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USA in 1789 -- AND GSU in 1974...The Governance Committee (a Standing Committee of the University Assembly) is taking a good look at GSU's governance system, because our present Constitution self-destructs at midnight June 30, 1974. And, they're suggesting strongly that everyone should do the same in order to make it more effective, expressive, and efficient. Charged with the basic task of drafting a completely new one, the Governance Committee seeks help and advice from students, staff, and faculty in order to design a system that will work well in the months and years ahead. They are, therefore, seeking interviews with past and present members of UA, its committees, unit heads, deans, and others who have had firsthand experience with the present governance system. Interviews will be on a person-to-person basis, strictly confidential; interviewees may specify the Governance Committee member by whom they'd like to be interviewed. Four general hearings have been scheduled in Rm. 840 (minicampus): Tuesday, March 27: 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m., Wednesday, March 28: 2-4 p.m., and March 29: Thursday, 6-8 p.m. Members of the Standing Committee on Governance are: MARVIN BROTTMAN, BERNARD BUSH, LOWELL CULVER, SUSAN GEBHARDT, ROBERT KLOSS, JOSEPH MEREDITH, VIRGINIO PIUCCI, JOHN ROHR, and ELMER WITT.

ONE MORE TIME...Applications are being accepted for the May-June, July-August, and September-October sessions in all colleges and in the new and flexible BOG baccalaureate degree program. More information about the specific learning programs being offered in each session is available from the Colleges. The BOG degree is a new and innovative degree program designed primarily for mature adults and makes it possible to obtain a degree without long attendance at any one campus. Providing credits for life and work experience, it allows graduation after taking only 15 of the total 120 credits at any one or a combination of the five BOG universities.

JUST AN IMPRESSION...A phenomenal collection of Renoir paintings drawn together from all over the world has been attracting thousands to Chicago Art Institute. The special and rare exhibit ends this week. Many a GSUer has been contending with the crowds to get a glimpse or three of the French master's efforts.

FOCUS ON SAFETY SERVICES...Handling a variety of problems is the function of Safety Services. As the name implies, this unit (reporting to GSU's Building and Plant Operation) is responsible for the safety of both personnel and physical facilities. They're the ones to go to when property gets ripped off, when situations develop that may involve physical injury, or when anyone needs efficient help--fast. Recently, a Safety Services Officer needed seven stitches in a head injury suffered in an off-campus incident while taking home a student Safety Aide who'd just finished work. So, next time a telephone rings during a performance while the Safety Officer is attending to his duties in another part of the building, or you get the license number of the guy who banged your car and drove off--remember that there's no premium pay offered to Safety Officers for putting their lives on the line for the rest of us--it's just part of their jobs.

WATCH YOUR SCHEDULE...to O'Hare, come March 26 to November 1, when the Tri-State will be undergoing repairs, according to our staff Navy scout Reavis.

WE'RE STILL GETTING IT...The list of those publishing about GSU is steadily growing. Richard W. Hostrop, in a new book titled MANAGING EDUCATION FOR RESULTS, wrote about us on pages 77-85. Hostrop's book has been ordered and will soon grace the shelves of LRC...Another publication, Science Education News, devotes two of its eight pages to CEAS. It is published by the American Association for the Advancement of Science. The section about GSU is called "The Trends in Science Education," and concludes with statements about 1973-74 projections for CEAS professional staff and students, enrollment projections, and new developments the college anticipates...as it serves the needs of students.

CORRECTIONS...in last week's FAZE I, UA Appeals Committee story, the sentence, "The Committee's task is to consider appeals from personnel decisions and can only consider salary, tenure, and termination," was incorrect. Chairperson TINA STRETCH stated: "As per Professional Personnel Systems corrected and final version 2-9-73, page 22: "All members of the University community have the right to seek redress...! If any member of the University community has a grievance, he or she should attempt to reconcile differences within the unit or with the person(s) directly involved. If this informal attempt fails then the following formal procedures should be followed and formal records kept." The document then directs persons to settle disputes on the unit level. If no response then to the appropriate V.P. then "if no response or satisfaction is achieved at this point, the aggrieved parties may elect to register an appeal and request a hearing with the chairperson of the University Appeals Committee. The committee makes decisions in regards to the processes through which judgments and decisions have been made."

SPEEDING TICKETS...Some quick research by DICK NEWMAN (LRC) may dismiss the speeding tickets received by a number of GSUers last week on Bond Street. It appears, the speed limit on Bond may not have been properly set by ordinance. The Village prosecutor is checking to determine whether Bond is considered in an urban district. If it isn't (and that's the contention), the prosecutor will enter a motion of nol-pros (translation: he's not going to prosecute). But if you got a ticket, you'll probably have to have the charges formally dismissed by the Village prosecutor or the Court.

GSUings...RALPH WINSTON (CBPS) participating in a conference in Chicago on "Doing Business in Japan" with representatives from the Japanese Ministry of Trade and Industry, sponsored by Ill. Society of CPAs...JOHN CANNING (COM) being appointed to Public Relations Society of America's Chicago chapter student committee along with representatives from Loyola, North Central, Illinois, and NIU...BERNARD BUSH (A & R) chairing Park Forest Art Center's Fine Arts Festival and asking for people and ideas (Ext. 200)...BILL WICKERSHAM (B & PO) catching the eye as he hovers over GSU in his small plane...DAVE WIGHT (ICC) and MEL MUCHNIK (COM) speaking to Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society at Thornton Community College...TOM CALL (BO) joining Park Forest Rotary Club.



"... And the recruiter from IBM—did you also tell him that at college you mostly sat on a rock by the sea, trying to find yourself?"

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# EVENTS

## MONDAY, MARCH 26

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Academic Affairs Staff (AA Area)
9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Coop Ed Staff (830)
10:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Jr. College Recruiting (Malcolm X College)
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon	A & R Staff (Mini-conf.)
3:30 p.m.	ICC Staff (Preview Room)

## TUESDAY, MARCH 27

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	V.P.'s meet with President (Mini-conf.)
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Financial Aids (Mini-conf.)
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Jr. College Recruiting (Prairie State)
12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.	Civil Service Reps (Mini-conf.)
1:00 p.m.	HSRC Staff (HSRC Area)
1:30 p.m.	LRC Staff
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Academic Wing (Mini-conf.)
2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Open Hearings for Governance Committee (840)
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Women's Studies Advisory Council (Mini-conf.)
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Open Hearings for Governance Committee (840)

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28

9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Junior College Recruiting (College of Lake County)
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Educational Policies & Programs (Mini-conf.)
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	MIS Training Program (Planning Building)
12:00 noon - 1:15 p.m.	FOCAL POINT (Mini-conf.)
1:00 p.m.	BALANCE (780)
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	ISP Task Force (Mini-conf.)
2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Open Hearings for Governance Committee (840)

## THURSDAY, MARCH 29

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	MIS Training Program (Planning Building)
12:00 noon - 1:30 p.m.	Committee on the Future (Mini-conf.)
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	CBPS Staff
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Civil Service Personnel Committee (Mini-conf.)
3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Graudate Education Sub Committee (Mini-conf.)
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Open Hearings for Governance Committee (840)

## FRIDAY, MARCH 30

8:30 a.m.	V.P.'s meet with President (Mini-conf.)
9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	CEAS Environmental Planning Workshop II
12:00 noon - 1:15 p.m.	Executive Committee (Mini-conf.)
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	R & I Advisory Committee (Mini-conf.)
3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Undergraduate Curriculum Committee (Mini-conf.)