



PACRAO NEWS

Pacific Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers

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A Message from the President



SALLY HICKOK
President

The PACRAO Executive Committee has been busy working on many projects that will benefit members. The Committee met in Dallas during the AACRAO conference and will meet again in early August to wrap up planning for our 1992 conference in Phoenix, Arizona.

We hope that budget cuts will not interfere with your travel plans to Phoenix and "The Valley of the

Sun." It was good to see so many of our members in Dallas and we hope those in attendance enjoyed our PACRAO reception. PACRAO once again will have one of its members, Jeffrey Tanner, serve as AACRAO President. Congratulations Jeff!

PACRAO members are cordially invited to attend summer events scheduled in specific areas and /or to sent supportive staff to specially designed workshops. The 1992 Summer Success Seminar will be held in Big Sky, Montana, on July 31 and August 1, at the Big Sky Ski and Summer Resort. Host, Joe Frazier, has planned an excellent program at this unique facility and location. The program will cover both support staff fuctions and management topics. A special workshop for support staff will be held in Southern California on August 7. Evelyn Glasser and Fred Dear have put together a one day program that will provide excellent training in many areas for support staff. PACRAO is participating in an AACRAO professional development program "Train the Trainers" workshop for new admissions professionals. Stephanie Preston will represent PACRAO at a special

training session in May and as a result conduct similar workshops for PACRAO members.

The Executive Committee would like to remind its members once again that Fellowship/Travel Grant applications are available. These fellowships and grants give PACRAO members the opportunity to enhance thier professional development by offsetting the costs of attendance at conferences, workshops, and seminars. You may request an application from any of the current Board Members and send it to Christine Wilkinson, Past President, who coordinates the program for the Executive Committee. Typical awards will be for registration fees at specialized training programs, appropriate research costs, and travel grants to PACRAO meetings. Preference will be given to individuals who have not attended a workshop or conference before.

In these years of tight budgets, we would welcome your comments and suggestions on how PACRAO can help you reach your professional goals. And, as this academic year comes to a close, we hope to see as many members as possible in Phoenix in November.

1992-93 PACRAO Nominees

The Nominations and Elections Committee is pleased to offer the following nominees for PACRAO offices in 1992-93



Irma R. Rodriguez, President Elect

Irma Rodriguez is the Dean of Admissions and Records at Fullerton College in California where she has held a variety of positions and special assignments within Student Services over the last twenty years. Most recently, she was the Campus Affirmative Action Officer for three years while concurrently the Dean of Admissions and Records. Irma served as a member of the PACRAO Program Planning Committee for Washington-1987, Long Beach-1988 and Sacramento-1989, and was the 1990 Portland Conference Program Committee Chair. She was on the Executive Committee and the Nominations and Elections Committee in 1990.

Irma currently serves AACRAO as a member of the Transfer and Articulation, and the Nominations and Elections committees. Irma has also served on the CACCRAO Executive Board, Conference Program Chair and Chair of program sessions.

Irma is a California Coordinator for the Education Policy Fellowship Program, an outstanding national collaborative leadership and policy training program with the Institute for Educational, Washington, D.C.



Jesse R. Welch, Vice President-Four Year Institutions

Jesse R. Welch is Director of Admissions at Portland State University. Before PSU, he was Director of Enrollment at Oregon Institute of Technology for two years. Prior to moving to Oregon, Jesse served from 1972-1978 in the admissions office at Washington State University where he rose to Senior Associate Director.

A member of PACRAO since 1971, Jesse has been a presenter and session chair at many annual conferences. He served as a member of the Program Committee in 1990, 1991 and 1992; was on the Nominations and Elections Committee in 1991.

Jesse has participated in NASPA as the state coordinator for Oregon, has served on the Executive Committee of PNACAC, and is currently active in OrACRAO.



Nick L. Paul II, Vice President-Two Year Institutions

Nick L. Paul II is the Associate Dean of Student Services at Western Nevada Community College in Carson City. Nick was selected as Director of Admissions and Records/Registrar at WNCC in Spring 1991, and was promoted to his present position in the Fall. From 1971 to 1984, he held positions at UNLV in Veteran Services, Placement, Financial Aid, Greek Affairs and Admissions, and had been Associate Registrar at UNLV since 1984. His affiliation with PACRAO began as a Registration Committee member in Honolulu, the LAC Chair for Banquet and Special Events at Las Vegas, Hospitality Committee member at Long Beach and a Session Presenter and Recorder at various program sessions.

Nick has also been active in AACRAO, as a member of the Hospitality Committee in Baltimore and Nashville, as Chair of the LAC Hospitality Committee in Las Vegas, as a member of the New Members Orientation Committee in Chicago and New Orleans, and at various times as Presenter and Recorder.



Susan R. Clouse, Secretary

Susan Clouse is the Director of Undergraduate Admissions at Ari-

zona State University. She has also served as Director of Admissions and Career Development at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University. Currently, she is a member of the Program Committee for the 1991 PACRAO conference in Phoenix, as well as Facilities Chair on the Local Arrangements Committee. Susan also served on the Program Planning Committee for the 1990 PACRAO conference in Salt Lake City. In addition, Susan has presented at seven PACRAO conferences.

Her involvement with AACRAO involves three years service on the Enrollment Management Committee, participation in the Strategic Enrollment Management Conference in Atlanta, and in presenting at three conferences.

Susan is currently Past President of AzACRAO, and has previously served that association as President

and President Elect. She has also served on the Planning Committee of the annual AzACRAO Staff Development Workshop. Susan is President Elect of the Arizona High School/College Relations Council and has also served on the Executive Committee of the Council as the four year institution representative. She has been a member of the 1988 Program Planning Committee for the Western Regional College Board Forum, and has presented at three College Board Forums.

Nominations for Honorary Membership, Distinguished Service and Retirement Awards

The nomination and selection of recipients for various awards is an annual PACRAO activity. Members are now asked to nominate potential recipients for Honorary Membership Awards and Retirement Certificates. All of our PACRAO colleagues who will be retiring during the 1992-93 academic year are eligible for retirement certificates. Honorary membership is for those in their last year of service or former members who have given extended and dedicated service to the profession and to PACRAO, or who are former PACRAO officers and have consistently attended and participated in the annual conferences.

Nominations for these awards should be forwarded as soon as possible to Matt Telin, Registrar, University of Idaho, Chair; Christine Wilkinson, Vice President for Student Affairs, Arizona State University; Nancy Sprotte, Director of Admissions and Records, San Diego State University; Evelyn Glaser, Registrar, Occidental College; Christine Kerlin, Director of Admissions, Central Oregon Community College.

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Reminder: Please send in your Nominations for Leadership in 1993-94 forms for President-Elect, Vice President for Enrollment Management, Admissions, and Financial Aid; Vice President for Regional Associations and Institutional Issues; Nominations and Elections Committee. Deadline for receipt of nominations is **Monday, August 31, 1992.**

Mail completed forms to:
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**PACRAO Summer
Success Seminar
1992**

Plan to attend the PACRAO Summer Success Seminar July 30 - August 1, 1992 in Big Sky, Montana -- "Last of the Big Time Splendors." Located within easy driving distance of Yellowstone National Park and Bozeman, Big Sky Resort is serviced by 3 airlines (Delta, Northwest and Continental) through Gallatin Field Airport outside of Bozeman. Big sky, MT is a great place to come for business or vacation -- lots of things to do like hiking, fishing, horseback riding, rafting, golf and more, so bring the family. The Summer Success Seminar has 9 sessions planned, with 3 meals provided for a \$50.00 registration fee. There is an optional barbecue for registrants to attend on Friday evening, for an additional fee. The sessions range from "Why We Act the Way We Do" to "Electronic Transfer of Academic Records," presented by speakers of regional and national distinction. Registrations should be submitted by July 1st, sent in care of Robert Snyder, Assistant Registrar, Montana State University, Bozeman, MT 59717.

**Turning Crisis into
Opportunity
Workshop**

"It is wise to keep in mind that neither success nor failure is ever final."
--Roger Babson

Higher education will never be immune to the challenges and obstacles presented by the economy, the changing demographics and a new world order. In admissions and records, while the funding for staff is reduced, the work is often increased. How do we keep a sense of humor, and how do we approach our work with initiative and energy? Come to Los Angeles on August 7 for a day at Occidental College, away from your office--enjoy the opportunity to exchange ideas, refresh the good ones you have, and enjoy lunch in the picturesque Sycamore Glen on campus.

Topics will include technologies important to our success, coping skills for the overworked, underpaid front line staff and management professionals, and how to succeed when the challenge seems larger than any positive outcome you can envision. The seminar will run from 9:00 until 5:00 p.m, and the fee is \$25, including lunch. Information will be mailed to PACRAO and CACCRAO members in the greater Southern California area, but additional information can be obtained from Evelyn Glaser at Occidental College--213 259-2686.

"Qualifications for success: first is a big wastebasket. You must know what to eliminate. Second, it is as important to know what to preserve. Third, *it is important to know when to say no. For, developing the power to say no gives us the capacity to say yes*"--A.P.Gouthey.

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