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## **AUTHOR WILL FOCUS ON BLACK TEXAS WOMEN**

The TWU Blagg-Huey Library and the Woman's Collection will host noted Texas author Ruthe Winegarten for a special lecture titled "Black Texas Women: 150 Years of Trial and Triumph" (also the title of her newest book) on Thurs., Feb. 22, at 3:30 p.m., library lecture hall 101. The event, which includes a book signing and light refreshments, is free and open to the public; all faculty, staff and students are invited to attend. For more information, call ext. 2665.

Published by the University of Texas Press in 1995, *Black Texas Women: 150 Years of Trial and Triumph* represents a significant addition to the state's history and women's contributions. Winegarten has written, co-authored or edited eight books about Texas women and Texas history, including the award-winning *Texas Women, A Pictorial History: From Indians to Astronauts* (recently revised as *Governor Ann Richards and Other Texas Women: From Indians to Astronauts*). Her other books include: *I Am Annie-Mae: The Personal Story of a Black Texas Woman*; *Citizens at Last: The Woman Suffrage Movement in Texas*; and *Deep in the Heart: The Lives and Legends of Texas Jews*.

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## **MENDING MUSIC MAKERS IS GOOD MEDICINE**

Mending the music makers -- rather music and medicine -- will be the focus of a two-day seminar, "Applications of Medicine and Music," presented by the Federation of North Texas Area Universities on Fri. and Sat., Feb. 23 and 24, at the University of North Texas; UNT, TWU and East Texas State University comprise the federation's member institutions. Several TWU faculty will participate: Dr. Nicki Cohen, Dr. Donald Michel and Joan Wall (all performing arts, music).

The program is free to FNTAU students and faculty; registration for others interested in attending are: \$46 for other professionals (price includes lunch); \$50 for late or on-site registration; \$10 for continuing education certification; and \$10 for lunch on Feb. 23. *The deadline for registration is Fri., Feb. 9.* For registration, call the UNT office of continuing education at (817) 565-2600; for program information, call Dr. John Flohr (performing arts, music) at ext. 2511. "This program is designed for professional musicians, student musicians, music educators, studio instructors and health care professionals who are interested in musicians' health," said Flohr.

Guest lecturers will include: Dr. Alice Brandfonbrener, physician and director of the medical program for performing artists, Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago; Dr. John Hipple, clinical psychologist, Musician Health and Wellness; Dr. Stan Ingram, director, Texas Institute for Research and Studies in Aging; Dr. George V. Kondraske, director, University of Texas at Arlington Human Performance Institute; Dr. Richard Lederman, physician and director, Medical Center for Performing Artists, Cleveland Clinic Foundation; Dr. Susan Raeburn, clinical psychologist, Musician Health and Wellness (Berkeley, Calif.); Dr. Bernard Rubin (D.O.), chief of rheumatology, department of internal medicine, UNT Health Science Center at Fort Worth; and Dr. Michael H. Thaut, director, Center for Biomedical Research in Music, Colorado State University.

## **NOTED AUTHOR, PLAYWRIGHT VISITING TWU**

Reminder: Nationally noted African-American author and playwright J. California Cooper will visit TWU on Tues. and Wed., Feb. 6 and 7, to help TWU celebrate her work. An award-winning author, Cooper will conduct several sessions and discuss "In Search of Satisfaction " -- the title theme for her presentations at TWU, as well as the name of her latest book.

The general public, the campus community and other interested persons are invited to attend a two-hour presentation on Tues., Feb. 6, from 7 to 9 p.m. in Margo Jones Performance Hall. The cost to attend is \$3 for general admission; all TWU faculty, staff, students and alumni will be admitted free. Tickets for the Feb. 7 evening presentation may be purchased through the TWU office of student activities in room 206 of the Student Center; for information, call (817) 898-3611. *All TWU students, faculty, staff and alumni who plan to attend are asked to pick up complimentary tickets in advance from student activities for admission to the Tuesday event.*

On Wed., Feb. 7, Cooper will meet students, faculty, staff and others during a book signing at 9 a.m. in SC 207. She then will conduct a free open presentation at 11 a.m. in MCL auditorium. Everyone is invited. All activities for the event are presented by the TWU department of English, speech and foreign languages, the office of student activities, the office of intercultural services and the committee for campus climate and community. For information, call ext. 3601.

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## **LIBRARY OFFERS SEVERAL PATRON SERVICES**

The Blagg-Huey Library is offering several services of interest to patrons, according to Nancy Durr (library administration). For more information, call the circulation desk at 8-1-3719.

■ The library's "Spring 1996 Training and Registration Catalog of Tours, Workshops and Short Courses" can be picked up by TWU faculty, staff and students at any of the TWU libraries or in the academic computing lab in Stoddard Hall on the Denton campus. The catalog also may be viewed on the library's Internet page under "news and events." These workshops, short courses and tours are coordinated by the TWU libraries and academic computing services.

■ Beginning this spring, the TWU libraries will offer patrons a "214" area code telephone number renewal -- (214) 689-6602 -- in addition to the current "817" number, (817) 898-3786. This service is available 24 hours daily by voice mail. Patrons who call to use the renewal service should have their social security number ready, plus names of the items they need to renew. Inter-library loan materials still must be renewed in person at either a Denton or Dallas campus library.

■ A new renewal service now offered uses e-mail. Patrons must have an active TWU Venus account to take advantage of this service. From the Venus main menu, choose "TL" (TWU library), followed by "REN" (renewal of library materials) from the library menu.

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## **NOMINATIONS SOUGHT FOR OUTSTANDING SENIORS**

Nominations of TWU students for the Outstanding Senior Award are being sought by the TWU National Alumnae Association. These nominations must be submitted by Fri., March 1, for the Denton campus and the Institute of Health Sciences Dallas and Houston Centers.

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## **OUTSTANDING SENIORS, *continued***

Student nominations from Denton should be sent to the alumni office; from Dallas to Dr. Michael Laman; and from Houston to Dr. Kathryn Stream. The awards will be presented during Honors Convocation on April 18, 1996. Departments may submit two nominations. The selection committee will recommend one or more members of the senior class, based on the nominee's academic achievement, involvement in extracurricular activities and contributions to university life. Seniors whose graduation dates are May, August or December 1996 are eligible. Students may submit their own names to their department head for consideration.

Details regarding the nomination process and necessary information may be obtained from the alumni office. *Faculty and staff are encouraged to seriously consider students who may qualify for this important honor.* For more information, call Donna Ryan at ext. 2586, or visit the office of alumni relations in new facilities on East University Drive at the north end of campus.

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## **GUEST PIANIST FEATURED AT RECITAL**

Internationally known pianist and author Dr. Maurice Hinson will present a free lecture piano recital titled "Women Composers of Piano Music" at TWU on Wed., Feb. 14, at 8 p.m. in Margo Jones Performance Hall. The campus community and the general public are invited. His selections will include works by Elisabetta de Gambarini, Marianne Martinez, Louise Farrenc, Maria Szymanowska, Fanny Mendelssohn-Henselt, Clara Wieck-Schumann, Agathe Bocker-Grondahl, Teresa Carreno, Amy Marcy Beach, Wanda Landowska and Adaline Shepherd.

Hinson, a senior professor of music (piano) at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky., is a prolific author and recognized authority on piano literature. He has published numerous texts and articles on piano repertoire, including several popular references: *Guide to the Pianist's Repertoire*; *The Piano in Chamber Ensemble*; *Music for Piano and Orchestra*; and *Music for More Than One Piano*. He has written a number of annotated teaching editions of piano music by most of the major keyboard composers, and he is author of an article titled "Survey of Piano Music in the USA," published in the *New Grove Dictionary of American Music*. The guest lecturer/pianist has performed throughout the United States, as well as Canada, England, France, Germany, the Netherlands, Mexico, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Japan and Australia. He maintains an active performance schedule, in addition to his teaching. For details, ext. 2517.

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## **UPDATE ON TWU ATHLETICS**

Gymnastics and basketball continue through the winter months, with a number of activities on the calendar. Through Jan. 27, 1996, the TWU Pioneers basketball team was ranked 6th in the Lone Star Conference (10-9, 4-6), playing better than .500 at the season's midpoint. TWU gymnasts have spent much time on the road at the beginning of their season, competing against a number of Division I teams. The home opener will be held Fri., Feb. 27, at 7 p.m., DGL, against Iowa State University. The team is working to improve total points earned at each meet.

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## **FUNDRAISING WORKSHOP SET**

A free workshop titled "Fundraising Fundamentals" will be held on Fri., Feb. 23, SH 402, from 1 to 4 p.m. The free workshop for faculty, staff and students will be presented by TWU graduate student Suzanne Killen (Library and Information Studies). Kathleen Gigl (institutional advancement) will be special guest speaker. Seating is limited; registration for the event is required by Feb. 19. For more information, call the School of Library and Information Studies at ext. 2602; interested persons also can call Killen at (817) 484-4951 or e-mail her at G\_Killen

Principals and strategies for initiating and building a successful fundraising development program will be discussed. "The workshop information is relevant to any individual or organization involved in fundraising; however, raising private money for public libraries will be emphasized," said Killen. "I hope participants will gain more than an understanding of philanthropic fundraising. I want everyone to leave this workshop as real advocates." In November, Killen attended The Fund Raising School of the Indiana University Center on Philanthropy and completed its one-week course titled "Principles and Techniques of Fundraising."

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## **NEWSBRIEFS**

***TWU's annual service recognition program*** will be held on Wed., Feb. 14, at 3 p.m. in the southeast room of Hubbard Hall. A reception in the foyer will follow the program. The campus community, family and friends are invited to attend. A complete list of the honorees will be printed in the Feb. 12 issue of *TWU Update*. For details, call the office of human resources at ext. 3555.

***Reminder: The TWU committee*** on campus climate and community will present a program on Thurs., Feb. 8, titled "Working with Difficult People.". The free program will be held from 3 to 4:30 p.m. on ACT 3. The campus community is invited to attend. The program will feature Dr. Connie Sitterly, TWU adjunct professor (business and economics), who also is founder and chief executive officer of Management Training Specialists, based in Fort Worth. For information, call the office of student life at ext. 3601.

***Something more to dance about....***The TWU programs in dance in the department of visual arts recently was named by *Dance Teacher Now* as one of the top 10 programs in the U.S. Dr. Penelope Hanstein (performing arts, dance) pointed out that the designation was the result of a 1995 survey of dance program peers (department heads or program chairs). "To be recognized by your peers as one of the top dance programs in the country truly is an honor," she said. In the survey, TWU's program especially was noted for faculty/student ratio, academic level, facilities and resources, cost, opportunity for employment during and after enrollment, teaching training, and supervised experience.

The other institutions mentioned in the magazine's "Dance Career Guide" included Ohio State University, Florida State University, the University of Utah, the State University of New York-Purchase, Arizona State University, Temple University, the University of Illinois-Champaign/Urbana, the Juilliard School and the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor.

***The TWU Faculty Senate*** will meet on Fri., Feb. 9, at 10 a.m., SC 206.

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**NEWSBRIEFS, continued**

**Reminder: A special group of people** is "Setting the Stage" right now for fun, fellowship and good food during the 1996 celebration of TWU Founders' Day on Fri., Feb. 16. The fun begins at 6:30 p.m. in Hubbard Hall (east entrance) with a traditional pancake supper (with batter mix donated by Morrison Milling of Denton), fruit and sausage. "Setting the Stage: A Musical Review" follows, written by Kay Goodman, TWU regent and alumna. The program features TWU's Simply Jazz/Choraliers, directed by Pamela O'Brient (performing arts, music). *Advance registration is requested no later than Tues., Feb. 13*; tickets are \$8 per person. For more information, call ext. 2586.

**Offices and departments on campus that need overnight mail services** must send their materials to the mailroom by 3 p.m. each day. During the regular 5-day work week, the mailroom is open from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; the regular mail leaves at 5 p.m. Offices and departments that need to use TWU's courier service to Dallas should have their mail in the mailroom by 8 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. For details, call ext. 3199.

**Reminder: During Financial Aid Awareness Week**, February 5-9, staff members in the TWU office of financial aid have scheduled a number of activities for faculty, staff and students designed to teach the "who, what, when, where, why and how" of applying for funds to get through school. Special workshops teaching students how to fill out financial aid forms will be held on Tuesdays now through April 2 from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. or on Fridays from Feb. 2 through March 29, from 9 to 10 a.m., in Denton. Additional activities have been scheduled at the TWU Institute of Health Sciences Dallas and Houston Centers. For information, call ext. 3050.

**The Academic Advising Center** will conduct its semi-annual workshop, "Effective Academic Advising," on Fri., Feb. 23, in JH 239 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Persons interested in attending are asked to call ext. 3850 if they plan to attend or if they need more information. Topics will include the core curriculum, the TASP requirements, campus resources, the role and scope of the academic advisor and other areas. An optional afternoon session will be held at 1:30 p.m.; during this program, participants will learn how to access advising information through "Colleague." Call Lana Woods (Academic Advising Center) for more information.

**Reminder: A tax seminar and workshop** for international students will be held on Fri., Feb. 9, SC 105, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. A tax expert from the Internal Revenue Service will present general information at 9 a.m.; he will bring necessary tax forms and will remain on campus until 3 p.m. to help students complete the forms. U.S. immigration law requires that all international students must send an annual report to the IRS -- whether or not they have earned any income during the previous year. **Any international student who has enrolled at TWU for any portion of 1995 must complete a tax return.** For details, call Doris Key (admissions) at ext. 3048.

**The office of admissions will host a Saturday Visit** for prospective students on Feb. 17 from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the SC Underground. A continental breakfast will be served to participants -- high school juniors and seniors -- and an informal program will include information about preparing for college and selecting a major. Campus tours also will be offered. For more information, call ext. 3014.

**The TWU Science and Mathematics Center for Women** will host two programs this month. "Expanding Your Horizons: A Career Conference for Young Women" will be held on  
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**NEWSBRIEFS, continued**

Sat., Feb. 10, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., MCL, for 7th- and 8th-grade girls from the Lewisville and Denton areas. The program is sponsored by the Lewisville and Denton chapters of AAUW, the Math/Science Network and TWU's center. Several weeks later, on Feb. 24, the center will host its annual science fair in the southeast and southwest rooms of Hubbard Hall. Students in public, private and parochial schools in grades kindergarten through 12 from a broad geographical area have been invited to participate. For details, call Cathy Banks at ext. 2769.

**Reminder:** *A support group for women of color* has been started through the TWU Counseling Center. Group sessions are scheduled every Tuesday from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the center. Group sessions will begin as soon as five women choose to participate and will continue through April 23; facilitators will be Hazel Prelow and Valerie Lemon. Call ext. 3801 for details.

**Mortar Board is accepting applications** from TWU seniors who are graduating no earlier than December 1996 and who have earned a minimum grade point average of 3.25. The membership fee is approximately \$50 and must be paid prior to initiation (financial assistance is available in special cases). For details and requirements, contact chapter president Tami Bannister at (817) 241-6198. Application for membership must be made by March 1, 1996.

**The ninth annual Student Conference on Latino Affairs** will be held Feb. 8-11 at Texas A&M University. The theme is "Nuestra Gente: Echoes of the Past, Voices of the Future," and registration is \$40. For information, call the office of intercultural services at ext. 3679.

**In honor of Black History Month**, the TWU Blagg-Huey Library will hold a one-day class about minority resources available on the Internet. The workshop will be held Mon., Feb. 19, from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m., SH 313. Registration must be made through academic computing; the course number is RT120.01. For details, call Jimmie Harris (library) at ext. 3740.

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**UPDATE ON TWU PEOPLE**

Dr. **Derrell Bulls** (business and economics), chair of the governing board for Denton Regional Medical Center, has received a three-year appointment as a member of the American Hospital Association's committee on governance. The committee is responsible for the oversight of AHA trustee programs and initiatives in the areas of policy, advocacy, education and community leadership. The group comprises 24 members; two are from Texas.

In December, TWU's student organization **Sigma Pi Beta** (business and economics) chaired the "Spirit of Christmas Dream Child Campaign" and coordinated contributions from several business sororities on campus, according to **Marilyn Purnell**, president. "Collectively, we were able to donate \$1,078 to the 'Spirit of Christmas Campaign' sponsored by Bank One," said Purnell. Randall McDonald, president/market manager for Bank One, reported that a late plea came in from Child Protective Services requesting gifts. "Thanks to TWU's support, Bank One was able to complete a wish list for 50 additional children," said Purnell. "We are proud of the efforts and contributions made by each sorority and thank everyone for their support!"

Sympathy is expressed to **Ellen Whitley** (financial aid) and her family on the death of her mother Dec. 26 and to **Cynthia Loggins** (financial aid) and her family on the death of her father Jan. 27.

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**TWU PEOPLE**, *continued*

Dr. **Linda Sluder** (early childhood and special education) has been selected by the executive director of the South African Congress for Early Childhood Development to lead the citizen ambassador international team on "early childhood and development" to Johannesburg, South Africa, in August.

Two TWU music education graduates will present research at the Texas Music Educator's Association convention in San Antonio Feb. 16. **Katie Ashby** will present "An Analysis of Compositional Processes Used by Children," and **Melanie Craighead Moore** will present "The Adolescent Male Changing Voice: A Study of Age and Attitudinal Comparisons."

**Yvonne Price** (Nursing, Dallas) will present "No More Lollipops: Nursing Care of Children in the 90s" for the Methodist Medical Center on Feb. 21 and again on March 21.

Dr. **Margaret Beard** (Nursing) is the editor of *Theory Construction and Testing*, 1995 edition, published by Tucker Publications, Inc. Several faculty and doctoral students contributed to the publication.

A retirement party was held Jan. 31 for **Arlene Kerr** (bookstore, Dallas), who retired after more than 26 years of service to TWU. Kerr worked in the Denton bookstore for 10 years before assuming the store supervisor position at the Dallas bookstore.

**Norma Davidson** (performing arts, music) received a plaque of recognition recently for her 20 years of dedicated membership to the American String Teachers Association.

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**THIS WEEK AT TWU: FEBRUARY 5-11, 1996**

Nov. 1-Feb. 28            -Blagg-Huey Library Exhibit: "The Ribbon," panels of exhibits to recall the first use of the atomic bomb 50 years ago; all day. (Ext. 3752)

Jan. 15-Feb. 16           -Visual Arts exhibit: "African American Extended Family," Fine Arts Gallery, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. (Ext. 2530)

Feb. 1-29                -Black History Month.

Feb. 1-March 1           -Blagg-Huey Library exhibit: "Elehcim's Art Works, art by Michelle Washington; Woman's Collection Reading Room, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Mon.-Thurs.,            -Blagg-Huey Library open 8 a.m.-midnight.  
Feb. 5-8                -Bookstore open 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m.  
                              -Learning Assistance brown bag seminar: "Listening and Taking Notes,"  
CFO 106, 12:15-1 p.m. (Ext. 2046)

Mon.-Fri.,                -Financial Aid Awareness Week (Ext. 3050)  
Feb. 5-9

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**CALENDAR**, *continued*

- Mon., Feb. 5            -Financial aid training, ACT 3, noon-1:30 p.m. (Ext. 3050)  
                             -Blagg-Huey Library training: Research Tools 102 You're First with  
First Search, SH 313, 3 p.m. (Ext. 3702)  
                             -RHA meeting, Guinn Commons, room 101, 8 p.m. (Ext. 3618)
- Tues., Feb. 6            -Financial Aid "curb service": pick up financial aid forms and ask financial  
aid questions; SC 2nd floor, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. (Ext. 3050)  
                             -Blagg-Huey Library training: Research Tools 104 Touring CD-ROM,  
library lecture hall 101, 3 p.m. (Ext. 3702)  
                             -Committee for Campus Climate and Community: "In Search of  
Satisfaction," author J. California Cooper, MJPH, 7 p.m. (Ext. 3611)
- Wed., Feb. 7            -Last day to withdraw from the university, dropping all classes, and  
receive at least 25% of refundable tuition and fees. (Ext. 3047)  
                             -Committee for Campus Climate and Community: reception/book  
signing for J. California Cooper, SC 207, 9-10:30 a.m.; dialogue  
with classes, J. California Cooper, MCL auditorium, 11 a.m. (Ext. 3601)  
                             -Blagg-Huey Library training: Basics 108 Seeing the Sights: The  
S.I.T.E. Lab, 3 p.m. (Ext. 3702)  
                             -Financial Aid "curb service": pick up financial aid forms and ask  
financial aid questions; Guinn Commons, 4-7 p.m. (Ext. 3050)
- Thurs., Feb. 8            -Blagg-Huey Library training: Research Tools 101 On with the  
Online Catalog: IRIS, library lecture hall 101, 9 a.m. (Ext. 3702)  
                             -Committee for Campus Climate and Community: "Working With  
Difficult People," Dr. Connie Sitterly (business and economics),  
ACT 3, 3-4:30 p.m. (Ext. 3601)  
                             -Financial Aid curb service": pick up financial aid forms and ask  
financial aid questions; library lobby, 3- 6 p.m. (Ext. 3050)
- Fri., Feb. 9            -Blagg-Huey Library open 8 a.m.- 9 p.m.; Bookstore open 8 a.m.-4 p.m.  
-Tax seminar/workshop for international students, SC 105, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.  
-Faculty Senate meeting, SC 207, 10 a.m. (Ext. 3393)  
-Teacher ed. program enrollment meeting #1, MCL 911, 9:30 a.m.-noon.  
-Biology Department seminar: presentation by Ann Bowcock, UTSWMC;  
CFO 205, 3 p.m. (Ext. 2351)  
-Blagg-Huey Library training: Research Tools 105 Internet: Searching the  
Internet, SH 313, 3 p.m. (Ext. 3702)  
-University Club social hour: Grace & George Gilkeson's home, 5-7 p.m.
- Sat., Feb. 10            -Blagg-Huey Library open 9 a.m.-6 p.m.; Bookstore closed.  
-Science and Math Center for Women: "Expanding Your Horizons," MCL,  
8 a.m.-1 p.m., career workshop for girls (Ext. 2769)  
-Visual Arts workshop: "University Visual Arts Experience," for high  
school art students; participants must pre-register by Feb. 1. (Ext. 2530)  
-Performing arts, dance: Graduate auditions, DGL, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.
- Sun., Feb. 11            -Blagg-Huey Library open 2 p.m.-midnight.; Bookstore closed.



