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Campaign Finance Reform Focus of Conference Debate

Plans for reforming the financing of political campaigns will be debated by leading political practitioners, political consultants and political scientists at a Marquette conference today and tomorrow (Feb. 24-25).

The conference, *Campaign Finance Reform & Representative Democracy*, is being sponsored by the Bradley Institute for Democracy and Public Values.

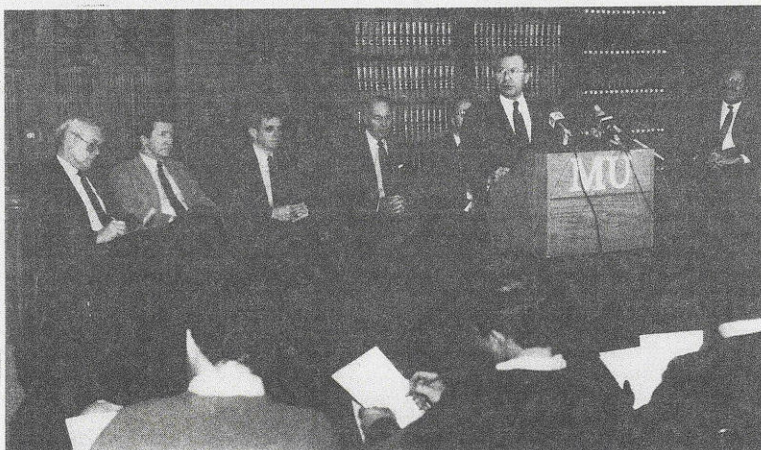
Panelists include Benjamin Ginsberg, chief counsel to the Republican National Committee; Allen S. Miller, executive director of Citizens for Responsive Politics, and Susan Manes, director of issues development for Common Cause. Brooks Jackson and Philip Stern, authors of two recent books critical of campaign financing, will share their insights. Other participants include Ed Zuckerman, editor and publisher of the newsletter *PACs and Lobbies*; William Sweeney, resident of Washington Resources and Strategies; and Robert Biersack, senior statistician for the Federal Election Commission. Top political scholars including Larry J. Sabato of the University of Virginia; Frank Sorauf of the University of Minnesota; Michael J. Malbin, now with the House Republican Conference, and Herbert Alexander of the Citizens' Research Foundation also will speak.

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In the Court....On the Courts



Frank DeGuire, dean of the Law School, announced the formation of the National Sports Law Institute.

(photo by Gary Dineen)

MU Establishes National Sports Law Institute

The formation of a National Sports Law Institute at MU was announced Feb. 15 by Frank C. DeGuire, dean of the Law School. The announcement was made at a news conference in the Law School which will be the home of the institute, the first of its kind in the nation.

The institute is being created with the financial support of the following founding sponsors: the Green Bay Packers of the National Football League, the Milwaukee Admirals of the International Hockey League, the Milwaukee Brewers of the American League, the Milwaukee Bucks of the National Basketball Association and the Milwaukee Wave of the Indoor Soccer League. These professional sports organizations have committed support of more than half a million dollars over a four-year period to help fund the National Sports Law Institute.

Dean DeGuire also announced that the acting director of the National Sports Law Institute will be John F. Wendel, the president of the Sports Lawyers Association. Wendel is also president of the law firm of Wendel & Chritton, Chartered, Lakeland, Fla., and has practiced in the area of sports law for the last 18 years, representing various minor leagues and teams. (continued on p. 3)

UPAF Campaign March 3-17



MONEY TALKS, SINGS, PLAYS AND DANCES.

The United Performing Arts Fund (UPAF) campaign will be held on campus March 3-17, according to Dr. Sharon M. Murphy, dean of the College of Communication, Journalism and Performing Arts and MU's campaign coordinator.

The 1989 UPAF campaign, which has as its theme "Money Talks, Sings, Plays, and Dances," has a goal of \$5.5 million. Marquette's campaign goal is \$13,000, according to Murphy.

"It is important for the university to support UPAF since the arts are such an integral component of the Milwaukee and Marquette communities. Without the arts, the quality of life in Milwaukee would suffer. The richness of Milwaukee's art environment helps attract outstanding faculty, as well as students and others, to Marquette," Murphy said.

UPAF material will be sent to all full-time faculty, administrators and staff before the campaign begins. For those who return their pledge before the close of the campaign on March 17, special gift drawings, which include pairs of tickets to the Milwaukee Symphony, will be held. (continued on p. 4)

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Engineering Open House

Tomorrow's Technology Taught Today will be the theme of the College of Engineering's Open House on Saturday, Feb. 25.

The event will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the College of Engineering. The free event is intended for high school juniors and seniors interested in knowing more about the engineering profession. Faculty, alumni and students will be available to discuss engineering careers as well as the collegiate engineering experience. Financial aid and admissions counselors also will be available.

Events throughout the day will include lab demonstrations in industrial, biomedical, electrical, civil and mechanical engineering. Guided tours of the Olin Engineering Center and the newly renovated Haggerty Hall also will be conducted.

For more information, contact the College of Engineering at 7080.

In Memoriam

Salvatore Carrao, a former MU parking lot attendant, died Feb. 8. Carrao worked at MU since January 1980, but had been on sick leave since September 1987. His wife, Gertrude, who died in 1980, also had worked for Marquette, in the Bursar's Office.

Science Fair Opens March 14

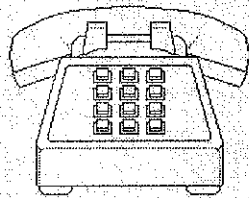
Approximately 250 junior and senior high school "scientists" will compete in the 35th Annual Southeastern Wisconsin Science and Engineering Fair at MU March 14-18.

The fair will be held in the Brooks Memorial Union and will be open to the public from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday, March 16, and Friday, March 17, and from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, March 18.

Displaying original science exhibits, students will compete for US bonds, medals and scholarships. The two top winners will receive all-expense paid trips to the 1989 International Science and Engineering Fair in Pittsburgh, Penn., May 7-13.

Exhibit classifications include: behavioral and social sciences, biological science, chemistry, earth and space science, mathematics and computers, engineering, medical sciences and physics.

The fair, sponsored by Marquette Electronic Foundation and MU, is designed to foster interest in scientific and engineering career. For more information, call 7431.



Phone Cutover Update

Plans for the university's telephone cutover are proceeding on schedule. At approximately 3 a.m. Saturday, June 24, a group of pre-designated phone numbers (i.e., Public Safety, occupied residence hall rooms, etc.) will be turned off and reinstalled with the new "288" prefix. The other lines will continue to work.

After testing all of these lines, Wisconsin Bell will begin the cutover on remaining lines, in random order. All lines are expected to be working by 11 a.m. that morning. Employees are reminded that although they may hear a dial tone on their phone lines previous to that time, they may or may not be able to make a connection prior to 11 a.m.

Along with the prefix cutover, there will be some changes in the way Marquette uses its current features. When transferring calls, users will not hear the now familiar multiple clicking sounds. Those who have initiated the forwarding of calls to another line on or off campus will hear a short ring every time a call is transferred. This is to remind users when calls are transferred. There will be other changes as well. Classes will be held to help employees to become familiar with these changes prior to the actual cutover.

Important: Any calls that were forwarded prior to the cutover will not be forwarded after the cutover is implemented. Speed call numbers also will be erased from the system and will have to be re-entered after the conversion.

Additional updates on the cutover will be published in future *News & Views* issues.

Institute (continued from p. 1)

Prof. Martin J. Greenberg will serve as associate director of the institute, according to DeGuire. Greenberg is an adjunct professor at Marquette where he specializes in sports law, real estate practice and taxation. He is also a partner in the law firm of Martin J. Greenberg & Associates.

An institute advisory board will be appointed and will be asked to make pertinent recommendations regarding topics and issues in the sports law area. The first member to be named to the advisory board was Al McGuire, former coach of the Marquette Warriors and presently a commentator with NBC Sports. The faculty representative on the board will be John J. Kircher of the Law School.

The institute will be in operation July 1, with sports law classes beginning in Marquette's fall semester in August.

The principal mission of the National Sports Law Institute will be to promote the development of ethical practices in all phases of amateur and professional sports. The institute will seek to educate competent professionals to recognize and deal with the increasingly complex issues involving athletes, coaches, owners and other interested parties at all levels of organized sports, including the public, and to develop a repository of sports-related resource materials.

This unique educational program is expected to have an impact on the legal community and the sports world. The institute has the support of the Sports Lawyers Association and other sports industry representatives.

Marquette will offer an integrated approach to the study of sports law, offering a complete curriculum of courses necessary to receive a thorough understanding of this complex and growing field. In addition to offering a sports law curriculum, the institute will develop and disseminate the first sports law casebook and publish a national newsletter and a sports law journal. The institute will host national and international seminars, workshops and conferences for sports lawyers, sports officials, legislators, faculty and law students, the media, as well as the general public.

The institute anticipates that it will be able to attract the finest law students throughout the country who are interested in the study of sports law; focus national attention on the Marquette Law School and Milwaukee as the center for the integrated study of sports law; serve as a role model for other law schools; provide national—previously unavailable—resources, including casebooks and journals; and, through conventions and other meetings, make a significant economic impact on the community.

Since sports law is a multi-faceted study of various legal areas such as contracts, agency, torts, antitrust, labor, taxation, criminal law, etc., the Marquette National Sports Law Institute will coordinate its program with the present law school curriculum.

Course offerings will include "Current Issues Affecting Sports Industry," "Sports Industry Contracts and Negotiations," "Regulation of Amateur Athletics," "Effect of the Antitrust and Labor Laws on the Sports Industry" and "Sports and the Law."