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ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Donald A. Gross is a professor of political science at the University of Kentucky. He has written extensively on various aspects of American politics with particular focus on political parties, congressional elections and campaign finance issues. In recent years his work has focused on the consequences of campaign finance reform for electoral competition, citizen engagement and participation, spending, and influence. He has served as an expert witness for the State of Vermont and the City of Albuquerque, New Mexico in defense of their campaign finance laws. *The States of Campaign Finance*, co-authored with Robert K. Goidel, is Dr. Gross's most recent book. It examines the electoral consequences of campaign finance reform in gubernatorial elections. He most recently returned from a Fulbright grant in Ljubljana, Slovenia.

SEPTEMBER 11 LUNCHEON MENU

Center Salad with Spring Greens
Braised Short Ribs
Mashed Potatoes and Sautéed Greens
Strawberry Shortcake
Choice of beverage

Substitutions are possible only for dietary allergies or religious/lifestyle restrictions.

Note: The Staff of Hilary J. Boone Center appreciates the efforts of UKAEF members to carpool when possible. Contact Board members to help you find colleagues who are willing to assist you in getting to the Sept., Nov., Feb. and April meetings if you require transportation.

**MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL and
FELLOWSHIP DONATIONS**

The 2012-13 membership drive for UKAEF starts Sept. 1 with this newsletter and extends to Nov. 1st. We value your continued interest in and support of our organization. Please use the Membership Application provided on the last page to renew now.

The UKAEF awards fellowships each year to Ph.D., Ed.D., D.M.A. or D.S. full-time U.K. students. Since 1996, fifty fellowships totaling \$65,000 have been awarded, thanks to the generosity of our members who donate to the Fellowship Program and to UKAEF's participation with Commonwealth of Kentucky Research Challenge Trust Fund. Funding for

SEPTEMBER LUNCHEON MEETING

Date: Tuesday, September 11, 2012

Place: Hillary J. Boone Center

Social Time: 11:00-11:30 a.m.

Luncheon: 11:30 a.m.

Program: 12:30 p.m.

Speaker: Dr. Donald A. Gross, UK Political Scientist

Topic: "Why Does it Seem to be Harder to Predict Electoral Outcomes?"

Business Meeting: 1:00 p.m.

the competitive fellowships is the interest earned on the endowment and annual tax-exempt donations of our members. Continued member support will allow us to award from two to four fellowships this year, \$2,000 each depending on available funds. Our website gives details for the application process by eligible students; deadline date for students' applications is the end of October. Please consider adding a gift to the Fellowship Fund when you renew your membership. Your gift is tax deductible. You will have a chance to meet the students whom we award during this fiscal year at the Feb. 14, 2013 Membership Meeting—always a highlight during the business meeting.

NOTE FROM YOUR PRESIDENT, Tom Garrity

Since our last business meeting at the April luncheon, several developments can be reported. Our new Vice-President/Program Chair, Lee Edgerton, has been busily compiling a list of potential luncheon speakers for the coming academic year. For the fall semester two interesting presenters have been selected. Don Gross, U.K. Political Science Professor will speak on Sept. 11, "Why Does It Seem Harder to Predict Electoral Outcomes?" And Susan Bottom will speak on Nov. 13, "OLLI at U.K.—Where Curiosity Never Retires."

Other changes in Board membership include our retiring and long-serving (13 years) treasurer, Bill Stober, who has recently updated and resubmitted paperwork for our tax-exempt status, which enables contributors to claim tax

deductions for support of our competitive fellowship program for UK graduate students. Jim Chapman has agreed to serve as our new Treasurer. Jean Pival, Founding Member of UKAEF, President of UKAEF in its formative years and Executive Secretary since UKAEF's beginning (24 years of continuous service) passes her Executive Secretary responsibilities to Mary Witt and Sue Fosson. (Mary served as our President several years ago.) Bob Stroup served on the UKAEF Benefits Committee since 1988 and campaigned tirelessly for a UKAEF position on the U.K. Employee Benefits Committee. Michael Tearney's appointment to the Employee Benefits Committee marks a breakthrough for UKAEF since retirees' concerns are now represented on this important committee.

Very importantly, Mr. Gerald Marvel, the director of the Hilary Boone Center, has agreed to provide service and meals for the same price as in the past year, which enables us to continue meeting in the Center. Mr. Marvel also agrees to work with the Association of Emeriti Faculty to deal with the occasional problems of parking congestion in the Center's lot on days of our luncheons. Two effective approaches are carpooling and early arrival; the latter also enables more time for socializing before dining.

CHANGE OF GUARD IN 2012



When years of service to UKAEF by Bob Stroup, Jean Pival and Bill Stober are added, the grand total reads 61 years. From UKAEF members to our three zealous members, our heartfelt "THANK YOU."

WHAT'S HAPPENING FALL 2012:

John Hiatt & Steve Earle at The Lexington Center's Opera House
Date/Time: Wed., Aug. 22, 7:30pm

Hugh Laurie and the Copper Bottom Band at Singletary Center for the Arts
Date/Time: Fri., Aug. 24, 7:30pm

Ringling Bros. And Barnum & Bailey Circus at The Lexington Center's Rupp Arena
Date/Time: Thurs., Sept. 6, 7pm

Wounded Warrior Silent Auction Event at Celebration Center of Lexington (www.bmaconline.org)
Date/Time: Sun., Sept. 9, 7pm

Greg Figgs's Blues Band at Jazz Live at The Library, Lexington Central Public Library
Date/Time: Thurs., Sept. 13, 7pm

Chinese Moon Festival at Midnight Pass Amphitheater in Beaumont Center Circle
Date/Time: Sat., Sept. 15, 4-8pm

U.K. Art Faculty Exhibition at Singletary Center for the Arts
Date/Time: begins Sun., Sept. 16 at noon until Sun., Dec. 23, 5pm.

An Evening with Lisa Swayze presented by BB&T (to benefit Hospice of the Bluegrass) at Signature Club, Lexington
Date/Time: Thurs., Sept. 20, 7:30pm

Gala in the Garden at The Arboretum, State Botanical Garden of KY
Date/time: Sun., Sept. 23, 4pm

The Poverty Forum at The Lexington Center Bluegrass Ballroom (presented by Columbia Gas and KY Utilities. Proceeds support Community Action Council.)
Date/Time: Fri., Sept. 28, 6-9pm

The Phantom of the Opera at The Lexington Center's Opera House
Dates/Time: 7:30pm (on October 5, 6, 10, 11, 12 & 13); 2:00pm (on October 6, 7, 13 & 14)

Monika Herzig Trio at Jazz Live at the Library, Lexington Central Public Library
Date/Time: Thurs., Oct. 11, 7pm

Trees, Trails and Creatures at The Arboretum
Date/Time: Sat., Oct. 13, 4:30pm

Live at Birdland featuring Birdland Big Band with Tommy Igoo at Singletary Center for the Arts
Date/Time: Sat., Oct. 20, 7:30pm

Regional Global Health Conference—Crossing Borders and Disciplines: New Horizons in Global Health at U.K. Student Center Addition
Date/Time: Fri., Oct. 26, 8:30am-2:45pm

Chris Isaak in Concert at Singletary Center for the Arts
Date/Time: Sat., Nov. 17, 7:30pm

Lexington Art & Craft Show at The Lexington Center's Rupp Arena
Date/Time: Sat., Nov. 17, 10am

Moscow Ballet: The Great Russian Nutcracker at Singletary Center for the Arts
Date/Time: Mon., Nov. 26, 7:30pm

IN MEMORIAM, Spring/Summer - 2012

***Member, UKAEF**

- ◆ Jean Baugh, Agricultural Cooperative Extension Service
- ◆ Robert C. Cook, Dentistry
- ◆ Jean (Schwert) Coplin, Spouse, George Schwert*
- ◆ Gratta Elizabeth Stidger Crewe, Spouse, George Franklin Crewe
- ◆ James E. Funk*, Engineering, Mining & Minerals, V.P. Academic Affairs
- ◆ Richard W. Furst*, Gatton College of Business & Economics
- ◆ Patrick Fumio Hagihara, Surgery
- ◆ J.W. Kidwell, Agricultural Cooperative Extension
- ◆ Dean E. Knavel, Horticulture
- ◆ Janet Nestor, Spouse, Paul Nestor
- ◆ Joseph B. Paulk Jr. *, Nutrition
- ◆ Ruth Paulk, Spouse, Joseph B. Paulk*
- ◆ Bobby Earle "Bob" Perraut, Physics
- ◆ Robert Lee Sterrett, Interdisciplinary Human Development Institute
- ◆ William Howard Waugh, Cardiovascular Research
- ◆ Robert Cook Wesley, College of Dentistry

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

2012-13 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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Executive Secretary: Sue Fosson & Mary Witt
Past President: Bradley Canon

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Benefits: Michael Tearney, Chair & Robert Stroup
Fellowship: John Shaw
Membership: Sue Fosson
Program: Lee Edgerton

Administrative Consultant: Casie Clements

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LUNCHEON RESERVATION FOR TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2012

I plan to attend the luncheon. Enclosed is \$_____ for _____ reservation(s) at \$20.00 each.

NAME _____ GUEST'S NAME _____

Necessary Change in Menu Choice: _____ Reason: _____

I (we) need transportation. Address: _____ Tel: _____

Send reservations to UKAEF c/o **CASIE CLEMENTS, 4812 Trillium Pl, Lexington, KY 40514-1410**

859-523-3460 or e-mail: casie.ukaef@gmail.com

Note: To receive a refund, reservations must be canceled by Wednesday, August 29, 2012.

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION, 2012-13

NAME _____ SPOUSE'S NAME _____

Address _____ Zip+4 _____

E-mail address _____ Tel. _____ Dept./Col. _____

2012-13 Dues* \$20 (includes spouse or partner) New member ____ Renewal ____

My contribution to the Fellowship Fund*\$_____ in memory of _____

**Make check for membership dues and /or fellowship donation payable to UK Association of Emeriti Faculty (UKAEF).*

Mail form and check(s) to: Casie Clements, 4812 Trillium Pl., Lexington, KY 40514-1410



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