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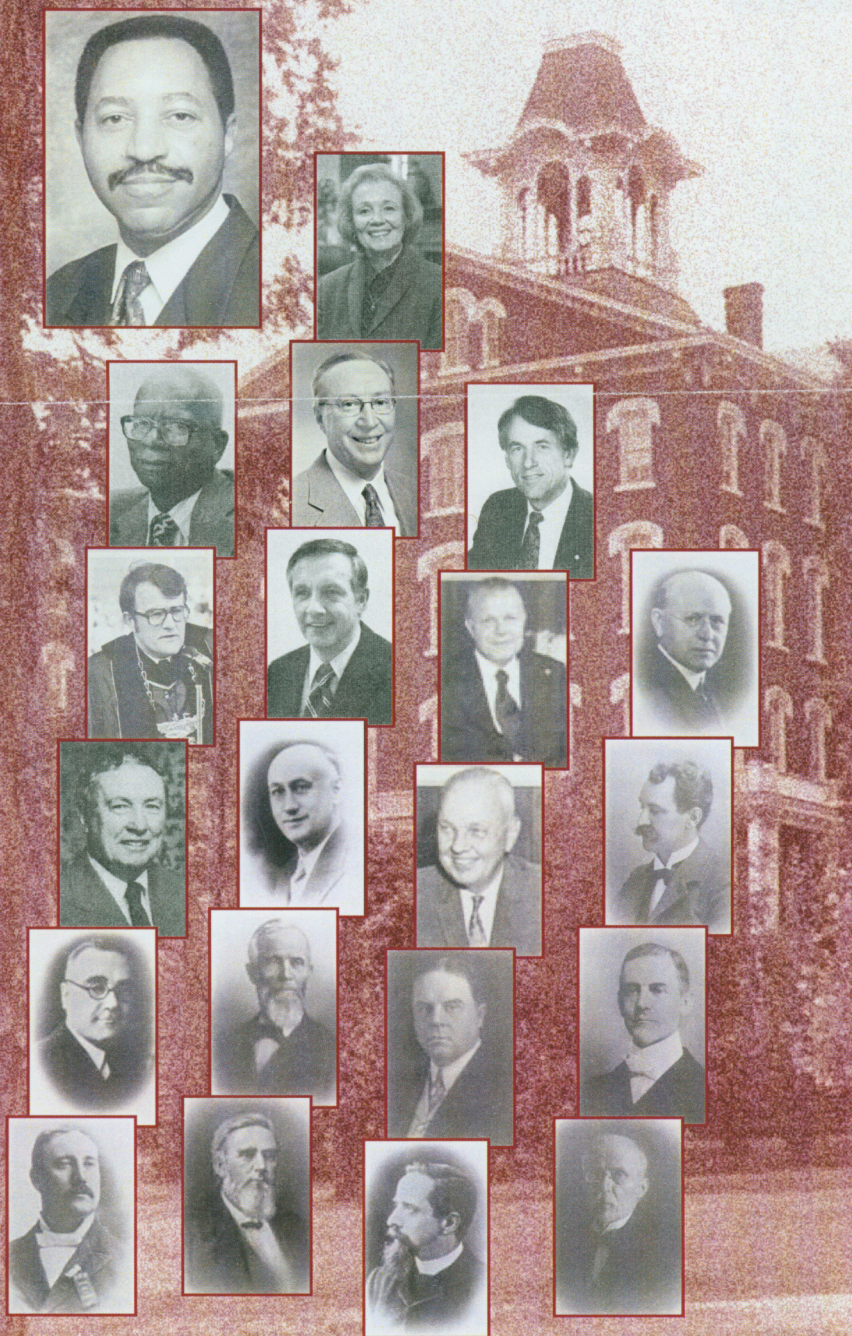
The Decision Makers of Sutton Hall

For more than 130 years principals and presidents have provided educational leadership from Sutton Hall. This fall Indiana University of Pennsylvania will hold inauguration activities for its new president, Dr. Tony Atwater. What better time to reflect on the principals and presidents who have led Indiana's Normal School, Teacher's College, College, and finally University?

On Monday, October 3, 2005, at 6:00 pm in the charming Victorian setting of Breezedale's Library, the Friends of the Libraries will host an evening with Dale Landon and Ron Juliette, authors of Indiana University of Pennsylvania: Our Homage and Our Love, the illustrated history of IUP from its early years as a State Normal School through its development to a University as they discuss "The Decision Makers of Sutton Hall."

Dr. Dale Landon is a retired History Professor. Dr. Ron Juliette, is a photographer and retired Communications Media professor. Dr. Elizabeth Ricketts, History Professor and specialist in 20th century American History, will conduct the interview with the authors. Copies of Landon and Juliette's book will be available for purchase that evening and the authors will be available to sign copies after their presentation.

The program is free and open to the public and refreshments will be served. Come join us for an entertaining and informative evening to launch inaugural events.



Fall Coming Attractions

Rena Fowler

Dean of Libraries

This Fall, the University will celebrate our new President, Dr. Tony Atwater, through his inauguration in October. This promises to be a week of wonderful events. The Library's own Friends program will be part of it, highlighting the material in our Archives by featuring a program upon the University's Presidents.



Even as IUP marks this major change in leadership, across campus, the new academic year will bring all manner of lesser shifts in direction. In the Library, we continue to evolve as new technology-based services for students and faculty emerge from those that have long served us. The DVD's and CD's that could once have been found on the second floor of Stabley Library in Media Resources are now available for check-out from Media Circulation, an extension of Stapleton's Circulation Desk. The listening carrels for students are located close by on the main Library floor. Support services for "multimedia pods" are now offered from the old service desk in Media Resources. The pods provide sophisticated software and computing equipment for students whose assignments may consist of projects in electronic form, not only with text but also images and sound. Nearby the pods are small editing and production rooms for more elaborate productions. Media resources have taken on a new form different from the past. Yet, the older media resources remain with us and will continue to be supported.

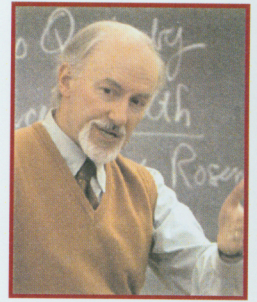
The pods will be managed by the Instructional Design Center/Media Services, a unit whose very name indicates that it is a merged unit, bringing together traditional media equipment with computer-based technology. The IDC will be shortly moving into the space in Stabley once occupied by Media Resources.

There will be further changes as we absorb this re-organization and find further opportunities for improvements.

Stop by for a visit, maybe when you come to campus for some of the Inaugural events, and let us know what you think.

Enriching Friendships

The IUP Libraries continue to be enriched by the generosity of its friends. This past summer, Dr. Charles Cashdollar, recently retired from the IUP History Department, honored the library with the gift of nearly one hundred useful volumes expanding the collection in the area of American religious, social, and cultural history. Dr. Cashdollar taught at IUP from 1969 to 2005 and was honored as University Professor in 1994.



The Library is delighted that Dr. Rosaly Roffman, professor and poet, agreed to donate her personal papers to Special Collections. Dr. Roffman taught in the English Department for over 35 years, founded the IUP Myth/Folklore Studies Center, and is recognized internationally for her poetry. The addition of her

papers, which document her career as a pioneering female faculty member and her wide ranging professional and artistic activities, will provide rich material for research in the cultural life of IUP.

Dr. Irwin Marcus specialized in Labor History and taught in the History Department from 1965 to 2002. Special Collections is pleased to acquire Dr. Marcus' papers which include his research and teaching material and document the intellectual life of IUP. Over the years he worked with progressive student groups, arranged for dozens of nationally known speakers to come to campus, and mentored thousands of students.



Dr. John W. Conrad (BSED, '58) has donated books and journals on ceramics and fine arts to the library and established the John W. Conrad Ceramic Research Educational Media Program endowment to support the collection. Dr. Conrad is a professor of art at Mesa College in San Diego, California. He is the author of several books on ceramics and has served as co-chair for the National Council for Education. Dr. Conrad's recent work has included travel to China to research and teach the glaze for ceramics that were lost during that country's "cultural revolution." Dr. Conrad was honored in 1993 as an IUP Distinguished Alumni for his accomplishments as an artist, educator and entrepreneur in ceramic art.

IUP staff members have donated funds to the library to honor the memory of Frank Hockenberry, an IUP custodian, who died in 2001. The funds permitted Carl Rahkonen, Music Librarian, to purchase country music CDs, which had been a particular passion of Mr. Hockenberry.

The entire university community is enriched by the generosity of friends such as these. To learn more about honoring a special occasion, memorializing a friend or loved one, or establishing a bequest contact Debbie Carmella at 724-357-1378 or Carmella@iup.edu.

Every So Often



Mrs. Elinor Blair and Dr. Ron Juliette shared their memories with university, community and special guests at the Friends of the Library function on June 4, 2005. The

reflections on the history of the university at its fledgling stage as was experienced by Mrs. Blair, who was born and raised on the campus, is a rare opportunity. Dr. Ron Juliette, with his broad knowledge of the university, wove the memories into a personal exchange that the audience was able to share. We express a sincere thank you to Dr. Ron Juliette and Mrs. Elinor Blair and to all those who so graciously supported this event.

Invitation

You are invited to
the Friends of the
IUP Libraries fall event
on Monday, October 3, 2005,
6:00 to 7:00 pm in Breezedale.
Dr. Dale Landon and
Dr. Ron Juliette, authors of
Indiana University of
Pennsylvania: Our Homage
and Our Love, will discuss
Principals and Presidents of
the University. Their talk,
"The Decision Makers of Sutton
Hall," is part of inaugural
week activities

Open to the Public.
Refreshments will be served.

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The University

With its original 1875 building still standing at the heart of its campus, Indiana University of Pennsylvania has a long tradition of academic excellence. The university is recognized as a "Public Ivy" in company with other public colleges and universities that offer academic environments comparable to those at Ivy League schools but at affordable prices. IUP provides an intellectually challenging experience to more than thirteen thousand students at the university's three campuses, all easily accessible from Pittsburgh and the Middle Atlantic region. IUP is the largest member of the State System of Higher Education.

Academic offerings include more than a hundred undergraduate majors with a variety of internship and study abroad programs, more than forty master's degree programs, and eight doctoral degrees. Unusual opportunities for research at all levels and Robert E. Cook Honors College provide special challenges for academic growth. The variety and quality of instruction are characteristic of a big university, yet at IUP, close, one-to-one relationships develop within the teaching framework, and lifelong friendships are formed.

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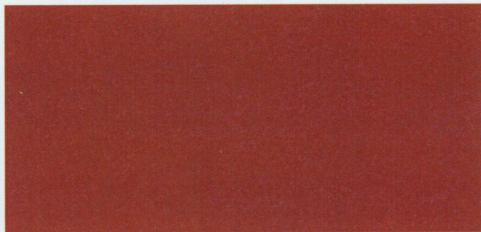
has been established by the Institutional Advancement Division of the University and the Stapleton Library in order to improve Library resources for students and faculty.

Goals of the Friends:

- To provide a medium for encouraging gifts and bequests of funds, as well as for books and manuscripts that support the curriculum of the University beyond the capacity of the Library's budget.
- To encourage an interest in learning through books and reading.
- To increase the usefulness of the Library's resources by making them known to users on a first-hand basis.
- To promote an understanding of the Library's mission and the role that it fills in the life of IUP.

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