NEW PROGRAM LINKS JOURNALISM STUDENTS/FOREIGN LANGUAGE STUDY

Journalism students aspiring to report the news from French and Spanish-speaking areas, can get extra training in foreign correspondence thanks to a grant received by Modern Languages and Journalism from the U. S. Department of Education and from 1804 Funds.

The grants are financing a new program in which students will study French and Spanish using foreign language newspapers, weekly news magazines, and radio and television broadcasts received via satellite.

In addition to classroom work, three television monitors will be set up in the language laboratory in Ellis Hall and three in the journalism school so students can also watch the live foreign broadcasts during their free time.

The program, which was launched fall quarter, was open to 50 journalism students currently studying the languages on an intermediate level. It will be administered jointly by the Department of Modern Languages and the E. W. Scripps School of Journalism.
OUTSTANDING SENIORS

The outstanding seniors for 1983-84 are as follows:

Lynne R. Huffer - French
Philip Gordon - French
Denice Korcal - Spanish

SCHOLARSHIPS

The Mary Durnion Scholarship for 1984-85 was awarded to Jane Rauschenberg.

The Urda Traenkle Scholarship for 1984-85 was awarded to Shirley Stoneburner.

Congratulations to Jane and Shirley on their award.

FACULTY ACTIVITY AND HONORS

Again this year two of the Dean's Outstanding Teacher Awards went to Modern Languages Department faculty. Ursula Lawson (German) and Richard Danner (French) received the honors this year.

A Departmental Instructional Development Award (DIDA) was received by Maureen Weissenrieder.

Richard Danner's article "Jean de La Fontaine" was published in European Writers: The Age of Reason and the Enlightenment, ed. George Stade (New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, 1984), III, 73-100. Dr. Danner continues to serve as Review Editor of the French Review for literary history and criticism; as French Section Head of the MLA International Bibliography; and as Chairman of the Articulation and Curriculum Committee of the Ohio Modern Language Teachers Association.

YOU ARE INVITED!

Ohio University's students of German will perform Heinrich von Kleist's comedy Der zerbrochene Krug in German, Saturday, January 19, 1985 in Galbreath Chapel at 2:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Admission is free, and English summaries of the text will be available at the door. The play is being directed by Ursula Lawson.

DONATIONS

The following have donated to the OU Fund - Modern Languages Department:

Frank Brooks
Marilyn Blethen
Martha E. Cole
Mary Durnion
Martha Ellen Hesson
Nathaniel Ellis Lewis
Gloria B. Loyd
Mary Alice Lillie
Ursula Lawson
Mary T. Noss
Enrique Romagueria
Sharon Scinicariello
Lois Washburn, Washburn Travel
Sheryl Somers
Jill Tague
Lynn Wurzelbacher

The Modern Language Department is very appreciative of this continued support.
LANGUAGE FAIR

This year's Language Fair was held on April 14 and was most successful. This was the 10th Annual Language Fair and it was hard to believe that so many years have gone by since we started. The Fair was held in Ellis Hall and Memorial Auditorium and was attended by approximately 1100 students from 27 schools. Each year the quality of the presentations improves and we were most pleased with the outstanding work done by these students and their teachers. Among the alums at the Fair this year were Sherry Mccadden Kochis (Alexander High School), Mark Nutter (Waterford), Gretchen Yerian (St. Joseph Prep Seminary), Ralph Morgan (Morgan High School), Susan Sommers Parsons (Berne Union), Gloria Muntean, John Fogt, Lana Weber, Carolyn Bayat (all Athens High School) and Sharon Guinn Scinicariello (Muscogum College).

The 1985 Fair will be held on Saturday, April 13 and we would welcome any of you who would like to come to campus. We especially need judges for the various presentations, so if you're interested give us a call.

LANGUAGE CAMP

The 1984 Language Camp was the 10th Language Camp and was attended by 62 students from Maryland, Michigan, Kentucky, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Virginia, West Virginia, and Ohio.

CAMP cont'd

The campers spent seven days in Jefferson Hall (as did the counselors) and we were all pleased at the progress these students made. This year we tried something different - there was a junior camp and a senior camp for the two age groups so that students could spend time with others the same age. Some of our faithful alums were there including Sharon Guinn Scinicariello, the Co-director of the Camp and Director of the French Camp, Mark Nutter, Director of the Spanish Camp, Molly Gleissner, Kathy Chirinos, Gretchen Yerian, and Paula Beck Woodward. Ellen Milicia visited the camp briefly. Ellen was a counselor for two years. She's now married, has a son, and is living and working in Cleveland.
1967

Claudia Vester Hawthorne (Fr, Ger) is the Plans Officer for Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel at FORCES COMMAND, Ft. McPherson, GA. She was promoted to the rank of Major on April 1, 1983 in the U.S. Army. Prior to Claudia's present position, she worked in the News Analysis Branch, Public Information Division at SHAPE, Belgium from 1977-80. She was a French instructor at the U.S. Military Academy West Point, NY from 1980-82. On October 15, 1983 she married Army Colonel Raymond S. Hawthorne.

Eugenia Kwiatkowski Brumm (Rus, Ger) is living in Ogden, Utah.

1968

Susan Hines Brown (Fr, Lat, Greek, Ger) teaches French and English at Marion Catholic High School in Marion, OH. Susan received her Ph.D. in Latin and Greek at the University of Minnesota in 1973. She is married and has a six-year-old daughter, Laurel.

1969

Cathy Friend Hunker (Fr, Ger) is working toward her master's degree in Psychology at Eastern Michigan University.

1970

Kathleen Lowndes Hanawalt (Ger) has her own real estate and investment company. She lives in Loma, CA.

Beverly Shelton Simmons (Sp, Ital) is a Spanish teacher at Cleveland Heights High School.

1971

Terri Zimmerman Marlow (Sp) teaches Spanish at Parkersburg High School, Parkersburg, WV. Terri was chosen as West Virginia Foreign Language Teacher of the Year, 1984.

Evelyn Gartner Fowles (Sp, Ger) is living in Export, PA.

1972

Dave Marlow (Sp) teaches Spanish at Parkersburg High School, Parkersburg, WV.

Karen Rasmussen (Fr, Sp) is a Loan Officer at the World Bank. She lives in Arlington, VA.

Joleen Ackerman Fridson (Sp) is area supervisor for New Jersey Green Thumb, a Federal older worker employment program.

1973

Margaret Hill Phillips (Sp, Fr, Ital-MA in Sp '75) works full-time at the Ohio Bureau of Employment Services and part-time at Sinclair Community College as a lecturer in Remedial/Developmental English. She lives in Dayton, OH.

1975

Barbara W. Nixon (Sp) lives in Cincinnati, OH.

Cynthia Emmets (Fr) (as of Jan. '84) is manager of Sponsor Programs for the Los Angeles Olympic Organizing Committee. She was recently sent to India for the 86th Session of the International Olympic Committee and to Edmonton, Canada for the World University Games.
1982 cont’d

Mary Frances Kramer (Fr) is an interior designer working for an international retail design firm. Mary lives in Columbus, OH.

Roberta Whitmore (SP) is married and living in Miami, FL with her husband, Mark. Roberta is manager of the SPD department of a fabric store which sells Singer Sewing Machines. Prior to moving to Florida, she was an assistant in the language lab at Georgetown University.

UPDATE

Sharon Quinn Scinicariello (Fr '73) has been appointed to the position of Assistant Academic Dean at Muskingum College. She will coordinate the advising program and draft proposals seeking funds to underwrite aspects of the academic program. Sharon joined the staff at Muskingum in 1982 as an assistant professor of French.

UPDATE cont’d

Ellis English (BA '77, MA '81) is a Spanish teacher at Gallipolis High School, Gallipolis, OH.

Mollie Burger (BA, Sp '81) married José Enrique Jrazuzta on September 28, 1984. Congratulations Mollie and José. Before graduating, Mollie was a "labbie" for three years in the language lab.

Gretchen Inboden Gonzalez (BA, Sp '80) is living in Dallas, TX with her husband and son. Gretchen visited the lab this fall (Gretchen is another ex-labbie) and it was nice talking with her after an absence of three years and it was a pleasure meeting her family.

Hébert Peck, Jr. (BA, Fr minor '81). Although Hébert was not a language major, he did make his presence felt around the department. For two years he was a French instructor/counselor at the OU Language Camp where his knowledge and enthusiasm was felt by all the participants. At present Hébert is pursuing an MA in Psychology at Brooklyn College and collaborating in research at Brooklyn College Infant Study Center. He is also a week-end residential counselor for the Young Adult Institute.

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Please be sure to contact us with any news not reported here in "SAY THERE" or with any news incorrectly or incompletely reported. We'd be more than happy to help reunite alums by disclosing addresses of anyone who has corresponded with us. Also, if you haven’t sent us an ALUM REPORT, please do so and tell us what you're doing. We'd all love to hear from you!

**KEEP IN TOUCH!**

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**DID YOU PARTICIPATE IN ANY OF THE STUDY-ABROAD PROGRAMS WHILE YOU WERE AT OU? WHERE AND WHEN?**

If you know the addresses of any other alums or if you know any news that might be of interest to our alums, please give that information in the space below and we will publish it in the next issue:

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