The clowns come to town

Committees search for new deans, fresh ideas

TIFFANY BLANCHETTE
Daily Egyptian

As the spring semester ends, several colleges within SIUC and Library Affairs will continue to conduct candidate searches to fill dean positions. Of the university’s 11 colleges, three have new permanent deans, one has a new interim dean, who assumes the responsibilities of a permanent dean while a search is being conducted, two are searching for permanent deans and one is currently without an interim dean. The College of Engineering and the College of Agricultural Sciences have appointed new permanent deans, while the College of Science has named a new interim dean. The College of Education and Human Services will soon announce the new permanent dean, university spokesperson Rod Siessler said in an email.

Next year, the College of Science and the College of Applied Sciences and Arts will conduct searches for permanent deans. Chancellor Rita Cheng said Cheng said the process of hiring a new permanent dean has many stages, beginning with paperwork, appointing an interim dean, assembling a search committee, determining finalists from the pool of applicants and finding the right fit for the college and university. She said the financial impact of hiring a new dean varies, whether from within SIU or an external hire. Sometimes an internal hire can be less financially taxing on the university, but that is not the basis of the decision, she said. After the finalist candidates visit the college and interact with faculty and staff within the college, feedback is gathered about their strengths and weaknesses and a candidate is tentatively chosen, Cheng said.

Carbondale seeks innovation for tourism program

SHARON WITTE
Daily Egyptian

Carbondale City Council’s decision not to renew its contract with the Carbondale Convention and Tourism Bureau opens the door for other organizations to provide tourism-related services to the city, Councilman Chris Wissmann said.

At its meeting May 1, City Council members voted 6-1 to deny funding to the bureau. The cut totaled $267,500 and will now be given to other organizations that can fulfill the council’s requirements for tourism. Councilwoman Jane Adams said she voted against funding the bureau because its director, Debbie Moore, may have used her position to secure jobs for her daughter and a longtime friend. Trace Brown, a member and past president of the bureau’s board of directors, said the board released Moore Wednesday at a special meeting because it couldn’t pay her salary without city funding.

He said the tourism bureau’s board didn’t have any particular problems with Moore. "The bureau fulfilled its mission, which is to fill the hotels, and I think any problems the city had were with the director and not with the bureau," Brown said.

Brown said he thought some people in the community confused the bureau’s role with the roles of other agencies such as the Chamber of Commerce or Carbondale Main Street. The bureau’s mission, Brown said, isn’t to promote yard sales or brown bag lunches, but to keep money coming into the city’s coffers from the lodging tax, which in turn funds other civic groups’ initiatives.

Adams said the tourism bureau’s website was inadequate and didn’t do enough to portray the city as a tourist destination.

"The clowns come to town"

D.J. Dean Kelly, a performer with the Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus, warms up the crowd Sunday during the preshow activities at the SIU Arena. Children were encouraged to come down to the floor during the preshow to interact with the performers. The traveling circus performed five shows during the weekend.

CHRIS ZEDELLER DAILY EGYPTIAN

Electronic voting considered for student election process

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Daily Egyptian

Elections for student leaders may be more accessible to students next year. A change to online voting for Undergraduate Student Government positions and the SIUC student trustee is under consideration by student election officials, Bethany Wender, coordinator for student involvement and leadership development, said. Although the change was being considered before this year, she said, the shift may help eliminate an issue some students had involving the voting locations during this year’s election.

Wender said her office is looking at different processes for electronic voting. “At this point, I feel it is a necessary step,” she said. “It will be a bit more accessible to everybody.” Wender said there was a slightly larger number of votes this year than last, but it still is a small percentage of the student population. By moving to an online process, she said, student involvement might increase.

She said some issues with a paper ballot would be eliminated by an online process. There could be problems with online voting such as ensuring students are registered with the system used to vote or making sure candidates aren’t going directly to students with a laptop to have them vote, she said.

This year, one problem some students had with the way the paper ballot election was held involved voting location.

Wender said the election commission, which has members from USG and the Graduate and Professional Student Council, decided this year to change the voting locations to create fairness in the locations.

"Well, someone might say if we have one polling location here, we need to technically have a polling location everywhere, and logistically we just could not do that, so somebody was going to get shortchanged," she said.

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In Monday's edition of the Daily Egyptian, the photo on page 3 that accompanied the story titled, "Emotions evoked by Alzheimer's expressed through spoken-word ballet" should have identified the dancer as Carrie Keeler, a senior at Southeast Missouri State University studying dance. The Daily Egyptian regrets this error.
Dean Search Results

Completed Searches 2011

College of Agriculture Sciences
Mickey Latour, administrator and researcher from Purdue University - Permanent dean as of July 1, 2012

College of Engineering
John Warwick, executive director and former acting vice president of academic affairs from Nevada System of Higher Education - Appointed permanent dean as of August 1, 2012

College of Science
Laure Achenbach, faculty member, administrator and former associate dean at Southern Illinois University - Effective interim dean as of August 16, 2012

Ongoing Searches 2012

College of Applied Sciences and Arts
Internm dean since 2009: Terry Owens

College of Mass Communication and Media Arts
Permanent dean Gary Kollb retires June 30, 2012 - Search of interim dean underway

Library Affairs
Three finalist candidates present during open forums from April 12, 2012 to May 10, 2012

Information from University spokesman Rod Sievers.
State park advocates want more money for DNR

SHARON WITTE
Daily Egyptian

Illinois parks and natural areas need stable and secure funding in order to stay open, park advocates said Monday at a press conference in Giant City State Park.

The organizers had one goal in mind: to send a clear message to Springfield that it’s time to pass legislation that creates a sustainable revenue stream for the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, Terri Treacy, conference coordinator, said.

Representatives from seven organizations at the conference said the parks are important as an economic engine for the region, and there is a social responsibility to keep parks open for future generations.

Bob Martin, site superintendent for Giant City and Trail of Tears state parks, said the department’s budget has been cut in half since 2000, and there is no longer money for park upkeep and maintenance.

He said there isn’t enough money to clear trails, paint buildings or keep fireplaces fixed.

The lack of maintenance could cause safety problems, Martin said.

“Just look around and see what we have to do,” he said. “Our playgrounds need wood chips to keep kids safe.”

Cindy Benefield-Cain, executive director of Southernmost Illinois Tourism Bureau, said in southern Illinois, every $1 spent on tourism generates $6 in revenue.

The threat of state park closures would negatively affect tourism and the local economy, she said.

“The majority of our visitors come here for the great outdoors,” Benefield-Cain said. “We have to have something for them to do.”

Ruth Kelley, spokeswoman for Friends of Giant City State Park, displayed pictures of the park’s historic water tower and other structures that she said are long overdue for repairs.

“A lot of this is operating on the built environment and other materials,” Kelley said.

Julie Peterson, a Jackson County Board member, said there is a misconception that today’s young people spend so much time using computers and other technology that they aren’t interested in parks and natural areas.

She said as a teacher, she finds her students are interested and involved in the preservation of the region’s green space, and many of them enjoy spending time at Giant City State Park.

“Giant City Park is integral to our community,” Peterson said.

Audience members loudly applauded a southern Illinois historian and author, Kay Ripplemeyer-Tippy, for her remarks about the distribution of wealth in the county.

She said she sees a similarity between the economies of today and 1933, when the Civilian Conservation Corps was founded to provide work for unemployed Americans.

“Never before was the disparity in wealth this wide,” she said of the Great Depression. “It’s even wider now.”

Ripplemeyer-Tippy, who wrote “Giant City State Park and the Civilian Conservation Corps: A History in Words and Pictures,” said the park began as a privately-owned commons.

The owners wanted a place where everyone could enjoy the area’s natural beauty, and they opened their land to the community, she said.

The state bought the property in 1927 and created Giant City State Park, Ripplemeyer-Tippy said.

“This is our commons, and it’s not getting funded,” she said.

She said legislators are funding prisons and the Illinois Department of Transportation ahead of Illinois parks and natural areas.

“This is what southern Illinois has — these parks,” she said.

“These are heavenly places.”

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WASHINGTON — It doesn't take much effort to become disheartened about American education. Dismal statistics point to the fact that our children simply don't know enough. Our top-performing kids can kind of pant along behind the world leaders, but the rest are left in the dust. Children who live in poverty and children of color fare particularly badly, and with both groups growing, the future bodes ill both for them as individuals and for us as a nation.

The Council on Foreign Relations warned, "The United States' failure to educate its students leaves them unprepared to compete and threatens the country's ability to thrive in a global economy and maintain its leadership role." Amid all this doom saying, is there any hope?

Yes.

The last couple of decades have seen a remarkable growth in the knowledge of practitioners and researchers about how to educate all children. The challenge for us as a country is to make sure that knowledge is understood widely and applied consistently.

One key insight: What schools do matters — a lot. People outside of the field of education might not think much of that insight, since it seems pretty obvious. Why else would we send our children to school? But it's truly a hotly contested idea within the field.

Many have said that schools can do little to help students who come to school from impoverished homes. It is certainly true that schools could do even more if their students were not anxious about their next meal and where they will sleep at night. But educators around the country are demonstrating that they are able to help even children who live in poverty and isolation reach meaningful standards — if they do the right things.

So the next question is, "What are the right things?" I have spent almost eight years trying to answer that question, traveling to high-performing and rapidly improving schools that enroll significant percentages of students of color and students of poverty.

Many parents would expect these schools to be low-performing, but their student achievement data makes them look at least like middle-class schools; some are at the top of their state. Take, for example, George Hall Elementary School, which serves a poor, isolated neighborhood in Mobile, Ala. All its students qualify for the federal school lunch program and are African-American. In 2004, George Hall was once one of the lowest performing schools in the city; today it is among the top-performing schools in the state, outperforming many of Alabama's most affluent schools.

What does George Hall — and the other schools I have studied — do to be so successful? Each school is exemplary in its own way. Some are small, some large, some rural, some urban, some suburban, some others. But what they all share is the same basic approach: They...
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Counclilor Don Moyer said he had heard more negative comments from citizens about Moore’s performance as the borough’s director than any other recent issue, and he said he was concerned that taxpayers should be getting the services for their tax dollars.

Wissmann said city staff will ask the council to submit specific terms it wants included in a contract for tourism-related services.

The city staff will work out details of the plan after council members clarify what they want to accomplish, measures they will use to determine fulfillment of the contracts and the cost, he said.

Wissmann said the city will request proposals from businesses and nonprofits to organize specific events in the city or to develop tourism literature that would promote the city.

Carbondale is the gateway to southern Illinois, but the word is not getting out,” he said.

Escape Locally, which held its ribbon cutting ceremony last month, has created a database of activities such as hiking, kayaking, the wine trails and local festivals that draw tourists from other parts of Illinois and neighboring states to the region.

“We have the ability to focus on all of southern Illinois,” Zimmerman said. “It seems like Carbondale could play a much more proactive role in promoting tourism for the whole region.”

He said the bureau also will likely submit a proposal. Jackson County generated $61.2 million from tourism in 2010, which was up 5.3 percent from the previous year, according to figures compiled by the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity. The department has not released figures from 2011.

Meghan Cole, executive director of Carbondale Main Street, said it’s unclear at this time if her organization will submit a proposal, and it would likely do so only if the proposal fits its mission of improving the economic and cultural climate of the downtown area.

“We’re already the unofficial visitor center for Carbondale,” she said. “We get 15 visitors a day, and we have a hand in almost all of the events in downtown Carbondale.”

Wissmann said he didn’t take his decision lightly to vote against renewing the city’s contract with the Carbondale Convention and Tourism Bureau.

He said he thought the bureau graced the council into publicly firing its director when it voted in March to double the size of its board. The bureau’s board increased from its 15 voting members to 29, and Wissmann said it was to dilute the influence of eight city-appointed members.

He is concerned about the bureau’s two employees who had no responsibility for the actions of the director and the board, he said, and who are now possibly out of a job.

He said he thinks the council made the right decision and doesn’t think the city will see a measurable decrease in economic activity.

“I don’t think we’re going to lose a single step as a result of the loss of CCBT,” Wissmann said.

Long fight predicted in Guantanamo Sept. 11 case

GUANTANAMO BAY—NA L. BASE, Cuba — The U.S. has finally started the prosecution of five Guantanamo Bay prisoners charged in the Sept. 11 attacks that killed nearly 3,000 people, but the trial won’t be starting anytime soon, and both sides said Sunday that the case could continue for years.

Defense lawyer James Connell said a tentative trial date of May 2013 is a “placeholder” until a true date can be set for the trial of Khalid Sheikh Mohammed, the self-described mastermind of the attacks, and his co-defendants.

“It’s going to take time,” said the chief prosecutor, Amy Rig. Gen. Mark Martins, who said he expects to battle a barrage of defense motions before the case goes to trial.

“I am getting ready for hundreds of motions because we want them to shoot everything they can shoot at us,” he said.

Saturday’s arraignment lasted 13 hours, including meal and prayer breaks, as the accused appeared to make a concerted effort to stall the initial hearing, which didn’t end until almost 11 p.m.

“Everyone is frustrated by the delay,” Martins said on Sunday.

He noted that the civilian trial of convicted Sept. 11 conspirator Zacarias Moussaoui took four years, and he pleaded guilty in 2006 before being sentenced to life in prison.

On Saturday, Mohammed and his co-defendants refused to respond to the judge or the use the court’s translation system and one of them demanded a lengthy reading of the charges. Connell called the tactics “peaceful resistance to an unjust system.”

The arraignment, Connell said, “demonstrates that this will be a long, hard-fought but peaceful struggle against secrecy, torture and the misguided institution of the military commissions.”

The defendants’ actions outraged relatives of the victims.

“They’re engaging in jihad in a courtroom,” said Debra Burgin, whose brother Charles, was the pilot of the plane that flew into the Pentagon. She watched the proceeding from Brooklyn on one of the closed-circuit video-feeds around the United States.

A handful of those who lost family members in the attacks were selected by a lottery and flown to watch the proceedings at the U.S. naval base in Cuba, where Mohammed and his co-defendants put off their pleas until a later date.

They face 2,976 counts of murder and terrorism in the 2001 attacks that sent hijacked jetliners into New York’s World Trade Center and the Pentagon. The charges carry the death penalty.

The detainees’ lawyers spent hours questioning the judge, Army Col. James Pol, about his qualifications to hear the case and suggested their clients were being mistreated at the hearing, in a strategy that could pave the way for future appeals.

Mohammed was subjected to a strip search and “inflammatory and unnecessary” treatment before court, said his attorney, David Nevin.

It was the defendants’ first appearance in more than three years after stalled efforts to try them for the terror attacks.

III. official pleads not guilty to stealing $53M

ROBERT RAY Associated Press

ROCKFORD — The former comptroller of a small northern Illinois city pleaded not guilty Monday to charges alleging she stole more than $53 million of the public’s money to fund a lavish lifestyle and create one of the nation’s foremost horse-breeding operations.

Rita Crudwell and her attorney, Paul Gauzino, refused to comment after leaving the federal courthouse in Rockford, where she pleaded not guilty to a single count of wire fraud. Crudwell, who is free on a recognizance bond, could be sentenced to up to 20 years in prison if convicted.

Prosecutors allege that since 1990, the 58-year-old Crudwell stole more than $53 million from Dixon, where overseas public finances as the city comptroller since the 1980s, by diverting it to an account she had set up for personal use and misleading city officials.

Prosecutors say Crudwell bought luxury homes and vehicles, and spent millions on her horse-breeding operation, RC Quarter Horses, LLC, which produced 52 world champions in exhibitions run by the American Quarter Horse Association.

Prosecutors say her scheme unraveled only when a co-worker filling in for Crudwell while she was on an extended vacation stumbled upon the secret bank account.

Her arrest stunned tiny Dixon, a small city along a picturesque vein of the Mississippi River about a two-hour drive west of Chicago in Illinois farm country. Its 16,000 people are largely lower-middle class, working at factories, grain farms, the local prison and a hospital, among other places.

Prosecutors also have filed a lawsuit seeking 311 registered quarter horses and dozens of foals that are expected to be born this spring. Prosecutors said while announcing the lawsuit that they plan to have the horses sold and to give the proceeds to Dixon, where the late President Ronald Reagan lived as a boy.
Cities seek more money from tax-exempt colleges

"They said they feel they should be supportive of the community. We're certainly grateful," said Rick Gray, Mayor of Lancaster, Pa.

"They've gobbled up property that used to be taxable," he said. "That just moves the burden of paying for fire protection, police, garbage collection, and everything else onto the remaining taxpayers. I'm just saying it's time for them to kick in a little more to support the community."

Hogan said the city may have to tax commuters if the nonprofits don't agree to pay more.

Cities have found other ways of generating money from tax-exempt organizations. Chicago, for instance, recently announced it would begin charging nonprofits a water fee.

Small charities and religious organizations also are tax-exempt, but there is a growing disdain for them as contributors. Going after churches is a political non-starter, and nonprofit community organizations have much less money to offer.
Bulls try to dig out of big hole against 76ers

ANDREW SELIGMAN
Associated Press

DEERFIELD, Ill. — It seemed almost unthinkable that the Chicago Bulls could be in this spot.

But here they are, reeling in the Philadelphia 76ers 3-1 in the first round and trying to avoid elimination as they return home for Game 5 on Tuesday night.

If the Bulls lose, they will be just the fifth No. 1 seed to fall to an eighth seed. It would also give Philadelphia its first victory since 2003, a scenario few envisioned when the postseason started.

It's been a rough year and a half for the Bulls, who had a 21-6 deficit to win a best-of-7 series. They never recovered. They're out of the playoffs for the first time since 2004 and haven't won a playoff series since 2002. They were swept in the first round.

"We're a big-seed team," said Chicago Bulls' head coach Tom Thibodeau in a postgame interview. "We don't want to be a 2-seed or a 3-seed. We want to be a 1-seed."

The Bulls are down 3-1 in this series with Game 5 on Tuesday night. They need to win two out of three games to advance to the Eastern Conference semifinals.

"We know we have to win Game 5," said Thibodeau. "We have to hold our own in Game 6 and then see what happens in Game 7."
JOE RAGUSA
Daily Egyptian

When he walked off the mound in the fifth inning against Wichita State April 1, junior left-hander Nathan Dorris was on his way out of the weekend rotation.

“I wasn’t believing in myself and my abilities. I wasn’t going out there knowing I could get people out,” Dorris said. “I wasn’t focusing on my mechanics, and that caused me to leave pitches up in the zone.”

He landed in the middle of the starting pitcher’s role, and coach Ken Henderson said that makes him and SIU’s three weekend starters – Cody Forsythe, Cameron Maldonado, and Sam Coonrod – extremely valuable as the Salukis prepare for the Missouri Valley Conference tournament that starts May 22.

“When you go to the conference tournament, you’re not going to win it with three starters,” Henderson said. “We’ve got four quality starters. And that’s important; that’s huge. I’ve got to think we’ve got four starters (as good as anybody).”

Dorris began the season as the starting pitcher on Sundays and won his first four starts with a 2.95 ERA and 20 strikeouts. His first rough outing was against Illinois State, where he gave up six earned runs on nine hits in four and one-third innings. After two more starts where Dorris couldn’t get out of the fifth inning, he was bumped out of the weekend rotation in favor of freshman right-hander Sam Coonrod.

Coonrod and Dorris are both in their first year at SIU, but Dorris’ path to Carbondale had a few more stops along the way. Dorris is a native of Marion and said former coach Dan Callahan was the first college coach to contact him while he was in middle school. SIU offered Dorris a scholarship during his junior year of high school but later rescinded the offer once bigger programs and pro scouts started to look at the left-hander. Dorris was drafted by the Atlanta Braves in the 45th round of the 2009 MLB draft, but he decided to sign a letter of intent to play at Vanderbilt.

Dorris said he decided to go to Vanderbilt because he wanted to work with Vanderbilt pitching coach Derek Johnson, who was named Baseball America’s Assistant Coach of the Year in 2010. Johnson was also SIU’s pitching coach from 1999 to 1998.

During Dorris’ first semester at Vanderbilt, he battled through a few injuries, and Dorris said Vanderbilt’s coaches wanted him to redshirt when the season started the following semester. Dorris said he felt he could play despite the injuries, so he decided to come back home and transfer to Rend Lake College, where he pitched for two seasons before he suited up for SIU.

Even though he visited teams such as Illinois, Kentucky and Western Kentucky in high school, Dorris said he liked his life back home, and the move to SIU was the only one he considered after junior college.

“SIU told me they wanted me, and it was pretty much a done deal,” Dorris said.

Coonrod also had pro scouts look at him while he was in high school in Carrollton, but the only college programs to contact him were SIU and several junior colleges. Coonrod said he thought he was going to be used strictly out of the bullpen in his first season, because he still has a lot to work on.

“I hardly ever pitch seven innings; I throw too many balls. I have problems throwing strikes at times,” Coonrod said. “I’ve never really had to listen to anybody on mechanics until this year. It’s all new to me. I’ve never really needed (help) until now, and I definitely need it now.”

Henderson said Coonrod showed more consistency than Dorris, and he decided to put Coonrod in the weekend rotation April 8 against Evansville. Coonrod started two mid-week games before that, but he received no decisions in both.

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Cycling through Giant City | From left to right, Mary Avery, Tom Riechman, both of Makanda, and Mary Finley, of Carbondale, prepare to bicycle through Giant City State Park. The group, who has been riding for years, said they do long distance camping trips on their bicycles. “We’ve just started riding season,” Riechman said. “This is our first time this year.”

BRANDON WILLINGHAM
Daily Egyptian

After the Salukis’ sluggish offense cost them both games of a series-opening double-header Saturday against Bradley University, sophomore Jaya Sypey’s first career grand slam Sunday helped them take one of three games in the final regular season Missouri Valley Conference matchup.

“I thought that was a really huge boost by Jayna because it was a great at-bat, and I thought she wasn’t going to be denied, and she was really locked in,” coach Kerri Blaylock said.

SIU (34-19, 16-10 MVC) lost both games Saturday 6-4 and 4-0 but won 11-5 in the final game of the series Sunday against the Braves (21-29, 11-15 MVC). The Salukis led the all-time series (55-23) against the Braves, including a six-game winning streak in the last two seasons. Game two’s 4-0 win was the first time the Braves didn’t win by more than two runs since 1989.

Blaylock said it’s important to recognize when other teams come out and compete well, but she said the Salukis struggled offensively and couldn’t get things done when at bat.

“You’ve got to give credit to Bradley for coming out and playing the way that they did,” Blaylock said. “I thought that we were tight offensively and couldn’t string any good at-bats together, and I thought Bradley attacked and we didn’t respond very well.”

Blaylock said the team didn’t manage its at-bats the way she would’ve liked and that the team tried to win the game off one swing instead of exercising patience.

The Salukis’ offense finally sparked in game three Sunday with senior center fielder Mallory Durr-Sellers, who went three-for-five with two runs scored and an RBI. Kelsea Ashton, Taylor Orsburn and Meredith Wilson each had two hits.

Despite the first two losses in Saturday’s doubleheader, Blaylock said the team’s offense came alive Sunday.

“I thought the offense was really locked in today,” Blaylock said Sunday. “They could have been down after back-to-back home runs in the first inning, but we believed and settled in and got good at-bats to string some things together.”

Senior infielder Allicia Junker said the team had poor at-bats, but she said the objective is to never settle and to finish strong.

Durr-Sellers said even though the team lost the first two games, it was good to come back and battle in the final game. She said the team has experienced a lot of adversity this season but has learned to compete until the end.

“I think we battled back well,” Durr-Sellers said. “We started off slow and hit somewhat of a lull. It was good to see us come back out and battle back.”

Durr-Sellers said it’s frustrating to see the team’s offense go downhill, especially after it was the top offensive team in the MVC. She said SIU is a good offensive team, and she was glad for a comeback in the end.

The Salukis will be the No. 4 seed in next week’s MVC Championships and will play 4 p.m. Thursday at Charlotte West Stadium against the winner of the No. 5 Creighton and No. 8 Evansville game.