FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Chrissel Cocerez, 2014 Riverside Drive, Erie, is the recipient of the Board of Governors Tuition Waiver.

This award is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award.

Chrissel is the daughter of Albert Valentin and Vilma Valentin. She is a graduate of Iroquois High School and an elementary/early childhood education major at Edinboro.

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LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Cindy Nelson, 6344 Meadowvue Lane, Erie, is the recipient of the Board of Governors Tuition Waiver.

This award is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award.

Cindy is the daughter of Thomas Nelson and Gail Nelson. She is a graduate of Fairview High School and an education major at Edinboro.

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LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Ishmael V. Trainor, 127 East 18th, Erie, is the recipient of the Board of Governors Tuition Waiver.

This award is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award.

Ishmael is the son of Franklin Trainor and Marcella Janick. He is a graduate of Mercyhurst Prep and a computer science major at Edinboro.

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LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Frankie Gonzalez, 1808 Bird Drive, Erie, is the recipient of the Board of Governors Tuition Waiver.

This award is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award.

Frankie is the son of Olga Candelarno. He is a graduate of Central High School and a spanish (education) major at Edinboro.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Alton Post,
412 Walnut Street, Erie, is the recipient of the Foreign Language Studies Scholarship.

Alton is the son of Edward Post and Ruth Post. He is a graduate of McDowell Senior

High School.

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Four students at East Forest High School, Marienville, will attend the 63rd annual Pennsylvania Association of Student Councils State Conference at William Allen High School in Allentown.

They include David Yeany II, Michelle Thornton, Jennifer Zimmerman and Ryan Kiehl.

They will join 800 other leaders from across the state. They will participate in motivational presentations, a formal banquet and a New Year's eve ball.

John R. Thomas, a senior at Venango Christian High School, has been named a Commended Student in the year 2000 National Merit Scholarship Program.

A letter of commendation from the school and National Merit Scholarship Corp., which conducts the program, was presented to Thomas by Father John Malthaner, headmaster at Venango Christian.

Awarded scholarships

Lori J. Mason of Clarington is

the recipient of the Alumni Pre-Law Scholarship at Edinboro University where she is a criminal justice major...

This award is presented to a full time upperclass student who has exhibited outstanding academic achievement and has declared her intention of attending law school upon completion of studies at Edinboro University.

Mason is the daughter of Larry Mason and Patty Mason and a graduate of East Forest High School, Marienville.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Amanda B. Totleben, 5750 Crowell Street, Erie, is the recipient of the Nursing Departmental Scholarship.

This scholarship is awarded annually to students majoring in nursing who have earned a minimum of 64 credits. Students must provide a one-page summary highlighting his/her participation in campus and/or community activities. The recipient must have a minimum cumulative QPA of 3.25 and enrolled in 6 or more credits per semester. Financial need is a determining factor only in cases of equally qualified candidates. This award was created in recognition of Mrs. Regina Phillips, mother of Dr. Harriet Phillips. Dr. Phillips was the former chairperson of the nursing department at Edinboro University. Funds for this scholarship have been made available through Edinboro University nursing faculty members, alumni, and friends of the University.

Amanda is the daughter of James Totleben and Nancy J. Totleben. She is a graduate of McDowell High School and a nursing major at Edinboro.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Melanie M. Christopher,
2030 East 52nd Street, Ashtabula, is the recipient of the Foreign Language Studies Scholarship.
Melanie is the daughter of Mel Christopher and Trish Christopher. She is a graduate of
Edgewood Senior High School and a secondary English education major at Edinboro.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Brian Hnatkovich, 245 Main Street, Patton, is the recipient of the George K. Vlahakis Chemistry Scholarship.

This award is presented to an exceptional student majoring in chemistry at Edinboro University. The award was established by Mrs. Thekla Staab Vlahakis in memory of her late husband, George K. Vlahakis and her two sons, Walter and William. While financial need may be considered, academic achievement is the critical factor in choosing the recipient.

Brian is the son of Richard Hnatkovich and Wanda Hnatkovich. He is a graduate of Cambria Heights High School and an industrial biochemistry major at Edinboro.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Tom Murosky, Edinboro, is the recipient of the George K. Vlahakis Chemistry Scholarship.

This award is presented to an exceptional student majoring in chemistry at Edinboro University. The award was established by Mrs. Thekla Staab Vlahakis in memory of her late husband, George K. Vlahakis and her two sons, Walter and William. While financial need may be considered, academic achievement is the critical factor in choosing the recipient.

Tom is the son of Barbara Dietz. He is a graduate of General McLane High School and an industrial biochemistry major at Edinboro.

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December 1, 1999

NEWS ADVISORY:

WORLD AIDS DAY

The World AIDS Day Benefit Dinner scheduled for today at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has been replaced with another event. An observance of World AIDS Day will be held at 7 p.m. tonight in Edinboro's University Center. It will feature AIDS educator Kelly Barclay, Erie AIDS activist Don Paul Lucas, the Wellness Peers, United Voices of Edinboro, and a "human ribbon" by the Greek committee.

In addition, several panels of the AIDS quilt are on display in the University Center.

For more information, contact Mary Anne Weiner at (814) 732-2839 or Dr. Jan Kinch at 732-2981.

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December 2, 1999

PRESIDENTIAL PERSPECTIVES

by Frank G. Pogue

I can only imagine what must have been going through the mind of Principal John R. Flickinger, as presidents were then called, when he conferred degrees upon the 49 graduates of the Edinboro State Normal School's class of 1899, the last graduating class of the 19th century at this institution.

Our University archives show that five years later, most of the class of 1899 became teachers, four had continued their studies, six were homemakers, one became an assistant postmaster, and one other, in the span of five short years, had become an elementary school principal.

These thoughts come to mind as I look forward to conferring degrees upon the 689 graduates of the December 1999 graduating class, the last class to graduate from what is now Edinboro University of Pennsylvania in the 20th century, and the seventh class to graduate since I became president.

As the Edinboro Family knows, we have declared the arrival of the year 2000 and the next millennium as our Century of Civility at Edinboro University. Throughout the celebration of the new millennium and beyond, we have asked the University community to re-dedicate itself to the concept of civility and to incorporate the theme and ideals of civility into our many special events and programs. Through this initiative, we are establishing the goal of creating opportunities for the members of the Edinboro Family and neighboring communities to experience and consider the ideals of civility – fairness, tolerance, collegiality, and civic responsibility – ideals similar to those which I suspect Principal Flickinger proposed to the class of 1899.

It is my hope that you graduate carrying these ideals with you to your families, careers and communities. You will forever be members of the Edinboro Family, and while your lives after graduation may take you to places distant from the campus, I trust that, as alumni of this great institution, you will return as often as possible to join us as we experience the Century of Civility here at your alma mater. Wherever you may be throughout the new millennium, however, I do encourage you to consider your role in promoting civil ideals and actions in every aspect of life.

I hope to see all of you at Commencement on Saturday, December 18, as well as at the Pre-Commencement Brunch. Dr. James Barker, superintendent of schools for the City of Erie, will be the featured speaker and recipient of an honorary Doctor of Public Service degree. You can be proud that Jim Barker will be your classmate.

Congratulations on your graduation. You are part of a proud and distinguished Edinboro tradition. You have my very best wishes and those of Mrs. Pogue for continued success. Please keep in touch.



Edinboro University of Pennsylvania President Frank Pogue meets with Kosovar refugees Labinot Latifi (second from left) and Visar Ferati, and Mercyhurst College President William Garvey and Allegheny College President Richard Cook at a reception celebrating the success of Project HERO. The reception was held November 29 at Edinboro University in Erie – The Porreco Center. Project HERO is a collaborative effort among Allegheny, Edinboro and Mercyhurst to raise money for Kosovar refugees. Latifi and Ferati are now students at Mercyhurst.



Edinboro University of Pennsylvania President Dr. Frank Pogue and Erie Mayor Joyce Savocchio unveil the logo for "Together 2000," the countywide celebration of the arrival of the year 2000 and the next millennium, as Millennium Commission members Marlene Mosco (left behind Savocchio) and Virginia McGarvey (far right) look on. The Millennium Commission — a group of 20 community leaders chaired by Pogue — is coordinating a year of activities planned under the Together 2000 theme, and collecting project proposals for Together 2000 initiatives which will focus on bringing communities together to improve the quality of life across Erie County.

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Edinboro University of Pennsylvania President Dr. Frank Pogue and Erie Mayor Joyce Savocchio unveil the logo for "Together 2000," the county-wide celebration of the arrival of the year 2000 and the next millennium, as Millennium Commission members Marlene Mosco (left behind Savocchio) and Virginia McGarvey (far right) look on. The Millennium Commission – a group of 20 community leaders chaired by Pogue – is coordinating a year of activities planned under the Together 2000 theme, and collecting project proposals for Together 2000 initiatives which will focus on bringing communities together to improve the quality of life across Erie County.



December 21, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO GRAD WORKING TOWARD CURE FOR TB

On the wall of William Jacobs' laboratory at the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) in New York is a list of endangered diseases. It's a reminder to Jacobs and some 20 other researchers in his lab of the diseases they hope to make extinct.

Jacobs, a 1978 graduate of Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, and currently a medical investigator at HHMI, was in Edinboro recently to address students about his work on finding vaccines for diseases that have developed resistance to multiple drugs.

Much of Jacobs' current research involves the mycobacteria that causes tuberculosis. "More people will die from TB in 1999 than any other year in history – more than three million people," said Jacobs. "That's 275 people an hour. It's estimated that one in three people on the planet have been infected with TB."

In the United States there are drug therapies and a vaccine for TB but neither have worked very well. TB has been kept in control largely because of better hygiene. But Jacobs is concerned about an emergence in the New York City area of multi-drug resistant TB – strains resistant to all seven antituberculosis drugs now in use.

One of the problems physicians face is determining which strain of TB is infecting the patients they are treating. In much of the developed world there are machines that can identify the strain in three or four weeks. But in Third World countries they have to rely on methods that take much longer – five weeks to do a bacteria culture, and another five weeks to do a drug susceptibility test.

Jacobs wanted to find a way to speed up that process. Taking a virus that affects TB, he cloned to it the gene from fireflies that makes fireflies glow. Then he added the virus to the TB to make it glow. But he still needed a way to record the results of drug tests on the glowing virus.

He struck upon the idea of taking a polaroid cassette and having a light-tight box built to hold the cassette, along with several of the TB samples. "We call it the Bronx Box," said Jacobs.

The idea is to have several tubes containing the TB samples and apply a different drug to each sample, and then add the glowing virus. If the drug kills the cell, the light doesn't come on. If the sample is drug resistant, the virus doesn't die and the glowing light shows up on the polaroid film.

"We can have light signals in hours," said Jacobs. "We are setting up to do trials in Mexico, South Africa and China to see how well this system works in the field."

Indeed, it is Jacobs' concern for the peoples of the Third World that is driving much of his research. Three-fourths of the world's population live in developing nations. Yet, in places like Africa, no more than a dollar per person is available for public health. Jacobs knows that even if drug companies had an effective vaccine for Third World diseases, they would be unlikely to produce it because the people who need it couldn't afford it.

But Jacobs has a solution. Since 1948 newborns in the Third World have received a vaccine for TB called BCG. The vaccine is so safe, it is the only one given at birth. Thanks to research like that of Jacobs', scientists now have the means to put genes from other organisms into BCG.

I'm very committed to solving Third World problems," enthused Jacobs. "Not only solving the problems, but finding the solutions that are affordable in the Third World. I really want to make a vaccine for malaria. It is the number two killer in the world next to TB. So right now, we have expressing on the surface of BCG a protective antigen for malaria. Out of studying these mycobacteria, we can make vaccines against basically any disease. We can make a vaccine against 20 different diseases that's going to be affordable for children in the Third World."

After graduating from Edinboro with a mathematics degree, Jacobs did post-graduate work at Edinboro in microbiology before getting a doctorate at the University of Alabama at Birmingham. From there he went to Washington University in St. Louis and then the Albert Einstein College of Medicine where he is professor of microbiology and immunology and of molecular genetics.



December 7, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA WINTER COMMENCEMENT

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania President Frank G. Pogue will confer degrees on 689 students at the Commencement ceremony on Saturday, December 18. With a May graduating class of 655 students, Edinboro granted approximately 1,344 associate, bachelor's and master's degrees during the 1999 calendar year.

Twenty-four undergraduate students will be graduating with *summa cum laude* honors (3.80 to 4.00 grade point average), 33 with *magna cum laude* honors (3.60 to 3.79), and 56 *cum laude* (3.40 to 3.59).

Carrying the ceremonial mace and leading the academic procession as the Grand Marshal at the ceremony will be Ruthanne Atkinson, professor of elementary education. A member of the Edinboro faculty since 1969, Atkinson earned her bachelor of arts in elementary education at Grove City College in 1966. She received her master's from Kent State University in 1969, and completed additional coursework at Allegheny College, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, and Indiana University of Pennsylvania. In addition, she earned certification as an elementary principal in 1985 and elementary supervisor in 1987.

Receiving an honorary doctorate during the ceremony will be Dr. James E. Barker who has served as superintendent of schools for the School District of the City of Erie since 1993. Barker received his bachelor's degree in biology and psychology and his master's in special education/school psychology from Kent State University, before earning an advanced degree in school psychology and several post-master's certification programs at Edinboro University.

The winter Commencement ceremony will take place in the University's McComb Fieldhouse at 1:00 p.m.



December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Amanda Wilkinson has completed a 12-week internship at Metro Health, Center for Behavioral Medicine under the supervision of Bob Davis, program director.

Undergraduate internships in psychology are typically undertaken by students during the summer following their junior year. Internships provide students with an opportunity to obtain professional work experience in a variety of settings in the field of psychology.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Shannon McKenzie has completed a 12-week internship at Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic in the adolescent day program under the supervision of Leslie House, mental healther worker IV.

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Shannon is the daughter of Sally and Chuck McKenzie of Beechview.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Phil Spradley has completed a 12-week internship at Whale's Tale in the prevention department under the supervision of Barnett Harris, prevention/family crisis intervention supervisor.

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Phil is the son of Paul and Debra Spradley of Pittsburgh.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Kristy Ammon has completed a 12-week internship at Allegheny Co. Children, Youth, & Family Services under the supervision of Ms. Judy Tulley, foster care supervisor.

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Kristy is the daughter of Charles Ammon of Pittsburgh and Debbie Ceyrolles of Pittsburgh.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Tracy Joslin has completed a 12-week internship at C.H.A.P.S., drop-in center and supported living program under the supervision of Lynn McUmber, director.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Stephanie Lazarcik has completed a 12-week internship at Allegheny Valley Hospital in the geriatric psychology/adult psychiatry unit under the supervision of Robert Namey, clinical director of psychiatric services.

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Stephanie is the daughter of Henryka and Emmanuel Lazarcik of Sarver.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Sharon Nace has completed a 12-week internship at Stairways in the vocational unit under the supervision of Marilyn Goss, skills trainer.

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Sharon is the daughter of Joel and Elizabeth Nace of Girard.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Cory Heckathorne has completed a 12-week internship at Bethesda Children's Home under the supervision of Becky Muckinhaupt, program director.

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Cory is the son of John Heckathorne and Barbara Heckathorne of Franklin.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Kristin Zeiser has completed a 12-week internship at Community Integration, Inc., crisis services under the supervision of Yvonne Eaton, clinical supervisor.

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Kristin is the daughter of Judith Penman and David Penman of Fairview.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Tricia Leslie has completed a 12-week internship at Community Integration, Inc. in crisis services under the supervision of Yvonne Eaton, L.S.W., clinical supervisor.

Undergraduate internships in psychology are typically undertaken by students during the summer following their junior year. Internships provide students with an opportunity to obtain professional work experience in a variety of settings in the field of psychology.

Tricia is the daughter of Don Leslie and Pattie Leslie of Erie.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Lewis Nordin has completed a 12-week internship at Albion State Correctional Institution in the sex offender unit/domestic violence program under the supervision of Steve Reilly, chief psychologist.

Undergraduate internships in psychology are typically undertaken by students during the summer following their junior year. Internships provide students with an opportunity to obtain professional work experience in a variety of settings in the field of psychology.

Lewis is the son of Lewis Nordin, Sr. and Nancy Nordin of Erie.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Melissa Peck has completed a 12-week internship at Sarah Reed in the residential program under the supervision of Rod Miller, supervisor of residential services.

Undergraduate internships in psychology are typically undertaken by students during the summer following their junior year. Internships provide students with an opportunity to obtain professional work experience in a variety of settings in the field of psychology.

Melissa is the daughter of Thomas Peck and Janiece Peck of Erie.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Sharon Brown has completed a 12-week internship at Hospice of Metropolitan Erie under the direction of Karen Moski.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that James Irish has completed a 12-week internship at Stairways under the direction of Jill Corey, director, social coach program.

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James is the son of Howard Irish of Concord and Margaret McGrody of Conneaut.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Jeanna Johns has completed a 12-week internship at Rural Mental Health Associates, Inc. under the direction of Ronald Palmer, M.A., licensed psychologist.

Undergraduate internships in psychology are typically undertaken by students following their junior year. Internships provide students with an opportunity to obtain professional work experience in a variety of settings in the field of psychology.

Jeanna is the daughter of Linda and Neil Johns of Oil City.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Mela L. Calomino has completed a 12-week internship at George Junior Republic under the direction of Darla Stoughton, trainer/evaluator/consultant.

Undergraduate internships in psychology are typically undertaken by students following their junior year. Internships provide students with an opportunity to obtain professional work experience in a variety of settings in the field of psychology.

Darla is the daughter of Ronda Calomino of Cochranton and Peter Calomino of Arnold.

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December 15, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Kristen Gariepy has completed a 12-week internship at Health South in the Neurobehavior Unit under the supervision of Sue Glenn, MA CRC, psychology coordinator/director neurobehavior rehabilitation.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

EDINBORO STUDENT COMPLETES INTERNSHIP

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that Renee Zeglin has completed a 12-week internship at Family Services Association of Wyoming Valley, help line under the supervision of Michael Zimmerman, director of Community Services.

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Renee is the daughter of Richard and Barbara Zeglin of Dallas.

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Department of Psychology Edinboro, PA 16444 (814) 732-2774

MEMORANDUM

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TO:

Ms. Patti Loomis, Director

Public Relations

FROM:

Jack Culbertson, Chairperson

Psychology Department

DATE:

November 1, 1999

RE:

Press Release - Summer 1999 B.A. Psychology Interns

Please process releases regarding the Summer 1999 B.A. Psychology Interns (see attached sheet for intern information). The following paragraphs are suggested for use in the press release:

The Department of Psychology at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania recently announced that [name of intern] has completed a 12 week internship at [site name] in the [special unit, if applicable] under the direction of [site supervisor(s) name(s) & position title(s)].

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If applicable, please add the following sentence as a new paragraph:

[Name of intern] is the daughter/son of [name of parent(s)] of [parent(s) hometown].

If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact me at Ext. 2774.

Thank you!



William A. Reed, Jr.
Assistant Vice President for Media and Community Relations
Edinboro, PA 16444
(814) 732-2745 or 2929
Fax (814) 732-2621

December 14, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

SPECIAL FOR "LIFESTYLE" JANUARY 2000 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 11 Grand opening: President Frank Pogue cuts the ceremonial ribbon to open Edinboro University's new \$3.3 million Arts and Sciences Center, 10 a.m. Tours and reception follow. Call 732-2711.
- 17 Civil action: The Edinboro University Family kicks off its Century of Civility initiative on campus and in the community by "doing something nice for someone" on the Martin Luther King, Jr. National Holiday.
- 19 Rooted in talent: Edinboro University sponsors two local performances by Emmy and Tony Award-winning entertainer Ben Vereen, 11:45 a.m. at the Erie Shrine Club, and at 8 p.m. on the Edinboro campus as part of the University's Concert and Lecture Series. Call Development and Marketing at 732-2558 for reservations for the luncheon, which benefits the Frank G. Pogue Honors Scholarship, and Cultural Affairs at 732-2518 about the campus performance at Memorial Auditorium.
- 27 Let it snow: Edinboro University's fourth annual SnowFest celebrates Edinboro's most famous commodity with three days of academic presentations, contests and outdoor activities capped by Saturday's Snow King and Queen Pageant. Call SnowFest coordinator Dr. Kerry Moyer, 732-2454.

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EDINBORO UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA 1999 WINTER COMMENCEMENT

- ✓ Saturday, December 18, 1:00 p.m., McComb Fieldhouse
- ✓ 689 students received master's, bachelor's and associate degrees. With a May graduating class of 655, the University granted approximately 1,344 associate, bachelor's and master's degrees during the 1999 calendar year.
- ✓ An honorary doctorate was presented to Dr. James E. Barker, superintendent of schools for the School District of the City of Erie since 1993.
- ✓ Serving as University Marshal and leading the academic procession was Ruthanne Atkinson, professor of elementary education and a member of the Edinboro faculty since 1969.
- ✓ Twenty-four undergraduate students graduated with *summa cum laude* honors (3.80 to 4.00 grade point average) 33 with *magna cum laude* honors (3.60 to 3.79), and 56 *cum laude* (3.40 to 3.59).



COMMENCEMENT

December 18, 1999

EDINBORO UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA



December 28, 1999

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

BEN VEREEN TO APPEAR IN ERIE AND EDINBORO

Emmy and Tony Award-winning entertainer Ben Vereen will appear in Erie and Edinboro on Wednesday, January 19, for two events sponsored by Edinboro University of Pennsylvania. Vereen will be the featured speaker at the President Frank G. Pogue Honors Scholarship Luncheon which will be held in the Zem Zem Shrine Club beginning at 11:30 a.m. The luncheon is expected to draw as many as 1,000 business and community leaders. Vereen will also appear as a lecturer and performer at 8 p.m. in Edinboro's Memorial Auditorium.

One of America's most respected and admired entertainers, Vereen has earned critical and audience acclaim through numerous roles in film, stage and television. In addition to his landmark portrayal of Chicken George in the groundbreaking television mini-series "Roots," his own ABC special "Ben Vereen: His Roots" won seven Emmy awards. He has co-starred in series ranging from "Webster" and "Tenspeed and Brownshoe," to "Silk Stalkings" to "The Fresh Prince of Bel Air." In film, his roles include the quintessential entertainer in "All That Jazz."

His stage credits include his role as the Chimney Man in "Jelly's Last Jam," and the lead role in the musicals "Grind" and the long-running "Pippin," for which he won a Tony for best actor in a musical.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

BEN VEREEN TO APPEAR IN ERIE AND EDINBORO

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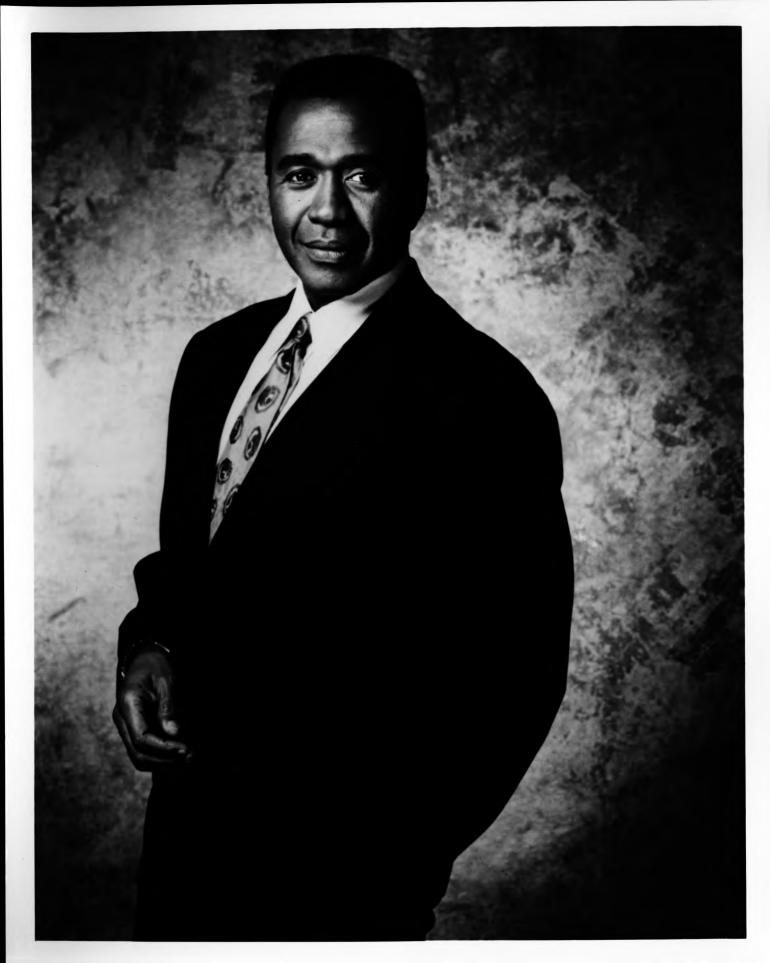
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August 31, 2000

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

EDINBORO UNIVERSITY ANNOUNCES BRUCE GALLERY OF ART 2000-2001 SCHEDULE

During the month of September, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's Bruce Gallery of Art will be filled with jewelry created by 14 metalsmiths from around the country, and exquisitely detailed ceramic sculptures by artist Leah Hardy. On Wednesday, September 6, the Gallery will host two lectures and a reception to open three art exhibitions: "Marked by Media," "Concordance, A/K/A:92," and "Leah Hardy, Enshrined Metaphors." Artist Marjorie Simon, a member of the editorial advisory staff of *Metalsmith* magazine, will present a slide lecture at 6 p.m., in 119 Doucette Hall on the women's artist group "A/K/A:92." An opening reception in Bruce Gallery will follow from 7 - 9 p.m. Simon will also present "The Art of Writing about Craft," from 3 - 5 p.m., in the Loveland Hall jewelry studio.

Ten prominent artists in the field of metalsmithing create the exhibition of contemporary jewelry in "Marked by Media." The artists, chosen by Edinboro University professors Sue Amendolara and Cappy Counard Wolf, represent a broad range of conceptual concerns and have in common a strong sense for the aesthetic possibilities of the media they use and a dedication to craftsmanship.

Four women artists from the metropolitan New York area formed the group "A/K/A:92" in 1989 with the belief that they might have more impact as a group than as individuals. They have met bimonthly since to plan collective exhibitions and projects as well as offer support, interest and encouragement to one another. "Concordance, A/K/A:92" is an exhibition of jewelry by the four women artists.

"Leah Hardy, Enshrined Metaphors" is an exhibition of ceramic sculptures by artist Leah Hardy. Hardy creates intimate-scaled architectural shrines that form a sacred space for objects and vignettes that symbolize the concepts of growth, change, choice or chance.

"Marked by Media," "Concordance, A/K/A:92," and "Leah Hardy, Enshrined Metaphors" will remain on view through September 28.

"Edinboro University of Pennsylvania Annual Faculty Exhibition" will be on display from October 4 through 26, and will present artwork in all media by 42 studio art faculty members. An opening reception is scheduled for Wednesday, October 4, from 7 - 9 p.m. in the Gallery.

"Residue," an exhibition of contemporary paintings and scultpures, will be exhibited November 1 through 30, with the opening reception held on Wednesday, November 1. Paintings by Deborah Randall and Hee Joung Kwon, and sculptures by Keith Krueger will be included in "Residue." Opening reception will be held 7 – 9 p.m., on Wednesday, November 1 and the Gallery will be closed November 22 through 26 for Thanksgiving break.

The opening reception for "Painted Diaries" will be held 7 – 9 p.m., on Wednesday, December 6. "Painted Diaries," on display until January 25, will feature paintings by Waldek Dynerman, Diane Fitch and Joan Linder. The Gallery will be closed for semester break December 16 – January 16.

An exhibition of contemporary prints and sculptures will be on view during "Shape and Content," January 31 – February 22, with the opening reception from 7 – 9 p.m., on Wednesday, January 31. "Shape and Content" will include prints by Minna Resnick and Endi Poskovic, and sculptures by Arnold Nadler.

Contemporary photography by Mark Abrahamson and Catriona Fraser will be appearing in "Active Stills," from February 28 – April 5, and will include installation by Keith Holmes. An opening reception is scheduled on Wednesday, February 28, from 7 – 9 p.m. The Gallery will be closed for spring break March 7 - 18.

The Bruce Gallery of Art 2000-2001 season will conclude with "Edinboro University of Pennsylvania Annual Student Art Exhibition," April 11 – May 5. Artwork in all media will be displayed, and an opening reception is scheduled 7 – 9 p.m., on Wednesday, April 11.

The public is welcome to attend all events. Gallery hours are from 3 to 6 p.m., Monday through Saturday and from 7 to 9 p.m. on Wednesday evenings. For more information, or to schedule viewing hours for high school art classes, call (814) 732-2513 or 2406.

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