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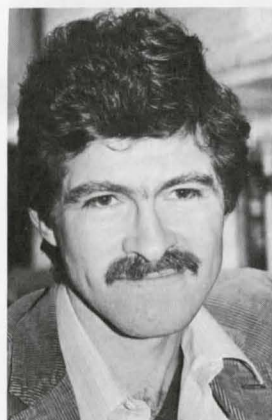
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# UMASS BOSTON NEWS & VIEWS

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Prof. Robert Crossley



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## Sixteen UMB faculty members to be honored at "125th Anniversary Evening" in March

Sixteen UMass/Boston faculty members will be among 79 honored by President David Knapp and the University's Board of Trustees at a 125th Anniversary Evening in Honor of Teaching on

Sunday, March 20 at the Boston Museum of Science.

The honorees selected have received national as well as campus awards and recognitions in teaching during the past five years at the University of Massachusetts.

Among the 79 honorees are 14 Lilly Endowment Teaching Fellows, two silver and gold medalists recognized by the Council for Advancement and Support of Education from the Amherst Campus, and five Ford Distinguished Services Processors from the Boston Campus.

Because the evening is intended to be an occasion honoring the role of teaching, the honorees are being asked to invite a current or former student and a teaching colleague.

There will be 32 honorees from the Medical School in Worcester and 31 from the Amherst campus.

Guests speakers will be Michael

Kammen, historian and Newton C. Farr Professor of American History and Culture at Cornell University, and Alvan Ryan, professor emeritus at the University of Massachusetts, who taught English at the Harbor Campus for many years.

Dr. Ryan received an honorary degree from UMass/Boston in 1985.

"We are celebrating the University's 125th Anniversary and this event is our recognition of teaching, part of the three-fold mission of land grant institutions," said President Knapp.

Honorees from the Boston Campus are:

- Vincent A. Cristiani, professor of school psychology;
- Robert Crossley, associate professor of English;
- Lynn F. Dhority, associate professor of German;
- Louis Ferleger, associate professor of economics;
- Michael F. Gibbons, associate professor of anthropology;
- Arthur A. Goldsmith, assistant professor of management;
- Susan Gore, associate professor of sociology;
- James Leland Grove, professor of English;
- Bettina Harrison, associate professor of biology;
- Francis R. Hart, professor of English;
- David Hunt, associate professor of history;
- Isabelle Mao, associate professor of Chinese;
- Joseph A. McHugh, professor of accounting and finance;
- Frances L. Portnoy, professor of nursing;
- A.P. Simonds, associate professor of political science;
- Carol Smith, associate professor of psychology.



Prof. Joseph McHugh



Prof. Louis Ferleger



Prof. Vincent Cristiani

## UMass/Boston celebrates Black History Month

Dr. Johnetta B. Cole, first black woman president of Spelman College in Atlanta, prominent black film director Tony Brown and Dr. Franklyn Jenifer, Massachusetts Chancellor of Higher Education, will be among those featured during February's celebration of Black History Month at UMass/Boston.

Dr. Cole, nationally-known educator, will speak at 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, February 11, in the Faculty Lounge, Healey Library on the Harbor Campus. Her appearance is sponsored by the William Monroe Trotter Institute.

Topic of Dr. Cole's address: "Education and Empowerment of Black Women: Necessity for a New Era."

Dr. Cole is the first black woman president in the 106-year history of Spelman College. She came to the presidency at the midpoint in a career that spans significant scholarship and distinguished administration.

She came from New York's Hunter College where she was professor of anthropology. Previously

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Dr. Johnetta B. Cole



# UMB contributes to "Globe Santa" Fund for needy children

UMass/Boston contributed \$3016 to the Boston Globe 1987 Santa Claus Fund, according to Budget Director Gerard O'Connor, who spearheaded the on-campus drive that exceeded the \$1747 collected in 1986.

A grand total of \$1,038,953.95 was contributed in 1987.

"The Globe Santa Fund is a most worthy cause," noted Chancellor Robert A. Corrigan. "It provides toys to more than 50,000 needy children throughout the 131 cities and towns in the area."

"We're very pleased with the response," said O'Connor. "Much credit belongs to members of the committee, especially to Elaine Guiney and Mariellen Norris."

The committee: Provost Betty Diener; Vice Chancellor Charles Desmond; Arnold Weinstein, Dean, College of Management; Anne Kibrick, Dean of Nursing.

Also, Gail Arnold, Physician Education; Laverne Cawthorne, Planning; Vincent Cristiani, ILT; Murray Frank, McCormack Institute; Elaine Guiney, Community Services; Midori Hayashi, College of Arts & Sciences; Angela



UMass/Boston donation of \$3016 to Globe Santa Fund was presented by Vice Chancellor C. Thomas Baxter to Globe's Kathy Vejvoda, center. At the presentation were, left to right: Kim Chi Ong, Garry Pierre-Louis, Associate Provost Joseph Tribble and Becky Lam Hsu.

Hines, CPCS; Charles Joyce, Physical Plant; Claire Joyce Donahue, Student Affairs; Prudence King, Extended Day;

Jeff Krumrine, Student Senate; Colleen Lopes, Board of Trustees. Also, Anita Miller, Clark Center; Mariellen Norris, Special Events;

Joseph O'Brien, Alumni Affairs; Muriel Ridley, Chancellor's Office; Robert Spayne, Graduate Studies; Forrest Speck, Auxiliary Services.

## Co-workers honor Anna Pires



Anna Pires of Dorchester, veteran receptionist at UMass/Boston's Student Activities area, was feted by fellow workers on her 17-year retirement. Here she poses with Clare Joyce Donahue, Dean of Students, and Associate Vice Chancellor James Morris. Co-workers sent a stretch limo to pick up Anna on her final work day.

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## Renowned French musician to perform at UMass/Boston

Renowned French guitarist, composer and singer Dan Ar Bras will give performances at UMass/Boston's McCormack Theatre on Thursday, February 25, 1988 at 11:15 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

The programs are sponsored by the new Centre National de la Chanson at UMass/Boston and will include instrumental pieces as well as songs in both French and English.

Dan Ar Bras has been acclaimed as one of the world's best guitarists. He was born in the uniquely Celtic French province of Breton and started playing electric guitar in French rock 'n' roll dance bands in the late 1960s. He since has toured and played all over the world.

He worked with Alan Stivell and eventually went solo and released three award-winning albums for WEA-France. He was a star at major music festivals held in Edinburgh, Vienna, Belfast, Winnipeg, Vancouver and Seattle.

Dan Ar Bras is noted for his innovative and experimental compositions as well as for strong guitar technique. Melody Maker Magazine hailed him as "one of the world's best guitarists."



Guitarist Dan Ar Bras

Ar Bras lives in Quimper, Brittany, section of France that juts into the Atlantic Ocean. His music has been strongly influenced by this area.

Tickets for the 11:15 a.m. performance are \$4 and \$7 for the 7:30 p.m. show. For further information, contact Brian Thompson at 929-7650 or 497-0759.



Governor Michael S. Dukakis has recommended \$11,340,000 for UMass/Boston as part of his projected \$440 million long-range capital outlay program for higher education in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Included in the proposal is \$1.2 million for a long-awaited student services building for the Harbor Campus.

"We are committed to providing public higher education of the highest quality and ensuring that this system is responsive to a broad spectrum of educational needs," said Governor Dukakis.

"This comprehensive system ensures that all citizens of the Commonwealth have the opportunity to further their education at a level appropriate to their interests, abilities and preparedness.

"Education plays a vital role in the Commonwealth's economic growth and success. The remarkable strength of the Massachusetts economy today is founded on the production, distribution and application of knowledge."

## Gov. Dukakis requests \$11.3M for UMB construction projects

Chancellor Robert Corrigan expressed his delight at the support for UMass/Boston demonstrated by the Governor in his recommendation of funding for the renovation of the Park Square Building and the construction of a Student Union at the Harbor Campus.

Gov. Dukakis introduced a 10-year capital program to expand and upgrade facilities in 1986, encompassing 27 institutions which serve more than 180,000 students on 29 campuses.

The plan, entitled "Building

Educational Opportunity for the 21st Century," is designed to promote two fundamental goals—excellence in education and

research plus access to educational opportunities.

Breakdown of the initial \$11,340,000 proposed for UMass/Boston:

- \$9 million for a study, preparation of plans and repairs and renovations to the Downtown Campus at 250 Stuart Street,

including the cost of furnishing and equipments.

*Governor Dukakis introduced a 10-year capital program in 1986 to expand and upgrade facilities, encompassing 27 institutions which serve more than 180,000 students on 29 campuses.*

- \$1,100,000 for the preparation of plans and construction of repairs and renovations to the Harbor Campus.

- \$1,200,000 for a study and preparation of plans for a student services building for the Harbor Campus.

- \$40,000 for the study and preparation of plans for the repair and renovation of laboratories.

Gov. Dukakis noted that "our objectives will not be achieved overnight. Our plan recognizes the need for a sustained effort over the next decade in order to realize our objectives..."

"Both enrollments and applications at our campuses have continued to increase at all levels, despite statistics indicating that the number of high school seniors is declining.

"This is because we are serving a growing group of non-traditional students. The student profile of the 1990s is likely to consist increasingly of adult, part-time learners."

## Charles U. Daly appointed Director of JFK Library

The appointment of Charles U. Daly, the new director of the John F. Kennedy Library, was announced by The National Archives and Records Administration by Frank Burke, Acting Archivist of the United States.

Caroline Kennedy, President of the John F. Kennedy Library Foundation, and John F. Kennedy, Jr., Vice Chairperson of the Foundation, presided at the press conference.

"We are very pleased with the selection of Mr. Daly," said Caroline Kennedy. "His academic

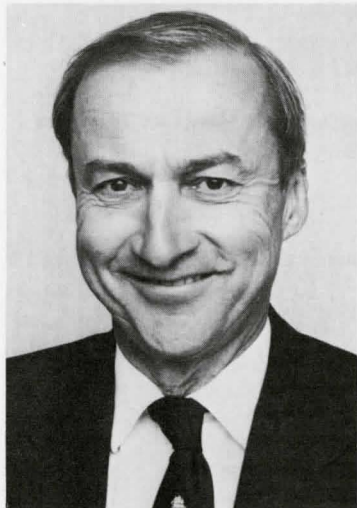
experience combined with a broad knowledge of government and community affairs will add a new and enriching dimension to the Library's administration."

Mr. Daly's distinguished career includes serving as the staff assistant to President John F. Kennedy for Congressional Liaison between 1961 and 1964. He also served as the Vice President for Government and Community Affairs at Harvard University from 1971 through 1976.

Most recently, Mr. Daly was the President of the Joyce Foundation in Chicago, an organization which awards grants in the fields of government and education, among others.

Senator Edward M. Kennedy said: "Chuck Daly is an exceptional choice for Jack's Library. He brings a distinguished record of public service and philanthropy to the position, and I look forward to working closely with him in the years ahead."

Since its opening in October of 1979 at its scenic harbor location on Boston's Columbia Point peninsula, The Kennedy Library has drawn over 2,300,000 visitors to its museum of the life and times of John and Robert Kennedy, more than 280,000 to its evening educational functions, and over 15,000 researchers to its rich archival collections.



Charles U. Daly



Dr. Linda A. Kime

## Dr. Linda A. Kime named Associate Provost at UMB

Dr. Linda A. Kime of Cambridge has been named Associate Provost for Education Technology, it was announced by Dr. Betty J. Diener, UMass/Boston's Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Provost.

She had served as Associate Professor of Math and Computer Science.

"Dr. Kime's appointment will enable us to continue the development of our academic computing activities as well as to become far more sophisticated in our use of educational technology in additional areas of educational videotapes, teleconference, interactive discs, etc.," said Provost Diener.

Dr. Kime received a B.A. in mathematics from Wellesley College, an M.S. and Ph.D. in mathematics from Cornell University. She worked as a teaching fellow at the University of Pennsylvania and Cornell.

Dr. Kime taught mathematics and computer science at Boston State College, 1970-81.

She has been a tenured Associate Professor in UMass/Boston's Department of Mathematics since 1982 and has been Director of Computer Use Development since 1984.



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she was a member of the graduate faculty at City University of New York. She also served as associate provost at UMass/Amherst. Previously, she taught at Washington State University, UCLA and held visiting positions at Oberlin and Williams College.

Chancellor Jenifer will appear with UMass Vice President Edgar Smith on a panel to be held Monday, February 22, 6-9 p.m., at the College of Public and Community Service, Downtown Campus, 250 Stuart Street. CPCS Acting Dean Charles Desmond will serve as moderator.

Topic of the program: "Retention of Minority Students in Higher Education."

Mr. Brown's presentation will take place on Wednesday, February 24 in Lipke Auditorium on the Harbor Campus at 7:30 p.m. The



Dr. Franklyn Jenifer

theme: "Blacks Forging Ahead in the '80's."

The program is jointly spon-



Director Tony Brown

sored by the Student Activities Distinguished Lecture Series and the Trotter Institute.

Brown has distinguished himself as a producer, educator, writer and film producer. Black Enterprise magazine called him "Television's Civil Rights Crusader."

He is best known as a journalist. His column is syndicated nationally in more than 100 newspapers and his TV series "Tony Brown's Journal" is the nation's longest-running and top-ranked Black Affairs Series. It is seen on more than 240 public TV stations.

Brown was the founding dean of the School of Communications at Howard University, where he established a distinguished academic and professional record.

His company, New York-based Tony Brown Productions, Inc., publishes a quarterly magazine, and markets videotapes and movies from a collection called "The Library of Black History."

## Black History Month Calendar of Events

■ *Through Saturday, Feb. 13*

**DuBois Exhibit: Sixteen Framed Panels**  
Community Art Gallery, CPCS, \*10-4 daily  
Sponsored by CPCS

■ *Thursday, Feb. 11 12:00 - 2:30 p.m.*

**African Film Series: CARAVANS OF GOLD and KINGS AND CITIES**  
Wheatley Hall 3/143

Sponsored by Dept. of Black Studies & Student Activities

■ *Thursday, Feb. 11 3:30 p.m.*

**"Education and Empowerment of Black Women: Necessity for a New Era"**

Johnetta Cole, President of Spelman College  
Faculty Lounge, Healey Library 11th Floor  
Sponsored by the William Monroe Trotter Institute

■ *Thursday, Feb. 11 6:00-9:00 p.m.*

**"Advancing the Intellectual Development of Minority Youths and Adults"**

Lecture and Presentation by Verna Ford, Efficacy Committee, Inc.  
First Floor Lounge, CPCS  
Sponsored by CPCS

■ *Tuesday, Feb. 16 7:00 p.m.*

**Harlem Renaissance: A Theatrical Vision of Harlem in the 20's**

Presented by The Boston Arts Group  
McCormack Theater  
Sponsored by William Monroe Trotter Institute

■ *Thursday, Feb. 18 12:00-2:30*

**African Film Series: THE BIBLE AND THE GUN and THE MAGNIFICENT AFRICAN CAKE**  
Wheatley 3/143

Sponsored by Dept. of Black Studies & Student Activities

■ *Thursday, Feb. 18 6:00 p.m.*

**"Black Images in Progression... Past... Present... Future"**

Lecture and Slide Presentation by Sharoll Williams  
First Floor Lounge, CPCS  
Sponsored by CPCS

■ *Friday, Feb. 19 5:00-9:00 p.m.*

**"A Day in Solidarity with the Black Community"**

Presentations by Community Organizations  
McCormack Theater  
Sponsored by The Black Student Center

■ *Monday, Feb. 22 6:00-9:00 p.m.*

**"Retention of Minority Students in Higher Education"**

Guest Speakers, Chancellor of Higher Education Franklyn Jenifer and Vice President Edgar Smith; Vice Chancellor Charles Desmond, Moderator First Floor Lounge, CPCS  
Sponsored by CPCS

■ *Wednesday, Feb. 24 7:30 p.m.*

**"Blacks Forging Ahead in the 80's"**

Lecture Presentation by Tony Brown, TV Host  
Lipke Auditorium, Science Bldg.

Reception will follow

Sponsored by Student Activities & William Monroe Trotter Institute

■ *Thursday, Feb. 25 12:00-2:30*

**African Film Series: THE RISE OF NATIONALISM and THE LEGACY**  
Wheatley 3/143

Sponsored by Dept. of Black Studies & Student Activities

■ *Thursday, Feb. 25 2:30 p.m.*

**"The Literary Ties That Bind:**

**Afro-Hispanic Writing and the Black Universal Dialogue"**

Yvonne Captain-Hidalgo, Trotter Institute Fellow  
Assistant Professor, Washington University  
Troy Colloquium Room, Wheatley 2nd Floor  
Sponsored by William Monroe Trotter Institute

■ *Thursday, Feb. 25 6:00 p.m.*

**Skip and Stephanie: A Stage Reading for Discussion**

Presented by The New African Company  
First Floor Lounge, CPCS  
Sponsored by CPCS

■ *Monday, Feb. 29 6:00 p.m.*

**Cle Douglass Dance Troup: Afro-American and Caribbean Dance**

Lipke Auditorium, Science Bldg.  
Sponsored by The Black Student Center & William Monroe Trotter Institute

■ *Tuesday, March 1 6:00 p.m.*

**"Who Killed Maurice Bishop:**

**Colonel Oliver North's Role in Grenada"**

Lecture and Slide Presentation by William Worthly  
The Library Mezzanine, CPCS / Sponsored by CPCS

All events are free and open to the public.