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News Release

THE UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON APPOINTS PUBLIC RELATIONS DIRECTOR

DAYTON, Ohio, May 15, 1989--The University of Dayton has named Teri Rizvi, a resident of Tipp City, as director of public relations. Her promotion from director of media relations is effective immediately and entails the supervision of the areas of media relations, alumni and campus periodicals, photography services and community relations at UD.

"We conducted an aggressive national search to find the best candidate for the position," said Patrick M. Joyce, vice president for advancement at UD. "Teri emerged from that selection process as our most outstanding candidate. She is aggressive and creative, and her leadership qualities came through loudly and clearly during the interview process." A total of 145 applicants were evaluated for the UD position.

Rizvi, 31, holds a bachelor's degree in journalism from Ohio University and is currently a candidate for an M.A. degree in English from UD. Her background includes experience in both public relations and journalism. Previously, she served as public relations manager for Promised Valley Playhouse in Salt Lake City and as publicist for Pioneer Memorial Theatre at the University of Utah. In London, she worked as a researcher for ABC News. She has also worked for the Associated Press in Cincinnati, written free-lance articles for the "Dayton Daily News" and served an internship with the "Journal Herald." While a student at Ohio University, Rizvi served as managing editor of "The Post," an award-winning daily, independent student newspaper.

The University of Dayton is a private, co-educational school founded and sponsored by the Society of Mary (Marianists), a Roman Catholic teaching order. UD is the largest independent university in Ohio and the ninth largest Catholic university in the nation. Approximately 11,000 graduate and undergraduate students currently attend UD.

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