

## Students invited MSU will host provost candidates to Open House

MSU's Office of Enrollment Services announces Open House 2007.

Scheduled for Saturday, March 10, from 9 a.m. until noon, the event will be held in the Adron Doran University Center on the Morehead campus.

This will be an excellent opportunity for students and families to discover why MSU has been named one of "America's Best Colleges" by U.S. News & World Report for the third year running.

University representatives will be available to meet students and families, answer questions, lead campus tours and share information concerning college life. There will be opportunities to explore academic programs, financial aid, housing, facilities and other areas through presentations and brochures along with question and answer sessions and individual meetings.

Students and families are encouraged to register for the Open House.

## FERPA training

Attending a Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) workshop is a requirement for all employees requiring a Datatel WebAdvisor account to access student records, according to Starlet Johnson, database/research analyst.

Currently, student information is accessed through AIMSWeb. However, the class sections for advance registration in April, Fall 2007 registration & corresponding student information will be accessible only through the new Datatel system.

Additional module training will be posted on the training Web site as scheduled by the implementation teams. Employees are strongly encouraged to make plans to attend the FERPA workshop as soon as possible. FERPA is a federal law that protects the privacy of student education records. The law applies to all schools that receive funds under an applicable program of the U.S. Department of Education.

This FERPA workshop is instructed by Jane Fitzpatrick, general counsel, and will provide specific guidance for required compliance with federal and state law governing the privacy and release of student education records.

Additional information is available by accessing the Datatel Web site at [www.moreheadstate.edu/datatel](http://www.moreheadstate.edu/datatel) for training schedules, or by calling 783-2009.

## KSBDC awards

Directors at two East Kentucky Small Business Development Centers (EKSBD) attended the first Kentucky Small Business Development Center (KSBDC) awards recognition banquet to accept awards.

EKSBD captured two awards. Mike Morley, district director of EKSBD in Pikeville, was presented the Extraordinary Achievement by Individual/Center award for his sincere and committed dedication to bettering the lives of the small business community and its residents.

The Best Event Put on by a Center award went to EKSBD's Ashland center for its Northeast Kentucky Small Business Awards breakfast. Kim Jenkins, director of the Ashland SBDC and the event's coordinator, heads up a committee of 20 of the area's top leaders in banking, economic development, business and industry and education.

The second of three finalists for the position of Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs at Morehead State University will visit the campus on Friday, Feb. 16, according to Dr. Bruce Mattingly, chair of the search committee.

Dr. Karla Hughes, professor and dean of the College of Human Ecology at East Carolina University, will complete the daylong interview process.

She will meet with faculty, staff and students, 8:40 a.m., Riggle Room, ADUC; deans and associate provosts, 9:50 a.m., 301 ADUC; department chairs, 11 a.m., 301 ADUC; lunch with the President's Cabinet; Search Committee, 1:20 p.m., 301 ADUC; and faculty, staff and students, 2:30 p.m., Riggle Room, ADUC.

The third finalist, Dr. Kenneth Holland, associate provost for international programs and professor of political science at Kansas State

## IET hosts event

Morehead State University's Department of Industrial and Engineering Technology recently hosted the counseling staffs from Enrollment Services and Academic and Career Services.

The event was arranged by Sam Mason, instructor of manufacturing and recruitment chairman for IET.

The informational session began with brief introductions followed by lunch, presentation and tour of the department.

The presentation included programs of study, information on new programs (technology management completor degree), an update of current projects underway in the department and presentations of student work.

Each member received a packet of information that further explained topics covered in the presentation as well as the presentation itself on CD to share with students.

Additional information is available by calling the IET department at 783-2013.

## Folk art exhibit

The Kentucky Folk Art Center has announced the opening of a new exhibit, "Against the Grain: The Works of Minnie Adkins." The opening reception will be held on Thursday, Feb. 22, from 6-8 p.m. Live music, food and beverages will be provided at the reception.

There will be no admission charge to attend the opening. Against the Grain will remain on display at KFAC through May 27.

The exhibit will feature more than 60 works by Elliott County folk artist Minnie Adkins. Most of the works presented will be Adkins' wood carvings and will range from the 1940s through 2006.

Adkins is one of Kentucky's best-known folk artists, and her work has been collected by institutions and individual collectors across America. Long known for her generous encouragement of other folk artists, she founded "A Day in the Country" folk art show in Elliott County in the 1980s, and the event continues to be held in Morehead on the first Saturday of June each year.

"Minnie Adkins has been an important presence in Kentucky folk art, larger than life, for over 20 years now," said KFAC curator Adrian Swain. "For her art, her friendship, and her encouragement of numerous other artists, the folk art community has benefited immensely from the life and work of Minnie Adkins."

Kentucky Folk Art Center is a cultural, educational and economic development service of MSU. The Center is open Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. year round and Sunday, 1 p.m.-5 p.m., April - December.

Additional information is available by calling KFAC at 783-2204.

University, will be on campus Monday, Feb. 19.

Dr. Holland will meet with faculty staff and students, 9:50 a.m., Crager Room, ADUC; deans and associate provosts, 10:50 a.m., 301 ADUC; lunch with the President's Cabinet; department chairs, 1:10 p.m., 301 ADUC; Search Committee, 2:20 p.m., 301 ADUC; and faculty, staff and students, 3:30 p.m., Crager Room, ADUC.

Earlier in the week (Feb. 12), Dr. Michael Seelig, dean of MSU's Caudill College of Humanities, completed the interview process.

Anyone attending the forums are urged to complete an evaluation sheet.

## Dance program

One of MSU's newest academic programs is keeping students on their toes - literally.

The University's dance program, currently being developed into an academic minor, features practical instruction in contemporary dance forms, according to Ashley L. Suttlar, assistant professor of dance and director of the MSU Dance Ensemble.

She describes the program as "a creative track that includes technical practice, and process-orientated courses like Dance Improvisation and Introduction to Dance as Performance Art." A course in dance history is planned for the future.

"I found the opportunity to build a program from the ground up very appealing," said Suttlar, who teaches from her years of experience as a performance artist.

Suttlar began her dance training at age 6 in a private studio.

Suttlar holds a Bachelor of Fine Arts in dance performance and choreography from Virginia Commonwealth University, and a Master of Fine Arts degree in dance from Temple University.

As the director of MSU's Dance Ensemble, Suttlar is coordinating the group's second annual concert, "Canvas," to be held at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 22-24 in the Lucille Little Theatre within Breckinridge Hall.

Seven student choreographers will participate in the event, showcasing a variety of dance styles as solos or small groups. The Dance Ensemble will perform two works, both choreographed by Suttlar.

"Canvas" tickets are available for \$8 for adults, and free to MSU students with a valid EagleCard ID. Reservations are suggested and may be made by calling the Theatre Box Office at 783-2170.

## New scholarship

MSU has announced that a Dr. Richard Hunt Memorial Scholarship has been established for students who wish to pursue a degree in chemistry.

The award will be presented for the 2007 fall semester.

The recipient will be selected from the qualified applicants by the MSU Chemistry Faculty Scholarship Committee and recommended to the University Scholarship Committee. The scholarship will be non-renewable.

The Hunt scholarship is named for Dr. Hunt, a former associate professor of chemistry at MSU. A 1973-74 Fulbright Fellow, he was a graduate of Antioch College where he earned a B.S. degree and the University of Chicago where he completed the Ph.D. degree.

The scholarship, administered through the MSU Foundation Inc., was established on behalf of faculty, alumni and friends of the MSU Chemistry Program, and coordinated by Dr. Mark Blankenbuehler, associate professor of chemistry.

## Job vacancies

### EXTERNAL

**Chair, Department of Biology #1430**, Department of Biological and Environmental Sciences beginning July 1. Review of applications will begin Feb. 15 and will continue until the position is filled.

**Carpenter #1443**, Office of Physical Plant. To ensure consideration, apply by Feb. 16.

**Extended Search. Senior Enrollment Services Counselor for Diversity #1408**, Office of Enrollment Services. To ensure consideration, by Feb. 22.

**Clinical Director of University Counseling Center #1424**, University Counseling Center beginning July 1. Review of applications will begin on March 2 and will continue until the position is filled.

**Assistant Professor of Music-Clarinet #1445 (Tenure Track)**, Department of Music beginning August 2007. Review of applications will begin March 23 and will continue until the position is filled.

**Assistant Professor of Music-Flute #1444 (Tenure Track)**, Department of Music beginning August 2007. Review of applications will begin March 23 and will continue until the position is filled.

**Assistant Professor of Imaging Sciences #1406 (Tenure Track)**, Department of Imaging Sciences beginning August 2007. Review of applications will begin March 26 and will continue until the position is filled.

**Assistant Professor of Health Education #1442 (Tenure Track)**, Department of Health, Physical Education and Sport Sciences beginning August 2007. Review of applications will begin March 26 and will continue until the position is filled.

**Building Services Technician #1390**, Office of Physical Plant. This announcement is to invite applications for the purpose of establishing a pool of applicants from which to select full-time, fixed-term Building Services Technician vacancies that occur through June 30.

**Police Officer #1436**, MSU Police Department. This announcement is to invite applications for the purpose of establishing a pool of applicants from which to select as Police Officer vacancies that occur through Dec. 31. Applications will continue to be accepted until this date.

**Police Telecommunicator #1437**, MSU Police Department. This announcement is to invite applications for the purpose of establishing a pool of applicants from which to select as Police Telecommunicator vacancies that occur through Dec. 31. Applicants will continue to be accepted until this date.

Internal applicants should obtain a copy of the job opportunity posting from the Office of Human Resources indicating the application materials required for each position.

Official transcripts are required for administrative positions.

A keyboarding exercise is required for secretarial, clerk/typist and dispatcher positions and must be completed prior to the position closing date. To register for this keyboarding exercise, contact the OHR at 783-2097.

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## Heritage radio

The Black History Month celebration continues at Morehead State Public Radio with several more special programs.

Among the remaining programs for February are:

Sunday, Feb 18, "W.C. Handy's Blues," 6 p.m. The special focuses on the life and legacy of Handy who was a musician, a composer, an arranger, a publisher and pioneer.

Friday, Feb. 23, "A Tribute to Medgar Evers," 2 p.m. This concert honors the slain civil rights worker and will feature the Mississippi Symphony with major state choirs.

Saturday, Feb 24, "Sam Cooke: Bring it on Home to me," 8 p.m. The documentary details his life and music through his own recordings and commentary from family and friends;

"Chuck Berry: Hail Hail the King of Rock 'n' Roll," 9 p.m. The special celebrates the unforgettable music of Berry. He plays his biggest hits backed by Keith Richards, an all-star backup band, and guests Eric Clapton, Robert Cray, Linda Rondstadt, Etta James and Julian Lennon.

"Buddy Guy: Can't Quit the Blues," 10 p.m. The special features legendary bluesman in his own words and music. Guy's own comments come from an exclusive interview session, and include many recollections and insights.

"Bill Withers: Just as he is," 11 p.m. The documentary about this highly influential artist focuses mostly on the making of his 1971 debut album, Just as I am, featuring his classics "Ain't No Sunshine" and "Harlem."

Sunday, Feb. 25, "Fats Waller: If You Gotta Ask," 6 p.m. A one-hour music intensive documentary highlights one of America's great composers and performers of the 20th century.

## eBay workshop

MSU's Small Business Development Center will hold a workshop for individuals interested in setting up a business on eBay.

The workshop will be held on Thursday, Feb. 15, from 5:30-8:30 p.m. in 301 Combs Building. Topics of discussion will include strategies and tips for successfully selling on eBay, the step-by-step process of listing, and selling and receiving payment for an item.

The charge for the workshop is \$20 for all participants; however, seating is limited and advance registration is preferred. Additional information and registration are available by calling 783-2895.

## Happenings

### Thursday, Feb. 15

8th Annual Kentucky Thespian Society Conference, for educators and students, Adron Doran University Center and Breckinridge Hall, all day, through Feb. 17.

49th Annual Concert Band Clinic, including concerts by various MSU ensembles and the Honors Band, Baird Music Hall and Wetherby Gymnasium, through Feb. 18.

Meet MSU Night, First Federal Center, Hazard Community and Technical College, 10 a.m.

Concert: Concert Band and Jazz Ensembles, Wetherby Gymnasium, 7:30 p.m.

Basketball: Lady Eagles and Eagles vs. Samford University, Academic-Athletic Center, 5:15 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

### Friday, Feb. 16

Concert: "Americana Crossroads Live," featuring Minton Sparks, Blue Light Special, and Don Rigsby and Midnight Call, Morehead Conference Center, 7 p.m.

Concert: Symphony Band, WG 8 p.m.

### Saturday, Feb. 17

Tennis: Lady Eagles and Eagles vs. Jacksonville State, Sadler Tennis Courts, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

Basketball: Lady Eagles vs. Jacksonville State University, AAC, time TBA.

Basketball: Eagles vs. TBA (ESPN "Bracket Buster") opponent, AAC, time, TBA.

Prism concert featuring Directors' Band and various ensembles, WG, 8 p.m.

### Sunday, Feb. 18

Concert: Honors Band, WG 1 p.m.

Baseball: Eagles vs. Wright State University, Allen Field, 1 p.m.

### Tuesday, Feb. 20

Guest recital: Kim Scott, piano, Duncan Recital Hall, 8 p.m.

Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT) Program orientations: MSU at Jackson, Breathitt County Life Skills Center, 1127 Main St., 3:30 p.m., and MSU at Ashland, 1400 College Drive, Suite 7272, 6 p.m.

### Wednesday, Feb. 21

Baseball: Eagles vs. Georgetown College, AF, 2 p.m.

### Thursday, Feb. 22

Presentation: Visiting artist Yoko Sekino-Bovo, ceramics, 10:20 a.m. and 12:40 p.m., main gallery, Claypool-Young Art Building.

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