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ANNOUNCEMENT

As many of you know, Mary Scott Molson will be leaving her position as Confidential Assistant in the Executive Office at the end of the month. She is leaving secretarial duties behind and is launching into a new career in sales and marketing. Mary has her own fashion consulting business. We wish her success.

We welcome Doreen Sharan who will join the Executive Office team on a temporary basis. Doreen will be Confidential Assistant with primarily responsibility for the Vice President, Finance. The permanent position has been posted.

COMINGS AND GOINGS

Effective September 26, 1994 to approximately November 18, 1994, Cassandra Huang, Campus Telephone Operator/Receptionist, will be replacing Doreen Sharan as Secretary to the Director of College Services, Karen Kelly. Cassandra will be handling matters relating to College Services including the Workstudy Program as well as Switchboard and Mailroom concerns. Please drop by and introduce yourself to Cassandra. She will be located outside of Room 4053 at local 7004.

During this period of time, Fatima Minoo will be covering the Switchboard while Janice Fernandez will be the Campus Mail Clerk.

Janice is new to the College so please introduce yourself to her if you are in the vicinity of the Mailroom. She can be reached at local 7026.

NAVIGATING THE INTERNET

Vancouver Community College Library and Media Services, in conjunction with the Electronic Library Network and the Langara/VCC Shared Library Services, are offering a new service called **Gateway Access**. This will permit students, faculty, staff and registered community borrowers to reach databases, networks, gopher and archei sites all over the world - something which the media frequently calls "Navigating the Internet".

All users will have access to a number of destinations. However, due to licensing restrictions, some databases and major Internet resources will be limited to by students, staff, faculty and others who are registered users of the Vancouver Community College Libraries.

For access to the full range of resources via the Gateway link, you must have a VCC Library card with a bar code. All currently enrolled students and faculty can obtain a library card and bar code by simply registering at your campus library.

We hope you will enjoy reaching library

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catalogues, networks, and resources outside our existing library walls. Please remember, however, that when you connect with a remote library, searches must be conducted according to the syntax of the remote system. Please follow the instructions displayed on the screens which will assist you in connecting to and disconnecting from the remote destinations.

You may come into the VCC Libraries and access the Gateway link through library terminals, or you may access them thorough home computers equipped with modems. For details explaining how to use your home computer to tap into the library system, please stop by our reference desks for assistance and information.

Good luck and enjoy.

Brenda Appleton
College Librarian

LIBRARY AND MEDIA SERVICES (LAMS) NEWS

Access to Other Libraries

You are now able to access other libraries' catalogues from the library terminals. Select "GATEWAY ACCESS" from the main menu. At present, four services are available: UBC Library, UVic Library, Vancouver Public Library as well as the Vancouver Regional Freenet. We'll be fine-tuning the system over the next few months. Any comments would be helpful.

Library Hours

Mon.	9:00 - 16:30
Tue, Wed	9:00 - 21:00
Thu, Fri	9:00 - 16:30
Sat, Sun	CLOSED

CASINO REVIEW, PUBLIC MEETINGS

The City of Vancouver is holding a series of public information meetings on its recently released Casino Review Discussion Paper.

Meeting format will include a presentation by City staff on the study's findings, followed by small-group discussion.

The intent is to explore with Vancouver residents those issues raised in the discussion paper. Dates, locations and times for the meetings are as follow:

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| Sept. 14 | Robson Square Media Centre
Ballroom, 800 Robson Street
7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. |
| Sept. 17 | Sheraton Inn Plaza 500
Ballroom, 500 W. 12 Avenue
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon |
| Sept. 20 | Kerrisdale Community Centre
Seniors' Multi-purpose Room
5851 W. Boulevard
7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. |
| Sept. 22 | Carnegie Community Centre
Auditorium, 401 Main Street
2:30- 4:30 p.m. |
| | Oakridge Shopping Centre
Auditorium
318 - 650 W. 41 Avenue
7:30- 9:30 p.m. |
| Sept. 26 | Killarney Community Centre
Banquet Room
6260 Killarney Street
7:30-9:30 p.m. |
| Sept. 28. | P.N.E., Dogwood Room
Renfrew and Hastings (Gate 15) |

Cantonese, French, Punjabi, Spanish
and Vietnamese
Translation services available at this
meeting.
7:30-9:30 p.m.

Following these meetings, City Council will receive submissions and delegations on the casino issue at special evening Council meetings on October 18, 19 and 21, 1994.

The City's Casino Review Discussion Paper is available from the Office of the City Clerk at City Hall, and at all Vancouver Public Library branches. The paper's Executive Summary has been translated into Chinese, French, Punjabi, Spanish and Vietnamese. Copies can be obtained by calling 873-7040.

If you cannot attend these meetings, the City of Vancouver still wants to hear from you. You can send a written submission to:

Office of the City Clerk
453 West 12th Avenue
Vancouver, B.C.
V5Y 1V4

Or, record your views on the Casino Review Talkback Line, 871-6236.

For more information, call 873-7040.

AUTOMOTIVE DEPARTMENT



Please call B.C.A.A.
for assistance if you
have locked your keys in your car.

The Automotive Department will not attempt to open locked vehicles.

Thank you for your kind attention.

FALL BURSARY

Bursary applications will be available from October 03 to 27, 1994.

Financial Aid

CBIE ANNUAL CONFERENCE 1994 EXPANDING HORIZONS THROUGH STUDENT MOBILITY

Students mobility is currently on the agenda of many post-secondary institutions. Educational establishments the world over are starting to see the advantages of encouraging students to experience academic life in another country.

When do Canada and CBIE stand in encouraging greater student mobility?

The original mandate of CBIE was to provide support to overseas students. Student mobility was seen as encouraging students, mainly from Africa and Asia, to come to Canada for higher education. Since then, CBIE's concept, and that of the member institutions, has expanded to include students coming from a variety of developing countries and developed countries who recognize the high calibre of Canadian education.

The concept of "international student" has changed, from the traditional 18-24 years-old in a full-time formal program to encompass trainees, researches, educational tourists, interns, visiting faculty and non-credit learners.

Even among traditional students there has been a shift: there are more graduate students and more graduate women students than ever, and technology has advanced, with distance learning taking on greater significance.

CBIE has had some success in encouraging Canadians to "go international", especially for

work. Study destinations remain largely limited to the West (USA, Britain and France account for 90% of the total). Should we expand the concept to encompass exchanges, short-term training programs or other kinds of Canadian presence in a much large number of countries?

Through our 1994 Annual Conference, on the theme of Expanding Horizons through Student Mobility, we will look at the changing priorities in this area. We will explore the needs of learners and institutions, the changing profile of the learner, imperatives driving the internationalization of our campus, and the growing importance of distance education.

November 03 to 06, 1994
Vancouver Renaissance Hotel
Vancouver British Columbia, Canada

For a preliminary program and application form, contact Cecily May at 871-7178.

THE CANADIAN BUREAU FOR INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

Founded in 1966, with antecedents dating to the 1940's, the Canadian Bureau for International Education (CBIE) is a national non-profit educational organization that promotes international development and intercultural understanding through a variety of educational activities and programs in Canada and abroad.

In order to encourage the involvement of Canadian post-secondary institutions in various aspects of international education, CBIE conducts research projects, organizes conferences, seminars and professional development workshops, provides information and issues publications. It is a resource centre for information on international learners and on the policies and practices which affect them, both in Canada and elsewhere. CBIE also acts

as an agent in developing and administering education and training programs on a contractual basis.

CBIE has an institutional membership of over 100 Canadian universities, community and technical colleges, CEGEPs and school boards, as well as national and local organizations concerned with education and development. A Corporate Partners Program launched in 1993 has ten members keen to develop international education linkages. Many interested individuals are also members.

B.C. ASIA PACIFIC AWARDS PRESENTATION!

12:00 Noon
Wednesday, September 28, 1994
KEC - Room 2063

Come and hear about Alice Wong's trip to Wuxi, China, for which she won an Asia Pacific Award. Find out about applying for the awards also. Students and staff welcome!

Cecily May

B.C. ASIA PACIFIC AWARDS AND MEXICO GRANT PROGRAM FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS AND EMPLOYEES

The deadlines for applications are November 01, 1994, and February 01, 1995. Information about applying for these awards will be available after Alice Wong's presentation at 12:00 noon on Wednesday, September 28, 1994, KEC ROOM 2063. For application forms, please contact Cecily May at 871-7178.

UPCOMING SEMINAR

The following seminar is coming to Vancouver in the near future. If you would like further information, please contact Cassandra Huang at local 7004.

The Indispensable Assistant, November 28, 1994. Holiday Inn Vancouver Centre 711 West Broadway Avenue and December 16, 1994 Vancouver Trade and Convention Centre, 999 Canada Place.

EMAIL WORKSHOP

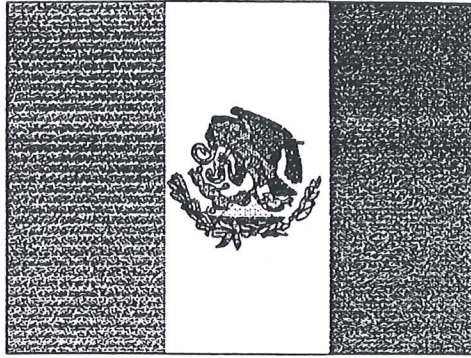
Next E-mail workshop is scheduled on Friday, October 07, 1994, in room 5042 at KEC, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. Persons whose names are on our list will be contacted by phone soon to confirm their interest in coming to this workshop. If you are interested, please call Stanley Foo (local 7085) or drop a note to his mailbox.

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are similar to
those of B.C.
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DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS

November 1st
and
February 1st

THE MEXICO GRANT PROGRAM

Your Opportunity To Work or Study IN MEXICO

If you want to expand your knowledge of Mexico, forge friendships and working relationships with people from Mexico, and share those experiences with fellow British Columbians on your return, you could qualify for the Mexico Grant Program.

The Ministry of Skills, Training and Labour, through the British Columbia Centre for International Education, offers financial awards to public community college or provincial institute students and professional staff eager to develop their understanding of Mexico.

These awards are reserved for people who are keenly committed to cross-cultural understanding, recipients represent Canada abroad and are expected to use the experience to promote understanding at home.

For Professional Staff

The Mexico Grant Program provides financial support enabling recipients to work in an educational institution in Mexico.

For Students

The Mexico Grant Program provides financial support for award recipients attending rigorous programs of study in Mexico.

Eligible Applicants

Must be Canadian Citizens or landed immigrants, and be permanent residents of British Columbia attending/working in a public community college or provincial institute.

and application forms

For further information contact your institutional representative

OR

CECILY MAY
871-7178

British Columbia Centre for International Education

#950-409 Granville St.

Vancouver, B.C., V6C 1T2

Phone: (604) 687-2440

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REGISTRATION FORM

CERTIFICATE IN INTERCULTURAL DEVELOPMENT

Background on the Project

The Canadian Bureau for International Education (CBIE) in cooperation with the British Columbia Centre for International Education (BCCIE) and the Intercultural Training and Resource Centre (ITRC) at the University of British Columbia, has sponsored a pilot project to design a professional development certificate program for International Student Advisors and others involved in international education activities.

The project arose from requests from international education practitioners who felt that an accredited training program would facilitate professional recognition in their field of work.

The learning objective identified for the certificate program was:

to provide formalized intercultural instruction for international student advisors, human resource personnel and international education practitioners wishing to develop understanding and practical skills to be applied within their institution, organization or community.

A national needs assessment has been completed, two focus groups have been conducted and an advisory committee has been formed. A final report including recommendations regarding certificate development, course content and delivery options will be submitted by the project team to CBIE in November.

Relationship of this Workshop to the Certificate Program

The proposed certificate program will consist of five units or modules, each of which will require completion of readings, written assignments and an experiential component. One of the proposed modules will be Programming for International Exchange and will cover the theory and practice of pre-departure, on-arrival and re-entry briefings. The workshop, which will focus on pre-departure orientation, will constitute the experiential component of this module, and participants will be eligible to apply for advanced standing should the full certificate program be developed and launched. Registrants in the workshop are cautioned that this subsequent development will require significant funding and cannot be guaranteed at this time.

PROGRAMMING FOR INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE

A Workshop jointly sponsored by
the British Columbia Centre for International Education and
the UBC Intercultural Training and Resource Centre

November 2 & 3, 1994
8:30a.m. - 5:00p.m. each day
Vancouver Renaissance Hotel
1133 West Hastings Street
Vancouver, B.C.

Registration:

\$185.00 (Includes materials, refreshment breaks and a light lunch each day).

Cheques made payable to BCCIE.

Deadline for Registration is October 14th.

Registration is limited to 2 participants/institution, and we are aiming for representation from every province.

Return registration forms to:

BCCIE
215-409 Granville Street
Vancouver, B.C.
Phone: (604) 687-2440
Fax: (604) 687-4763

Refunds:

No refunds will be issued after October 14th.
Substitutions will be accepted.

Accommodation: 10 Rooms have been block booked at the hotel under the Canadian Bureau for International Education name for November 1 & 2. Deadline for reservations is October 2nd.
Phone: 689-9211.

Institution: _____

Participant's Name: _____

Position: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Fax: _____

Cheque Enclosed: _____

Cheque to Follow: _____

MANAGEMENT SKILLS FOR SUPERVISORS

Just a reminder that Human Resource Development is still taking registrations for this useful and informative Provincial Certificate program. The course builds solid skills which are valuable to those in supervisory or managerial positions, or to anyone wishing to pursue their career development. Please call local 7142 if you require information.

It is unlikely that HRD will offer this program again in the future---please don't miss this opportunity.

MANAGEMENT SKILLS FOR SUPERVISORS

Name: _____ Position: _____

Campus: _____ Department: _____

Phone Local: _____ Date sent to HRD: _____

***Please complete form and return to Carol Harrison,
Human Resource Development, College Administrative Services***

**What's
in a Name?**

Plenty! ...especially when it comes to your new VCC newsletter.

- Now that VCC is an integrated college, our two campus newsletters, **Centricity** and **King Edward Times**, will merge to become one, college-based publication.
- With that in mind, we need your help to get us off the ground in grand style. Please send us your ideas for a name for the newsletter. The **VCC Public Relations and Marketing Committee** will choose a name from your submissions.



The winning entry will receive a \$50 Gift Certificate from J.J.'s Restaurant at City Centre.



**What's
in a Name?**

I think the new college newsletter should be called:

My name: _____

Department: _____

Campus: _____ **Telephone Local:** _____



Please send your suggestions to Karen Kelly, Director of College Services, by Wednesday, September 28.

Learning Centre Hours

Fall/Winter 1994

Basic Hours	
Mon	9:00 - 7:00
Tue	9:00 - 7:00
Wed	9:00 - 7:00
Thu	9:00 - 7:00
Fri	9:00 - 5:00

Math/Science	
Mon	9:00 - 7:00
Tue	9:00 - 7:00
Wed	9:00 - 7:00
Thu	9:00 - 7:00
Fri	9:00 - 5:00

Make-Up Exam Times		
Mon	9:00 - 11:00	4:00 - 7:00
Tue	9:00 - 11:00	4:00 - 7:00
Wed	9:00 - 11:00	4:00 - 7:00
Thu	9:00 - 11:00	4:00 - 7:00
Fri	9:00 - 5:00	

English/Humanities	
Mon	9:00 - 7:00
Tue	9:00 - 7:00
Wed	9:00 - 7:00
Thu	9:00 - 7:00
Fri	10:00 - 4:00

Note that make-up exams must be STARTED and COMPLETED within the scheduled times. NO EXCEPTIONS.

POSITIONS OPENING

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Program Assistant (b), King Edward Campus West, (Homestay Office). This is a temporary position until approximately January 02, 1995. Closing date: September 20, 1994.

Food Services Cashier, Food Services Support Department. City Centre Campus. This is a temporary position until March 31, 1995. Closing date: September 27, 1994.

Associate Deans:

- Applied Arts and Technology Programs.
- Health Science Program.
- Tourism, Hospitality and Service Programs.

Closing date: September 23, 1994.

Denturist, City Centre. Closing date: September 27, 1994.

Confidential Secretary, Executive Office. Closing date: September 30, 1994.

Accounts Receivable Clerk, Financial Services. College Administrative Services. Closing date: September 30, 1994.

Bookstore Cashier, City Centre. This is a temporary position until approximately March 24, 1995. Closing date: September 29, 1994.

Instructional Assistant (Mechanical Trades), King Edward Campus. This is a temporary position until approximately November 25, 1994. Closing date: September 29, 1994.

MISCELLANEOUS

Vice President, Academic - Medicine Hat College. Closing date: September 23, 1994.

Sessional Instructors - Department of Geography, Simon Fraser University. Closing date: September 23, 1994.

Coordinator, Adult Literacy Programs, Urban Colleges, Developmental and Business Programs. Closing date: October 07, 1994.

For further information on these postings please check the VCCFA Bulletin Board in the 4th Floor Administration Department.

CLASSIFICATIONS

For Sale

1 1/2 year old townhouse for sale by owner. 3 bedrooms, large basement, 5 appliances well kept, like new, one underground parking space, off Joyce and East 29th (3400 block Wellington Street, Vancouver, close to Skytrain but you would not notice it!). Phone 438-3899 Alice Wong.

Still a meat eater, but worried about all the drugs fed to animals these days? How about a freezer order of range, grass-fed lamb from the Cariboo which has been raised totally drug free? The meat is very tasty and tender, and is cut and wrapped to your personal specifications. Lamb orders average 40 lbs. each at approximately \$3.05 per lb. Delivery third week of October. For order forms and more information, contact Alison Norman at 871-7431 (KEC North).

