

Mentors offer advice, counseling to students

by Hope E. Paasch
Battalion Staff

A mentor, as defined by Webster, is a wise and faithful counselor. More than 200 faculty and staff members have volunteered to serve in this capacity at Texas A&M University.

But, the problem facing Dr. Shirley Black, head of the mentors program at Texas A&M, is that mentors are ready and waiting, but students don't know they are there.

Since spring 1980, when the program was started at the University, mentors have offered to help students deal with everything from roommate conflicts

to financial difficulty to academic disaster. But, Black said, many students still don't know about the program.

Although the mentor program is not a substitution for departmental advisers, the Academic Counseling Service or the Personal Counseling Service, mentors still offer the student valuable aid, she said.

Mentors have a handbook of available student services and can point the student in the right direction; however, the majority of the students who come to mentors are just looking for someone to talk to, Black said.

Since mentors can't help students until they are contacted,

they constantly try to find ways to inform more students about the program, she said.

Some of the best suggestions for improving the program have come from students, she said.

One student suggested using a logo on the office doors of mentors so that students could readily identify them.

All mentors are urged to make announcements in their classes about the program, Black said.

Faculty response has been very positive and encouraging, Black said. Many professors are concerned about students and willing to help them in any way they can. They view the mentor program as their opportunity to get involved, she said.

One professor, Black said, comes to campus every day at 5 a.m. and stays until 5 p.m. so he can be available for students. Another professor noticed a large number of students on campus during the weekends, so he decided to start coming to his office every weekend.

The Junior Honor Society has helped tremendously in reaching students, Black said. Members handle much of the on-campus distribution of posters and other information and also has helped gather student input by surveying 200 students.

Off Campus Aggies also helps the program by posting signs and posters at apartment complexes and shuttle bus stops, she said.

Mentors — Spring 1982

The following is a list of faculty members participating in the Mentors Program. They are listed by department, and the list includes their names, office numbers and phone numbers.

Academic Services
Bayliss, Garland, 100 Harrington Tower, 5-5916

Accounting
Bravenec, Lorence, 247C A&A, 5-5014
Giroux, Gary A., 242B A&A, 5-2375
Kratchman, Stanley, 241C A&A, 5-3275
Plum, Charles W., 247D A&A, 5-4575
Pointer, Larry G., 237 A&A, 5-5014
Sneed, Florence R., 247B A&A, 5-2307

Aerospace Engineering
Lowy, Stan H., 204 Zachry, 5-8699
Rodenberger, Charles, 215M Engineering, 5-1659

Agricultural Economics
Black, W.E., 107 Agriculture, 5-8011
Litzenberg, Kerry, 201 Agriculture, 5-5221

Agricultural Engineering
McFarland, Joe, 308 Scoates, 5-1131

Nieber, John L., 313 Agricultural Engineering Shops, 5-1131
Parnell, C. Jr., 207 Scoates, 5-3932
Sweat, Vince, 204 Scoates, 5-3931

Agromony
McCree, Keith J., 343 Soil and Crop, 5-5566

Animal Science
Bassett, J.W., 212E Kleberg, 5-1816
Dill, C.W., 310 Kleberg, 5-4424
Friend, Ted, 241 Kleberg, 5-5214
Stiffler, Dennis, 114C Kleberg, 5-2054

Architecture
Ekroth, David C., 426 Langford Architecture Center, 5-1015
Reed, Raymond D., 343 Langford Architecture Center, 5-1019

Biochemistry
Pace, C. Nick, 219 Herman Heep, 5-1788
Wild, James R., 207 Herman Heep, 5-4943

Biology
Edmiston, Judith, 315 Heldenfels, 5-4651
Foster, B.G., 314 BSBE, 5-8481
Kosinski, Robert, 302C BSBE, 5-8481
Patterson, C.O., 315 Heldenfels, 5-4651

Building Construction
Buckingham, W.L., 428 Langford Architecture Center, 5-1017
Claycamp, Carrol, 422 Langford Architecture Center, 5-1017
Coody, Lewis, 444 Langford Architecture Center, 5-1017
Maher, Richard, 433 Langford Architecture Center, 5-1017

Business Analysis
Ferguson, Wade, 401E A&A, 5-2254
Fowler, G.C., 467B A&A, 5-7946

Chemical Engineering
Darby, Ron, 235F Zachry, 5-3301

Chemistry
Chung, S.K., 1229 Chemistry, 5-1966
Clearfield, A., 406 Chemistry, 5-2936
Crawford, Ed, 406 Heldenfels, 5-3745
Hassell, J. Alton, 411 Heldenfels, 5-7822
Hedges, Dorothea, 411 Heldenfels, 5-2356
Hogg, John, 332 Chemistry, 5-5746
O'Connor, Rod, 413 Heldenfels, 5-3745
Peck, Larry, 415 Heldenfels, 5-2356
Rodgers, Alan S., 34 Chemistry, 5-2433 or 5-2011
Rowe, Marvin W., 1025 Chemistry, 5-1929
Shapiro, Bernard, 214 Goodwin, 5-1957
Taylor, Tom, 124 Heldenfels, 5-3760
Zwolinski, Bruno, 112 Chemistry, 5-5934

Civil Engineering
Bruner, Robert, 014D Civil Engineering, 5-3735
Layman, A.H., 125 Civil Engineering, 5-7436
Marquis, Eugene L., 203B Highway Resource Center, 5-4414

Communications
Lewis, Rodger L., 119 Moore Communications Center, 5-5611
Simons, Donald, 121 Moore Communications Center, 5-5611

Computer Science
Sheppard, Sallie, 110 Harrington Tower, 5-5466

Cooperative Education
Anders, Karen A., 110 Harrington Tower, 5-7725

Economics
Wiggins, Steven N., 110 Harrington Tower, 5-7351

Educational Curriculum Instruction
Alexander, P., 311 Harrington Tower, 5-8381
Dockweiler, C., 312 Harrington Tower, 5-8397
Janke, Delmar L., 724 Harrington Tower, 5-7088
Stansell, John C., 308 Harrington Tower, 5-8384

Educational Information
Bowers, Mary Ellen, 1111 win, 5-4618

Educational Psychology
Borman, Chris, 704 Harrington Tower, 5-1835
Roach, Arthur J., 706 Harrington Tower, 5-1875

Engineering Technical
Parent, Robert G., 5-4951
Thompson, 5-4951
Phillips, Richard, 1170G son, 5-4951
Stavros, Demo A., 2222 son, 5-4951

English
Barzak, R. Wm., 108X Harrington Tower, 5-4565
Burt, Forrest D., 227E Harrington Tower, 5-4677
Clark, William B., 2045 5-8319
Crusius, Timothy, 2045 5-8317
Dowling, Ellen, 204E Harrington Tower, 5-8318
Schatte, Curtis E., 223A 5-8357
Van Domelen, John A&A, 5-8353
Young, Eugene O., 217D 5-3451

Entomology
VanCleave, Horace, and Crop, 5-9724

Environmental Design
Peter, John E., 305B Langford Architecture Center, 5-1017

Finance
Benson, David W., 345D 5-4877

Financial Aid
McFarland, Wm. L. YMCA, 5-3236

Floriculture
Kamp, Marihelen, 1170G Sciences, 5-5341

Forest Science
Baker, Robert D., 118 Science, 5-5033

General Studies
Guthrie, Ed, 100 Harrington Tower, 5-5916

Geography
Hugill, Peter J., 803B O 7141
Pennington, C., 814A O 7141
White, Kenneth L., 814A 5-7141

Geophysics
Fahlquist, Davis, 204C O 3651

See MENTORS page 8

Computer Science & Electrical Engineering Majors ...

ROLM, with locations in Austin, Texas and the San Francisco Bay Area seeks talented individuals interested in:

SOFTWARE

- Real-Time Distributed Computing
- Operating Systems
- Data Base Management Systems
- Data Communications
- Diagnostics
- Electronic Mail
- Software Tools: Compilers, Debuggers, etc.
- Test Engineering

HARDWARE

- Data Communications
- Digital and Analog Design
- Microprocessor Applications
- Telephony
- Switching Power Supply Design
- Production Engineering
- Test Engineering

ROLM Corporation develops and manufactures state of the art computer software and hardware for integrated voice and data office communications systems. ROLM has grown 50% - 100% each year since 1969 and currently has 4400 employees. Included in ROLM's outstanding benefits package is a three month paid sabbatical after six years (and every seven years thereafter) and Company Paid Tuition for graduate study at local universities.

On Campus Interviews

Tuesday, March 2

Meet with working Software and Hardware Engineers from ROLM in the Placement Center. See our Company Literature in the Placement Center.

If unable to attend an interview, send resume to: Gibson Anderson, Manager, Recruiting & Training, ROLM Corporation, 4900 Old Ironsides Drive, M/S 560, Santa Clara, CA 95050. We are an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer.

ROLM

CORPORATION

Texas A&M Theatre Arts Program Presents

THE GLASS MENAGERIE

By

Tennessee Williams

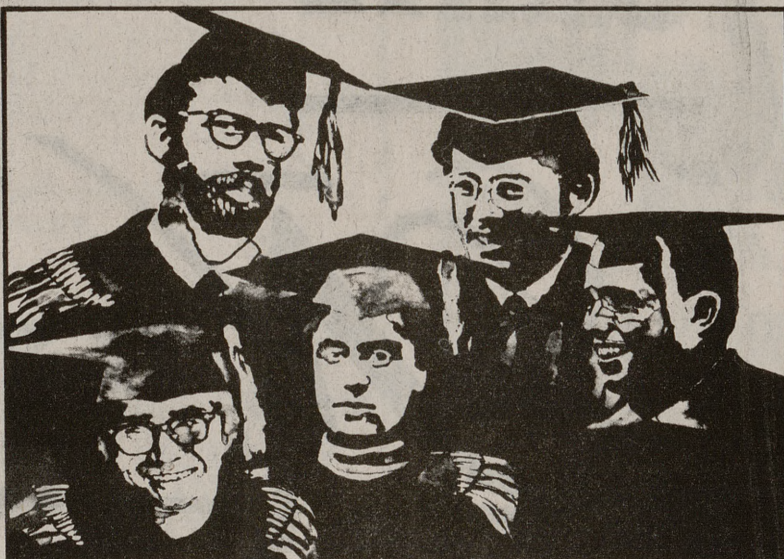
8:00 Rudder Forum

Feb 25-27 March 4-6

Tix available at the

Rudder Box Office

Stu \$2.50 Non-Stu \$3.50



Graduating? (It's about time.)

You didn't learn much, but you made a great group of friends. You're never going to lose them, right? You're either bananas, or you and your friends already belong to KEEP IN TOUCH.

A new nationwide service: to find out how the KEEP IN TOUCH Service Personal and Group Find Key Codes can help you keep lifetime contact with your friends, classmates, loved ones, teammates, relatives — any of the turkeys you hold near and dear — write or call (toll free) for our Free Brochure.

Years from now, you'll be glad you did.

Please send me your Free Brochure:

Name _____
Address _____
City _____
State _____ Zip _____

Keep in Touch inc.

Make us your lifetime address.

KEEP IN TOUCH, P.O. Box 23209, Knoxville, TN 37922 or dial (toll free) 800-251-9017.

the **Bahá'í Faith**
Uniting the world...
One heart at a time

THE BAHÁ'IS OF BRYAN AND COLLEGE STATION CORDIALLY INVITE

Texas A&M students and faculty, as well as the general public, to an informal International Dinner and Dance at the Oak Forest Mobile Home Park Recreation Room at 301 Krenek Tap Road, C.S. at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 26.

For information, call: 779-8823

The BUSINESS

Monthly Newsletter of the students of the College of Business Administration, Texas A&M University

BUSINESS CAREER FAIR '82 SEMINARS:

- “WISE INVESTING” — BILL STEPHENS, SECURITY ANALYST
MON. 10-11 A.M. 158 A&A
- “INTERVIEWING” — DR. BILL MOBLEY, ASSOC. DEAN
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS
MON. 1-2 P.M. 158 A&A
- “TIME MANAGEMENT” — ARLENE MANTHEY/GREG HAWKINS
MON. 10-11 A.M. 161 A&A
- “IS A BUSINESS CAREER FOR YOU?” — LYNN ZIMMERMAN
ASST. TO DEAN, COLLEGE OF BUSINESS
MON. 4-5 P.M. 161 A&A
- “HOW TO COPE WITH STRESS” — VIRGIE NOLTE,
PERSONAL COUNSELING SERVICE
MON. 1-2 P.M. 155 A&A