IIT ranks in business survey

According to a recently released independent report, Illinois Institute of Technology (IIT) is among the top 25 colleges and universities in the country based on the percentage of its graduates who become leading business executives, presidents, vice-presidents, and directors of companies. Other universities in this top 25 include Yale, Johns Hopkins, MIT, University of Chicago, California Institute of Technology, Cornell, Princeton, Harvard, and Stanford.

The report, compiled by Virginia Military Institute, correlated data from the 1983 Standard and Poor's 'Executive/College Survey' with data supplied by the National Center for Education Statistics. For each institution, Table 1 shows the number of undergraduate degrees awarded during the year matched against the number of graduates who became leading business executives in the five years following graduation.

Communication essay contest

Vector Marketing Corporation, a national marketing firm which offers high income and full time job opportunities to many college students each year, will sponsor an essay contest, exclusively for undergraduates with scholarship monies totaling $2,000 for winning entries.

The announcement was made by Don Freda, President of the Springfield (PA) based firm.

The contest is open to both part time and full time students currently studying at recognized colleges and universities across the country, not currently or previously employed by or associated with Vector Marketing Corporation.

Students are asked to write 500-750 word essay on the following topic: The Importance of Interpersonal Communication Skills to Your Career Goals.

According to Mr. Freda, this topic was chosen to emphasize the role that interpersonal communication skills play in today's highly competitive business world.

"Today, a college student needs more than just a high academic standing and hard work to be truly successful when pursuing a career," said Freda. "A graduate with strong interpersonal communication skills will be chosen for a job over a fellow student who has difficulty expressing himself or herself."

"Basically, we're asking students to put down on paper how their interpersonal communication skills will help them to be successful in their specific careers, whether they be marketing, engineering, nursing, accounting or another field," added Freda.

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Bridge building contest

On Tuesday February 17, IIT will be hosting the Chicago Regional Bridge Building Contest in the HUB Auditorium. The competition will involve more than 120 local high school students along with IIT students. All IIT students are welcome and encouraged to participate. Prizes will be awarded to the top competitors, and the winners of the HUB competition will compete in the national competition on May 7 at IIT.

A complete kit with rules and materials is available in the Physics Office in Siegel Hall for $2.40. For first time and experienced builders a video tape is available for $10.00. This tape includes many hints and detailed instructions for building your bridge.

Last year Eta Kappa NU entered a bridge in the contest and broke the national record for 30 gram balsa wood bridges. The previous record, also set at the Chicago Regional competition, was 350 pounds, but the HKN bridge beat that by 38 pounds, for a new record of 389 pounds. In the efficiency category, the HKN bridge was second to a bridge entered by Dr. Marvin Gamr. His bridge held nearly 6,000 times its own weight before it broke.

At this year's contest, HKN and IEEE members will be setting up the bridge stands, checking in bridges, announcing models being tested and posting results. With good student support, and many IIT students competing, this year's contest should be very competitive and hopefully we will see more records broken.
This term, hook up to IIT from home. Call now and rent a terminal for the month of February for Absolutely Free!
721-5833

With a deposit, which will be fully refunded upon return of rental equipment, and an eight dollar installation fee you can use any of IIT's Prime Vax or Encore computers right from your home for the rest of February, at no rental charge, no strings attached. Supplies are available and this offer is on a first come first serve basis.

One thing for sure about this term is that it will be filled with plenty to do. There will be plenty of time used for work and maybe a little time for play.

Certainly one of the most time consuming and difficult of things to get done this semester will be those long and hard computer projects that many IIT students must face. Facing a computer assignment can mean sitting long uncomfortable hours in a crowded computer room. It can even mean traveling to school from home on a free day or a weekend, only to enter a few more lines of data into some terminal. These things take their toll on your school work.

Home work should be done at home. In a comfortable and relaxed environment where you can have the time and concentration you need to do your best. Let Rent Term give you that freedom. We rent computer terminals at low rates, especially for students who want to connect to school from home. We will install all rental equipment in your home for you and give you all necessary support to start a successful semester.

We also have listings of electronic bulletin boards and information services.

This offer is for students only!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING FRIDAY THE 13TH?

COME PLAY MUSICAL CHAIRS

("Rocky Horror" doesn't start until midnight anyway!)

WHERE: HUB Cafeteria

WHEN: Friday, February 13th at 5:55 p.m.

TROPHY FOR THE WINNER!

FREE REFRESHMENTS LOTS OF FUN

BRING A FRIEND!

Just 25¢, pay at the door

Free pizza party for the group (frst, hall, or commuters) with highest % in top 20!

SPONSORED BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT

A NEW DIMENSION IN CAMPUS ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

THE "CHIT-CHAT" (OR DO YOU SAY "KIT-KAT")

FIREPLACE LOUNGE

COFFEE HOUSE

IN HERMANN HALL

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 7:30 to 10:30 PM

ANITA FIELD,

CLASSICAL GUITARIST

ACCLAIMED IN CONCERTS THROUGHOUT THE U.S. AND EUROPE

PRESENTING A DAZZLING MEDLEY OF POP-FOLK-COUNTRY MUSIC

COME UNWIND IN A SOOTHING, WARM FIREPLACE ATMOSPHERE AND MEET SOME INTERESTING PEOPLE! AND IT'S FREE!

WEDNESDAY EVENING IN THE HUB FIREPLACE LOUNGE
announcements

Sportfest

As usual the Residence Hall Association is organizing the annual Sportfest. This will be held on the quad of the residence halls on Saturday, May 3, from 10 AM to 3 PM. All residence hall students and faculty are welcome to participate.

RHA (late!)

The RHA will have its third meeting of the semester this Wednesday, May 8, at 11:15 AM in the Residence Hall cafeteria. You are invited to attend and contribute to the discussion.

Life Reflections

The continuing program of the student-faculty sponsored reflection group will begin with the first lecture of the semester on Thursday, April 11, at 7:00 PM in the Brown Auditorium. The session will focus on the theme of "Journey to Self-Discovery." All students and faculty members are welcome to attend.

Communion

Sunday Mass and Holy Communion is celebrated each week in St. Mary's Chapel (directly across the street from the main campus) at 9:00 AM. This Sunday, March 31, the fourth Sunday of Lent, will feature a reflection on the readings for the day. All are welcome to attend.

No More

Any and all announcements that are received LATE (i.e., AFTER 5 PM ON THE DAY THEY ARE TO BE ANNOUNCED) will not be published. If you see this, please forward the information to the editor, who will make every effort to ensure that the information is duly published.

Amoco Interns

Amoco Corporation is sponsoring a Summer Internship for minorities in the field of electrical engineering. All students, junior and senior, who are U.S. citizens and have a grade point average of 3.0 or higher, are encouraged to apply. The deadline for applications is May 15. For more information, contact Mr. Robert Smith at 415-324-1234.

Minority Scholars

Amoco Corporation is sponsoring a minority scholarship and will be recruiting in the Residence Hall Office on February 18. Two minority scholarships, one at $5,000 and the other at $10,000, will be awarded. Each scholarship will be paid in quarterly installments. Interested students should contact Mr. Smith for details.

CSEP Lectures

The next CSEP lecture will be held on Thursday, February 18, at 7:00 PM in the Brown Auditorium. The topic will be "Current Trends in Computer Science." All students are encouraged to attend.

HKN Initiates

Initiates of Eta Kappa Nu will receive notifications for membership. A meeting for initiates will be held Tuesday, April 15, at 7:00 PM in the Brown Auditorium.

UCBS Triathlon

The UCBS triathlon will be held on Saturday, May 18, at 9:00 AM in the Residence Hall parking lot. All students and faculty members are welcome to participate.

Job Fair

The Illinois College Job Fair will be held on March 13, 1987, in the College of DuPage PE and Community Recreation Building in Glen Ellyn, Illinois. Students graduating in May, August of December and majoring in Business Administration, Accounting, Finance, Computer Science, and Criminal Justice are invited to attend.

Professor discovers perfect love potion

(For 2 years of research, Dr. Rufus Valentine, noted psychologist, has discovered the perfect love potion."

Dr. Valentine's potion has been tested on a variety of subjects, and results have been promising."

The potion, known as "The Love Goblet," is made from a special blend of herbs and spices, and is said to be effective on a wide range of people.

The potion is available for purchase at the university bookstore, and is expected to be a popular item among students and faculty members.

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Another View

Prejudice

Prejudice becomes a very used word in this second part of the 20th century. More than a popular word, it becomes a subject of constant conversations especially during the discussions of current events. This article intends to address the subject of prejudice from a general perspective and also be an introduction to future articles on specific situations both in Brazil and here in the United States.

Many times what one culture considers a prejudiced view is considered by others as simple reality — whatever that means. This is a very controversial subject in itself. Besides, there are several levels of interpretation, several shades of prejudice.

Difficult as it may be, there are some aspects of this great source of cultural destruction that are difficult to understand from a broader perspective. One can’t characterize these several shades of differences between prejudice and unprejudiced prejudice from other forms of misunderstanding.

1. Generalization

There seems to be a great confusion between generalization and prejudice. Very often one sees generalization as prejudice. Very often one sees generalization as this terrible tendency that everybody should grow away from. The reality is that not only should we try to avoid generalizations but actually, we cannot live without them.

To generalize is to find a path, to develop ideas about one collection of situations that help to understand a similar event in the future. This is a most needed component of human perception.

One advantage has a collection of generalizations. It is our ability to generalize that makes it possible to choose where to walk when going through unknown fields. We don’t check the nature of every piece of terrain before we step on it. We just use our recollections of similar landforms in the past and decide which way is safer. Only when we do not do this we find ourselves in trouble.

2. Prejudice

Prejudice has many similarities to generalization but it is actually of a different nature. If generalization is an abstraction, prejudice is a specialization. It is clear that prejudice will never be fully CHANGEABLE but it is, nonetheless, an unwanted part of human features.

Distinguishing prejudice from generalization may not be an easy task. One way is to say that prejudice is to take our generalizations to situations where they do not apply. It is the resistance to accept new approaches to the same problems. It is the tendency to face new situations as if we already knew the results of them. Most of all, it’s the inability to realize that our generalizations are based on the past (near or distant) and may not apply in any way to the present.

It is important to emphasize that prejudice is not a needed feature and it does not have any constructive use. It is not needed, it damages the way of thinking of one’s mind. It is not good; it requires a lot of work to get rid of them and there is no way to completely eradicate them.

3. The ism

It should be pointed out that an ism, generally used as a suffix, is not by itself related to prejudice. Most of the time it is simply used in reference to a particular line of thought, to a particular school or philosophical approach, not necessarily with any exclusional connotation.

As related to the subject, an ism could be a particular line of thinking or prejudice such as racism. It amounts to reaching conclusions based on unstructured interpretations of facts (or fallacies) and organizing a line of action following these ideas. It is a biased judgment in its very nature and it amounts to a perversion of a normal opinion continued on page 5
Artificial AI

by Greg Emil

You woke up feeling a little strange last Wednesday, and that made AI normal in a strange way. You see, Al's friends thought he was strange all the time; but you, himself, thought he was strange, then he was thinking normally. Which in itself was strange, because AI is normal, AI is irrational!

But AI did not know this when he woke up. He just knew he felt a little strange, so he decided to see what would come of it, and began preparing himself for his day at the pebble store. What sounds as irrational as it is, Who needs a pebble store, anyway? Any right-thinking person would simply head out to the high way and scoop a few off the shoulder if she or she needed a pebble or two. But AI was smart, he had a Ph.D. in geology, he knew how important pebbles were.

Without pebbles, there would be no beaches, because sand is really just small pebbles (AI would explain it that way to anyone who came into his little shop, because he knew that metaphysics were helpful). But AI really knew that sand could erode from boulders and mountains, too; and without sand there would be no beaches, and without beaches, there probably wouldn't be much of a human race, because that's where everybody gets the idea to wear swimsuits (or maybe a little less, AI would snicker), and when people are running around in little more than swimsuits at the beach they start thinking about "Re-PRO- DUCTION" (that's how AI said it, he likes coming to that climax smoothly) and that's how the human race advances, don't you know.

Anyway, just about everybody who knew AI had heard that peculiar chain of logic about as many times as AI could squeeze it in before you threatened his life with a gun. And nobody could figure out why a smart guy like AI would want to work in a Rock Store (OK, O.K., it's a PEBBLE STORE). Other than that, he was an o.k. guy, he just played with his rocks and not enough with other humans when he was a kid, most people guessed.

Well, AI went to the shop as usual Wednesday, and opened up right on time, as usual, at 9:00 AM, and then went home that night as usual at 8:30 PM, after counting the day's receipts, of course, but of course there weren't any anyway, there never are.

AI woke up feeling even stranger Thursday, and stumbled a little when he got out of bed. He thought "AI, you darn sloth, you drink too much again." But then he realized that he was just alive from the late-night show, he never drank a thing, anyway. So he thought he'd better go to the Doctor, anyway, so he got dressed and went down early, cuz maybe he could get in and out before it was time to open the store.

AI walked into the Doctor's office, and stuck his face on the glass of the little window that separates the waiting room from the Nurse's desk to get the nurse's attention. The nurse on duty, Nurse Person, saw Al slightly, she didn't know herself what to think, but Nurse Person couldn't understand a word he was saying, "cuz he didn't move away from the glass very much, and the window wasn't open at all, so AI's voice was muffled, and he sounded like a frog.

Nurse Person got it all straightened out and she'd seen other strange things in her career (although this was certainly right up there), anyway, so it wasn't long before AI was in the examination room with Nurse Person, explaining what was the matter. ("I'm falling down," he said, and Nurse Person turned around fast quick from the table where she was writing on the new chart, "but she thought AI was literally headed for the floor right then, but of course he wasn't, he was just telling her why he was there), and soon the nurse went to fetch the Doctor. Because the preliminary exam was done, and she needed to get out of the room to let out a belly laugh before it hurt.

The doctor and Nurse Person came back into the room. The doctor looked at the chart, and then she looked at AI. AI coughed when she told him to, and laughed when she whipped him on the shin with that little croquet mallet. "We really do play croquet with it, AI!" The doctor picked up the little flashlight with the funnel, on it and looked in AI's ear. She turned to the nurse and said, "We've got an ear rash in AI, Person."

Twelve February

by Janis L. Coleman

Every year people say, "Hey, it's time for Black History Month!" And we put together programs, songs, poetry That tell of the struggles of our ancestors And praise our heroes.
But one question arises— Why can't this be 12 February in a year? That way EVERYDAY would be An acknowledgment and celebration Of the trials of a people.
12 February to keep alive the DREAM The dream that one man said would come true If we pull together.
12 February to fight for the equality Of men and women EVERYWHERE So that ALL can see the promised land.
12 February to rekindle and keep alive The spirit of BROTHERHOOD amongst nations That love can conquer and prevail over the sense of justice and envy prejudice That exists today.
12 February where people say "I love my brother as I love myself" And 12 February where we may all stand and say, hand in hand, "Free at last, free at all!" Thank GOD ALMIGHTY, I'm free at last.

MATH PUZZLE

The math puzzle appears in Technology News on a weekly basis. All students at IIT are eligible to participate. The first student who submits the correct solution each week receives a prize. The student who submits the largest number of correct solutions during the semester, not necessarily being the first every week, will receive a grand prize and a diploma.

This weekly math puzzle is sponsored by the IIT Mathematics Society under the supervision of the Mathematics Department.

Solutions should be submitted to the secretary of the Mathematics Department no later than Friday.

*** This week's prize is a $25 gift certificate donated by the IIT Bookstore.

This week's puzzle is the following:
Find a four digit number (abcd) such that:
\[ 4 \times (abcd) = dcba \]
Show whether or not the number is unique.

Prejudice

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factions of the population. Many times it is used as a way to disseminate and reinforce qualities and privileges attributed to certain groups without questioning the factual origins of these same characteristics.
Not only is it a voluntary form of prejudice, but many times it gets to be an elaborate one. It may start from some initial form of prejudice and then develop into a structured, standardized form. Whereas the early shape may have to do with cultural misunderstandings, the elaborate form has a very distinct economic (group ownership) component. In different times different kinds of imams have been created to protect interests of a particular group in detriment of the rights of those outside that particular group.

4. The Legal ism
The legal ism is the least extreme form of prejudice. Besides having the structural form of other imams, its existence is regulated and backed by law. Hereafter is one such case.
Along history several sorts of legal imams have existed as a way to use the law to protect interests of particular peoples. As the political structures of the nations developed more and more into democratic forms, legal imams became more and more difficult to survive as they defy basic principles of equality.
Even though in a real life situations, prejudices generally occur in different shapes and complex shapes, they can be seen as the result of a combination of those forms that have been mentioned here.
**Union Board Spoken Here**

**Hub Movies**

**Rocky Horror Picture Show**

This is a very cultish show and for those of you who haven't seen it be ready for an awesome experience. For the people who have seen the show there are flyers around campus with what is allowed inside. The show is a special in the Ball Room.

When: Friday the 13th of February
Where: Hermann Union Building Ballroom
How Much: $3.00
P.S. Don't forget your toast.

**Clockwork Orange**

'A CLOCKWORK ORANGE IS ONE OF THE FEW PERFECT MOVIES I HAVE SEEN IN MY LIFETIME.'

Rex Reed - N.Y. Sunday News

THIS IS A PIECE OF TECHNICAL MASTERY. IT IS ONE MAN’S VIEWS OF THE NEAR-FUTURE. THE SETTING AND PHOTOGRAPHY HAVE SET STANDARDS FOR FUTURISTIC FILMS.

When:

Thursday, Feb. 12, 5:15 PM
Saturday, Feb. 14, 7:00 and 9:30 PM

Where: Hermann Union Building Auditorium

How Much: $2.00

Next Week's Movie

- Vertigo Feb. 19, 21

**Bog Bands**

**Johnny Star and the Meteors**

YES, FRIENDS IF YOU THOUGHT IT WAS TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE YOU ARE WRONG. JOHNNY STAR WILL BE HERE. HE HAS MADE APPEARANCES OF CELESTIAL PROPORTIONS ALREADY AT IIT. THIS ONE HAS THE MAKINGS TO BE OUT OF THIS WORLD. DON'T MISS THIS "STAR" STUDDED EVENT.

Next Week:
A BAND THAT EVERY MECHANIC WILL LIKE.
GREASE THE WEASER. THURS. 19TH

FOR THOSE OF YOU WHO JUDGED LAST WEEK'S BAND "THE SLUGS" JUST BY PERSONAL APPEARANCE OR NAME, IT JUST GOES TO SHOW YOU YOU CAN'T JUDGE A BOOK BY ITS COVER.

When: Thursday, Feb. 12, 9:00 PM - 12:00 PM
Where: Hermann Union Building, The Bog
How Much: $2.00

Focus on the Arts

It has been called to my attention that there may be one or two people out there who don't know what this is about. Let me tell you. Every so often an act will happen on campus. This act might sing, dance, juggle, tell jokes, or on rare occasions stand on his head. You say this is fine and everything, but what does it have to do with me? The answer to that is a lot. It has a lot to do with you. It is an opportunity for you to see these acts, for the $3.00 in the Bog you will get a Bog special (food) and your choice of ticket to the mini-concert or the movie.

In an attempt to bring you great acts for cheap prices and convenience, the Bog, in cooperation with Union Board mini-concerts and Union Board films brings you the Hub special. You may have seen this advertised last week, but it's new and improved. For the low, low price of $3.95 in the Bog you will get a Bog special (food) and your choice of ticket to the mini-concert or the movie.
Connections

To all of you who are anxiously waiting for Connections' next issue, the student directory, we have good news! The books should be here by the end of the week. Distribution will begin Monday Feb. 16. If you have any questions call x3074.

Musical Chairs

DON'T BE A POOP, COME PLAY MUSICAL CHAIRS! Win a trophy for yourself, win a pizza party for the section of the campus you represent (your fraternity, residence hall or commuter). Free refreshments. Bring a friend and 25¢. If you want to know just how much fun this is gonna be, call x3074. If you already know, just come to the HUB cafeteria on Friday the 13th at 3:55 PM and fight for a chair.

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It has come to the attention of the Undergraduate Admissions Office that the News Electron Service, the election night reporting pool, has been operating in a fashion that is confusing to many students. Those who wish to place ads in the pool are asked to be more precise in their wording. This means that if you wish to place a cheap seat offer, write "Sitting in a cheap seat next to a window for $2." Instead of "Cheap Seats"

Temptation!

The UCBs has a date with Temptation. Our Valentine's Day Party will be held Friday, February 13th in the Residence Halls Cafeteria at 8:00 p.m. Don't be late!

Ann. Policy

Events that charge a fee of any kind cannot be published in the announcements section of Tech News. These will be considered as aps. i.e. if you make money, we make money.

NSBE Time!

The National Society of Black Engineers is having its General Meeting THURSDAY at 1:00 p.m. in the HUB Mezzanine. Our speaker this week is Time Management. Derek Fordyce, A.S. Student, will be addressing a variety of topics. (Quick tips on time management, etc.)

Black Awareness

The Union of Concerned Black Students wish to honor 60% of America's Black historians and present leaders during Black History Month. This month we plan to tribute and celebrate our heritage like no other. All are invited to our Martin Luther King Celebration on Friday, Feb. 27 in the HUB Auditorium at 6:30 p.m. With this event we are celebrating all of our traditions, present, and future with speech, music and song. Our second large event will be our Gospel Jubilee Friday, March 6th in the HUB Auditorium. Celebrate with us and Join into our Union.

Tech Host

This year's Tech Expo will be held Thursday, Feb. 18th from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Host/Hosts Meeting this week will be Thursday at noon in the HUB Mezzanine. All Hosts/Hostesses must attend. If you are interested in being a Host this year, dial x3074 and ask for J. Kim Burnam or Kevin Smith or leave a Message.

DPMA Meeting

The Data Processing Management Association (DPMA) is a major international organization dedicated to improving IS education and practice. A student chapter at IIT linked to a regular members' chapter downtown can provide career guidance, student projects, and insights to 38 professional issues. An organizational meeting will be held Tuesday, February 10th, 1 p.m. in 102 SB. If you cannot attend, are interested, contact Marty Barfitt, 206SB or 567-5108.

Free Workout

MAAD Dance is Modern Athletics And Dance. Fitness classes for you meet Tuesday and Thursday nights 5:30-6:30 Herrman Hall. Try one class free, it will change the way you used to think about exercise MAAD — Mary Anne At Dancing!

Co-op Interviews

Students who are interested in interviewing with the following companies for a Summer Co-op position should stop by the Co-op Office, Farr Hall, Room 403. Sign-ups for interviews are on a first-come, first-served basis. Co-op sign-ups must be on file before signing up for any interviews:

February 17: Hewlett Packard; EE, ME, CS
February 18: Hewlett Packard; EE, ME, CS
February 18: Inland Steel; CHE, MetM, EE, BE (by invite only)
February 19: Motorola; EE, 2.7 or Above, Junior standing.

Engineering Show

The Spring National Design Engineering Show and Conference will be held at McCormick Place, March 2nd through March 5th. ASME is planning a student invasion of the show and would like you to be part of it. There is a sign-up sheet in the ASME office in room 112E1: Sign your name and most convenient time to make the trip. ASME will purchase tickets at a discount rate. Be eligible for a discount ticket price you must sign up by Feb. 13th.

WOUl Meeting

WOUl will be holding a staff meeting on Tuesday, February 10, at 12:15 in the WOUl office on the 6th floor of Main building. All current staff members are required to attend or notify Kevin or Ed before the meeting. Anyone wishing to join the WOUl staff is encouraged to attend this meeting.

Interviews

Interview sign-ups for the week of Feb. 9-13 begin at 3:30 in Farr Hall, room 311. You must be registered with the Placement Office before signing up for any interviews.

Monday, Feb. 9 — Management Science America, Zenith Electronics, Abbott laboratory.
Wednesday, Feb. 11 — Uniglas Corporation (formerly Sperry), AEC Corporation, Northrop Corporation.

AIChE

This is to remind everyone that the first meeting of IIT Student Chapter of the AIChE will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1987 from 12:00 noon until 1:00 p.m. in room 131 Perkins Hall. Our guest speaker will be energy expert Dr. Henry Linden, president of the Gall Research Institute and recent appointee to the Frank W. Garwood Distinguished Professorship of Chemical Engineering. All are invited to attend.

Coming Soon

Coming Soon To Yestad Hall, Tech Expo, Technical Exposition sponsored by SMTA, NSBE, UCGB, LIVE on Friday, Feb. 19 from 10-3 p.m. Business Attire Required.

Book Sale

If you have participated in the Phi Eta Sigma book sale, please stop by our meeting to retrieve your books or money. The meeting will be held Tuesday, Feb. 10 from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. in room 303 of the HUB Mezzanine.

If you are unable to attend, please call David Lu at 326-6930 or campus extension 3289.

Thanks again for your support.

PES

Phi Eta Sigma, the freshmen honor society, will meet with Dr. Dix to discuss ideas for a new committee/FO course. This discussion will allow the Phigs to provide some input into the curriculum. Every member is strongly encouraged to attend.

The meeting will be held at 1:00, Tuesday, Feb. 10 in room 303 in the HUB Mezzanine.

Solid Wastes

On Wednesday, February 11, 1987, at 7:30p.m. the Sierra Club will be at the Academy of Sciences, 2001 N. Clark St. The Chicago Group monthly program will present "Opportunities for Public Participation in Recycling and Solid Waste Planning." The program will feature a panel discussion on the status of the Chicago solid waste plan and current opportunities for recycling. Handouts will also be available. They would like to invite everybody to attend this important and informative meeting to learn about this issue and the Sierra Club activities.

There is no admission and membership is not required.

ASCE Speaker

The American Society of Civil Engineers will be sponsoring a lecture on Tuesday, Feb. 10 at 12:30 in room 222 Alumni Memorial. Dr. Gurnahick will speak on the "Construction of the Ancient Romans to Structural Engineering." Free pop will be given out. Bring your own lunch.

Diplomacy

Alternate Realities will be holding its first meeting of the semester in room 306 Herrman Hall. We will be starting a Diplomacy game, to be played through the semester. New Members Are Welcome.

Wild Blue Again

Win Free Tickets to the Feb. 20th concert with Wild Blue. Listen to IIT Radio — WOUl — 89.5 FM to Win

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Academic Computing
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Sailing
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Sailing Team will be representing the MCSA. Unlike other intercollegiate regattas, this important regatta will be sailed in the popular one-design J-24's which, as the name suggests, are 24-feet long and more importantly very fast. The J-24's require a three-man crew. IfT will be sending to Long Beach Team Captain and IfT's resident god Steve

Swimming
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Junior Mike Messler won the other two events for IfT with wins in the 50 yard freestyle and 200 yard backstroke, both of which were new meet records and the only meet records set in this year's meet. Mike also received the Outstanding Swimmer of the Meet award which is voted on by the coach of each team. For the first time in the history of this meet, the voting was unanimous.

Coach Matuch stated that we had a great chance to win this meet, until we lost the services of our premier diver, Doug Lovato, due to an ankle injury. We have been trying to win this meet for a third time since we won it in 79 and 80. If you win it three times you get a victory banner to hang in your pool or trophy case.

Right now IfT holds seven records in the 13 event schedule of this meet, with Fee's 100, 200 and 500 free records and Messler's 50 free and 200 yard backstroke. In addition, there is also Steve Iida's 200 yard butterfly record set in 1983, the oldest record of the meet, and IfT's 400 yard free relay record set in 1984.

Next year's meet will be at Luther College and the Hawks will be looking for that third victory, but it will depend on how well IfT recruits, as the team will lose to graduation five of its finest competitors.

Basketball team hits hard times
Our basketball team has hit some tough times lately after a nice start early in the season. "We have dropped five straight now. So we had the lead and couldn't protect it. Some we can Faliser, but not quite far enough, and one we totally played terribly," stated Coach Topper.

The Hawks have been somewhat sporadic in scoring also. Only Ryan Kirkland has been close to being consistent. Ranging from Mike Kloak to Mark Jenner to John Mahoney through Charles Warnock all have had fine games but never at once. "We need more consistent play and to play for 40 minutes," Topper said.

"We only hope to put a few total games together and get into the play-offs for the first time. That would be quite an accomplishment for the young squad." "We hope our loyal fans that have even travelled to some of the road games continue to back us," stated co-captain John Mahoney.

It seems to be the CRUNCH time for your Scarlet Hawks in order to make the District Play-offs. They will not only have to play as well as they did before January but impress the pollsters. Good luck to our Hawks.

Contest
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Essay contest winners are encouraged to include their personal definitions of effective interpersonal communication within the text.

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ACC Seminar

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Video Presentations

Students interning with the following companies are encouraged to view the video tape prior to their interview. The tapes are being shown on the following dates:

February 9, General Mills, Inc.: General Mills video tape will be shown on Friday, Feb. 8 at 8:30 p.m. in Ferrell Hall in the Recruiters' Lounge.

February 10, General Electric Company: The General Electric video tape will be shown on Monday, Feb. 5 at 8:00 p.m. in Ferrell Hall, room 411.

February 13, Northern Illinois Gas: The Northern Illinois gas video tape will be shown on Thursday, Feb. 12 at 8:00 p.m. in Ferrell Hall in the Placement Library.

February 17, Arthur Anderson & Company: The Arthur Anderson video tape will be shown at 8:00 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 16 in the Placement Library in Ferrell Hall, room 403.

February 26, Northrop Corporation, The Northrop Corporation video tape will be shown on Wednesday, Feb. 25 at 8:00 p.m. in Ferrell Hall, room 411.

Merrill Lynch

Merrill Lynch's Information Session scheduled for Monday, Feb. 9 in Hermann Hall at 4:00 p.m. has been cancelled. Recruiting schedule on Tuesday, Feb. 10 is still scheduled.

Co-Op Update

Students who are interested in the Cooperative Education Program should submit their co-op application no later than Friday, Feb. 13, 1987. Application materials are available in the Co-op Office, Farr Hall, Room 403. All students who are applying to the Co-op Program are asked to attend one Co-op Orientation meeting held in Ferrell Hall, Room 301 as follows:

Tuesday, Feb. 10, 12:30—1:15 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 11, 2:15—3:00 p.m.
Thursday, Feb. 12, 12:30—1:15 p.m.

Transition Metal

The Chemistry Department's colloquium for Feb. 11 is on inorganometallic chemistry. "Inorgano" specifies that these compounds are strictly nonorganic but emphasizes a relationship to organic compounds. In this lecture the ramifications of such compounds will be explored. The lecturer is Professor T. P. Feithman of the University of Notre Dame. It will be at 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday in room 118 WH. Coffee will be served at 3:30 in the Wilkens Hall Lobby.

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Summer Jobs

Students interested in summer employment with the following companies should register with the Placement Office and sign up for interviews.

Feb. 10, General Mills, Inc.

Feb. 11, Weyerhauser Co.: For the 1/2 open position, Weyerhauser Co. is interested in students for entry level summer internships. Any degree with interest in sales/marking. Must have sales experience. They will need a resume. Contact Joe for the interview. Majors: CHE, CE, EE, ME, Acc, Mrkt, BS degree.

Feb. 12, Johnson Wax, Inc.: Summer Internship. Company presentation on February 11 at 4:00 p.m. in Herman Hall, Mezzanine level. Majors: CHE, EE, BS.

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Sailing vs. cowtipping

by Enrique Fabregas

"Sailing is like cowtipping." - Marianne Haske.
"I agree, Marianne, you lose. In my farm, I have many cows...and pickup trucks and..." - Gina Santillacs.
"This is unbelievable. What the heck is cowtipping? And what does cowtipping have to do with pickup trucks? And, more importantly, what does it have to do with sailing?" - Will Johnstone.

Sailing is like cowtipping. Cowtipping is like sailing. And, anyway, what is cowtipping? Cowtipping is the act of tipping over a cow when the cow is asleep since cows supposedly sleep standing up. Cowtipping originated in the vast plains of North Dakota where there is nothing better to do. Throughout the centuries, cowtipping has spread to such places as Evanston, Illinois, and more recently to the University of Iowa.

This past weekend, the IIT Sailing Club traveled to the University of Iowa for the Midwest Collegiate Sailing Association (MCISA) Midwinter. The MCISA Midwinter is the annual meeting of all MCISA members to organize and schedule the regattas (sailing races) for the 1987 spring and Fall seasons. The IIT Sailing Team is a full-fledged member of the 27 member strong Midwest Collegiate Sailing Association, consisting of schools such as the Big Ten perennial stalwarts Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Ohio State and other schools like Notre Dame, Marquette and Miami, Ohio. An elite team composed of such sailing clubs Mainstays as the unflappable Steve Long, the ubiquitous Laura Beltemacchi, sturdy Aaron Houston, truck driver Gina Santillacs and the peaceful Enrique Fabregas traveled to the University of Iowa for this momentous Midwinter.

One of the cherished highlights of the Midwinter was the 1-meter regatta of 1-meter boats. All boats have to be at least one meter tall and one meter long. The race is raced in a swimming pool and the boats get their wind from a pretty big fan at one end of the pool. The IIT Sailing Team had a revolutionary, high-tech "Yacht" which was tested in the Keating Hall Pool the week before the race. To honor all the cowtippers in the IIT Sailing Team, IIT's boat was appropriately named Cowtipping Magic. At press time, the results of this dashing and mindboggling race were not available. However, don't worry, we'll let you know how Cowtipping Magic did.

On the weekend of February 19-22 the IIT Sailing Team will be traveling to Long Beach, California for the chance win the coveted Douglas Cup. The Douglas Cup is a nationally renowned regatta where ten schools from around the nation will be participating. The IIT continued on page 9

A WORD FROM "PYTHON" PISCOPO EX-WRESTLER ABOUT MILLER LITE

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*TRANSLATION: A SUPERBLY BRED BEER. FINE TASTING PILSNER BEER.

Swimmers travel to invitational

The Varsity Swim Team travelled to Lones College of Dubuque, Iowa last weekend for the 16th annual Luther-Loras Swimming Invitational. Even though IIT came in fourth in the six team meet, many of the meet thought IIT had a good meet. IIT got first place out of 13 meet events. While the two Minnesota teams, Carleton and St. Thomas won three apiece as did the meet winner, Luther of Decorah, Iowa.

A big surprise win for IIT came as Sophomore David Hathaway won the 1000 yard freestyle event with his best time of the season. Dave was seeded third but swam one of the best distance swims ever for IIT.

Captain Chuck Fee won the 200 yard freestyle for IIT in a time of 1:49.9, which was a little off the record for this event of 1:47.7 which Fee set in 1984 as a freshman. Chuck also still holds two other records in this invitational, in the 50 free set in 1985 and in the 100 free in 1986.