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CHRISTOPHER KIERNAN NAMED ACADEMIC DEAN



President Sister Lucille McKillop has named Christopher M. Kiernan as Academic Dean.

Mr. Kiernan, currently the Vice President/Students, has been serving as the Acting Academic Dean at Salve Regina since the beginning of the 1985-86 academic year. He will retain the title of Vice President while adding that of Academic Dean.

Mr. Kiernan joined Salve Regina College as Assistant to the President and Dean of Admissions in 1980. His responsibilities included the development of a comprehensive admissions plan which focused on all aspects and strategies of recruitment, student selection and the distribution of financial aid. He worked in that capacity until 1982. With the College's enrollment objectives achieved, he was then named Vice President/Students. Since that time he has worked with Dr. Sheila Megley, R.S.M., Salve Provost and Academic Vice President, to ensure the integration of all academic and student services. Sister Sheila Megley will retain the position of Provost, responsible for all institutional planning.

In accepting his new position, Vice President Kiernan stated, "I am quite pleased to have the opportunity to continue the work already undertaken by the past and present faculty and administrators of Salve Regina to develop a comprehensive curriculum befitting one of the best colleges in the nation."

A graduate of Assumption College in Worcester, Massachusetts, Mr. Kiernan also received his Master of Arts there in 1970. He is a doctoral degree candidate at Boston College. Mr. Kiernan resides in Newport with his wife, Margaret, and daughters, Kathleen, Coleen, Marlene and Christine.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

McKILLOP
gallery

SLOAN EXHIBIT OPENING AT MCKILLOP GALLERY

The Art Department at Salve Regina will present The Search Goes On, an exhibition of new paintings by Ronald J. Sloan, from Thursday, January 23 through Tuesday, February 18.

An opening reception will be held on Thursday, January 23, from 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. at the McKillop Gallery in Mercy Hall. The gallery is open to the public Monday through Thursday, 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. and from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. on Sundays.

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IRISH FOLK TRIO TO PERFORM

Maine's most popular Irish folk trio, Northeast Winds, will perform at Ochre Court on Saturday, February 8 beginning at 8:00 p.m. The trio is known throughout New England for its traditional Irish favorites, haunting ballads, popular sing-alongs, sea chanties and rousing instrumentals. Many of these are featured on their two albums, "Songs from Ireland and the Sea," and their live digital-recorded album, "Northeast Winds in Concert."

Tickets are \$4.00 or \$2.50 with a Salve I.D. They will be sold only at the door. For further information contact the College Activities Office at extension 435. The concert is open to the public.

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SALVE'S O'HARE LECTURE SERIES FOCUSES ON
"SOVIET IDEOLOGY TODAY"



Salve Regina's O'Hare Lecture Series will present Dr. Paul Holman speaking on "Soviet Ideology Today" on Wednesday, January 29, at 7:30 p.m. in the O'Hare Auditorium. The lecture is free and open to the public.

Dr. Holman, an authority on the Soviet Union, will present a dramatic explanation of how the Russians view themselves and the rest of the world. Dr. Holman is a professional historian who has devoted his entire career to Soviet studies.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS (continued)

To add greater realism and impact to the lecture, he will wear the uniform of a Soviet officer and will address the audience as if he were a dedicated Communist. Dr. Holman will then change his role and analyze the Soviet Union from the perspective of an American historian.

Dr. Holman is currently Professor of Defense Economics and Decision Making at the Naval War College and an Adjunct Professor in the Economics Department at Salve Regina. He holds a Ph.D. in Russian History from Georgetown University and graduated in 1984 from the College of Naval Warfare with Highest Distinction. He lectures extensively here and abroad.

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OPEN AUDITIONS

The Theatre Department will be holding auditions for its spring production of The Time of Your Life on Tuesday, January 28 and Wednesday, January 29 at 6:30 p.m. in the Megley Theatre, Mercy Hall. The auditions are open to any interested students. Copies of the play are available on reserve in the Theatre Department. For more information call extension 217.

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WEEKLY PRAYER GROUPS

Campus Ministry will resume the weekly prayer group sessions on Wednesday, January 29 at 12 noon. Interested faculty and students are invited to join in prayer in the Upper Room at the Gatehouse.

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FACULTY NEWS

Mr. Douglas Brooks, Economics Instructor, recently attended the centennial convention of the American Economics Association in New York City. The annual meeting included presentations by prominent economists from government, business and academia, including several Nobel Prize winners.

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Brother John Buckley, Professor of History, recently attended the convention of the American Historical Association in New York City.

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FACULTY NEWS (continued)

During the winter break Father Eugene Hillman of the graduate faculty of Salve Regina went to Germany as a guest of West German Radio in Cologne. He was there as a consultant for a program dealing in depth with the origin, meaning and significance of Liberation Theology. As part of the program he was interviewed with particular reference to the emergence of Liberation Theology in Africa.

A new two-volume work by Deane William Ferm, Third World Liberation Theologies (Orbis Books), contains selections from Father Hillman's writings, and lists him as one of the eight liberation theologians of Africa; he is the only white among them. Nine liberation theologians are listed for Asia, and ten for Latin America.

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Dr. Caroline Salvatore, Associate Professor of Psychology, will present her paper, "National Stereotypes and Their Relation to Self-Perceptions in Irish, Italian, and American College Students," to the 57th annual meeting of the Eastern Psychological Association to be held in April, 1986 in New York City.

Dr. Salvatore is also a sponsor of a paper to be presented by Mrs. Virginia Clappi before the Eastern Psychological Association's annual convention to be held in New York City April 17-20. Virginia Clappi graduated from Salve Regina last spring with a Master of Arts degree in Human Development. Her paper, "Children's Attitudes Toward Old People and Aging" describes research planned and carried out by Ms. Clappi as part of a course requirement when she was a student in Dr. Salvatore's graduate course on the Psychology of Aging.

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Dr. Heath Twichell, Director of the Trimester Graduate Program, is the author of a chapter in The Alaska Highway: Papers of the 40th Anniversary Symposium, recently published by the University of British Columbia Press. The book is the outgrowth of an interdisciplinary symposium held at Northern Lights College of Fort St. John, British Columbia, "to reflect on the issues, personalities and effects of the construction of the Alaska Highway" during World War II. Dr. Twichell's contribution to the symposium, and to the book, was entitled "Cut, Fill and Straighten: The Role of the Public Roads Administration in the Building of the Alaska Highway". Dr. Twichell is working on a full length book concerning the Highway's role in the Second World War.

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Deadline for the next NEWSBULLETIN is Friday, January 31.
Publication date is Thursday, February 6.



MAIR-DAVIS MUSIC FOR GUITAR AND MANDOLIN
TO BE HEARD AT NOON CONCERT

Marilynn Mair and Mark Davis bring their unique chamber music sound to Salve Regina's Noon Concert Series on Wednesday, February 5. Since 1975 the Mair-Davis Duo has performed chamber music recitals for guitar and mandolin throughout the U.S. and Europe. Their first record album, "Music for Guitar and Mandolin," has won them international praise for their skillful and sensitive performance. It was chosen as one of the "Dozen Best Recordings of 1981" by Guitar and Lute magazine. A second record of Latin American music, "Picaflor," has been released on the Titanic label and is already gathering acclaim.

The Duo recently returned from a seven-month European tour where they delighted audiences at music festivals in England, Italy, France, and Spain. The Duo performs a wide variety of chamber music including Baroque, Classical, Contemporary and Latin-American repertoire.

Their program at the Noon Concert Series will be held at Cecilia Hall in Carey Mansion. The free concerts, which are presented on the first Wednesday of each month, are open to the public. Patrons are invited to bring a lunch for the one-hour performance. For further information contact the Music Department at extension 445.

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STUDENT ACADEMIC SENATE TO SPONSOR PANEL DISCUSSION ON AIDS

The Student Academic Senate will present a panel discussion and question period on the AIDS virus, Wednesday, February 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the O'Hare Auditorium. The panel will explore the controversial issue, "Should AIDS Victims be Denied Their Civil Rights?"

Serving as panelists will be Dr. Alvan Fisher, Infection Control Specialist and member of the AIDS Advisory Council; Mr. Chuck Noice, Legal Representative; and Mr. John McArthey, Superintendent of Schools in Swansea, Mass. Mr. Vincent Petrarca, Instructor of Administration of Justice at Salve, will serve as moderator.

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Tickets for the panel discussion will be \$2.00 or \$1.00 with a Salve I.D. They will go on sale Wednesday, January 29 at the O'Hare Lobby Desk from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Additionally, tickets will be available at Miley Hall during meal times. They may also be purchased from the Student Academic Senators or at the door the night of the event.

For further information contact the Academic Resource Center at extension 367.

