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IT WAS THE BEST EVER UNITED WAY HALLOWEEN COSTUME CONTEST!!!

By now you will know who won the vote for the best costumes seen at VVI on Halloween. You probably even had to buy a couple of extra ballots to vote for all your favourites! The imagination, ingenuity and work that went into making the costumes was awesome, amazing, outstanding, breathtaking, electrifying, and fascinating. Roll on next year's United Way Halloween Costume Contest!!

....AND THE WINNERS ARE!!!

For those of you wondering if you won the gingerbread houses (if you did you should have been notified by now). The lucky winners of the five gingerbread houses are:

- Bob Malone
- Margaret Russell
- Jake McInnis (who will donate his g/b house to Children's Hospital)
- Hillis Johnstone
- Jackie Thrower

If you didn't win a gingerbread house, you can always order one from the Bakery Department!

ETHICS IN THE '80's

On three successive Wednesday evenings in November the department of interdisciplinary studies at Langara invites participation in a series of public lectures on current ethical issues. Topics to be discussed are:

November 09	Animal Rights
November 16	Environmental Ethics: Extremism or Realism
November 23	The Crime of Knowledge

Lectures will start at 7:30 p.m. in Newberry Hall, A130 at Langara and everyone is welcome.

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SOLID GOLD BOOKS

If you missed out on getting the Entertainment '88 books that the Alumni Association was selling, you can buy Solid Gold books from the VVI Bookstore for \$38.00.

ACCOLADES FOR THE COUNSELLING DEPARTMENT

Ian Forsyth of the Counselling Department received a warm letter from Julie Duggan, an MOA student, thanking him for the advice and suggestions he gave her class on study skills and time management. It's encouraging to know that the time and effort given by counselling staff is acknowledged when they receive letters like the one from Julie.

MORE WINNERS....

Trish Knight of the VCC Foundation tells us that Gail Menzies of the New Opportunities for Work (NOW) Program won the October 21 VCC Foundation lottery for the second time! The October 28 winner was John Lauder.

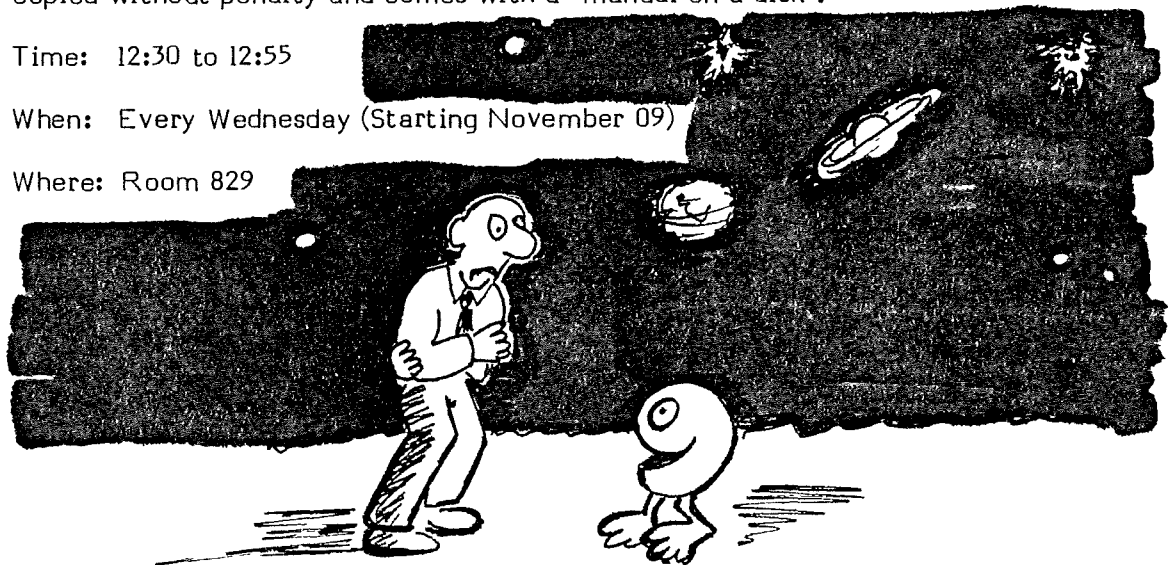
SOFTWARE WEDNESDAYS

Paul Hunt is holding noon hour sessions every wednesday for people wishing to obtain free software, programs that could help make your work more productive and interesting. The software is called SHAREWARE, can be copied without penalty and comes with a "manual on a disk".

Time: 12:30 to 12:55

When: Every Wednesday (Starting November 09)

Where: Room 829



"Think back...which keys did you press?"

DATE: October 28th, 1988
TO: All V.C.C. Employees
FROM: Paul Gallagher, President
RE: Institutional Self-Study--Follow-Up Survey of Employee Opinions

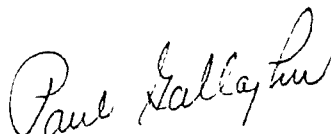
By now, each of you should have received an opinion survey from me. If not, please call 875-1131 (local 346) and one will be sent to you.

To those of you who have already replied, I want to thank you for acting as promptly as you have. To those of you who have not, I appeal, again, for your help. Many of your colleagues invested a tremendous amount of time and energy in our 1986 Institutional Self-Study. I promised to act promptly on the recommendations made in that study to improve the College. I want to know how various aspects of your work have changed since then.

It will always be difficult to measure our progress on improving communications, skill development opportunities, and other aspects of life at the College. It will, I hope, be made easier by opportunities, such as this survey, to express our collective views.

Please share your perspectives. Complete the survey. Send it to me in the inter-office mail as soon as possible.

Thank you.



Paul Gallagher
President

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THE VCC INNOVATIONS COMMITTEE
CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO A WORKSHOP/SEMINAR ABOUT

Becoming a Master Student

a proposed new experiential course about succeeding in
college

presented by Peter J. Ballin

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 9, 1988

3:30 IN THE AFTERNOON

ROOM 5025..COLLEGE BOARD ROOM

KING EDWARD CAMPUS

r.s.v.p. to Shirley Bell 875-1131 local 347



Office of the Mayor
CITY OF VANCOUVER
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Proclamation

"COLLEGE AND INSTITUTE WEEK"

WHEREAS Colleges and institutes are celebrating twenty-three years of service in British Columbia and in the City of Vancouver;

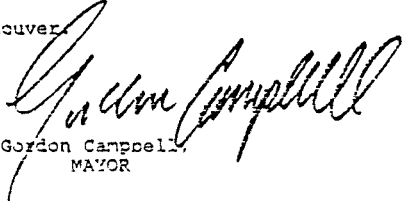
AND WHEREAS Each year thousands of adults attend to improve their career opportunities, expand their horizons, and deepen their understanding of life;

AND WHEREAS Community colleges and provincial institutes provide many services which contribute to the cultural, economic and social betterment of our community;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Gordon Campbell, Mayor of the City of Vancouver, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM the week of November 21st to November 27th, 1988, as

"COLLEGE AND INSTITUTE WEEK"

in the City of Vancouver.


Gordon Campbell
MAYOR



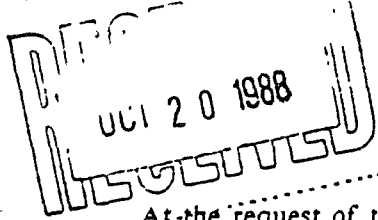


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Please post and bring to the attention of interested parties.

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Interested in Becoming a Program Planner for the Ministry of Education, Brunei Darussalam?

At the request of the Ministry of Education, Brunei Darussalam, ACCC is inviting applications for 4 POSITIONS as Program Planners.

Under the provisions of the 5th National Development Plan (1986-1990), 2 vocational colleges are to be built and administrated under the auspices of the Ministry of Education, Brunei Darussalam. These colleges are expected to be operational in early 1991. The vocational colleges will offer modularized courses in the following departments: ELECTRICAL, MECHANICAL, BUILDING, BUSINESS STUDIES, SERVICE INDUSTRIES AND GENERAL EDUCATION STUDIES. These are full-time courses offered to students who intend to progress to higher level certificate programs at technical colleges or enter employment training programs including apprenticeships. A work experience/cooperative education component will be an integral part of all second year courses.

Successful applicants, under the overall guidance of the Ministry of Education, will:

- design and develop modular format education and training courses;
- assign specific development tasks to members of working groups and program advisory committees;
- liaise with representatives of secondary and post-secondary institutions, government, business and industry;
- assist the project coordinator to oversee and monitor adequacy and use of physical facilities, equipment - in the compilation of budgetary information relating to capital equipment costs and facilities development at the vocational colleges;
- assist in elaborating an effective selection system for prospective vocational college students from the secondary schools; and
- assist in the development and implementation of a Program Planning Unit.

REQUIREMENTS:

- * Bachelors Degree in Engineering, Business Management, or related discipline and a Masters degree in Adult Education or Instruction Technology or an equivalent combination of related training and experience.
- * Extensive experience in an educational and industrial/business environment in the design, development, implementation and evaluation of vocational courses.
- * Experience in: diagnostic testing and learning assistance provision; implementing co-operative education arrangements and management information systems; the development of apprenticeship programmes; the compilation of dictionaries of occupational analysis and guidance and counselling techniques.
- * Previous work experience in a country with a developing educational and training system.

APPOINTMENT

DURATION: 24 months of continuous resident service

SALARY: Includes basic salary, bonus, gratuity, and leave entitlement
approximately Cdn. \$103,360 (over 24 months)

BENEFITS: Accommodation (house or serviced apartment), transport (interest free car
loan, approx. Cdn.\$ 7,650), first class air passage (including family); child
education allowance (approx. Can. \$410/month); freight allowance.

Note: There is no personal income tax in Brunei Darussalam at present.

There is also opportunity for spouses to teach ESL.

PLEASE SUBMIT APPLICATIONS WITH RESUME BY OCTOBER 31, 1988 TO:

Brunei Recruitment
Asia & Middle East Division
ACCC
110 Eglinton Ave West, 2nd floor
Toronto, Ontario M4R 1A3 Fax (416) 489-5080

For further information please contact Dean Shivji at (416) 489-7623 or (416) 489-5925.



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MEMBER OF EVALUATION TEAM

ACCC will carry out an evaluation of the effectiveness and efficiency of its project with the Escuela Superior Politécnica del Litoral in Guayaquil, Ecuador in January 1989.

A Canadian college person is required to participate on the evaluation team with ACCC's Director of Finance and Administration and an Ecuadorian education expert.

Approximately 25 days (5 weeks) will be required for this assignment which will include visits to Ecuador and the Canadian institutions involved in the project.

As interviews with Ecuadorians are an essential part of the evaluation, the successful candidate **MUST BE ABLE TO SPEAK SPANISH**.

The criteria for selection are:

- * knowledge of technical education;
- * evaluation experience;
- * knowledge of international development;
- * good oral and written communication skills (including ability to speak Spanish);
- * cross cultural sensitivity;
- * report-writing skills;
- * no conflict of interest;
- * availability.

Interested candidates should send a copy of their CV and a covering letter by **NOVEMBER 11, 1988** to:

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Senior Project Officer
ACCC
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