UCF 11th Among Southern Schools

UCF is among the top 25 best schools in the south, according to the most recent ranking by U.S. News & World Report. The good news came in the Monday, October 16th edition of the national news magazine. Schools chosen generally award more than half of their baccalaureate degrees in two or more occupational or professional disciplines, such as business or engineering. Institutions may be large or small. The schools were divided into four geographical regions - UCF is among those of the southern region. Rollins College of Orlando was ranked fifth, Florida International University was ranked sixth and Stetson University in Deland was ranked eighth among southern schools. UCF ranked eleventh.

On a national level, the schools chosen offer a complete range of degrees, including graduate and doctoral degrees. As might be expected Yale, Princeton and Harvard/Radcliffe topped the national list.

UCF and other schools were ranked by the magazine on their records in five key areas: 1) quality of the student body as measured by each school’s selectivity; 2) faculty quality; 3) reputation for academic excellence; 4) financial resources and 5) ability to retain and graduate students.

The magazine used objective statistical measures to determine the schools’ performance in all areas.

Peer Advisement, Class Size Affected

Peer advisement of incoming freshmen will fall under the auspice of Undergraduate Studies and the number of class overrides will be reduced, if Provost Richard Astro and President Steven Altman approve two resolutions voted by the Faculty Senate Oct. 5.

In one resolution, faculty senators called for the transfer of the responsibilities of peer advisement from Student Affairs to Undergraduate Studies. The other resolution requires class sections be kept to legal capacity according to fire codes. The resolutions will be considered by the provost and then he will make a recommendation to the president.

Under the first resolution, students would continue to counsel freshmen but the training of these advisors would be a function of Undergraduate Studies. While it was the consensus of the voting body that the social orientation of students be left in the able hands of the O-Team, several faculty members expressed a desire to have peer advisors trained by an academic unit. An original resolution called for transferring the entire orientation of new students to Undergraduate Studies but it was modified during the meeting to focus only on the academic advisement of new students.

Faculty members praised the work the Student Affairs’ O-Team does in preparing incoming freshmen for campus life. K. Phillip Taylor, professor of communications, said the orientation process is an important social function that is handled...
New Library Copier Service

TO: University Community  
FROM: Lynn LaBrake, Library  
SUBJECT: New Library Copier Service

Twenty new Sharp photocopiers have been installed in the Library under a contract with a new vendor. The new machines will accept either coins or Library-issued copy cards. (Microfiche/film reader printers now accept coins and will be fitted for cards soon.) Coin cost per copy on the Sharp machines will remain at 10 cents; card cost will be reduced to 5 cents.

It is important to note that only Library copy cards will work in the Library's photocopiers and that cards issued outside of the Library will not operate Library copiers.

Copy service cards may be purchased for $1 or more at a copy service room (Room 239), which will be staffed and run by the vendor's personnel and available to assist students, faculty and staff during most Library hours. Copy cards also may be purchased at self-service card dispensers to be installed on the 2nd and 3rd floors. Thirty cents of the initial purchase price pays for the card. On a $1 purchase, the balance can be used to make 14 copies. Copy cards can be re-encoded at the dispensers or in devices attached to all photocopy machines.

Faculty members who want to charge copies to their departmental accounts have options: If they are on their department's authorized signature list, they may have copies made in the Library's new copy service room and charged to their departmental account. They may also buy a debit card and have it charged to the departmental account.

Faculty members not on the authorized signature list may bring written authorization from their faculty chair to charge copies made by the photocopy service room to the departmental account. Likewise, they may ask their department chair about a debit card to make copies on the Library’s self-service machines.

Remember, old copy cards will not work in the Library’s new machines. Old copy card patrons can get a refund on the card at the Bookstore check cashing window or can keep the card for use in the student copiers outside the Library.

Faculty/Staff Participants in Fall Graduation

TO: Faculty/Staff Participants in Fall Graduation  
FROM: Timothy W. Carroll, Bookstore Manager  
SUBJECT: Rental of Academic Regalia for Faculty Exercises on December 16, 1989

The University Bookstore will assume the responsibility for the rental of academic regalia for the forthcoming graduation exercises.

Please complete a rental questionnaire and return it to the bookstore prior to October 20, 1989. No orders can be accepted after this date.

Rental charges are as follows and payable in advance with orders.

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Who's Who Among Students in American Universities

TO: UCF Community  
FROM: Pamela Mounce, Asst. Dean of Students  
SUBJECT: Who's Who Applications

Students are evaluated on the basis of scholarship; participation and leadership in academic and extracurricular activities; citizenship and service to UCF; and potential for future achievement. Juniors, seniors, and graduate students are eligible to apply.

Application forms are available in the Student Affairs Office, 282 Administration. A screening committee made up of faculty, staff and students will then select the UCF representatives for Who's Who.

Thank you for your help.

Faculty and Administration

TO: Faculty and Administration  
FROM: Pamela Mounce, Asst. Dean of Students  
SUBJECT: Who's Who Applications

Who's Who Among Students in American Universities.

Who's Who is Friday, October 27, 1989 and they should be returned to the Student Affairs Office, 282 Administration. A screening committee made up of faculty, staff and students will then select the UCF representatives for Who's Who.

Thank you for your help.

UCF United Way Campaign

TO: UCF Community  
FROM: Steven Altman, President  
SUBJECT: 1989 UCF United Way Campaign

"Quality of Life" is an important matter for everyone. The United Way campaign is a significant way in which we can assist those in need around us. In reaching out to those less fortunate than ourselves, we improve life for all in our community. We also send the message that the university supports the community, just as we want the community to support us. Let's all do our share.

I urge every member of the UCF family to carefully and thoughtfully consider this matter. The need for our participation in this community-wide effort is readily apparent. In confidence, I believe we can meet and exceed the campaign goal, $35,000, if we encourage all of our colleagues and co-workers to be active participants in this campaign. Correspondingly I have instructed the Coordinator to avoid compulsion or pressure. It is the individual's choice to participate or not participate.

Please welcome the Campaign Coordinator for your unit when contacted.

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Faculty and Administration

TO: Faculty and Administration  
FROM: Pamela Mounce, Asst. Dean of Students  
SUBJECT: Who's Who Applications

It is time again to nominate outstanding students for Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. Students are evaluated on the basis of scholarship; participation and leadership in academic and extracurricular activities; citizenship and service to UCF; and potential for future achievement. Juniors, seniors, and graduate students are eligible to apply.

Application forms are available in the Student Affairs Office and at the Student Center. Application deadline is Friday, October 27, 1989 and they should be returned to the Student Affairs Office, 282 Administration. A screening committee made up of faculty, staff and students will then select the UCF representatives for Who's Who.

Thank you for your help.
President Steven Altman points out that the gift will have "lasting significance" for the area, responded that Boardman "has just created a great day in our lives."

Sarah Pappas, UCF/Daytona director, said the interest from the endowment, after $150,000 has been reached, will allow the area campus to attract a professor of "national reputation and stature" for Volusia and Flagler counties. "It is extremely rare for an area campus to have an endowed professorship," she said.

A fundraiser will take place on election day, Nov. 7, with a Roast of the Volusia County Council at the Ocean Center in Daytona Beach.

More than 400 people, including many UCF alumni, attended the reception to meet the new UCF president and his wife. □

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admirably by students but the faculty should be responsible for academic orientation of students. Lester G. Tubb, vice president of Student Affairs who had asked to speak to the Senate about the group that those chosen as peer advisors are counseled by faculty members before advising other students. If there is a problem in the training process, moving the program will not solve the problem, Tubb says.

The Senate also passed a resolution requiring enrollment in class sections to be kept to legal capacity. Burgeoning class sizes were blamed on the unexpected increase in Fall enrollment along with an abundance of overrides issued by individual colleges. John Bush, registrar, told the group that his office plans the legal number of students in classes but the individual colleges have the right to override class size limitations and add students. A total of 4651 overrides for the Fall semester were issued. The registrar has requested a modification to the registration procedure whereby it would allow enrollment in a class to surpass the fire marshal's legal capacity. □

TOP 15 SOUTHERN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Rank Overall Score Academic Reputation Student Selectivity Retention Patterns Faculty Quality Financial Resources
1. Wake Forest University (N.C.) 100.0 1 1 3 1 2
2. University of Richmond (Va.) 73.5 4 4 5 16 39
3. Berea College (Ky.) 73.0 8 6 37 15 27
4. James Madison Univ. (Va.) 72.1 3 2 6 62 47
5. Rollins College (Fla.) 67.7 10 10 9 3 54
6. Florida International Univ. 57.5 22 5 1 5 27
7. The Citadel (S.C.) 55.7 2 2 12 3 38
8. Siena College (N.Y.) 64.5 6 20 38 10 37
9. Appalachian State Univ. (N.C.) 33.7 11 13 20 20 21
10. University of N.C. at Charlotte 32.1 7 14 42 3 33
11. Univ. of Central Florida 61.6 16 8 34 25 42
12. Mery Washington College (Va.) 61.1 38 3 12 65 41
13. Georgia Mason University (Va.) 59.6 5 29 75 12 46
14. Univ. of Alabama in Huntsville 59.3 13 15 75 12 46
15. East Carolina University (N.C.) 58.2 17 62 8 4

Rank is based on a school's total percentile score when measured in five attribute areas: student selectivity; reputation for academic excellence; faculty quality; resources and retention, with the first three attributes counting twice as heavily as the last two. "Overall score" represents a school's total score converted to a percentile, with the highest score equal to 100 percent. The number that appears for individual attributes represents a school's ranking in that attribute category relative to all other schools in the school's grouping. □
During the week of Oct. 2-7 the UCF campus hosted a multitude of events. The many activities exposed students and staff to different cultural heritages while other activities aided the university community in learning more about crime prevention. Still other events allowed the university to help in a run for dysfunctional children.
Alive With Activity

Halcohol testing mobile unit
Sheriff Florida
Walter J. Gallagher
Orange County Highway Patrol

Wednesday, Oct. 18, 1989
Bible Scholar to Speak
Oct. 30 - 31

The UCF Judaic Studies Distinguished Lecturers' Series will begin Oct. 30 with renowned Bible scholar Dr. Nahum M. Sarna. Sarna, who is Dora Golding Professor Emeritus of Biblical Studies at Brandeis University, will speak on "Job vs God: Protest Against Evil," at 8 p.m. in the University Dining Room.

He will also direct an 11 a.m. seminar the following day in Phillips Hall 221 on campus. His topic is "A Modern Jewish Commentary in the Making: The Inner Workings of the JPS Torah Commentary."

Both lecture and seminar are free and open to the public.

Sarna is currently at work on the new modern commentary to the Torah and serves as general editor of the Jewish Publication Society's new Bible Commentary project.

Academic Audits

Academic Audits will be held in the Board Room of the Administration Building for the following disciplines:

- Oct. 20 - 2:30 p.m. Psychology
- Oct. 20 - 3:30 p.m. Communicative Disorders
- Nov. 1 - 2 p.m. English
- Nov. 1 - 3 p.m. Statistics
- Nov. 1 - 4 p.m. Educational Services

October

- 18-21 National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week
  "I'm Driving" Designated Driver Promotion
- 18 Brown Bag Lecture Series on Environment, SCA, Noon
- 19 Leinbach Memorial Endowment Program, Library, 2nd floor, 2 p.m.
- 21 GMAT Examination
  Duffer's Delight Golf Tournament, Windermere Country Club, Tee-off 8 a.m.
- 22-28 National Red Ribbon Week Promotion to Support Drug-Free Lifestyles
- 23 Homecoming Week Begins with Mardi Gras March Through Campus, 11 a.m.
  Movie, "Live and Let Die," SAC, 7 and 9 p.m.
- 24 Alumni Membership Morning, Joe Dean, Jr. (Speaker), Citrus Club, 7 a.m.
- 25 UCF Forum, Coach Gene McDowell (Speaker), Omni International, 11:30 a.m.
- 27 Alumni Plaza Dedication 6:15, Reception following Dedication, Homecoming Parade 7 p.m.; Carnival 8 p.m.
  Play, "Arms and the Man," UCF Theatre, Oct. 27-28, 8 p.m.; Oct. 29, 2 p.m.
- 28 FTCE Examination

Events

- Saturday, Oct. 21
  Duffer's Delight Golf Tournament, Windermere Country Club, Tee-off, 8 a.m.

- Monday, Oct. 23
  New Orleans-style "Death March," & Games, Student Center Green, 11 a.m.

- Friday, Oct. 27
  Dedication of Alumni Plaza, Administration Bldg., 6:15 p.m.
  Parade, Gemini Boulevard, 7 p.m.
  Pep Rally, 7:45 p.m.
  Street Festival & Carnival, Student Center Green, 8 p.m.

- Saturday, Oct. 28
  Pre-game Tailgate Party, Tinker Field, 4 p.m.
  Game, UCF vs. Liberty University, Citrus Bowl, 7 p.m.
NEWCOMERS...

Rochelle Ballard (Reference Librarian/Library) formerly worked at North Carolina A&T State University and at the Library of Congress. She earned her MLS from the University of Maryland at College Park and her B.S. from Winston-Salem State University. She likes to read.

Marianne Davis-Eriksen (Nursing Coordinator/Daytona Branch) was born in Bronx, NY and now lives in Palm Coast. She earned her BSN and M.S. from SUNY at Stonybrook where she formerly worked. She also worked at the Veterans Administration Medical Center at Northport. She and husband Kenneth have two children, Garret, 8 and Evan, 6. She is a scuba diver, likes bicycling, camping, travel, hiking and sailing. She is interested in ethics and is a certified Adult Nurse Practitioner.

Linda Herget (Cashier/Finance & Accounting) likes bowling and all kinds of needlework. She is an avid UCF football fan. She and husband Joe have three children, Stacey, 16, David, 12, and John, 8. She is a native of Boston, MA.

Susan Irwin (Student Affairs Coordinator/Athletics) earned her BS in Journalism and her Master's in Sports Administration from Ohio University. She was born in Indianapolis and formerly worked for the University of Cincinnati as an athletic academic advisor, and for the Martinsburg, West Virginia Evening Journal as a magazine editor.

Maureen Robinson (Instructor/College of Ed.) has been involved in education for 16 years and brings with her experience in elementary, middle, high school and junior college teaching. In addition, as Director of Education for University Achievement, a national organization partnering business and schools, Maureen was instrumental in training businessmen and teachers for implementing economics programs now existing and used in Central Florida schools. Awarded a B.A. from Mariet College, Poughkeepsie, NY, and an M.A. from Rollins, she plans to pursue her doctoral studies in the near future. She was born in Beacon, NY and is a tennis buff.

Jacquelyn L. Salvato (Fiscal Assistant/Finance & Accounting) formerly worked for Valley National Bank of Arizona in Phoenix, AZ. She has two sons, Vincent, 5, and Bryan A., 2. She likes to do cross-stitch and enjoys reading. She attended the University of Arizona.

Thomas L. Shaffer (Groundskeeper/Physical Plant) lives with his parents and brother in Oviedo. He was born in Augusta, GA. He formerly worked as a security guard with Securex. He enjoys softball, music and fishing.

Mary E. Sousa (Administrative Asst./Brevard Education) attended school at Bryant College in Providence, RI. She and husband J. Richard have a 19 year old daughter, Sylvia. She reads, writes and speaks Greek and has taught motivation courses. She enjoys reading, cooking and music.

PEOPLE...

Lee H. Armstrong (Associate Dean/College of Arts & Sciences) and Anthony J. DeFazio (Professor/Mathematics) recently had their book Finite Mathematics published by Orange Publishers.

Pete Fisher (Counseling and Testing Center) was installed as President of the Florida Association for Counseling and Development at the Association's Fall Executive Board meeting held in Orlando September 9-10. Dr. Fisher also hosted FACD's Annual Leadership Retreat September 8-9. Counselor leaders from throughout Florida attended.

Linda Hennig (Assistant Prof./Nursing) will be the keynote speaker at the Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation, Inc. workshop entitled, "Stroke: Multifaceted Dimensions of Nursing Care" in West Orange, New Jersey on Saturday, September 16, 1989.

Roy Pickering (Assoc. Professor/Music) returns from his 8th summer season with the Artist faculty at the Brevard Music Center in North Carolina. It is known as the "Summer Music Center of the South" and has an international reputation as an educational and performance mecca for brass students, his duties include coaching and performing as bass trombonist with the BMC Festival Orchestra. On August 9, Pickering world premiered the "1+5 " Sextet for Bass Trombone and Woodwind Quintet by the Hungarian composer Frigyes Hidas. Pickering commissioned this work during the 1989 Summer semester. Plans are now being made to premiere this work in Canada.

Moshe Pelli (Director, Judaic Studies) published a study entitled "Covert and Overt Expressions in Isaac Satanow's 'Mishlei Assaf': Charges of Values in Modern Judaism," in DAPPIM, Research in Literature, Hebrew University, Israel, No. 5-6 (1989), pp. 261-276 [in Hebrew; English abstract included].

Gary Wolf (Professor, Music) was the featured solo piano recitalist at the opening concert of the First Presbyterian Church Series in Gainesville, Florida. The concert was held on Sunday afternoon September 17, 1989.

PEOPLE...

You're planning to retire from UCF, drop us a line and let us know what you're planning to do ... relax, travel, take a part-time job, etc. Send your information to The UCF Report, ADM 395-1.

RETIREE...

The UCF Report would like to begin announcing retirements. If you're planning to retire from UCF, drop us a line and let us know

Retirement Association Makes Plans

The UCF Retirement Association held its first meeting Sept. 19. The purpose of the association is to promote the welfare of UCF retirees as well as support sound educational and research endeavors. The group hopes to promote the exchange of information among retirees and to encourage retirees to maintain identity with the University. The board of directors shown here met Oct. 5. Seated from left, Ernest Erickson, treasurer; Bernard Ostle, president; Harold Green; standing from left, Carrie Johnson, president-elect; and Deborah Evans, personnel liaison.

Wednesday, Oct. 18, 1989
NEW AWARDS UNDER THE NSF invites proposals for small-scale, exploratory, high-risk research in all fields of science, engineering and education normally supported by NSF. Such research is characterized as preliminary work on untested and novel ideas; ventures into emerging research areas; application of new expertise and new approaches to "old" research topics; multidisciplinary work, particularly crossing NSF program boundaries; research having a severe urgency with regard to availability of or access to data, facilities or specialized equipment; or efforts of similar character likely to catalyze rapid and innovative advances. Deadline: OPEN.

NEW AWARDS UNDER THE WOMEN'S EDUCATIONAL EQUITY ACT PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 1990 (US DEPT. OF EDUCATION) - The purpose of this program is to promote educational equity for females. Its priorities are: (a) to develop new educational, training, counseling and other programs, or to expand existing model programs, designed to accomplish the following: (1) Reduce the rate at which women drop out of formal education; (2) Encourage women dropouts to resume their education; (b) to develop new educational programs or expanding existing model educational programs designed to enhance opportunities for educational achievement by economically disadvantaged women; (c) to develop new educational programs or expanding existing model educational programs designed to enhance opportunities for educational achievement by women who suffer multiple discrimination on the basis of sex and race, ethnic origin, age, or disability. Deadline: November 2, 1989.

BBS RESEARCH TRAINING GROUPS (NSF) - The Directorate for Biological, Behavioral and Social Sciences (BBS) of NSF, in recognition of the need to encourage multidisciplinary training and enhance diversity in the next generation of scientists, will offer Research Training Group (RTG) awards. The program will provide grants to investigators with funds to foster multidisciplinary, research-based training and education. Proposal Deadline: November 3, 1989.

GRANTS-IN-ACCOUNT OF RESEARCH (SIGMA XI, The Scientific Research Society) - Research awards are made to support scientific investigation in any field. Awards are restricted in amounts up to a maximum of $1000. Priority is usually given to applicants who are in an early stage of their scientific careers. Deadline: November 1, 1989.


UPCOMING SEMINARS/CONFERENCES:

SPACE RESEARCH INSTITUTE at the Florida Institute of Technology (FIT) is offering a one-day workshop-seminar to develop training tools and assistance aids for use by those who wish to improve their ability to compete for space research dollars. Given that the agenda addresses a broad spectrum of issues on how to obtain external support, there is potential for those in fields other than space to benefit from the presentation. This workshop-seminar will be held at the main campus on November 18, 1989.

HMCR, the HAZARDOUS MATERIALS CONTROL RESEARCH INSTITUTE will conduct its annual SUPERFUND Conference on November 27-29, 1989. The HMCR is a unique public-non-profit organization promoting solutions to the problems of managing hazardous materials and protecting the environment in concert with our expanding industrial base.

For further information please call Grants Development at (407) 275-2671. ☐

United Way Update

The United Way Campaign reports it has received $933 in pledges, 30 percent of its 1989 goal of $3300. Rex Brown and Bob Kersten, co-chairmen of the UCF United Way Campaign, hoped to receive 35 percent of their goal by Oct. 12. "We're lagging a little," Brown said of the reported pledges. ☐

NEXT ISSUE

The next issue of The UCF Report will be on Wednesday, Nov. 1. The deadline for submitting copy for this issue will be Thursday, Oct. 26.

The UCF Report

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FOR SALE

TV, Zenith, 25" color, remote control - brand new - still in box. $285. Call Carol, x2598.

Dining set, oval, maple, seats 8. $600 obo. Call 671-9861 after 5:30 p.m.


Home, ideal location for UCF faculty or administration. Beautiful large country home on acreage, 4b/3-1/2 baths, study, 2 fireplaces, parquet floors, screened pool, 4200 sq. feet. Orange County. Custom built for retired faculty in 1972. Price reduced to $499,000. Call 679-8788.

Mobile Home, 1986 (28'x44') double-wide mobile home located in Christman on 1/2 acre. 3b/2b, 1-1/2, living room w/woodburning fireplace, kitchen, dining area and inside utility room. Call 568-4418 after 6 p.m.

'84 Mazda, 625 coupe, 5 speed. Loaded, alloy wheels, sunroof, power windows, cassette, A/C, etc. gold int. and ext., well maintained. Must see to appreciate. $3950. Call 275-2019.

'85 Mustang, 3 speed, 6 cylinder, 13" wheels, good body, good performance, good candidate for restoration or daily use. Call x2695, evenings 365-9333.

FOR RENT

House, share 4b/2a home, $275 plus 1/2 utilities. Non-smoker, responsible, female. Washer/dryer, 2 miles from UCF. Please call Patt at x2771 or 275-7624.


House, owner to buy - contemporary style home - Chuluota, 3b/3a, 2300 sq. ft., 2-story, cathedral ceilings; spectacular view of sky from bed; fireplace. $275 a week. Call 677-0823.

WANTED

Sitter, Mature, references, every weekday 3:30-6 p.m. Call 699-6777.