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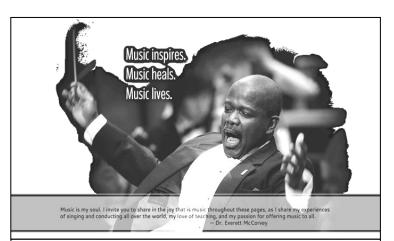
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UKAEF NEWSLETTER

April 2019

Dr. McCorvey will be bringing UK Opera Theater students to perform songs from their productions this year: Silent Night, Madam Butterfly, and Grand Night. An Opera Theater Showpiece for the association's anniversary celebration!



Music is my soul. I invite you to share in the joy that is music. I love teaching and have a passion to offer music to all as I sing and conduct all over the world. And on April 9, 2019, my students and I will spread our love for music to members of UKAEF on their 30th Anniversary celebration.

University of Kentucky Opera Theatre began in 1955 under the direction of voice teacher Phyllis Jenness and Phillip Miller, director of the UK Symphony Orchestra. Since then it has risen to its position today as one of the leading opera programs in North America, largely because of the boundless energy and vision of its director Dr. Everett McCorvey.

Dr. McCorvey credits a talented faculty in the School of Music Voice Program that works as a team to help students achieve their potential as singers, scholars, and citizens. The Schmidt Vocal Arts Center also fosters excellence in students: boasting professional practice,

APRIL LUNCHEON MEETING

Date: Tuesday, April 9, 2019

Place: Hilary J. Boone Center, UK Campus

Social Time: 11:00 a.m.

Luncheon: 11:30 a.m.

Business Meeting: 11:30 a.m., during first part of meal

Champagne/Sparkling Cider Toast celebrating

UKAEF: 12:30 p.m.

Entertainment by Director of Opera at U.K., Everett McCorvey and U.K. Operatic Students: 12:40 p.m.

Program End: 1:30 p.m.

<u>APRIL 9 LUNCHEON MENU</u>

STARTER: Bibb and Citrus Salad with Tender Bibb Lettuce, Citrus Supremes, Candied Almonds, Avocado, and Citrus Poppy Seed Dressing (GF, V)

ENTRÉE: Boneless Buttermilk-Brined Fried Chicken Corn Pudding

Charred Asparagus

DESSERT: Bourbon Chocolate Pecan Pie TOAST: Champagne or Sparkling Cider Substitutions are possible only for dietary allergies or religious/lifestyle restrictions.

<u>Note:</u> The Staff of Hilary J. Boone Center appreciates efforts of UKAEF members to carpool when possible. If you require transportation, please note your need on the luncheon reservation form, second last page.

rehearsal studios, and easy access to Voice faculty and Opera staff. UKOT's most pressing needs today include scholarships for students, additional faculty members to teach and coach the 125 students enrolled in the vocal performance program, and support for professional-grade performances with visionary scope.

REQUEST FOR VOLUNTEERS

Jill Roseberry, Director of Kentucky Aviation Museum The Aviation Museum of Kentucky is looking for volunteers to help bring its collections to life! Located right next to the Blue Grass Airport, it has over 20,000 square feet of aviation and aerospace displays. This includes old restored aircraft and memorabilia, but also air-worthy, flyable aircraft for the public to enjoy. We rely on our volunteers to help us serve the public, and are currently looking for new volunteer Front Desk Attendants and Tour Guides. Front Desk attendants act as Greeters and handle ticket and gift shop sales. Tour Guides escort visitors around the museum and explain aircraft and exhibits. They can also conduct tours and support other museum activities.

Volunteers typically serve one half-day shift per week, Tuesday through Sunday, but we are happy to work with you and your schedule. No experience or aviation knowledge needed, we will train. If you are interested or have any questions, you can call the museum at (859) 231-1219 or email Volunteer

Coordinator Hunter Moore at hmoore@aviationky.org.

INTERNATIONAL BOOK PROJECT REQUEST

by Angene Wilson

International Book Project is currently fulfilling requests for containers of books from universities in Albania, Kosovo, Somalia, and Ukraine — that is more than 100,00 books! We would appreciate textbooks and journals not more than ten years old and other books suitable for university libraries. Bring donations to our renovated headquarters at 1440 Delaware Avenue Monday to Friday 9 to 5. And visit our bookstore while you are there. Money from purchase of those gently used books is used for shipping books.

FELLOWSHIP FUND CONTRIBUTORS

Thank you for all contributions to the UKAEF Fellowship Fund. Members' gifts totaled \$6,755 for 2018-19.

Honor Roll \$5-\$49

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Dean's List (continued) \$50-\$199

Malcolm R. Siegel Timothy W. Sineath Jerry R. Skees Dorothy Swintosky

John F. Timoney Patricia (Pat) S. Wilson Mary Witt Miriam L. Woolfolk

Cum Laude \$200-\$1,000

C. Milton Coughenour Art Gallaher Herbert Massey Thomas P. Mullanev

Robert Straus Robert H. Stroup John van Willigen

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Robert Straus

Dan Reedy

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*Member, UKAEF

- H. Martin Blacker, Neurosurgery
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- Gordon Liddle, Educational Psychology

"Good teaching is forever and the teacher is immortal."-Jesse Stuart

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UK ASSOCIATION OF EMERITI FACULTY **MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION, 2018-2019*** NAME _____SPOUSE'S NAME____ Address ____ Zip+4______Tel.____ E-mail address (**please include**, if you have one) 2018-19 Dues are* \$20 (includes spouse or partner) CHECK ONE: New member Renewal MY CONTRIBUTION TO THE FELLOWSHIP FUND*\$_____ (CHECK ONE) in memory of in honor of Name: stMake check for membership dues and /or fellowship donation payable to UK Association of Emeriti Faculty (UKAEF). Mail form and check(s) to: UKAEF, c/o Casie Clements, 4812 Trillium Pl., Lexington, KY 40514-1410 (PLEASE BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR MAILING LABEL, ON THIS NEWSLETTER, TO SEE IF YOU HAVE PREVIOUSLY PAID YOUR 18/19 DUES) UK ASSOCIATION OF EMERITI FACULTY **LUNCHEON RESERVATION TUESDAY, APRIL 9, 2019** I plan to attend the luncheon. Enclosed is \$______for_____reservation(s) at \$25.00 each. NAME _____GUEST'S NAME ____ Necessary Change in Menu Choice: Intolerance/Allergic reaction/Religious reason:

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<u>Mail form and check to</u>: UKAEF, c/o Casie Clements, 4812 Trillium Pl., Lexington, KY 40514-1410

(call or email if close to deadline) 859-523-3460 or e-mail: casie.ukaef@gmail.com

Note: Deadline for making reservations or to cancel reservations is Friday, March 29, 2019.



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UKAEF FELLOWSHIP ENDOWMENT REPORT

by James Chapman

Since UKAEF just awarded this year's fellowships, so generously supported by its members, it is appropriate to bring the members up-to-date on the endowment.



2019 UKAEF FELLOWSHIP WINNERS honored at Feb. 12, 2019 membership meeting: Chelsea Weaver, Biology; Kevin Alejandrez, Sociology; Kerri Slaughter, Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry.

1. How much money is in the endowment? (8/31/18, UK Development)

a. Contributed Value \$186,083b. Market Value \$213,461

2. From where did the Contributed Value come? (UK Development)

a. Emeriti Pledges
b. State Research Challenge
c. UKAEF Gifts
d. Other Gifts
e. Bequest
\$51,050
\$50,000
\$78,273
\$1,755
\$5,005

3. How many fellowships have been given and for how much? (UKAEF)

a. Prior to 2005 Endowment
b. 2005-2011
c. 2012-2014
d. 2015-2018
e. Total

23@\$1000= 23,000
24@\$1500= 36,000
9@\$2000= 18,000
12@\$2500= 30,000
68 = 107,000

(Graduate School also gave 1@\$1,000 in 2002 and 1@\$2,000 in 2012) Feb. 2019, 3 awards @ \$2,500 each awarded. Total from UKAEF: \$114,500.

4. Does the Endowment provide sufficient funds for 3 fellowships at \$2500?

- a. It does not at present. UKAEF has provided \$5,445 total in four of the last five years to make up the difference between what is generated by the endowment and the \$7500 needed. UKAEF should not need to provide additional money this year or in the next couple of years because of residual dollars in the Fellowship Expenditure Account.
- b. The UKAEF Board has established an Endowment Contingency account of \$7500 over the last several years to cover any dire situation that may arise due to bad markets.
- c. All funds given for the fellowships are used for the endowment or for payment of the fellowships. Any UKAEF fund balances also go for that purpose.
- d. UK Development has a relatively complex spending distribution policy that insures fairness and returns 3-6% of the current endowment market value to the endowment to provide for cost of living increase.

5. How much does it cost for UK Development to manage the endowment fund?

The total management fees for 2005-2018 were \$9,937.

6. How much money has been generated by the endowment?

If the Market Value (\$213,461) is added to the fellowship awards since 2005 (\$84,000) plus the management fees (9,937), the result is \$307,398—that is, \$121,315 more than the Contributed Value.

KENTUCKY CELEBRATION

30TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION--HISTORY

By Mary Witt

Taking time to celebrate visionaries like Jean Pival (English), Paul Oberst (Law), Fannie Miller (Education), Don Ivy (Music), and Roberta James (UK Council on Aging) - the committee who first studied starting an association for UK retirees in 1987 - is appropriate. Here we are 30 years later as members of UKAEF, grateful for our independent association that keeps us involved professionally and socially and still connected to UK where we were faculty members. The first UKAEF meeting was held September 1988 using a format similar to what we do today: four meetings annually connected to luncheons with speakers and business meetings. One member involved in UKAEF leadership from its earliest days is Robert Stroup who served attentively on the Benefits Committee. Bob has faithfully represented the rights and privileges of retirees to the university-wide Employee Benefits Committee and he continues to assist Michael Tearney in this role.

Additional Historical highlights:

- 1994, Jean Pival, Fred Whiteside and Sydney Ulmer obtained non-profit status;
- 1995, Paul Oberst and Michael Adelstein led the initiative for UKAEF to offer fellowships for doctoral students who desire to teach at the university level;
- 2002, William Wagner and Juan Hernandez started an endowed fund of \$50,000 with the UK Office of Development. The Commonwealth of Kentucky Research Challenge Trust Fund (Bucks for Brains) matched their gifts. The Graduate School agreed to administer the \$100,000 endowment with input from UKAEF members.
- 1996-2019, UKAEF awarded 71 graduate students with fellowships from \$1,000 to \$2,500 for a total of
- \$114,500. (See James Chapman's Endowment Summary included on insert in this newsletter).

Don't miss this April 9, 2019 opportunity to have a grand toast and musical entertainment celebrating Kentucky, U.K., and its retirees. The Board extends gratitude to all members of UKAEF for your support and leadership that enable us as a group to continue giving of time, talents and treasure to the university we love.