

# knightletter

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## \$10,640 NSF Grant Enables PLU To Offer Mathematics Institute

The National Science Foundation (NSF) has awarded a \$10,640 grant to Pacific Lutheran University to establish an "In-Service Institute in Mathematics for Secondary School Teachers" announced President Robert Mortvedt.

Dr. Lawrence Eggan, chairman of PLU's mathematics department, and Gary Peterson, an instructor in mathematics, will teach the courses beginning next fall. Dr. Eggan is director of the institute.



Peterson



Eggan

The program, explained Dr. Eggan, is designed for teachers who have had little or no contact with modern geometry or analytic geometry, but who are expected to teach the concepts in their classrooms.

## PLU Awarded Grant

The Seattle Foundation announced last week that it has awarded a \$5,000 grant to Pacific Lutheran University to aid it in the construction of its Clifford O. Olson Physical Education - Auditorium Building.

The structure, currently under construction, will be completed in January. A public-support drive has raised part of the money for the building, while additional funds have come from federal sources.

The institute will begin on Sept. 16 and end on May 30. The Monday-evening course will meet a total of 32 times, and six semester hours of graduate credit will be awarded.

Dr. Eggan said the program carries over two semesters, and two separate but related courses are involved. The first session will concentrate on modern geometry, and the second will be concerned with conceptions of analytical geometry.

"The philosophy of the courses will be to offer the participant a solid basis on which to build his teaching and to relate modern concepts to his classroom presentation," explained Dr. Eggan.

## Bancroft Gets \$18,000 Graduate Fellowship

D. Stuart Bancroft, an instructor in business administration, has been awarded an \$18,000 Huebner Foundation Fellowship to study for a doctorate at the University of Pennsylvania.



Bancroft

The three-year S.S. Huebner Foundation fellowship for insurance education will enable Bancroft to start work Sept. 1 for his Ph.D. in applied economics at the Wharton Graduate Division of the University. As the oldest school of business administration in the world, it has an established reputation for educational excellence.

Prior to coming to PLU last fall Bancroft taught at Adrian (Mich.) College.

ROUNDTABLE

Gundar King (business administration) spoke Wednesday at Bellevue before the Puget Sound chapter of the American Production and Inventory Control Society on the subject "Inventory Control Misconceptions" . . . Paul Reigstad and Ray Klopsch (English) recently attended a session of the Pacific Northwest College English Association at Western Washington State . . . Paul Hartman (speech) has been accepted as a participant at the annual Broadcasting and Film Institute at Stanford University this summer . . . Judd Doughty (speech) will make his sixth appearance as a judge at the Miss Lewis County (Beauty) Pageant in Chehalis on April 27 . . . Philip D. Johnson, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Leighland Johnson (housing) became a citizen of the United States Monday during formal naturalization ceremonies in Tacoma . . . he was a native of Germany . . . a story elsewhere in this week's Knightletter has reference to the election of Dr. King to a position in the AMA . . . another newly elected officer is Charles Hegvedt, whose wife Mary Hegvedt is a dietitian at the Columbia Center . . . Abe Bassett (speech) has his three-bedroom home at 1220 S. 120th St. for sale . . . FHA appraisal at \$17,750 . . . call ext. 238 or LE 1-4059 if interested . . . Melba Cather (nursing) is hospitalized for eye trouble at Doctor's Hospital . . . it is believed she will stay about one week . . . Herbert Ranson (English) was hospitalized briefly during the Easter recess and is now staying at the home of Prof. and Mrs. George Roskos (art) . . . members of the English department are taking Dr. Ranson's classes . . . Kenneth Batker (mathematics) was in Dallas, Texas this week attending a government seminar on math . . . President Robert Mortvedt was in Blaine, Wash., Thursday to address the Mount Baker Conference convention of the Pacific Northwest Synod (LCA) . . . four PLU students appeared on the program with him . . . this Saturday Dr. Mortvedt will be in San Francisco for meetings of the Board of Higher Education of the Lutheran Church--Missouri Synod . . . Thomas Langevin (academic vice president) is slated to speak this Friday at the annual meeting of the Association of Washington Industries in Seattle's Olympic Hotel.

ODDS & ENDS

The 4th Annual Lutheran Family Night at the Shipstads and Johnson Ice Follies will be Sunday, May 5 at 6 p.m. in the Seattle Center Coliseum. Reduced price tickets are on sale at the information desk . . . must be ordered before Friday, April 26.

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Mrs. Henry Morken, long-time Parkland resident and close associate of PLU, died Wednesday at the age of 100. The funeral will be at 2:30 p.m. Friday in Trinity. She will be buried in Spokane where she had lived for many years. Survivors include a son, Odin Morken (maintenance), a great-granddaughter, Mrs. Rika Brannfors (central services) and two granddaughters, Christine Morken and Betsy Morken, both PLU students.

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The University has again purchased two season tickets for the Tacoma Cubs home games. Free tickets, available to faculty and staff, can be reserved at PLU's information desk.

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The League of Women Voters is sponsoring its first Institute of International Affairs, "Revolution in the Developing Nations," on Saturday, June 22. The main speaker will be Barbara Ward, well-known British economist. The Institute will be held in the Seattle Center Playhouse. For information write Mrs. James E. Peck, 1406 18th Avenue., Seattle Wash., 98122.

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Mu Phi Epsilon will present its bridal show at 8:15 p.m., Thursday, April 25, in Eastvold Chapel. Appropriate music and gowns will be presented. Cost is \$.50.

BIRTHDAYS

Richard Alseth	April 12
Lucille Giroux	April 14
Ken Dunmire	April 16
Alice Chambers	April 18

# Marketing Unit Names King As Its President

The Puget Sound chapter of the American Marketing Association announced Thursday in Seattle the election of Dr. Gundar King of Tacoma to the club's presidency.

Dr. King, director of Pacific Lutheran University's School of Business Administration, succeeds Dr. Leonard M. Guss of Tacoma who will become chairman of the chapter's board of governors. Dr. Guss is director of corporate economics and marketing research for Weyerhaeuser Company.



King

Dr. King, professor of marketing and industrial management, has been on PLU's faculty since 1960. He is a graduate of the University of Oregon, and Stanford University

awarded him both his master's and doctorate degrees.

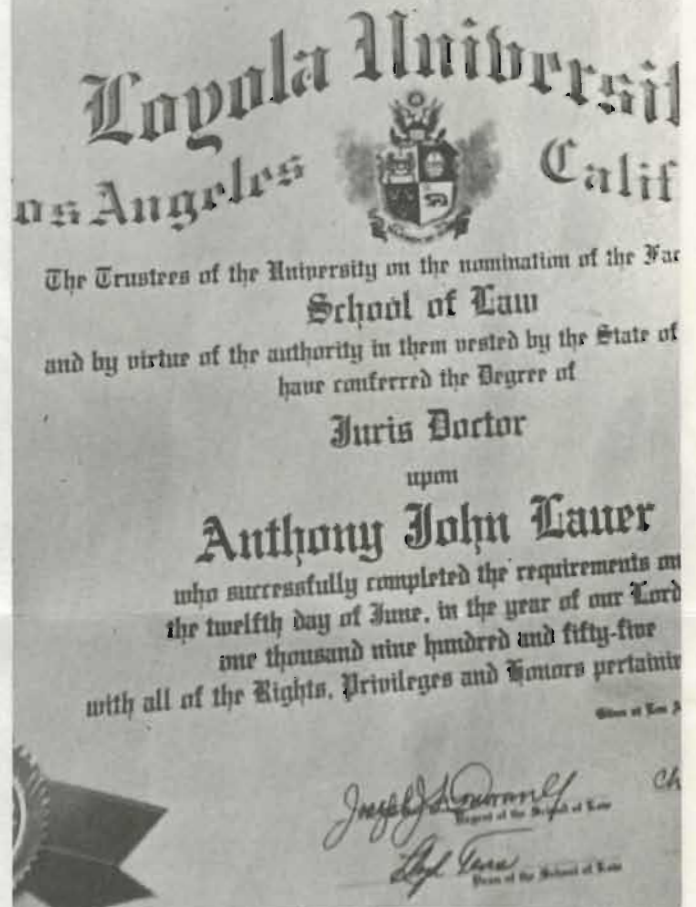
Active in professional organizations, Dr. King is a member of the American Management Association, Purchasing Agents' Association of Washington, Sales and Marketing Executives, Inc., Tacoma Advertising Club, and several honorary societies.

# Music Faculty Members Featured Artists Friday

Two members of the PLU music faculty, Blossom Cohon and Kathryn Strickland, will be featured at 12:30 p.m. in Xavier Hall at Friday Noon Music this week.

They will perform Mozart's "Sonata in C Major, K. 521," Schumann's "Three Impromptus from 'Bilder aus Osten'" and Ravel's "Ma mere l'Oye."

On the following Friday senior Thomas Brandt will be presented.



THE EASY WAY--Anthony (Tony) Lauer, a student in PLU's Master of Business Administration program, poses with a copy of his Juris Doctor certificate with Dr. Gundar King, right, director of the program. Lauer, a law graduate of Loyola University, now has his doctorate as the school changed its "bachelor" of law degree into a "doctor" of law title.



**Award-Winning Photograph**

# University Photographer Wins National Recognition

Kenneth Dunmire, Pacific Lutheran University's staff photographer, recently had a photograph selected for an "honor award" by the University Photographers Association.

The organization, meeting at the Air Force Academy in Colorado, awarded Dunmire the top prize for his picture entitled "Windy."

Jean Mauritsen, a flute player from Moorhead, Minn., was the subject of his award-winning shot. It was snapped during a football game last October.

This was the second year Dunmire has entered the nation-wide competition. Last year he had two pictures selected as "honor award" shots. Both were featured in the organization's national publication, and have received wide publicity as part of a traveling show.

This year's winner, along with three other of the photographer's shots, were selected as part of a 50-piece traveling show that will run for two years.

Dunmire came to PLU in 1964 as a member of the University Relations' staff. Prior to that he was a photographer for Richards Studios in downtown Tacoma.