane Craft, Physical Education Department, \$620

Diversity Guest Speaker, Residential Services, \$500

Early Childhood Program Training Series, SUNY Cortland Child Care Center, \$500

Earth Day/Earth Week April 2006, Greening of the Campus Task Force Composting Subgroup, \$750

Eating Disorders Awareness Week 2006, Counseling Center, \$1,500

Educators in Training Conferences, Center for Educational Exchange, \$500

Equal Opportunity Program's 37th Annual Awards Dinner, Equal Opportunity Program, \$1,710

Equal Opportunity Program's Chi Alpha Epsilon (XAE) Induction, Equal Opportunity Program, \$500

Equal Opportunity Program's Summer Institute 2005, Equal Opportunity Program \$5,000

Family Weekend, Family Weekend Committee, \$2,500

Goofs and Goblets Career Dining Program, Career Services, \$700

Graduate Student Orientation and Information Fair, Graduate Studies Office, \$1,500

Greek Leadership Programs, Inter Greek Council and Campus Activities and Corey Union, \$700 Guess Who's Coming to Dinner?, Career Services Office. \$350

Hillel Travel for 2005-06, Hillel, \$500
Kahn and Selesnick, Dowd Fine Arts Gallery,

Leadership Development Program, Campus Activities and Corey Union, \$1,000

"Let's Be Tobacco-Free" Campaign, Health Promotions Office, \$500

Midnight Breakfast, Residential Services, \$500 Multicultural Life, Multicultural Affairs Office, \$3,500

National Girls and Women in Sports Day, Student-Athlete Advisory Committee, \$200 Native American Events, Native American Studies, \$600 Continued on page 4

News Briefs

Faculty Women's Brunch Planned

The 38th annual summer brunch will be held by the Faculty Women's Association on Thursday, July 14, from 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at the Rotary Shelter at Suggett Park.

All current or retired SUNY Cortland women faculty are invited to attend, as well as spouses or widows of current or retired male faculty. New members are encouraged.

For more information, contact Marie Spollen at 749-4981 or Gloria Kreh at 749-3213.

ASC Summer Hours

Auxiliary Services Office

Mondays-Fridays 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

College Store

Mondays-Fridays 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Alumni Weekend Special Hours:
July 15 8 a.m.-6 p.m.
July 16 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Dragon's Den

Mondays-Fridays 8 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Dunkin' Donuts

Through Aug. 19 7:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

Neubig Dining Hall

Through July 29

Breakfast 7-8:30 a.m. Lunch 11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m. Dinner 5-6 p.m.

For more information, contact the ASC Office at ext. 4627.



Coming Events

Thursday, July 14

Faculty Women's Brunch: Rotary Shelter at Suggett Park, 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Friday, July 15-Sunday, July 17

Alumni Reunion Weekend

Thursday, July 28

Bloodmobile: Park Center Hall of Fame Room, 11:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 5

Annual Picnic: Civil Service Employees Association (CSEA) members; Lusk Field House, noon-4 p.m. For more information, contact Alice Greene at ext. 2010.

Thursday, Aug. 25

Opening Meeting: Corey Union Function Room, followed by the President Erik J. Bitterbaum's state-of-the-College address, 8:30 a.m.

Monday, Aug. 29

Fall Semester 2005 classes begin.

Open Recreation Schedule Posted

Park Center

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Racquetball/Squash/ Table Tennis/Pro-Star Fitness Circuit/ **Equipment Check-out/ Basketball** Gym D-305

Through July 28 Monday-Thursday 7-10 p.m.

Park Center, Holsten Pool

Through July 14

Monday-Thursday 7-10 p.m.

July 18-21 and July 25-28 Monday-Thursday 8:30-10 p.m.

Moffett Pool

Through Aug. 27

Monday-Friday 6:30-8 a.m.

11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Note: From July 18-22, Moffett Pool is not available until 11:30 a.m.

*Tomik Fitness Facilities Through Aug. 27

Saturday-Sunday 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Monday-Friday 6-8:30 a.m. 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

4 p.m.-7 p.m.

*Woods Fitness Facilities Through July 28

Monday-Thursday 7-10 p.m.

*Faculty/staff and their families must purchase a semester pass or daily pass to use these facilities. Students must present their SUNY Cortland photo I.D. cards. Fitness facilities are not available to Club Rec members.

All open recreation hours are subject to change. For more information, call ext. 4960.

ASC Announces **Grant Recipients**

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New Student Orientation, Advisement and Transition, \$5,000

Performing Arts Department Professional Services, Performing Arts Department, \$1.800

President's Purpose of Charter, Erik J. Bitterbaum, \$46,210

Project Communication: Project LEAPE and Special Education Majors Club, Speech/Hearing Club and

Physical Education Majors Club, \$500

Scholars' Day 2006, Scholars' Day Committee, \$2,500

SGA Festivus 2006, Student Government Association, \$1,000

SGA Winter Formal 2005, Student Government Association, \$1,000

SUNY Cortland Community Bike Program: Building Community, Recreation and Leisure Studies Department, \$1,000

"Spring Fling, Student Activities Board, \$600

Teachers in Training: A Conference for Foreign Language Teachers,

International Communications and Culture, \$400

Tunnel of Oppression, Residential Services, \$300

Welcome Week, Welcome Week and First Year Programs Committee. \$2.500

World First Learning Community: Exploring International Culture, World First Learning Community, \$300



Fall 2005 **Bulletin Schedule**

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#5	Oct. 24	Oct. 18
#6	Nov. 7	Nov. 1
#7	Nov. 21	Nov. 15
#8	Dec. 5	Nov. 29