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## Graduate students earn while they learn



DEBBIE CAULFIELD

While working on a master's degree in Criminal Justice, Debbie Caulfield has engaged in a number of projects at CAUR under the direction of Vince Webb. She helped to conduct a survey of

This issue of the CPACS Happenings features CPACS graduate students. These students, serving either as graduate assistants or research assistants, have been active in a variety of projects throughout the College and in several Nebraska communities. In addition to engaging in traditional research and service projects within the College, several have had the opportunity to work directly with community or government agencies. We are pleased to have these students working with us and particularly pleased that they are able to earn financial remuneration enhancing their education.

John E. Kerrigan

crime in Bemis Park and wrote a report on the findings, has worked on legal training for foster care workers for the Department of Public Welfare project, helped with a telephone survey of south central Nebraska, and helped with ETV coverage of a Nebraska Supreme Court case.

These projects have helped to develop her basic research skills, Debbie says, and given her experience in writing questionnaires and administering them, both by telephone and door-to-door, in coding, and computer programming and analysis.

She took her undergraduate work at UNO in criminal justice with a minor in psychology. Originally from Buffalo, New York, Debbie lists photography, reading, music, and racquetball and other sports as her hobbies.



STU CHAPMAN

Stu Chapman has been working on several studies for Papillion while he seeks a master's in public administration.

He's been studying redistricting of the ward system, working on a salary and fringe benefit comparability study, and conducting a sales tax feasibility study. The redistricting study is for purposes of complying with the state statute on reapportionment so that the wards are based on equal populations. The salary and fringe benefit study has used questionnaires to generate information on wages and benefit levels in ten cities and 36 private sector organizations for comparison purposes. The sales tax feasibility study is aimed at persuading local businesses and community leaders to support placing a referendum before the voters.

This work has taught Stu much about the political composition of Papillion, the statistical methodology for creating equal apportionment, and what is involved in conducting personnel and financial activities in city government.

Stu took his undergraduate work at Ohio State University in Columbus and at UN-L, majoring in political science and minoring in sociology. An Omahan, he enjoys music, politics, oenology, curling up with a good book, hiking, travel, backgammon, and football.



RICK COYLE

A teaching assistant in the freshman sequence of the Goodrich Program,

Rick has been working under the direction of Mike Carroll helping students to improve writing skills. He also gives lectures and conducts small group discussions in the humanities sequence, providing students with exposure to the contributions of artists from various cultural and racial backgrounds.

This experience has taught him valuable teaching and communications skills and given him a greater awareness and appreciation of artistic contributions by people other than Euro-Americans, he says.

Rick's undergraduate major was English, and he took the work at UNO. He enjoys reading, music, movies, and softball.



#### LOUISE ERICKSON

Louise Erickson, a graduate student in public administration under the guidance of Ed Twardy, is working as a research aide to the Omaha City Council compiling data and information for the council members to aid them in their decision making.

This allows the council to create alternatives to various issues and hopefully prevents the executive branch of city government from dominating the council.

She feels her work has been a marvelous experience in learning of the political processes of city government and should be transferable to any form of work within the public sector.

Louise is married and has three girls, ages 12, 10, and 6. Her undergraduate major was in sociology with minors in philosophy and Latin at Creighton. Originally from Chicago, she plays tennis and likes classic cars.



#### MARY LEE FUXA

Mary Lee Fuxa, a graduate student in public administration, is working as a graduate assistant in the Gerontology Department under Leo Missinne updating a published bibliography on gerontology.

She hopes it will provide a useful tool for students in the field. Mostly her work has involved library research.

She plans to do administrative work in a social services setting so this project has given her increased knowledge in an area of particular interest to her.

She majored in political science at UN-L and minored in public policy analysis and program evaluation.

Mary Lee is from Omaha and lists photography as her hobby.

#### KATHY GOWING

Kathy Gowing, a graduate student in public administration, has been working on an annexation study for Bellevue under the direction of Doug Clark, director of planning and community development.

She has been researching the positive and negative aspects of annexing certain SID's to the city. The package will be presented to the city council for its consideration, and its passage will have an important impact on the future of Bellevue.

She began the project knowing nothing about annexation but has now acquired the title of "annexation specialist." While she is still learning about the subject, she feels that upon its completion she will know anything and everything anyone ever wanted to know about annexation.

Working in Bellevue has developed her interest in planning, and she is considering pursuing further study in community/regional planning and development.

Kathy's undergraduate work was in political science and sociology at UN-L. She lists her hobbies as fishing, reading, skiing, and traveling.



#### BERTHA GRIGGS

Bertha Griggs, a graduate assistant in the Goodrich Program, earned a bachelor of general studies degree from UNO and is presently working toward her master's in guidance and counseling in gerontology.

She feels that learning as much as possible about the aged is important so that she can better assist them and also to understand her own aging.

She is the mother of twins who proudly watched as their mother received her degree, although her daughter told her at the time, "Mommy, I didn't think you would make it."

Under the direction of Audrey Forrest, she is planning a black women's support group to begin sometime during the spring semester. This group will assist black women in the Goodrich Program to address personal and academic problems they encounter. Plans call for forming four groups of approximately 16 women each.

Bertha comes from Colorado Springs, Colorado and lists her interests as interior decorating and designing, photography, and international students and affairs.



#### MARGARET LOOSBROCK

A full-time position as an employee relations specialist in the management employee relations branch of the personnel office at the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is keeping Margaret Loosbrock busy this semester.

Her work is under the supervision of Ed Twardy and Dale Inglis.

She is gaining familiarity with the rules and regulations governing all aspects of employment in federal government plus an introduction to labor relations. She hopes to find long-term employment in personnel either locally or abroad.

Margaret's undergraduate major was English and her minor was history at UN-L. She is working toward a master's in public administration.

She hails from Chadron and lists spelunking and arts and crafts as her hobbies.



#### CATHY MCWILLIAMS

Under the direction of Mike Carroll and Audrey Forrest, Cathy McWilliams-Burleson is helping to prepare Goodrich students for English 116 and future social science or research methods courses.

Classroom meetings, small group discussions, and individual appointments are all used to further the goal of passing and preparing at least 65 percent of the Goodrich students.

As a Goodrich scholarship awardee, Cathy majored in political science at UNO and hopes eventually to become a lawyer. Her work in the Goodrich Program has taught her how to lead small group discussions and to prepare for writing essays and research papers, things that are important to success in the legal field. She is currently working on a master's degree in American politics.

Cathy is from Omaha, is married, and enjoys rollerskating and politics.



KATHY NICOLINI

While pursuing a master of arts in criminal justice, Kathy Nicolini has been a graduate assistant at CAUR under the direction of Vince Webb.

Among the projects she has worked on are legal training for foster care workers, a survey in Grand Island and another in south central Nebraska, and ETV coverage of a Nebraska Supreme Court Case. These projects have taught her primary research methodology and helped to provide a foundation for obtaining her Ph.D. in criminology and eventually employment in research or teaching.

Her undergraduate major was in criminal justice at UNO with minors in sociology and psychology. Kathy is from Council Bluffs and lists music among her interests.

#### RICHARD NOYES

Richard Noyes has been working on a risk management study for Norfolk and a water meter study as he pursues a graduate degree in public adminstration.

His work under the supervision of Mike Nolan, city administrator, is aimed at achieving comprehensive coverage for the city as efficiently as possible and determining the degree of lost revenue in the water system and how best to recoup it.

These projects have given him invaluable exposure to two areas in which he'd had an interest but no experience and given him insight into city administration.

Richard majored in public administration and minored in philosophy at Wayne State. He is married and likes reading, tennis, photography, travel, and politics, not necessarily in that order.



LYNN OVERHOLSER

Lynn Overholser is in his second year as a graduate assistant with the Goodrich Program, working primarily with the sophomore social science sequence to provide academic and related counseling.

He earned the bachelor of general studies degree with a major in psychology at UNO and is now working toward a master of social work degree.

His experiences at Goodrich have provided him with many new learning opportunities, he says, and he hopes that he has been influential in helping others to learn as well. His work as a graduate assistant has improved his ability to relate to people from other cultures and ethnic backgrounds, he

Lynn's interests include many areas of counseling, particularly marriage counseling. He enjoys participating in a variety of sports and in escaping from the pressures of reality by listening to music. He likes classic cars, too.

Lynn's undergraduate work was taken at UNO where he majored in psychology and minored in sociology.



SUSAN PARASKA

Susan Paraska, who is working on a master's in public administration, is researching and writing materials at CAUR for a series of public management workshops. She is working on a team under the direction of Floyd Waterman, the team leader. Others are David Hinton, Ed Twardy, and John Swain.

Planning, budgeting, personnel management, organizational devleopment, and program evaluation are the areas being developed. The first workshop has already been presented to employees of the Beatrice State Developmental Center. Plans are to develop one that can eventually be used statewide.

This project has provided her with knowledge of the planning process, the complexity of putting together a workshop, and given her first-hand experience in the field of public adminstration.

Susan's undergraduate major was journalism at UNO. She is married and the mother of a daughter, age 4, and a son age 2. Originally from Jacksonville, Florida, she enjoys shopping, eating, and working.



SHERRI PRIDE

The self-study being conducted by the School of Social Work as part of the accreditation process is keeping Sherri Pride busy as assistant practicum coordinator. She works under the direction of Ezra Kohn and Mary Adams.

As part of the work toward her Ph.D., she assists graduate and undergraduate students in practicum placement selection and helps to develop practicum sites.

This work has helped to develop her administrative and management skills, taught her about program implementation, and given her experience in working with many levels of administrative personnel.

Sherri's undergraduate work was taken at the University of Wisconsin at Stevens Point where she majored in psychology and minored in biology.

Originally from Madison, Wisconsin, Sherri is married and the mother of two sons, ages 5 and 10. She is a potter and enjoys canoeing, camping, and soccer.



LORENE SCHULTZ

Lorene Schultz is working as an administrative asistant in the public affairs department at KETV while she pursues a master's in public administration.

Here she is learning administrative techniques, time management, and how to work with other people as she gathers information and works in public relations. She has been operating computers making entries and deletions, keeping records, and organizing luncheons for guests, among other duties.

Her undergraduate work at Oklahoma State University, Bellevue College, and UNO resulted in a secondary education degree with majors in political science and history and a minor in philosophy.

Originally from Clinton, Oklahoma, she has a 17-year-old son. Her interests include politics and tennis.



**BUTCH SPRINGER** 

Garold Springer, called "Butch" by his friends, is working toward a master's degree in urban education.

A former Goodrich scholarship recipient, he majored in human services as an undergraduate and is now working as a graduate assistant in the communication lab and in counseling to provide supportive services to freshman students in the Goodrich Program. Helen Hiatt is his supervisor.

He's from Omaha, married, and works actively in the American Indians United organization.

Butch says, "Ku-gay-ho," which means "welcome, friend" in the Omaha Indian language. He enjoys working in situations that are people-oriented and is anxious to make new friendships and reaffirm old ones so invites people to drop by his office and say ku-gay-ho.



**DENISE VOHOSKA** 

A teaching assistantship is giving Denise Vohoska the opportunity to develop teaching and group work as well as student counseling skills as she coteaches Social Work 100 with Mike McGrath.

This appointment has given her the opportunity to share her expertise, work experience, and enthusiasm for social work with prospective students. She considers that this teaching experience has given her increased self-confidence, an exposure to flexible and effective teaching methods, and enabled her to develop positive relationships with faculty and students.

Denise's bachelor's degree in social work was earned at UNO. She's from Omaha but lived in Chicago for several years and is currently renovating a hundred-year-old home near Hanscom



#### PETER YOUNG

Peter Young, a graduate student in urban studies, works at CAUR under the direction of Donald Norris, Peter Suzuki is his urban studies advisor.

Peter has been involved in quite a variety of projects-a study for the Chamber of Commerce aimed at drawing new industry to Omaha, a study for the Metropolitan Arts Council to determine trends and needs in the arts, a study of needs for downtown Kearney, and a workshop for state employees at Beatrice.

This work has helped sharpen his research skills and given him an involvement at a more practical level in urban studies. He hopes to become involved in city planning, particularly renovation and restoration of central business districts, so his position at CAUR is giving him experience in this area.

All Peter has to do to observe downtown revitalization first hand is to look out the window of his office.

He comes from Spearfish, South Dakota, and majored in history and minored in geography at Augustana College in Sioux Falls. His wife's name is Sian, and his interests include travel, reading, and music.



#### DARYL WALTON

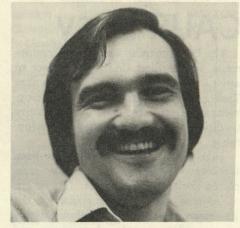
Research for the executive director of Youth Emergency Services in Bellevue is keeping Daryl Walton, a graduate student in public administration, busy this semester.

Under the direction of Ed Twardy, Daryl is helping to evaluate the effectiveness of the agency's program by compiling available data, conducting interviews, and taking surveys.

He has learned that administration takes lots of time and patience and that it is necessary in order to achieve

Originally from Dayton, Ohio, Daryl majored in psychology and minored in math at the University of Missouri in Kansas City. His interests include bowling, politics, and community service organiza-

## Who's New...



Although he is a new research assistant, R. K. Piper is not really new to CAUR as he worked there last year as a graduate assistant.

After receiving his master of science degree in urban studies last spring, R. K. worked for four months on special projects in the mayor's office. He assisted in designing a needs assessment for the city of Omaha, developed it, and coordinated its administration.

Since he joined the CAUR staff full time, he has been working at the Center for Urban Education to promote community service activities and to improve working relationships with local govern-

Soccer is his principal spare time activity. He played on three championship teams while a student and is now a member of the Dordtmunder Soccer Club which won the Nebraska men's championship in the senior division. He has just been named as the first women's soccer coach at UNO.

### PA, CAUR collaborate to develop workshops

A series of administrative planning workshops is being developed by CAUR and the Department of Public Administration under the direction of Floyd

David Hinton, Ed Twardy, John Swain, David Scott, and Donald Norris are involved in writing training manuals for the workshops covering the areas of administrative planning in the public sector, budgeting, organizational development, performance appraisal systems, and program evaluation in public institutions of Nebraska.

The development of the manuals and workshops is partially funded by a grant from the Nebraska Foundation.

"Our hope is to involve UNO faculty on an interdepartmental basis and to produce both a participant and a trainer manual for each of the five areas," says Dr. Waterman.

One workshop has already been offered for the managers of the Beatrice State Development Center.

Robert Mortenson, Nebraska Conference Center, Division of Continuing Studies at UN-L, served as the principal facilitator at the Beatrice Workshop. Assisting were Dr. Waterman, Dr. Hinton, Susan Paraska, and Cathy Luckey, artist-documentor at UNO.

Plans are to offer the workshops statewide eventually.

## Projects keep CAUR busy

The Department of Economic Development has awarded CAUR a contract to assist a South Central Rural Development Task Force in determining rural development strategies in the areas of community facilities, housing, and economic development.

Jack Ruff and Joan Holley have been working on this project and have completed the first three phases: 1) a review of current plans and programs for the 13-county region, 2) a telephone survey of a random sample of residents and personal key informant interviews to determine the needs and problems of the region, and 3) five area-wide community leaders meetings to determine priorities for the needs and problems and strategies for solving them and developing the region. The meetings were held in November in Aurora, Hastings, Kearney, Red Cloud, and Holdrege.

During the past year, CAUR has been assisting some neighborhood organizations in the community development process. An example is the work with the Prospect Hill Community Council. An attitude and needs survey indicated that residents perceived a need for a recreation area for pre-school children and the elderly. CAUR identified a source of funding for a park to serve these two segments of the neighborhood population, and Joan Holley assisted the group in developing a method for acquiring the land.

The Prospect Hill Community Council now is working with the Omaha Parks and Recreation Department park designer on the final construction drawings. A ground-breaking event is being planned for next spring.

CAUR is currently conducting a telephone survey of UNO alumni. The survey is part of a study for the UNO Alumni Association to determine the impact of alumni on the university. The project director is Rebecca S. Fahrlander.

A three-phase study for the Kearney Downtown Improvement Board involves investigation of the changing business mix, movement in and out of downtown by entrepreneurs, and a consumer survey of 400 residents in Buffalo and Hall Counties.

The project also involves mapping all changes in retail and service establishments from 1970 to 1980. It is under the direction of David DiMartino.

#### ADVISORY COMMITTEE CHOSEN FOR YEAR

The new CPACS constitution provides for an advisory committee to the dean. An A-line person from each department has been elected to serve for the 1981-82 academic year, plus one B-line and one C-line person.

The new advisory committee consists of Mike Carroll, Goodrich; John Swain, Public Administration; JoAnne Lofton, Gerontology; Peter Suzuki, Urban Studies; Lucille Zelinsky, Social Work; Ineke Marshall, Criminal Justice; and Murray Frost, CAUR.

The B-line representative is Carole Davis, CAUR, and the C-line is Cathy Young-Ratliff, Goodrich.

A student member has yet to be elected.

The committee was to have met for the first time on December 2. Among the topics discussed was the luminary project which brings speakers to CPACS to visit and conduct classes and take part in seminars.

Persons who have matters to bring to the attention of the dean should contact their department's representative.

### PA ADVISORY GROUP MEETS LAST MONTH

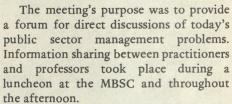
Public Administration's advisory committee meeting for 1981-82 was held at UNO on November 6. The group of practicing federal, state, and local officials spent the entire day reviewing the department's progress during the past year and helping to plan this year's program of community service.

Especially important were the frank discussions of the department's Research and Grant Program and outstate activities in Kearney and Beatrice. Support and guidance for PA's student internship and research fellow programs was one result of the meeting.

The committee, which includes the city managers of Scottsbluff, Kearney, York, and Council Bluffs, as well as top officials from statewide municipal and county associations, also met with a large group of PA graduate students to assess their perspectives on both classroom and internship programs. The advisory committee's input to the department on research proposals and their assistance in graduate placements are two major examples of the group's importance to the overall success of the PA program, says David Scott, PA chair-person.

### CITY OFFICIALS DISCUSS MANAGEMENT PROBLEMS

Public Administration was host to a meeting of 11 city managers and administrators from the mid-eastern Nebraska area on November 13.



Issues of note included an assessment of the MPA program's relevance to actual needs of the community, an analysis of the skills required of MPA graduates, the impact of fiscal cutbacks on municipal services, and some innovative techniques for coping with a fast-changing public environment. The city officials were unanimously supportive of the department's student internship program and predicted its continued success.

### CAUR IS AFFILIATE OF STATE DATA CENTER

CAUR is now an affiliate of the Nebraska Data Center, sponsored by the U.S. Bureau of the Census through the College of Business at UN-L.

The purpose of the program is to provide for multiple locations in Nebraska where the public can have access to Census Bureau reports and receive assistance in their use.

Vincent Webb, CAUR director, and David DiMartino, senior research associate, are on the advisory committee for the Nebraska Data Center.

Dr. DiMartino and Peggy Hein, data base coordinator, attended a training workshop held recently in Lincoln.

#### SUNNY ANDREWS Social Work

Dr. Andrews attended the American Public Health Association conference in Los Angeles the first week in November where he served as chairman of the program committee for the social work section as well as presiding at one of the sessions.

He also attended the National Association of Social Workers symposium in Philadelphia in November, a meeting of the deans and directors of social work, and the College of Mid-America, Inc., Graduate Fair in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.





### Staff Activity

#### SHIRLEY WASKEL Gerontology

Dr. Waskel gave a talk, "Stress and Today's World, " at the December 2 meeting of the Omaha Area Provisional Chapter of the Special Libraries Associa-

She recently completed two six-week workshops entitled Better Living Through Planning for St. Stanislaus and St. Cecelia parishes in Omaha for which she wrote a manual including instructions for the facilitator.

Soon to be published by Jossey-Bass, Inc. is a book, Programming for Older Adults, containing a chapter written by Dr. Waskel. The title of the chapter is "Scope of Programming for Older Adults." The editor of the publication is Alan Knox.

#### HELEN HIATT Goodrich

Ms. Hiatt received a citation as "Change Agent of the Year" from the Nebraska Association of Non-white Concerns, a division of the Nebraska Personnel and Guidance Association. The award was given for her involvement with the Public Interest Law Center of Omaha for working toward the elimination of prejudice and discrimination and in defense of human and civil rights.

#### JOAN HOLLEY CAUR

Dr. Holley was on a panel with Michael Wiese and Greg Peterson of the Omaha City Planning Department at the Urban Revitalization Conference sponsored by the Omaha League of Women Voters.

#### DON DENDINGER

#### Social Work

Dr. Dendinger attended the biennial national symposium of the National Association of Social Workers held in Philadelphia from November 17 to 20. He was an alternate delegate to the Delegate Assembly of NASW following the symposium.

He gave a talk on social work education to employees of the Lancaster Department of Social Services in Lincoln on November 12.

#### ALICE KING Social Work

She is now Dr. King as she received her Ph.D. in August from UN-L in community and human resources.

#### JERRY CEDERBLOM Goodrich

Critical Reasoning, a text by Dr. Cederblom designed for use in freshman and sophomore philosophy classes in logic and critical reasoning, has been published by the Wadsworth Publishing Company. Co-author is David W. Paulsen, a former Goodrich professor. The book was developed by team teaching in courses in critical reasoning taught to Goodrich students. Dr. Cederblom is using the new book for the first time this semester. It will go on sale next year.

Dr. Cederblom has received a faculty development fellowship for the spring semester to go to San Francisco to work on a book on political philosophy.

#### **ALVA BARNETT** Social Work

Dr. Barnett was moderator of a roundtable discussion session, "An Interdisciplinary Approach to the Education of Parents of Chronically Ill Children," and was chairperson of a session at the American Public Health Association's November meeting in Los Angeles.

She has been awarded a grant from the Center for Improvement of Instruction to participate in a workshop of health sciences educators and instructors at the University of Nebraska Medical Center.

### REBECCA FAHRLANDER

"Cultural Adjustment of International Students," an article by Dr. Fahrlander, has been accepted for publication in World Higher Education Communique.

#### SAM WALKER Criminal Justice

Dr. Walker delivered a paper on "Police-Community Relations, Social Science, and the Responsibilities of Scholars," at a conference on Moral Issues in Policing in Boston on November

He testified before the Omaha City Council on October 6 regarding the use of the polygraph in police recruitment; discussed censorship on the WOW radio "In-Depth" program on October 18; debated the question of the Faith Christian School before the Legislative Coalition for Children on October 27; debated the abortion issue for Cox Cable's "Vox Pop" show on November 8; and discussed the rights of police officers for Channel 7's "Viewpoint" on November 22.

#### WILDA STEPHENSON CAUR

Ms. Stephenson was the keynote speaker at the first annual IMPACT Community Congress held in October in Omaha.

She served as moderator of the special programs section at the ninth annual conference of the Society of Ethnic and Special Studies held in St. Louis in October.

Ms. Stephenson received the Dexter Jefferson Award for outstanding contribution to youth at the Wesley House youth achievement banquet, also held in October.

#### **BILL WAKEFIELD** JIM KANE

#### Criminal Justice

Dr. Wakefield and Dr. Kane accompanied 25 students on a five-day field excursion to visit correctional facilities in Kansas and Missouri in October. While in St. Louis the group attended the annual meeting of the Midwest Association of Criminal Justice Educators. Dr. Wakefield was installed as first vicepresident of the group.

Dr. Wakefield chaired a panel on "Criminology/Criminal Justice in Academe: Participants and Products" at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Washington, D. C.

#### LEO MISSINNE Gerontology

"Helping People" was the title of a talk given by Dr. Missinne at the annual Senior Companion Program recognition luncheon in October. Also that month he gave a paper, "The Influence of Cultural Attitudes on Elder Abuse," at the Conference on Aging in Lincoln.

In November Dr. Missinne organized a workshop on sexuality and aging at the Immanuel Fontenelle Nursing Home and participated in a panel, "Comparative Gerontology, Cross-national Issues," at Gerontological Convention Toronto, Canada.

#### **INEKE MARSHALL** Criminal Justice

Dr. Marshall presented a paper, "Sex as a Problematic Variable in Cross-Cultural Research and Theory," at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology in Washington, D. C. last month. About 1,000 criminologists from the United States and abroad attended

Dr. Marshall also presented a paper, "Crime in the Netherlands," at the European Studies Conference held in Omaha in October.

Chris Eskridge has returned to the university after spending three months conducting research for the U.S. Air Force. The Air Force Office of Scientific Research has published his work. "The Impact of Background Characteristics on OAP Scores: Developing Baseline Data."

Dr. Eskridge is co-author with Roy Roberg of an article, "A New Paradigm for Criminal Justice Education: Some Reflections on Crime Management," published in the September issue of *The Journal of Contemporary Criminal Justice*. Another article, "Restitution: A Short Essay," was published in the September edition of *Chitty's Law Journal*.

He is co-author of a book, *Probation and Parole*, which has been accepted for publication by MacMillan, and a text, *Alternatives to Bail: Issues and Trends*, accepted for publication by Clark, Boardman.

#### DANIEL MARTINEZ Goodrich

Dr. Martinez and two of his students, Richard Wair and Mark Magliery, are co-authors of an article, "Geographical Mobility and Machiavellianism," published recently in *Psychological Reports*.

#### PETER SUZUKI Urban Studies

Dr. Suzuki appeared as an expert witness during the hearings of the Congressional Commission on the Wartime Relocation and Internment of Civilians held in Chicago in September. His testimony dealt with the social scientists and the camps for Japanese Americans in World War II.

An article by Dr. Suzuki, "Compositional Techniques in German Expressionist Meidner's Graphic Works on the City," has been accepted for publication in Art International. Another article has been accepted for publication in the International Bulletin of Urgent Anthropological Research. Its title is, "The Denouement of an Institution in a Black Urban Community."

Dr. Suzuki also presented a paper, "Holland's Urban Planning and Housing Policies: Intent and Reality," at the sixth annual European Studies Conference held in Omaha in October.

### VINCENT J. WEBB CAUR

Dr. Webb was installed as president of the Midwest Association of Criminal Justice Educators at the annual meeting of the group held in St. Louis in November.

### DONALD NORRIS

"Academic Technical Assistance to Local Governments in a Period of Fiscal Retrenchment: The Case for Computer Technology," is the title of an article by Dr. Norris published in the fall issue of State and Local Government Review.

Dr. Norris presented a paper, "Town-Gown Revisited: Old Issues—New Opportunities," at the Region VII meeting of the American Society for Public Administration held in Wichita, Kansas in October. Co-author was Charlie D. Hill, chief assistant to the mayor of Omaha.

A report Dr. Norris co-authored with Vanessa Hester, "Technical Report: Street and Road Maintenance," is being reprinted by the International City Management Association as part of its Management Information Service series. The report was originally published by the Municipal Technical Advisory Service of the University of Tennessee.

#### CASSIA SPOHN Goodrich

Dr. Spohn is the recipient of the Edwin O. Stene Award for the best article published in 1980 in the *Midwest Review of Public Administration*. Her article, "The Representativeness of National Advisory Boards," appeared in the September issue.

#### DENNIS HOFFMAN Criminal Justice VINCENT J. WEBB CAUR

"Suicide as Murder at Common Law: Another Chapter in the Falsification of Consensus Theory," an article co-authored by Dr. Hoffman and Dr. Webb, has been accepted for publication in *Criminology*.



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