Says job outlook for graduates brightening

The current economic recovery and increasing demand from employers are combining to make the job outlook for 1984 college graduates considerably brighter than it was a year ago, according to Joseph H. Palmer, director of UMSL's Career Planning and Placement Office. Palmer, along with many other placement directors, believes the nation is beginning a lengthy recovery and increasing demand for labor is brighter than it was a year ago, according to Palmer.

"As the supply of 18- to 24-year-olds decreases during the next 10 years, demand should increase, given reasonably good economic conditions," Palmer said.

A generally positive business outlook for the rest of 1984 is reflected also in the College Placement Council's July 1984 Salary Survey report, which was released on July 25.

In the year-end CPC report, the number of job offers is higher than last year at this time for nearly every discipline covered. Business/management candidates in the national survey received 42,393 offers, compared with 35,004 in July 1983. The report covers 167 participating colleges and universities.

For 1983-84, the UMSL placement office reported 418 job offers among graduates and alumni, down from 504 reported in the previous year. However, the office recorded substantial increases in employer visits, individual student interviews, and "immediate" job listings for graduates and alumni, Palmer said.

"By late spring, we could tell that things were beginning to pick up steam," Palmer said. He added that it is difficult to get an accurate picture of the number of graduates placed, because many of them, perhaps as many as half, do not notify the placement office when they accept a job.

Palmer said that two of the factors that influence how quickly a graduate finds a job are experience in the field and willingness to relocate.

"We have found, especially with our MBA graduates, that good opportunities may exist in other parts of the country, but the individuals may be unwilling or unable to relocate," Palmer said.

He also stressed the value of part-time work, internships, and other programs which give students experience in a career field before graduation.

"If all other things are equal, the employer is likely to choose the person who has some experience," Palmer said. He added that liberal arts graduates who can show that they have had some business courses, or who are familiar with business practices, have the best chance of getting a job offer.

Palmer said that the largest share of today's job offers come from private industry, not from government or social agencies.

In education, there are some indications that 1984 will be the beginning of a turnaround in teacher placement, according to Rosemary Bruno, assistant director of the UMSL placement office. She said that 68 percent of the teacher placement candidates who registered last year found jobs, compared to only 50 percent the previous year. In 1983-84, the largest number of school districts to visit the campus in 12 years scheduled spring recruiting visits in the UMSL placement office, Bruno said.

Bruno also noted that the Missouri Association of School, College and University Staffing again held its annual "Last-Minute Teacher Placement Day" this year in August at UMSL. Last year, the ASCUS did not even hold two events because the job market for teachers was very slow.

Jobs in all teaching fields except social sciences and physical education were strong last year, Bruno reported. She noted that the placement rate was 100 percent in business education, math and science, and 90 percent in English and 80 percent in music.

Although Palmer is optimistic that the economic recovery has improved job prospects for graduates, he noted that starting salaries are flat and are likely to remain so.

"A significant difference in this optum, compared with previous years in outlooks, is the emphasis on the job itself, " he said.

McCallough said approximately 25 percent of the students enrolled receive some type of financial aid - scholarships, grants or loans.

Students stood in line for, on the average, about one-half hour during peak times at the University Bookstore. Bookstore Manager Ken Langston said he appreciated the attitudes of students who had to wait.

"I really admire them," he said. "We didn't hear many complaints. I guess they see what we're working with and they accept it." Langston said that the rush was typical and that his staff hadn't run out of many books.

"The biggest problem is overenrollment of classes," he explained. "That's when we run short of books. But we've done pretty good.

Langston said it was too early to figure how much money the bookstore had taken in during the rush.

Job placement service offered

The Career Planning and Placement Office will offer two orientation programs for seniors and graduate students interested in positions in business, industry and government today and tomorrow from 12:15 to 1 p.m. both days. The sessions will be held in Room 223 J.C. Penney Building.

Services provided by the office include listings of immediate job vacancies, opportunities to interview with campus recruiters, and suggestions for successful job hunting. The fee for registering with the office for one year of service is $10.

Some of the companies which will be interviewing students this year include Mark Twin Ranches; Mercantile Trust; Dillard's/Stix, Baer and Fuller; LaCledre Gas Co.; Price Waterhouse; Peat, Marwick, Mitchell and Co.; and the U.S. Government Accounting Office.

Students are welcome to bring lunch to the afternoon meeting.

For more information about the services offered by Career Planning and Placement, call 553-1111 or stop by the office at 308 Woods Hall.
Menees receives honorary degree

Charlie Menees received an honorary doctor of humane letters degree from the Union Pacific Foundation for his distinguished career in writing. Menees is a writer, broadcaster, teacher, lecturer and 'producer of great jazz. He has served on the boards of numerous Missouri jazz musicians. He has contributed to the study, teaching and championing of jazz. Menees received the degree at a meeting and benefit fund event for many senior citizens.

More people rent furniture from Aaron Rents than any other company in the country. One word tells you why: Value.

WINNING WAYS: English professor Ellie Chapman (right) discusses feature writing with a student. Chapman was recently honored for excellence in teaching by the UMSL Alumni Association.

Among the 16 courses offered for the Writing Certificate are short story, poetry and fiction writing, feature news and radio-television writing, editing, expository, technical and business writing, writing for teachers, writing in the professions and writing literary criticism.
Firm donates art to UMSL

Missouri Encom recently presented a plaque and three lithographs worth approximately $500 to the UMSL-School of Business Administration in recognition of its outstanding performance in the St. Louis area.

The three lithographs are portraits of Charles Lindbergh, Babe Ruth and Charlie Chaplin, and were designed and printed at Missouri Encom to represent perseverance, motivation and obtaining goals.

The gift was presented to UMSL by Robert Denckhoff, president of Missouri Encom, and Gary Kothoff, vice president of marketing.

According to Denckhoff, this is the first time his company has honored a university for outstanding performance in the community. "We seek to find examples of excellence in marketing and business schools at local universities in the markets we serve," Denckhoff said. "This is our way to say thanks to UMSL for promoting excellence."

Missouri Encom is a local marketing company specializing in business communications, personal direct mailings, strategic planning, advertising, and print technology.

KWMU finalizes plans for regular ambisonic broadcasts

KWMU (FM 91) has just finalized an agreement with Audio and Design/Calrec that enables the station to begin regular ambisonic broadcasts, according to station officials.

KWMU, the public radio station at UMSL, made history in May by becoming the first station in the United States to air ambisonic programs, and the station has continued to do so on a limited basis. KWMU will now be first in the country to broadcast regularly in the two-channel UHJ ambisonic format, beginning in the fall.

Ambisonics is a "surround" sound recording and broadcasting system which engulfs the listener in 360 degrees of sound, using sophisticated circuitry and a special microphone. The system's goal is to reproduce a performance with a level of realism unavailable previously.

Ambisonics was invented in England approximately 10 years ago. The British Broadcasting Corp airs ambisonic programs routinely, but the system has only recently gained attention in the United States, KWMU officials say.

Listeners who wish to gain the full effect of ambisonic sound must use an ambisonic decoder, second stereo amplifier and a second pair of speakers. Those not decoding the broadcasts still receive conventional stereo or monaural, depending on their listening systems.

Through a loan purchase agreement, KWMU will use the state-of-the-art Soundfield Microphones MK IV, UHJ transcoder, pan/rotate unit and ambisonic decoder to record and air all of its live or live-on-tape concerts, which consist of classical and jazz music. The station also plans to produce ambisonic radio theater and will air UJH discs and compact discs as they are available, station officials say.

"I'm excited about doing more ambisonic broadcasts," said KWMU Production Director Barry Heker. "We have received a very good response from our listeners, and other broadcasters who want to experiment with their own ambisonic recording.

Help Wanted

We need a graphic artist to supply us with 1 to 5 drawings weekly, most editorial cartoons and story artwork. This is a paid position. For details, call 553-5174. — ask for Sharon.

Student Association Election Positions

applications now available:

Election Commissioner

(Due Sept. 8th)

and

Pollworkers

(Due Sept. 21st)

For more information see Bridget in 282 University Center or call 553-5536

PSA sponsors debates

The Political Science Academy and the UMSL Students for Action will sponsor a debate on Monday, Sept. 17, beginning at 7 p.m.

Three students from different organizations will participate in the "Reagan-Mondale-Bergland Presidential Debate." Joe Lamb of the College Republicans will represent Ronald Reagan; Tom Piranez of the Student Democrats will represent Walter Mondale; and Terry Inman of the Libertarian Party will represent Libertarian candidate David Bergland.

The debate will take place in Room 222 J.C. Penney Building and is free and open to the public.

"We're trying to get people a little interested in politics or in a school activity," said Jon Gorges of the Political Science Academy. "There's a lot of apathy on campus."

Gorges added that his organization is looking for new members, as well, and that persons attending the debate may choose to become involved with the academy.

The PSA will hold other debates during the year. Gorges said, but no definite dates have been set.

On Wednesday the academy held a debate on "U.S. Policy Toward the Far East," and Gorges predicted would be the "biggest debate this school has ever had." Current publication deadlines did not permit coverage of the debate in this issue.

Gorges said he expected a turnout of over 100 people at the South African debate, and 30 to 40 students at the upcoming presidential debate.

ROTTC scholarship awarded to freshman

An UMSL freshman has received a 3-year Air Force ROTC scholarship which will cover almost the entire cost of his tuition, laboratory fees and books.

Michael W. Pearson, a political science major and resident of St. Louis, will use the scholarship to complete his degree in May 1987. Pearson also received his commission as an Air Force second lieutenant and serve six years as a navigator.

In other words, when people join Army ROTC, they often meet people a lot like themselves.

For more information, contact your Professor of Military Science.

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editorials

Some friendly advice...to freshmen

Hey you...over in the corner of the cafeteria...yeah, you. Don’t look now, but your freshman status is showing!

How could I tell, you ask? After you’ve tried so hard to look inconspicuous all week long?

Well, an upperclassman just knows things. Like the way you went into the wrong classroom this morning. You thought sure it was the right room. But I saw you back out quickly, the teacher glaring at you for interrupting. You’ve only got one parking sticker on your car, as well.

Upperclassmen know that you never remove a parking sticker, no matter how much you accumulate. It’s a status symbol. It was obvious, too, when you bought your lunch today. You thought (it was only logical, after all) that the cheeseburgers were lunch today. You thought (it was only logical) you’d never see you back out quickly, the teacher glaring at you for interrupting.

That way, you won’t wait to talk to your academic advisor to find out the scoop on your class schedules. You wouldn’t want everyone else to graduate without you just because you forgot to take Underwater Basket Weaving 1...a little known requirement.

Talk to the friendly folks in Peer Counseling, Room 413C SSB (that’s the Social Sciences and Business Building, you know). They can help you with pressures only students can understand, as well as test-taking tips, relaxation techniques, and much more.

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First of all, remember that Upperclassmen is a new experience for you. I understand. You won’t want to register, Preregister! That way, 10-to-1 you’ll avoid waiting in line at petitioning. You won’t want to fill out parking tickets or file applications for financial aid. You won’t want to talk to your professor after missing class on the day of a test. You won’t wait to register. Preregister! Talk to your academic advisor to find out the scoop on your class schedules. You wouldn’t want everyone else to graduate without you just because you forgot to take Underwater Basket Weaving 1...a little known requirement.

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Secondly, remember one of Morphy’s lesser-known laws: You know you’re in trouble when everyone is laughing at you.

To avoid being the only one not laughing, make sure you know all the answers. Where to find them? All right, listen carefully.

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Stop by the Student Activities Office, Room 250 University Center, for information about student groups and services such as carpooling, as well as a quick, cheap copy of your best friend’s biology notes at the PC Copy Center.

If you want to get rid of some of that nervous energy caused by too much studying, talk to someone in the Intramurals Office in the lobby of the Mark Twain Building. They’ll get you going with volleyball, touch football, swimming, kayaking, bowling and golf for starters.

Or if you’d prefer to lose your 90-pound weakening reputation all by yourself, you can work out in the weightroom, on the racquetball court or at the pool at the Mark Twain Building.

There are many other campus services and opportunities just waiting for you— at the Women’s Center in Benton Hall, in the Office of the Dean of Student Affairs at 301 Woods Hall (check there for information on programs for disabled and minority students), in the SWAP office at 346 Woods Hall (they’ll tell you about job opportunities around the rest of the campus as well.

Most importantly, remember that old adage, “You’ll get out of this experience what you put into it.” It’s true, you know. It’s your responsibility to make the next four (or five or six) years pleasurable and worthwhile. Don’t wait for things to come knocking on your door. Go out after what you want and need.

And remember—the cheeseburgers are in the silver foil.

letters

Appreciates open forum letter policy

Dear Editor:

This is a letter of commendation to the Current in appreciation of the Current’s open letter policy.

The Current is one of the very few St. Louis area newspapers which gives students and citizens an undiscriminatory and extensive forum to express their views. In fact, your open letter policy indicates to me that the Current is one of the few St. Louis area papers holding up the tradition and spirit of the First Amendment.

Sincerely,
Scott Oppenheim

letters policy

The Current welcomes all letters to the editor. All letters must be signed and the writer’s student number and phone number must be included. Non-students also must sign their letters, but only need to add their phone number.

Names for published letters will be withheld upon request, but letters with which the writer’s name is printed will receive first preference.

Responsibility for letters to the editor belongs to the individual writer. The Current is not responsible for controversial matters in the letter, but maintains the right to refuse publication of letters judged by the editorial staff to be in poor taste.

Letters may be dropped off at the Current offices, 1 Blue Metal Office Building. The University Center Information Desk. They may also be mailed to Letters to the Editor, Current, 1 Blue Metal Office Building, 8001 Natural Bridge Road, St. Louis, Mo. 63121.
Chuck Wiethop
reporter

Ten parking meters will be installed on the UMSL campus, according to John P. Perry, vice chancellor of Administrative Services. The meters will be located on the drive which runs along the western side of the North campus. The meters will be located south of the Social Sciences and Business Building, near the Fun Palace and Bug Lake.

The meters will provide short-term parking for people who need to make quick stops on campus.

The parking meters were a recommendation from the Parking Committee, a chancellor-appointed organization comprised of students and faculty members. Perry said that he and the committee had discussed the possibility of using parking meters at various locations on the UMSL campus, and that the location suggested this time seemed a good place to give parking meters a trial run. "They may be more trouble than they're worth," Perry said. If successful, however, parking meters may be installed in other places on the campus. No specific locations have been discussed.

The funds for the installation of the parking meters will come from Parking Lot Operations, which is funded primarily through parking fees. Any revenues collected will be placed back into Parking Lot Operations.

Perry said the rate for using the parking meters was recommended by the Parking Committee to be 25 cents for 30 minutes. Thirty minutes will be the maximum amount of time available on the meters.

Barbara Ann Schmidt, a January 1984 UMSL graduate, died on June 28 after a long bout with cancer.

Miss Schmidt, who turned 25 on March 6, graduated magna cum laude from Tulsa University in 1981, receiving a bachelor's degree in music education.

In January 1984, she graduated magna cum laude from UMSL, receiving a bachelor's degree in applied mathematics and computer science.

During her years at UMSL, Miss Schmidt worked in the reference department at the Thomas Jefferson Library and as a student assistant in the Computer Center. She was a member of the UMSL Math Club and the Bach Society Chair of St. Louis.

Miss Schmidt is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton E. Schmidt of Bel Nor, and a sister, Mrs. Sandra Savin, of Orleans, France.
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Gallery 210 begins its new season

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The 32 works in the exhibit are on loan from the Jacques Baruch Gallery of Chicago. Anderle has been called "a man of artistic virtuosity and a profound world view to correspond with All are of intaglio techniques." ArtReviews critic Lucia Adams has called Jiri Anderle, "a master of "peintre-graveur" and the numerous historical references should make this an interesting exhibition." The 32 works from 1966 to 1982. All are of intaglio techniques combining etching, drypoint, mezzotint, and brushed on copper.

The artist pays homage to the grand masters -- Michelangelo, Vermeer, David Caravaggio and others -- not by copying or reworking the original paintings, but by using them as a starting point for his recurring themes such as the passage of time, the ultimate presence of death, and humanitarianism, according to guest curator Jean Tucker. She says that the brilliance of work from this master of "peintre-graveur" and the numerous historical references should make this an interesting exhibition for art and art history students, as well as to the general public.

The new director of Gallery 210 is Tom Patton, assistant professor of art, who joined the UMSL faculty in the fall of 1983 to teach courses in photography. He succeeds Sylvia Walters, who accepted a position as chair of the art department at San Francisco State University.

Patton announced that the following exhibits will round out the 1984-85 season in Gallery 210:

- Oct. 3 through Nov. 5 -- "Hamady's Perishable Press: New Directions in the New Decorative" -- February through March -- Exhibit to be announced
- April 6 through May 3 -- "Culture and Record: 19th Century Photographs from the University of New Mexico Collection"

Bookstore rush is over

Mike Luczak
Features Editor

Students who still haven't had time to get books for their classes are advised to bring their schedules and ask for help in finding the right books from bookstore employees rather than help themselves. Many students get the wrong books for their classes as a result of helping themselves.

"Peak hours were Monday and Tuesday of this week," said Ken Langston, manager of the bookstore, "and most of the rush should be pretty well over.

The deadline for returning course books and receiving full refunds for them is Sept. 18. In order to receive a refund, though, it is important for students to remember to keep all their receipts, since no refunds will be given without receipts. It is also important for students not to write or mark in their books, Langston said.

Almost all course textbooks are in stock now; very few books are not in yet, unlike in past years, and bookstore employees report that they are receiving new books every day.

"The only problem we have is with books running out because of overenrollment in classes," Langston said, and it is advisable to get books as soon as possible because it often takes time for new books to come in.

In addition to offering general school supplies, the bookstore has college jewelry (including class rings), pennants, car decals, calculators, jackets, sweatshirts, and other insignia items available. Commencement announcements, caps and gowns are also ordered through the bookstore.

The bookstore will be closed on Monday, Sept. 3, for Labor Day.

La Dolce Vita at Tivoli;
KETC airs 'Jolson Story'

By GREG LANGSTON

'CEDRIC R. ANDERSON

'La Dolce Vita' at Tivoli;
KETC airs 'Jolson Story'

Nick Pacino
Film critic

As this is the first column of the fall, I should explain how the column works. I will critically preview upcoming films, rather than review them. They may be scheduled at any time throughout the week, at such sites as the Tivoli Theater or the St. Louis Art Museum, or on a television station.

By what standards do I judge a film to be a Classic or Near Classic? My method of assessment is obviously an arbitrary one, with no pretense that mine is the decisive verdict on any film. And yet my evaluation involves more than personal opinion and a sincere affection for the vintage film genre. For I think that film, like other art forms, can be critically appraised for generally recognized qualities.

Classic films are those that include the more profound subjects, like war, peace, love or hate, those which the human intellect can digest in order to acquire discrimination, comprehension and a broader perspective. Each film, in angular fashion, broaches the continuing essential problems which with humans are confronted. And since these universal problems are never totally resolved or explained, a Classic is an intellectual adjunct to other more routine sources of knowledge.

Classic films are unique productions whose quality and elegance show that they are patterns of perfection and should be judged Classic whether they are films of comedy, drama, westerns or science fiction.

The provocative nature of Classic films naturally leads to different levels of understanding by both critics and viewers. This seeming inconsistency is not a veiled reflection on the Classic film; rather, such diverse views complement one another while permitting the audience to learn the universality of the film from a variety of sentiments.

Most Classic films must pass the test of historical perspective. But it is not the mere progression of time that makes a film Classic, as it was Classic to begin with. Its protracted popularity only reinforces a Classic's nature. I may feel that a current film is a Classic, but I could not be certain. Time is the conclusive judge.

Many Classic films are difficult to completely understand the first time. Thankfully, most are also very entertaining and can be watched over and over. This is also why Classic films are beneficial -- for the more a subject has to be thought about, the more a subject is worth thinking about. Because Classic films promote issues without discernable solutions, they invite us to think, be curios and debate. Because they defy our acknowledged bias and our ingrained beliefs, they can help us to improve our critical skills. Now, on with the previews.

The Jolson Story is the second offering of a number of Federico Fellini films in the coming weeks, and is showing the 1961 Classic "La Dolce Vita" ("The Sweet Life") tonight only.

film classics

This film serves up an emotionalistic perspective on the degenerate lifestyle of contemporary Roman culture. It stars Marcello Mastroianni as a realness reporter for a tabloid specializing in the sensational.

Fellini uses this simple plot to showcase a number of startling, uninhibited episodes, as his stalking newsmonger flushes out all the wickedness he can find in his fellow humans. The jaded journalist resorts to theft when a crook's friend becomes a media event for his colleagues.

"DVD" received the Grand Prize from the 1965 Cannes Film Festival and an Academy Award for costume design (black and white). To enhance the bargain, the other double feature is Fellini's "Roma," an excellent production from 1976, which starts at 6:30 p.m. "La Dolce Vita" begins at 9 p.m.

Saturday at 10:30 p.m., KETC (Channel 9) presents "The Jolson Story," a 1946 Near Classic which loosely depicts the life of the great jazz singer, Al Jolson. He died in 1950 and was the Sinatra of the '20s and '30s.

Directed by Alfred Green, "The Jolson Story" stars Larry Parks in the lead role, Evelyn Keyes as his wife and William Demarest as his show-business manager. This is superb musical-storytelling, one which reaches the essence of Jolson and how important he was in the entertainment world.

The action follows Jolson from an adolescent vaudeville singer to his Broadway triumphs. The story line is effectively used to stage most of Jolson's well-known tunes, belted out by Jolson himself, but perfectly lip-synced by Parks, whose portrayal of Jolson is uncanny in both musical and dramatic scenes.

The score by Morris Stoloff and the sound recording by John Livadary both earned Academy Awards.

Coming attractions: A Susan Hayward Classic and a William Powell "Thin Man" festival.
The memories of school keep haunting him.

Now not very long after I began watching "Sesame Street," my mom also informed me of yet another show called "Mr. Rogers' Neighborhood." With Mr. Rogers I learned that it didn't make any difference what the weather was like because it was always a wonderful day in the neighborhood. Since he seemed like the kind of guy I could be believed him, and found myself wanting to learn even more.

As you might imagine, it wasn't long before I became addicted to watching both "Sesame Street" and "Mr. Rogers" with almost the same sort of enthusiasm and regularity as "Bugs Bunny" and "Daffy Duck." I guess, looking back now, I should've known better than to let guys like Big Bird and Mr. Rogers control my mind, but it all seemed so harmless and I was enjoying myself, so I would go into kindergarten "like a big boy" and I could hardly wait.

Kindergarten turned out to be great. I didn't think it was going to be great at the start, but after buying my first lunch box with the column

Big Bird on it, I couldn't help but feel secure. I went to school with my head held high and my shoelaces untied and it wasn't long before I was meeting new friends.

In kindergarten I couldn't have been happier. Almost all I ever did was play and color and go to the bathroom, and I was a pro at all three. If that was what school supposed to be like, then I figured I would go for the rest of my life.

But then the fun ended. The next year I went into the first grade, and was promptly given my first "textbook." A textbook, I learned, was a book with very few pictures and things called "exercises" on almost every page. I remember how disappointed I was in finding that exercises could also be done without actual exertion. What disappointed me even more was that playing was called "recess" and it wasn't done quite as often as it had been in kindergarten. It was also in the first grade that I was introduced to my first tests, on which I was either given smiles for doing well, or frowns for doing badly. I hated frowns, so I worked hard to do well, and most of the time it paid off. All the while, though, I began to hate school. Since I was now considered a "student," I was expected to do my best, or else repeat first grade over the next year. It was scary to think of getting frowns on my papers, so focused on doing my best, and in the end, I passed.

As time went on, I entered higher grades and was eventually shown the incentive that if I did what was expected of me, then I would only have to go up to the next grade, but finally finished eighth grade only then to be informed that I would have to enter a place called "high school."
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Season preview
Recruits important for Rivermen's NCAA bid

Don Dallas
coach

Greg McFetridge
goalkeeper

It's still real stiff.
I'll just have to wait and see how fast it (elbow) heals.

— Greg McFetridge

McFetridge may not keep

Daniel A. Kimack
sports editor

He is still hoping, but it is unlikely Greg McFetridge will
...down the soccer Rivermen's red-
...and-gold jersey. The second-
...year goalkeeper could be
...forced to pull on the ill-fated
...redshirt, instead.

McFetridge, who led the
...Rivermen to the National
...Collegiate Athletic Association
...Division 2 playoffs last season,
...underwent surgery to remove a
...chipped bone in his elbow prior to the season and recuperation has
...been slow.

"It's still real stiff," he said.
"I'm taking therapy three times
...a week, but the movement just
...hasn't come back yet.

"I just have to wait and see
...how fast it will heal.

McFetridge, however,
...doesn't have long to wait. The
...Rivermen kick off their season
...Saturday against Missouri
...Southern University in Joplin.

Undoubtedly, he will miss
...the season opener, and then
...some McFetridge will be
...granted approximately two
...weeks into the schedule to
decide whether or not to
...redshirt this year.

There is a real good chance
...that I'll have to sit this season
...out," he admitted. "I'll know
...more in a couple of weeks.

Scott Huber
forward

Paul Bielecki
midfielder

Joe Kortkamp
backfielder

John Stahl
goalkeeper

Steve Hoover
forward

TomWilson
midfielder

Chris Nelson
forward

Ted Hantak
forward

Lance Polette
graduate

"We didn't recruit the
...goalkeepers because of McFet-
...ridge's problem," Dallas explained. "We didn't know he
...would have surgery during the
...off-season.

We felt the other two
...keepers had good hands, and
...the way things have turned out,
it's real fortunate we got
...them." Last season at Lewis
...and Clark, Stahl was selected as a
...junior college all-American. At
...Rosary High, Robben earned a
...spot on the Missouri High
...School Select All-Star team.

But it is Stahl, Dallas said, who
...has the inside track at this
...point.

"They both have good
...credentials, but we are leaning
...on Stahl because of his experi-
...ence on the junior-college
...level," Dallas added. "Both are
...capable of stepping in right now
...and doing the job.

And that, certainly, pleases the
...Rivermen faithful who expect the
...Rivermen to return to the NCAA Division 2
...playoffs for season No. 13. Lucky 13? 1
...Dallas returns seven letter-
...men from last season's 12-6-2
...club. Forwards Steve Hoover
...(seven goals, six assists), Scott
...Huber (three goals, one assist),
...and Chris Nelson, backs Joe
...Osvarth (forwards) and Tom
...Wilson started last season, and
...Kortkamp and Olwig all were
...letter winners last year.

Hoover, Kortkamp, McFet-
...ridge, Olwig and Wilson started
...last season, and Kortkamp and
...Olwig are 1984 co-captains.

Those are the two guys we
...need to lean on," Dallas said.

And Kortkamp, an all-
...Missouri Intercollegiate
...Athletic Association selection
...last season, will anchor a de-
...fense Dallas believes to be
...paradigm last year's stalwart
...back line that allowed just 21
...goals.

There is a real good chance I'll
...have to sit out this season.

— Greg McFetridge

Joining Kortkamp in the
...backfield are top recruits Dave
...Abeln, Bart Andert, Tom
...Bielecki, Craig Westbrook and
...Glenn Zipfel. Mike Brancato
...and Ted Hantak (forwards), and
...Paul Bielecki, Matt Holloran
...and Joe Ovarath round out our
...Rivermen's recruiting crop.

Dallas reaped the area's
...junior colleges during the off-
...season. Tom Bielecki, Ovarath
...and forward Scott Skrivan hail
...from Lewis and Clark Com-
...munity College, Westbrooke,
...Andert and Holloran transfer
...from St. Louis Community
...College at Florissant Valley;
...Zipfel, Abeln and Brancato
...cross over from St. Louis Com-
...munity College at Meramec; and
...Ted Hantak, Forest Park's
...high-scoring forward, come to
...UMSL.

With 11 junior college
...transfers, and a strong high
...school crop, the Rivermen
...possibly are stronger than last
...season. Lost from that club are
...Frank Funklang, Kevin Fryer, John
...O'Mara, John Palett, Mike Pieri
...and Lance Polette. Those six
...players were starters, and Polette (11 goals) coupled with
...O'Mara (12 assists) were lead-
...ing scorers.

"We've got a lot of quality
...players," Dallas said. "We will
...miss Palett and O'Mara, but we
...had our best recruiting season." Fortunately, two goal-
...keepers were included in the
...bunch. McFetridge was sen-
...sational after stepping in dur-
...ing the 1983 campaign, but Stahl and Robben both have
...outstanding credentials.

"They are both excellent," McFetridge said. "If I can play
...this year, great. If I have to sit out, I'll be ready for next
...season.s

BLAST FROM THE PAST: Tom Olwig, co-captain of the Rivermen this season with Joe Kortkamp, returns for the 1984 season after a successful '83 campaign.
1984 MIAA Preview

MIAA conference: UMSL kickers lead surging pack

Daniel A. Kimack
correspondent

The football Cardinals were practicing down below the window. The coaches were chatting, and a slick waiter was bustling a round of beers to the coaches. The football Cardinals were practicing down below the window. The coaches were chatting, and a slick waiter was bustling a round of beers to the coaches.

The Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association held its second annual kickoff press conference Monday afternoon in the Green Room of the Stadium Club at Busch Stadium. Observing the surrounding Black and Gold waiters, drinks, hora de ovejitas and the buzz of professional football—your knew something was up.

And up, indeed, is the image and expectations this season of the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association Division 1 programs. Missouri State, Southeast Missouri State University, and the University of Missouri-Rolla.

"I would like to applaud the MIAA for its interest in soccer," said Bob Burnes, master of Missouri." But we have excellent players and keepers in '83, and the MIAA will try to lengthen its streak of 12 consecutive victories this season.

UMSL

The Rivermen were co-champions of the MIAA during the 1983 campaign with a 1-stand, 1-stand, 10-9 overall. A poor early season start by UMSL, allowed the Bulldogs to share MIAA honors. It is possible, but unlikely, that the Rivermen will suffer such a letdown this season.

"The reason we have such a good program here is because we have excellent players and excellent assistant coaches," Dallas said. "But this year we will have more new players than in previous years."

Lance Polette, the MIAA's leading scorer last year with 11 goals and four assists, is gone via graduation. And keeper Greg McFetridge may miss the season because of injury after heading the conference's list of goalkeepers in '83 with a 0.73 goals against average. "We had to go out and recruit some players," Dallas explained, noting 11 junior college transfers that were all standouts, "and we are lucky to get the players we did, namewise."

UMSL led the MIAA in every offensive and defensive category last year, and despite returning just four starters, it is unlikely the program will suffer much of a lapse.

Also, the Rivermen lead all MIAA teams in playoff appearances in the NCAA Division I. UMSL will try to lengthen its streak of 12 consecutive victories this season.

NEMO

Northeast returns the heart of its 1983 lineup with Dan Basler and Steve Schlichtig (forwards), Dan Hogan (back), and Stan Dippel (goalkeeper). The Bulldogs completed a 10-6-2 record last year.

If any team in the MIAA will challenge UMSL this year, it will be Northeast, based on turning letterman (13) and returning starters.

Dippel received Division 2 All-America status last season (the first MIAA player ever), while Hogan and Basler earned Division 2 All-Midwest honors.

"I feel good about this team," said Coach Greg Hantak. "Defense should be a strong point with physical, aggressive personnel, including an all-American goalkeeper."

"How well we play (on the road) will be the true test of the type of team we'll be this season," he added. "We'll find out what we're made of in a nine-game stretch between Sept. 12 and Oct. 29."

This is Hantak's first year at Northeast. He is hoping a long road schedule and a schedule that includes many Division 1 teams will not be a hindrance.

In all, the 13 returning players led the Bulldogs to their best record last year under Coach John Gutley. Gutley laid a sound foundation which Hantak can build on, and NEMO will be one of the better MIAA clubs, and one of the Midwest's best Division 2 teams.

ROLLA

Things are looking up for the Rolla Miners, who finished at 10-6 overall last year and 1-2 in the MIAA. Sixteen lettermen return this season, and Coach Paul McNally is excited.

"This is the first team I have ever had to look up to," the 5-foot-8 coach said. "The soccer program here has come another step, but we may not be ready for what we have done."

What Rolla has done is upgrade its schedule tremendously. Along with the MIAA portion of the schedule, Rolla will challenge six Division 1 schools.

"We are very strong on defense," McNally said. "Goalkeepers Ben Birch and Doug Trail are back, along with all-America candidate Kevin Keeney at one of the defender spots. Brian Dickerson and Paul Morgan will anchor the midfield."

Offensively, the Miners return leading scorer Keith Vandersteen (nine goals) to the lineup, and are counting on forward Mike Lane to complement him.

McNally said Keeney has possible professional talents, and will serve as co-captain with wingback Dickerson. Keeney gained all-Midwest and all-MIAA awards last year. "Virtually my entire team is from the St. Louis area," McNally said. "We have taken some strides this season and in the past, but we still have a way to go."

McNally said he would be really enthused if all his players passed first-round. See "MIAA," page 16.
Hudson hopes diligence pays off for women

Jan Gettemeyer
backfielder

Daniel A. Kimack
instructor

Riverwomen soccer coach Ken Hudson must have thought his job was going to be a bit easier this year. After losing just three letter winners from last season's 13-2-2 club, the returning members seemed primed for another trip to the National Collegiate Athletic Association playoffs.

But Hudson had a substantial amount of preseason work to do.

"This team will be different from teams in the past," Hudson said, noting the addition of several freshmen.

"It's a young team and I hope the new players can fit in right away."

Of the 18 players who will dress for the season, six are freshmen and four are sophomores. And five of those freshmen, all lightning-fast, could take over starting roles.

"It will also be a different team from the past in terms of speed," Hudson explained. "We had some fast women before, but now the best speed on the team is with people who can finish with the ball and score.

Two of those finishers are freshmen recruited from area high schools. Forwards Kathy Guinner and Kathy Gettemeyer are expected to complement veteran Neen Kelley on the front line. Both were blue-chip prospects in the St. Louis high school circuit.

Guinner played for Riverview Gardens High last season and overtook every girl's scoring record in the state, being named to the Missouri Select team. Roche paced Rosary High to the Metro Tournament championship last year, but was injured during tryouts for the Select team. Both have walked into starting positions.

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Jan (back) and Joan (midfielders) are entering their senior seasons as three-year all-Americans, a very prestigious club. Those two, along with Lewis, have largely been responsible for the instant success of women's soccer at UMSL, too.

Banded in 1981, the Riverwomen have qualified for the NCAA playoffs all three years and have reached the semi-finals during their first two seasons. Last season, the UMSL women were eliminated by George Mason University (1985 NCAA runners-up) in an opening-round play.

"I think, our record, and the fact that we have three all-Americans returning, helped us with our recruitment this off-season," Hudson said. "They (incoming players) know that this won't be a rebuilding year. They know the program is well-established and the girls are coming in with the intent to beat out the starters."

Other top recruits include midfielder Kathy Casso, and backs Sue Daerda and Michelle Frederiksen.

Casso will take over the left halfback position this year, allowing Joan Gettemeyer to move to wing halfback. Gettemeyer, who notched 10 goals and seven assists last season, was second in scoring behind Lewis, 13 goals and three assists.

"Everyone marks Joan," Hudson said. "When we move her to wing, it will open up the middle and give her more room to operate at the same time."

Daerda will inherit the stopper position from Leslie Mirth, who will switch to wingback. Daerda, Hudson boasted, can mark any striker in the NCAA.

Frederiksen is a freshman from Hazelwood East and has the potential to push incumbent Theresa Klaus and Mirth at wingback. However, she needs more time to adjust to the UMSL soccer level.

All in all, 14 letterwinners return from last season, and that's quite a number to juggle into the top newcomers crop.

Heading that list, which includes the three all-Americans, is goalkeeper Ruth Harker. Harker had seven shutouts in 16 starts last year and owned a 1.06 goals against average. She will be backed up by Theresa Klaus, who had one shutout in two starts last season.

And, like several other Riverwomen, Harker is trying to return after orthoscopic knee surgery during the off-season. Hudson, though, expects her to be at her best for the 1984 season.

Other returners include Karen Geelker and Theresa Napier at midfield, Mallary Smallwood, Marcie Zarinelli and Marie Zarinelli, and Barb Murphy at forwards; and Eva Kennedy and Theresa Klaus at backfield.

Players lost from last year include Jan Gettemeyer, Sue Paul and Angela Wegman. Paul and Gettemeyer were backfielders and Wegman was a forward. Paul was the only starter in the bunch.

"I feel confident we can win and possibly make the playoffs again," Hudson said. "But we'll know more about that a little bit farther into the season.

"As far as reaching the semi-finals of the NCAA playoffs, that all depends on how the new players come around."

In other words, it depends on how much work the experienced and inexperienced teams alike did this preseason - and throughout the season.

The nucleus is there for the women, and a slew of new recruits could bolster an already-strong team for Hudson.
Jim Goulden
reporter

The UMSL volleyball team has yet to serve, spike or set a ball this year, but it has already won a big battle. Two weeks ago the team was fielding a roster of seven players, barely enough to start a game. Now the team is up to 10 players and hoping for more.

Coach Cindy Rech had visions of improving on last season's record. But her mind was drawn away from winning for a short time, fearing that she wouldn't have enough players to survive the season.

However, help was on the way: "Last week two girls joined the team, and we received another one this week," Rech said. "I'm really happy too, because we have enough players to survive the season.

Roch also recruited two blue-chip prospects, delving into the teaching. "Coach Cindy Rech had visions of improving on last season's record. But her mind was drawn away from winning for a short time, fearing that she wouldn't have enough players to survive the season.

Dreams of winning programs and she was All-Conference last season, too. Rech noted. Rech also mentioned that these two girls come from winning programs and she hopes that they can inspire the older girls.

Rech has noticed a change in attitude over the last couple of weeks in practice. "Now they don't have to worry about someone getting hurt and not having enough girls to play, which is a bit of relief," she said. Rech hopes for further changes in attitude from last season, too. "There were times last season where we were in the lead, and the girls would think 'Hey we aren't supposed to win,' and then all of the sudden, we would lose 15-13 or something like that," she explained.

Two of the players Rech will rely on to reverse this trend are Lisa LaPlant and Julie Christie, who were key members of last year's team. "I'm real pleased so far with the team. I think we're stronger this season than we were last year, and we might surprise some teams this year," Rech said.

Rech also admitted that she would like to avenge some of last year's losses.

The Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association is going to do little to help out the Riverwomen in their attempt to climb to the top of the conference. Rech pointed out that although the other teams all lost some key players, they will all be good anyway.

Central Missouri's State University is the team to beat. They advanced to the national tournament last year, and they'll be strong again," Rech said. Realistically, Rech hopes to finish in the top three of the conference and to end up with a record above .500 in overall play.

UMSL will open up its season by hosting a 12-team tournament next weekend, and what a field of teams it is. Among some of those participating will be Division 2 powerhouse North Dakota State University, as well as Division 3 national champion Elmhurst College. Missouri Western University also will compete. MWU is an National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics-ranked team and will offer some

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Chris Dellass, from Hazelwood East, comes to UMSL with a winning background. East has advanced to the Missouri Class AAAA state finals the last two seasons with Dellass being a big contributor to both teams, including the 1984 team which won the state crown. "Chris is real good, and we can use her as either a setter or a hitter," Rech stated.

The other star recruit is Dellass' archival, Sharon Morlock of Hazelwood West. "Sharon was All-Conference last year, and has already proven to be our best jumper on the team," Rech mentioned.

THE 1984 RIVERWOMEN VOLLEYBALL TEAM: Head Coach Cindy Rech started the year with just seven players, but, looking at the above team picture, it is obvious she has filled out her roster. The Riverwomen are banking on the help of some blue-chip recruits.

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Get Caught Up In The Current.
Rauch pulls recruiting coup

Four of the top high school ten­
nis players in the North County area will enroll at UMSL next season, Coach Rich Rauch announced.

Rauch, who won eight subur­
bans North championships and one state title while he was ten­
is coach at Hazelwood Central High School, went back to his old school to recruit Tom DiBlasi and Brad Compton, and also got commitments from Kelly Chris­
tian and Steve Kliethermes of McCluer High School.

Another outstanding former Hazelwood Central player, Steve Wille, transferred to UMSL from Murray State a year ago, and should be eligible this season after sitting out a year in com­
pliance with NCAA rules.

Rauch was appointed men's tennis coach at UMSL last sum­
ter, too late to do any effective recruiting and his fall team suf­
ered through a 1-16 season. However he feels the five new players “will make UMSL re­
spectable which is the first step toward eventually winning a championship.”

DiBlasi, Christian and Kliether­
mes all qualified for the Missouri Class 6A championships last season.

Walk-ons invited to basketball try outs

There is a possibility of two or three walk-on athletes to be part of the UMSL Rivermen basketball program. Condi­tion­
ing for the team has already started, and anyone interested should call Coach Rich Meck­
essel at 553-5121.

A course called “Advanced Physical Conditioning” is being offered by the physical educa­
tion department through Con­
tinuing Education-Extension this semester for any interest­
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