

University News

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Dr. Morris Fraser and his students in Environmental Studies found a way to beat the heat last week when the air-conditioning on campus failed: they took to the amphitheatre in the Central Square and proceeded with the class.

Excalibur - Tim Clark

Encounter and grow!

Man's struggle with loneliness, creative problem solving, and bridging the generation gap are three of the wide variety of courses found in the Encounter and Growth Opportunities (E.G.O.) Programme offered this year by the Centre for Continuing Education.

Directed by Toronto psychiatrist, Dr. Thomas R. VERNY, the programme offers a wide range of professional and personal growth techniques developed by widely varying disciplines. Dr. VERNY's staff is drawn from top professionals working in fields related to small group functioning such as Organizational Development, T-Groups, Psychodrama, Body Movement and Sensory Awareness, Transactional Analysis, Gestalt Therapy, Existential Therapy, Marital Counselling, Group Therapy and the like.

While the courses are directed to professionals in the helping professions, — social work, psychology, nursing, clergy, law, education, etc., non-professionals who are actively engaged in serving or are preparing to serve their communities will also be accepted for the programme.

Some 62 different activities are being offered throughout the year. The format and duration of the courses varies considerably, with courses scheduled in sessions ranging from week-long institutes, weekend workshops, and one-day workshops to individual seminars, lectures, and special events.

The E.G.O. Programme will also play host to some of the foremost thinkers and innovators in the Human Potential Movement.

On October 17, Dr. Everett Shostrom (Man the Manipulator) will give a public lecture on Manipulation and Actualization in conjunction with his professional workshop on "From Deadness and Deliberateness and Aliveness and Spontaneity". Dr. and Mrs. Herbet Otto will speak on Actualizing Human Potential during their leadership training weekend and in February, Drs. Alexander Lowen and John C. Pierrakos will give a public lecture on bio-energetic analysis.

"The E.G.O. Programme is primarily educational in nature," notes programme director Thomas VERNY. "We hope that through it our participants will acquire the knowledge and skills which they

will utilize to advantage in their capacity as 'helpers'."

Dr. VERNY also hopes that involvement in E.G.O. will result in an individual becoming more open, free and authentic and will make him more effective not only in his capacity as a professional but in his role as a friend and as a member of a family group.

"Because we wish to make our programme relevant to the needs of the community, we hope to be able to respond positively to legitimate demands for additional workshops, consultation services, forums, etc., from any quarter. This includes for example, agencies desiring in-service education or students who would like workshops at reduced rates.

Senate meets today

Senate will meet at 10:00 a.m. this morning (Thursday, October 1) for the purpose of completing the agenda of the September 24 meeting of Senate.

Items scheduled to come before Senate this morning for discussion and approval include:

Recommendations of the senate executive committee that senate approve the report of the senate committee on examinations and academic standards respecting academic regulations proposed by the Glendon College faculty council and the council of the faculty of science.

The Senate Committee on Examinations and Academic Standards has been investigating

the financial implications of these proposed academic regulations, if any, and will report its findings to Senate.

Glendon College Proposal

In order to adjust a student's yearly workload to his needs and capability, it is proposed to declare a student full-time if he takes five courses, or with Faculty review and permission, takes four or six courses. For many students a heavier formal course load in one year would be balanced by a lighter load in another year. It is anticipated that only a small number of students would be permitted to take a four-course load without formal course compensation in another year. This proposal should promote improved academic programmes and better academic success rates with no significant increase (and, perhaps, even a decrease) in overall costs.

Faculty of Science Proposal

A credit hour approach is proposed whereby a student will receive a degree when he has satisfactorily completed acceptable courses to the extent of the number of credit hours required for the degree. The consequences of this approach will be that some students, on petition, will take four courses as a per year load appropriate to their capacity, and be declared a full-time student; others on petition, will take more than five courses and, therefore, take fewer years than normal to graduate; others will take courses which are not eligible for inclusion in the credit hour requirement for a Science degree and, therefore, take more than the normal number of years to graduate; and the number (very small now) of part-time students may increase.

Bus service statement

The basic inter-campus bus service is provided for three specific purposes: to provide transportation for those members of the University community who are housed on one campus and required to attend classes or teach on the other, to carry mail and to carry books between University Libraries.

The regular service is of limited capacity and is not intended as public transportation for members of the University community who happen to live close to either campus. In setting up the service there was no intention of supplementing or replacing existing T.T.C. services.

The night bus service is provided to facilitate the use of the University libraries in the evening and to encourage participation in other elements of the programme

on the York campus which occur in the evening, for those who live on the Glendon campus.

The Friday evening and weekend service caters primarily to the needs of the 2,300 students living in residence on the University campuses and for this reason makes connections with T.T.C. bus and subway services at various points.

This year, budget considerations made it necessary to reduce the overall service. On the basis of existing information it was considered appropriate to reduce the day service and maintain the service at night and on the weekend.

If current requirements indicate that present service can be rearranged to meet the basic purposes more effectively, this will be done to the extent of available resources.

On Campus

Thursday, Oct. 1

12.30 p.m. - "Toute la Memoire du Monde", by Alain Resnais. 30 minutes colour, French narration. Sponsored by the Film Library, Rm. 114, Central Library.

2.00 p.m. - Film - "The Skin of Our Teeth" - from the Kenneth Clark films on "Civilization". Sponsored by the Programme in Art, Faculty of Fine Arts, all members of the University welcome, Rm. D, Lecture Hall #2.

7.00 p.m. - Ceramics Club - first meeting of the year for continuing members of last year's Vanier and McLaughlin clubs. New York potters please attend. Studio - Vanier Residence basement.

7.30 p.m. - Gambling - registration for a 12-week course sponsored by the Centre for Continuing Education. Fee \$50, Rm. S127, The Ross Building. For further information call 2502.

8.00 p.m. - midnight - Green Bush Inn - cover charge of 25¢ for both members and guests. Live Entertainment. The Buttery, centre of the first College Complex.

Friday, Oct. 2

4.00 p.m. - midnight - Green Bush Inn - cover charge of 25¢ for both members and guests. The Buttery, centre of the first College Complex. Amateur entertainment and records.

7.00 p.m. - 10.00 p.m. - Badminton - upper gym. Tait McKenzie Building.

7.30 p.m. - midnight - Open House for all graduate students, faculty and staff. Sponsored by the Graduate Student Association. Refreshments will be served. Faculty Lounge, 8th floor, Ross Building

Saturday, Oct. 3

10.00 a.m. - Recreational Soccer - new members welcome. Call Roy Merrens at 635-3218 for information.

11.00 a.m. - Rugger - home game. York vs. Queen's.

2.00 p.m. - Football - home game. York vs. University of Ottawa.

Sunday, Oct. 4

2.00 p.m. - Soccer - home game. York vs. Laurentian.

2.00 p.m. - Badminton - upper gym. Tait McKenzie Building.

7.00 p.m. & 9.00 p.m. - Film - "Midnight Cowboy". Sponsored by Winters College Council. Admission \$1. (Winters College Students 75¢). Rm. L, Lecture Hall #2.

7.30 p.m. - Roman Catholic Mass - Colloquium Room, Stedman Lecture Halls.

Tuesday, Oct. 6

11.00 a.m. - 9.00 p.m. - Toy Demonstration. Sponsored by the York Daycare Centre, for the Everdale Place. Both private orders and orders for York Daycare Centre are welcome. Central Square in front of Post Office.

Wednesday, Oct. 7

4.15 p.m. & 8.00 p.m. - Film - "L'Aigle a deux tetes". By Jean Cocteau, without subtitles. Sponsored by Department of French. Interested persons welcome. Rm. 129, York Hall, Glendon College.

8.00 p.m. - 10.00 p.m. - Stargazing in the Petrie Science Observatory.

Faculty briefs

PROF. IAN A. BROOKES, geography, was awarded a grant of \$1,700 by the National Advisory Committee on Geographical Research for a study of the Geomorphology of Western Newfoundland, and a grant of \$1,275 by the Ontario Department of University Affairs for a study on the Geomorphology of Noisy River Valley, Ontario, both for the year 1970.

PROF. MAGNUS GUNTHER, political science, read a paper on "Canada's policy in Southern Africa — some proposals," to a conference on Canada's Policy in South Africa at Carlton University, Ottawa, on May 21.

PROF. HENRY S. HARRIS, philosophy, Glendon, acted as chairman at a Hegel Lecture at the Canadian Philosophy Association in Winnipeg on June 12.

PROF. A.B.P. LEVER, chemistry, read a paper on "some recent infrared spectroscopy to co-ordination chemistry" to the Departments of Chemistry at the universities of Washington and British Columbia in June.

PROF. J. TAIT MONTAGUE, economics, wrote a book, *Labour Markets in Canada*, published by Prentice-Hall of Canada Ltd., June 29.

PROF. ALEX L. MURRAY, environmental studies, and JOHN BECHER, Assistant Vice-President, were elected Vice-Chairman and Director, respectively, of the Ontario Division, Community Planning Association of Canada for the 1970-71 year at their Annual Meeting, May 7-8.

PROF. ANTHONY H. RICHMOND, sociology, will hold a Visiting Fellowship at the Research School of Social Sciences, Australian National University, January - July, 1971.

PROF. LIONEL RUBINOFF, philosophy, is acting as on-camera host for a series of television programmes on contemporary social issues for ETV to be broadcast throughout the fall and winter on channel 19. The series is called "Finding a Way".

PROF. GLENDON SCHUBERT, political science, wrote a book, *The Constitutional Policy*, published by the Boston University Press last spring. The book was based on Professor Schubert's 1968 Gasper G. Bacon Lecture on the Constitution of the United States at Boston University.

PROF. VELLO SERMAT, psychology, received a renewal of his Canada Council research grant of \$11,795 for a work, "Process analysis of verbal communication in the development of trust and friendship", for the academic year 1970-71, and a grant of \$1,000 from the Ontario Mental Health Foundation in support of a research project entitled "Loneliness: the interrelationship of personality and situational variables in social isolation".

PROF. GORDON G. SHEPHERD, physics, has received two national Research Grants, one of \$44,400 for "Optical studies of aurora and airglow", and one for \$12,000 to construct a Michelson Interferometer.

PROF. CYRIL L. SMETANA, english, received a Canada Council grant of \$1,423 for research in England on "The English works of John Capgrave" and "The homiliary of Paul the Deacon", May to August, 1970.

PROF. W.I. THOMPSON, humanities, spoke on "Canada: 20-20 Hindsight", to the Ontario Government Senior Officers Conference at the Lake Simcoe Conference Centre, on June 28.

Glendon College

Glendon College has just been granted the sum of \$16,000 from the Adlai Stevenson Institute. This grant is intended to finance an association of the College with the Adlai Stevenson Institute and to defray the expenses of Fellows and Honorary Fellows of the ASIA Consortium who will be giving lectures on the Glendon campus during the academic year 1970-71.