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# HOTEL AND RESTAURANT MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

A two-day educational workshop on hotel and restaurant management will be conducted by Florida International University and Broward Community College at Palm Beach Junior College in Lake Worth on Friday and Saturday, April 2-3, 1971. The program, which is being held in cooperation with the Florida Chapter, Council on Hotel, Restaurant and Institutional Education, will be highlighted by a management simulation game called TIMSIM (Travel Industry Management Simulation).

The game deals with decision-making in hotel and restaurant management. Used in course work at Broward Community College and other institutions, TIMSIM is played by teams of four members and coached by a professional hotelman or college instructor. The purpose is to develop through the use of the computer a method by which the competency of the student as a manager can be determined. Through the use of TIMSIM, the future hotel manager will be able in a short period of time to ascertain his capabilities as a manager.

The program is organized for students of Florida junior and community colleges having departments in hotel and restaurant management. Student teams will participate from Miami-Dade Junior College, Edison Junior College, Palm Beach Junior College, Daytona Beach Junior College, St. Petersburg Junior College and Broward Community College.

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The workshop will be chaired by Mr. Ray Dieterich, President of the Council on Hotel, Restaurant and Institutional Education. Florida International will award certificates to the participants. When it opens for student enrollment in the fall of 1972, the University will have a School of Hotel, Food and Travel Services. Mr. Michael Kobasky, Coordinator of Professional and Developmental Activities in University Services and Continuing Education, will talk on the School's program.

<u>BE A BETTER WOMAN JUDGE</u>: Mrs. Betty Perry was one of the judges in The Miami Herald's Be A Better Woman awards, which were announced at My Lady Fair at Dinner Key Auditorium last Friday and Saturday. She judged the Education category, one of four that also included Volunteering, Employment and Self-Improvement. "It showed me what education means to a woman," said Mrs. Perry. Of the contestants, she explained that "many of these women face hardships and obstacles and have to make sacrifices. They are not only rearing children but are often the sole support of their family, yet continue to keep education uppermost in their mind. It's very inspiring."

Mrs. Georgina Gonzalez Cruz, who came to Miami from Cuba with her four daughters in 1961 and recently received a B.A. degree in sociology, was named winner in the Education category. Mrs. Perry is a member of the Lay Advisory Board of the Council for the Continuing Education of Women, which sponsored My Lady Fair.

<u>A LARGE RESPONSE</u>: Approximately 1,500 pieces of material were handed out at the University's exhibit booth during the two-day run of My Lady Fair. Mr. Terry Spence, Director of College and High School Relations, reports that nearly 100 requests for information cards were filled out and left at the booth, which was manned day and evenings by University staff personnel. The Council for the Continuing Education of Women reported that 8,700 people attended the Fair.

<u>NEW FACE</u>; Miss Janet Marcinik, Secretary III, is presently working for both the College of Arts and Sciences and School of Business and Organizational Sciences. Miss Marcinik was a secretary for a Miami manufacturing firm and is a native of Pennsylvania. THE IVORY TOWER, PAGE 3

### NEW TEMPORARY FACILITIES FOR LIBRARY

Howard Cordell, Director of University Libraries, reports that approximately 25,000 volumes have been received and are being stored until new temporary library facilities are completed in June. At that time, the University Library will move from the Tower into one of the existing buildings on the west side of the Tamiami Campus. The building, which is within walking distance of the Modular Building, is one of the original airport structures and will be renovated.

Mr. Cordell said about 40,000 volumes can be housed on inexpensive stockroom-type shelves in the renovated building. "Anything beyond that will have to be stored in boxes until the Multi-Purpose Building is ready," he explained.

In the beginning, the card catalog will be only a title file, Mr. Cordell said. While in the temporary building, the Library staff will be preparing a regular card catalog which will include author, title and subject entries. The Library now has a staff of five. An Acquisitions Librarian and Bibliographic Searcher will be added in April, Mr. Cordell said.

STATE CALENDAR: The Florida Department of Commerce will be shortly publishing its calendar of events for June, July and August. If any University department would like an event during that time mentioned in the calendar, please turn in the information to the Office of Information Services. Submit each individual event on a 3" x 5" card with information in the following order: category, date, city, name of event, and place of event. Deadline for information is April 1.

<u>NEW DOCTORATE</u>: Congratulations to Assistant Dean Richard H. Konkel, College of Arts and Sciences, on being awarded a Ph.D. degree in the area of educational administration. He received the degree at winter commencement exercises at Bowling Green State University on March 20.

SPEAKERS BUREAU: B. G. Olson, University Relations and Development, spoke last Wednesday to the Greater Miami Aviation Association at the Merchandise Mart about Florida International...President Perry will address the noon luncheon of the Kiwanis Club of Southwest Miami at the University of Miami Faculty Club on Wednesday.

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HERE AND THERE: Doris Sadoff, Purchasing Agent, was in New York for the 23rd Annual Purchasing Institute sponsored by the National Association of Educational Buyers...Mrs. Dotty Honea, Administrative Assistant to the President, represented the International Secretaries Association in accepting a proclamation from Miami Mayor David Kennedy marking National Secretaries Week on April 18-24...John E. Lewis, School of Business and Organizational Sciences, attended a two-day Florida Workshop of the Southern Business Administration Association in Orlando... President Perry will be in Washington Sunday for a meeting of the National Committee for Support of Public Schools. The following day, he will attend a meeting of the World Education Committee of UNESCO. He is a member of the United States Commission to UNESCO...Glenn A. Goerke, University Services and Continuing Education, and Dean Lewis will be in Washington on March 31-April 1 for discussions with Federal agencies on financial aid for programs at the University ... The South Florida Bicentennial Commission will host the Florida American Revolution Bicentennial Commission on Monday. The state group will tour the Interama facility and hear a formal presentation on Miami's plans for the 1976 celebration.

"Injustice is relatively easy to bear; it is justice that hurts."--H. L. Mencken

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