1986 Esch Scholar named — Lisa Elliott has been named the Esch Scholar at the University of Indianapolis. The award is presented each year to an outstanding senior student and is considered one of the most significant academic honors at the university. Elliott's selection was based on her outstanding academic record, campus activities, and promise for future leadership.

A 1983 graduate of New Palestine High School, Elliott was named a Pulliam Scholar in 1985 and 1986. She has served as editor of the student newspaper since 1985 and is a disc jockey at WICR-FM. Elliott is a member of Alpha Chi national scholastic honorary and is in the honors program. She was admitted with distinction to the university and has been named to the Dean's List four times.

She is the daughter of John Elliott and Luella Elliott of Indianapolis.
Indy Area Alumni Breakfast: 
Lugar featured
Senator Richard Lugar will be our 
guest speaker for our Saturday, 
December 6 breakfast in the Schweitzer 
Center Dining Hall on the U of I 
campus. All alumni and their guests 
are invited to the 7:30 a.m. buffet 
breakfast. Cost of the breakfast is $4 
per person, payable at the door. The 
program will adjourn by 8:30 a.m. 
If you have been unable to attend in 
the past due to weekday commitments, 
please take advantage of this 
Saturday event. Reservations are 
requested and can be made by 
calling the Alumni Office at 
788-3295.

Theatre Department offers 
“A Hatful of Rain”
Performances of A Hatful of Rain by 
Michael V. Gazzo, will be given on 
November 14, 15, 21 and 22 at 8 p.m. 
and 16 and 23 at 3 p.m. All 
performances will be given in Ransburg 
Auditorium. The Box Office will open 
on Monday, November 3. Box Office 
hours will be 1 p.m. through 5 p.m. 
Monday through Friday. Reservations 
can be made by calling 788-3251. 
Group rates are available and senior 
citizens will be admitted free to the 
matinee performances on November 
16 and 23.

People 
on campus

Dr. David Anderson (history) presented a paper at the annual 
meeting of the Society for Historians 
of American Foreign Relations at 
Georgetown University in June. He 
revised the Indiana entry in the 
World Book Encyclopedia and 
wrote fourteen entries for the 
Historical Dictionary of the Vietnam 
War, which is to be published by 
Greenwood Press. He also prepared 
a paper that he will present in 
October at the meeting of the 
Indiana Academy of the Social 
Sciences. In August, David spent 
four days at the Hoover Institution 
for War and Peace at Stanford 
University working on a research 
project funded by a travel grant from 
the National Endowment for the 
Humanities. With the assistance of a 
Zerfas grant, he then traveled to 
Japan, Malaysia, Singapore, and 
Taiwan, where he met with U.S. 
Ambassador to Japan Mike 
Mansfield in Tokyo and with the 
history faculty of the University of 
Malaya in Kuala Lumpur.

Dr. Fred Hill (history) became a 
consultant for the production of an 
hour-long videocassette entitled 
“Midwest Dynasty: The Presidents 
Harrison from Ohio and Indiana,” 
which is to be released in 1988, the 
centennial of President Benjamin 
Harrison’s election and and the 
bicentennial of the presidency. He 
also agreed to write biographical 
 sketches of five early speakers of 
the Indiana House of Representatives 
for a directory of territorial and state speakers of the house to be 
published by Greenwood Press.

Coach Seemann Baugh was invited 
this summer to work at a swimming 
camp with Dr. James Councilman 
of Indiana University. He also 
finished 18th in his age group (59th 
overall) in the AT&T Triathlon at 
Eagle Creek in August.

Linda Fowler (business) conducted 
two effective writing workshops at 
the U.S. Customs, National Finance 
Center, Indianapolis, August 1986.

David Huffman (admissions) was elected president of the Southside 
Optimist Club for 1986-87. He was 
also asked by the Indiana 
Commission for Higher Education 
to serve on its Proposal Review 
Committee for the new Indiana 
College Placement and Assessment 
Center. The Center is “conceived as a 
communications network linking 
ninth graders and their families 
with postsecondary institutions.”

President Gene Sease has been 
appointed by Governor Robert Orr 
as a member of the Indiana 
Telecommunications Network 
Commission. He was the only 
member of an Indianapolis private 
university/college to be named. The 
Commission will look at the 
possibilities of connecting the state’s 
universities.

In June 1986, Dr. E. Vondrak 
(mathematics and physics) presented 
a 50 minute paper about graphing 
functions and relations at the Fifth 
Mathematics Methods Conference 
at Bowling Green State University 
in Bowling Green, Ohio.

Professor Linda Berglund of the 
School of Nursing has been elected 
to a 2-year term as President of 
District 16 of the Indiana State 
Nurses Association.

Edward Roehling (general manager 
of WICR, assistant professor in 
radio and TV) recently appeared 
before the Sunset Committee of the 
Indiana Legislature to urge renewal 
of the legislation funding the 
Indiana Higher Education 
Telecommunications System. He 
serves on the system development 
committee of IHETS representing 
the independent colleges and 
universities of Indiana.
New diploma offer to expire soon

The diploma manufacturer has indicated that new diplomas should arrive by October 15. We regret the delay, but have been helpless getting diplomas requested sooner.

Any graduates wishing to avail themselves of the offer for a complimentary diploma with the new university name must have their requests to the university not later than December 15. After this date, the regular charge for duplicate diplomas will be charged. Direct your requests to the Office of the President. Please indicate your degree(s) type, date, and social security number.

Paul Krasnovsky (music) led a July concert tour through Germany and Austria with his community chorus from West Lafayette, The Bach Chorale Singers. One of the highlights of the tour was a combined performance with a German chorus and orchestra in the Bavarian alpine town of Bad Tölz where he conducted Mozart’s Coronation Mass.


Richard Ratliff (music) recently presented a lecture recital on the Piano Sonata of Elliott Carter in Recital Hall.

Charlotte Templin (English) was elected president of Indiana’s Alpha Association of Phi Beta Kappa at the 1986 annual meeting. She has served previously as vice president and as a member of the Board of Directors.

Dr. Perry Kea (philosophy and religion) was invited to prepare a paper for the Society of Biblical Literature’s November 1986 national meeting. The paper, “The Sermon on the Mount: Ethics and Eschatological Time,” was also published in the Society of Biblical Literature 1986 Seminar Papers. Dr. Kea spoke at Acton United Methodist Church in September concerning “Christian Education.”

The Georgia Review recently included Alice Friman’s (English) poem “The Reckoning” in a collection of 140 poems representing the best of more than 1300 works appearing in the publication in the past four decades. She also has had poems published in the Texas Review, the North Dakota Quarterly, Images, and the Literary Review, and her work has been accepted as well for Tendril, Cream City Review, Confrontation, and the Alaska Quarterly.

The Indianapolis Museum of Art is hosting Arts of Africa, Oceania and the Americas: Private Indianapolis Collections. Professor Gerald Boyce’s collection, which includes 30 or 40 such ethnographic art works, is represented in the exhibit.

New institute first of its kind

The University of Indianapolis in August announced the opening of the Institute of Public Safety Personnel (IPSP). The institute is thought to be the first of its kind in the nation, and is designed to increase the efficiency of organizations and to help ensure the mental and physical health, productivity, and job satisfaction of its members,” said Dr. Gene E. Sease, university president. A multidisciplinary approach includes a health maintenance and enhancement program, applicant screening, fitness for duty, legal guidance, and training and development programs.

With the applicant screening program, departments will be able to send applicants to the institute for comprehensive medical and psychological screening. This is designed to ensure that the department hires an employee who is fit for duty. It will also reduce the number of lawsuits stemming from vicarious liability in negligent hiring, supervision, and/or training.

The health enhancement program is similar to the wellness program adopted by Indianapolis and nominated for a national award. For public safety personnel, national statistics point to cardiovascular disease and lower back problems as the two highest causes of work disability. Through the use of state-of-the-art back testing equipment, institute staff will be able to determine whether an applicant, or current public safety officer, has the potential for or currently is suffering from back problems. Presently, no other entity in the state offers such advanced equipment.

The institute also offers training in stress management, conflict resolution, time management, creativity, and performance appraisal. Further, the institute offers promotional testing, negotiation training (hostage and barricade), and screening for special teams (hostage and SWAT).
From the president's desk

What's in a name?

Since Commencement Day in May, the question that has been asked of me most frequently everywhere I have gone is "How is the change in name being received?" My response has been the same everywhere, "Unbelievably well!" I had no idea when our Board took this action that there would be such universal approval. It was a major step into the future, filled with the prospect of disappointment by some persons. Many of us who have been a part of the university—both alumni who have been a part of it for many years—would have a major adjustment becoming accustomed to a new name.

The response has been overwhelming! I have received well over 1,000 letters commenting on the new name. Five have been negative. I am realistic enough to know that there are folks who hold nostalgic feelings for the former name who have not written. Nonetheless, such an unexpected avalanche of mail commenting so favorably has confirmed the wisdom and correctness of the decision. I was amazed at the number of folks who wrote, "It should have been done much sooner." The real question now becomes "What effect will it have on the future of the university?"

The evidence is clear that a positive effect is already being seen and felt. My personal speaking schedule is swamped with invitations to speak to leaders of business, service clubs, and other public groups who want to know about the university. The applications for places in the freshman class exceeded 1,000 for the first time in our history. We are enjoying the largest growth in the day division that we have ever had. The residence halls are all filled and overflowing. Our donor base has broadened. There is an electricity on the campus and a positive and progressive mood among the faculty, staff, and student body greater than we have experienced previously. The scores of our athletic conquests are being carried in distant papers and by wire services that did not previously list them. Every day's mail and schedule includes letters and visits from people who want to become a part of our institution. The new identity has been a significant catapult to move us into a new recognition and very promising future.

What will the university become? We have no desire to be large and impersonal. We have no desire to move away from the strong tradition in liberal arts or lessen our affection for and attachment to the United Methodist Church. We have no desire to lose the close personal relationships that have historically existed between a caring faculty and conscientious and committed students.

We will continue valued traditions of the past and build upon years of service to mankind. We are proud to be the university in which the first endowed graduate school in physical therapy in our nation is located. We are pleased to be one of only 13 graduate schools in occupational therapy and one of 17 graduate schools of physical therapy in America. We are proud of the fact that more than 120 of over 400 entering freshmen were in the top ten percent of their graduating class. We continue to be singled out as an institution whose friends and alumni have made possible the buildings so that we are independent, with no government funds in any of these. We are pleased to be the only accredited university located in Cyprus with over 200 Cypriot students enrolled there, with many of them studying at the campus here for their third and fourth years.

In the name, the University of Indianapolis, there is the promise for a significant future of service to God and to mankind. It is another important step in the history of an institution with a proud past and a promising future.□

President
Raymond S. Daniel is still serving as part-time minister in Southern Ohio for the United Methodist Church. He is living in Waverly, Ohio.

Josephine (Elkman) and Keith Simpson '35 celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on August 10 in the chapel at the First United Methodist Church in Mammouth, IL. Keith is retiring from the ministry after 50 years of service and they are moving to a new home at Wesley Manor in Frankfort, IN.

A retirement observance in honor of Major General and Mrs. Alfred F. Ahner was held on July 18 at the Murat Shrine Temple in Indianapolis. Over 700 people attended the affair, including the Governor and several other dignitaries. Major General Ahner has served as the Adjutant General for the state of Indiana under the last four governors and has achieved an outstanding record of success in his military, civic, and personal life. U of I staff and alumni joined the host of friends and colleagues at the event to wish Al and Betty a happy and joyful retirement.

Dr. Charles W. Peckham Sr. was named to the Ohio Seniors Hall of Fame in October 85. Peckham, the youngest so named, is currently an administrator at the Otterbein Retirement Home in Lebanon, Ohio.

Herman A. Emmert is serving his second year as district superintendent of the Dayton North District in the West Ohio Conference of the United Methodist Church. The Emmerts live in Troy, Ohio.

Amy (Buskirk) and Stanley Zent '62 will be spending the next two years in Seoul, Korea, where they will serve on the faculty of the Seoul International School. Stanley will be band director and Amy will be school counselor. The school at Seoul has a student body of 550, 65 percent of whom are American. The other 35 percent is comprised of 35 different nationalities.

Truman and Gladys Baker celebrated 50 years of marriage September 7 with a reception at Calvary Lutheran Church. Gladys retired as a librarian from the Indianapolis Public Library in 1975. Mr. Baker retired from Uniroyal in 1973, having spent 31 years as a refrigeration electrician.

Virginia Valiska Gregory is enjoying success in the publishing world. Publishers Weekly reviewed her two books for children: "Each of these little gems is a Mr. Poggle and Scamp book, and lucky the the reader who happens upon them." The books, entitled Terribly Wonderful and Sunny Side Up, are published by Four Winds. Publishers Weekly says "Gregory's lilting text and [Jeni] Bassett's airy watercolors elevate warm camaraderie to heights of unqualified love."

Jo Ann (Schisla) and Erwin Ed Brown '65 are living on the south side of Indianapolis. Erwin is account manager for Computer Consoles Inc. Jo Ann is worthy matron and Ed is worthy patron of Southport O.E.S.

Kay (Huggman) Putt is working part time at the Fort Wayne Occupational Health Center as staff nurse.

Marcia (Parnell) Takahashi is a biology teacher and soccer coach at Alemany High School in Granada Hills, CA. Her soccer team won the league and Los Angeles summer games.

Barbara (Bean) Browne is employed as an internal auditor/financial analyst for a corporation in Grand Haven, MI.

Dr. James Brunnemer has accepted the position of director of development at Albion College in Albion, Michigan. He served as director of alumni relations at ICU from 1971 to 1980 and also as sports information director.

Larry J. Barrett, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of Security Savings Association of Indianapolis, was recently elected chairman of the Indiana League of Savings Institutions. Larry and his wife, Sally (McCoy '71), reside with their two sons, Brian and Beau, on the southside. He was the 1978-79 president of the University of Indianapolis Alumni Association.

Rosella (Shrader) Hill is a registered nurse night supervisor at Wirth Hospital in Oakland City, IN. She and her husband, Jerry, are active in Scouting. Rosella received the highest adult award for volunteers from the Three Rivers District—the Buffalo Award. The Hills are also raising and breeding registered quarter horses and golden retriever dogs.

Robert C. Elmore has received his Ph.D from the School of Accounting at the University of Mississippi. He is an assistant professor of accounting at the University of Alabama in Huntsville.

Cary L. Hanni is a surgeon and staff member at Michigan State University.

Nell Devitt (Becky Hill) in August had a one-person show at the Indianapolis Museum of Art. The show was entitled "Raku Pottery and Tiles."

George F. Gordon has accepted a position as career counselor in the career planning and placement office of Xavier University. He will continue to teach technical writing at the University of Cincinnati.

Noriko Ino has for the past two years had her artwork chosen by Refugees International–Japan for their Christmas cards. Her lithographs were selected in 1984 and 1985; the cards are sold as a fund-raising effort by the organization. Noriko teaches art to 200 girls at the International School of the Sacred Heart in Tokyo; the girls represent 58 different nations, and are studying all the subjects in English.

Cynthia (Crump) Richley writes a weekly column about children for a Montgomery County Newspaper and contributes features about people, history, health, and education to other publications in the Washington D.C. area.

Thomas J. Duvall has joined the partnership of Price Waterhouse & Co. in Pennsylvania.

James Campbell has been promoted to the commander of the IPD Operations Division.
Leslie (Sims) and Thomas E. Potts, Jr. ’79 have established a new business, Martin, Potts, & Whisler, P.C., here in Indianapolis.

Cynthia Wood has opened a day-care center for infants. She and her husband, Randall, have three children: Jacob, 6, Kate, 4, and Rachel, 1.

Greg Goodrid has been promoted to vice president of Capital Markets for Merrill Lynch in Clearwater, FL.

D. Mark Smith is director of fixed income securities for Raffensperger, Hughes & Co., Inc.

Nola (Jones) and Robert Smodic ’83 are living in Chapel Hill, North Carolina, where Bob is a sports physical therapist with the University of North Carolina. Nola is an assistant manager of a retail store and freelance commercial artist.

Mark L. Williams is head football coach and teacher at Speedway High School this fall.

John R. Williams Jr., strength and conditioning coach for the Greenwood High School football team, was recently featured in the Franklin Daily Journal for his role in the commercial promoting the Pan American Games in 1987. You’ll recognize John as the (ostensibly) Chicago weightlifter whose son watches him working out; the lifter gets a phone call, learns he’s made the Pan Am games, and says “Hey, Tiger, we made it!” To shoot the commercial, John was lifting between 210 and 225 pounds, 40 or 50 times, in a three-hour period.

Theresa Gin is a 1st-grade teacher at Saint Andrew Apostle Grade School.

Ronald W. Newhouse is director of youth ministries at Lake Highlands United Methodist Church in Dallas, Texas. He is also continuing his studies toward a master of divinity degree at Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist University.

Kathryn Alice Vondrak is pursuing her MBA degree at Indiana University.

April Whitaker is a staff accountant for Ernst & Whinney in Louisville, KY.

Deidre Jo Funkhouser became the wife of Michael L. Roberts on August 9 in High Street United Methodist Church in Muncie, IN. Deidre graduated magna cum laude in May from Duke Divinity School and is associate pastor at the First United Methodist Church in South Bend. Michael is minister of Maple Lane United Methodist Church.

Jewel J. Perry and Mont D. Cobb were united in marriage on June 28 at the Carmel Friends Church.

Gaynelle Strauch became the bride of Brian James Zaiger on April 26 in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church. Gaynelle is a registered nurse at Methodist Hospital and Brian is employed by Allison Gas Turbine.

Jane Miller became the bride of Steve Hunter on August 9. They repeated their wedding vows at the Covington United Methodist Church. Jane is with Merchants National Corporation and Steve is with EmRoe Sporting Goods.

Rebecca Jean McGuire and Ronald Dale Beasley were married April 26 in the West Newton United Methodist Church. They are living in Indianapolis.
Tammera Thomson became Mrs. Timothy B. Shafer were married August 2 in Seventh and Eighth United Christian Church.

Lee Ann Case and John Bryan Hull were married August 3 in Rosedale Hills United Methodist Church. Lee Ann is a nurse at University Heights Hospital and John is employed by the Indianapolis Fire Department.

Christine McCombs and Mark E. Sullivan were married August 2 in Edgewood United Methodist Church. Christine is a secretary at Indianapolis Power & Light Co. Mark is a professional bowler.

Tammenta Thomson became Mrs. Timothy B. Shafer on August 9 in the First United Methodist Church in Wabash. Tammera is attending U. of I. and Tim is a printer for Pettit Printing.

Deaths

'26
Russel E. Settle passed away August 15 in St. Vincent Hospital. He retired in 1961 from Allison's as director of engineering after 35 years of service. He was a member of the university's first football team.

Veva Williams of Scottville passed away April 24 at the Memorial Medical Center in Ludington. She taught school in Kentucky and Missouri for many years.

'31
Lester B. Honderich passed away in July. He retired from the United Methodist Church Retired Relations in 1981.

'34
Paul Doolittle passed away on March 9 after a long illness of cancer. He was a retired school teacher residing in Sun City, AZ, with his wife, Carol (Souden) Doolittle.

'39

New Arrivals

'73
Norman and Carolyn Beets have a new daughter, Chelsea Elizabeth, born August 18. Norman is a math teacher and track coach in Lafayette, IN.

'75

'76
Sharon (Snyder) and Craig Allen announce the birth of their first child, Kiyana Dawn, born July 5, weighing 7 pounds, 15 ounces. The Allens are living in Los Alamos, New Mexico.

Jeff and Peggy (Bastin) Davis announce the birth of Amy Leigh on July 2. Amy weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces, and joins brother, Ryan, 4.

'77
Christian Marie blessed the home of David and Marti (Elshoff '79) Wooden on July 15. She weighed 7 pounds, 13 ounces. Proud grandparents are Helen (Whaley) '46 and Nate Wooden '47.

'78
Lindsay Nicole is the new daughter of Jeff and Peggy (Bastin) Davis. She was born June 28 and weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces. She joins Erica Renee, 3.

Fred C. and Sandra (Chrysler '79) Mindach announce the birth of Christopher on June 7. He joins big brothers, Fred III (7) and Matthew (3) at their home in Crossville, Tennessee.

'79
Mark and Sheila Stanifer are pleased to announce the birth of Evan Daniel, born June 27. He weighed 9 pounds, 3 ounces, and was 21 inches long. Big sister Erin, 1, is very happy with him too. Mark is an environmental scientist with the Department of Environmental Management.

'80
John and Connie (Wendal) Flaspohler have a new addition to their family. Emily Nicole was born May 16, weighing 8 pounds, 2 ounces and was 21 inches long. Connie teaches 6th grade at Jerman Elementary School in Greensburg.

Marilyn Moman and David Stein announce the birth of Stephanie Marie on August 13. Stephanie weighed 8 pounds and 2 inches long. The Steins reside in Columbus, Ohio. Proud grandma is "Mom" Moman, residence hall director for Krannert Hall.

'81
Janet and Larry Stimson are the proud new parents of Andrew Michael, born June 19, weighing 9 pounds, 12 ounces, at 22 inches long.

'82
Stanley and Renita Boultinghouse announce the birth of their first child, Katie Maria, born September 4. Stanley is a computer systems analyst for the University of Evansville.

Terry and Pamela (Lester) Peters are the proud parents of twin sons born July 17. Matthew Dean weighed in at 6 pounds, 8 ounces, and Michael Ernest weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces. They join big sister, Jamie, 2. The Peters live in Albany, Georgia.

'83
Kayleigh Megan is the new daughter of Greg and Sharon Fennell. She was born August 22 and weighed 8 pounds, 3 ounces. Greg is an assistant manager for Kohl's Department Store in Anderson. The Fennells live in Alexandria.

'85
June 27 was the birth date for Lacey Naomi Adams. Proud parents are Kent and Robin (Dewlen) Adams '84 of Bremen, Indiana. They also have a son, Jordan (2).

Note: Former students of Dr. Allen B. Kellogg, a professor of English for a quarter century, will be glad to hear that he welcomes your letters, and has appreciated your correspondence with him. His address is available from the Alumni Office.
To make your reservations for the
16th Annual Indy "Top Dog" Banquet
Thursday, November 6, 1986
Indianapolis Athletic Club
Ball Room — 4th Floor
350 North Meridian Street

5:30 p.m.: Doors Open
6:30 p.m.: Buffet Dinner
7:30 p.m.: Program
Cost—$15 per person
Reservations: U of I Athletic Office
until Tuesday, November 4

Join us for this traditional gathering of UofI and Butler alumni, coaches, faculty and fans for a pre-game celebration of the November 8 "Top Dog" football game.

Send your check to the U of I Athletic Office, 1400 E. Hanna Ave., Indianapolis, IN 46227 for ticket reservations. Your tickets will be held for you at the registration table at the banquet entrance.

Alumni News
University of Indianapolis
1400 East Hanna Avenue
Indianapolis, Indiana 46227