LAND GIFT FROM PATENGES
ENABLES ENDOWED CHAIR
FOR COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

Michigan State University has received a gift of land appraised at $600,000 from Leone and Walter F. Patenge, with the recommendation that the proceeds from its sale be used to establish the first endowed chair in MSU's College of Osteopathic Medicine.

The contribution brings to $9.5 million the commitments made so far to MSU's $17 million enrichment program, announced Edgar L. Harden, acting MSU president.

Sale of the 170 acres of prime undeveloped property in Meridian Township, which borders East Lansing, will permit the university to use the income from the endowment to support salary compensation for a distinguished faculty member and to provide research and staff support.

A noted Michigan industrialist, Walter F. Patenge has long been associated with the profession of osteopathic medicine, and is the first and only president of the governor's Michigan Osteopathic Medicine Advisory Board.

Each year the MSU College of Osteopathic Medicine awards in his honor the Walter F. Patenge Medal of Public Service to persons of superior achievement in education, medicine, or public service. Past recipients of these medals have included former Health, Education and Welfare Secretaries Wilbur J. Cohen and Caspar Weinberger, Florida Congressman Paul G. Rogers, United Auto Workers president Leonard Woodcock, and past Assistant Secretary for Health, Education and Welfare Theodore Cooper.

President and general manager of Lansing's Wohlert Corporation for 34 years, Patenge was a 1923 graduate of MSU, a founder of the MSU Alumni Association, served on its executive board, and received the Distinguished Alumni Award from MSU.
REGISTRATION FILLING QUICKLY FOR ADVANCED CARDIAC LIFE SUPPORT CERTIFICATION COURSE

Only 23 positions remain for registrants to a course on advanced cardiac life support to be held March 31 to April 1 at MSU’s Kellogg Center.

The course, which includes certification by the American Heart Association, covers adjuncts for airways and breathing, adjuncts for artificial circulation, monitoring and dysrhythmia recognition, basic life support and defibrillation.

Also included will be discussions on acid-base balance, essential and useful drugs, and means of stabilization and transportation.

Sixteen hours of Category I credit is available both through the American Osteopathic Association and the American Heart Association.

Michael James, D.O., associate professor of osteopathic medicine, is coordinator. For information or registration materials, contact Ann Tsiminakis, conference coordinator, Kellogg Center for Continuing Education, Michigan State University, East Lansing, 48824, (517) 353-7822.

PEDIATRIC ONCOLOGIST AT MSU
FRIDAY, JANUARY 27

A nationally known pediatric oncologist, Alvin M. Mauer, M.D., will address Michigan State University medical students and faculty on "Cancer, Children and Curing" on Friday, January 27. The 12:30 p.m. seminar will be held in the Life Sciences Auditorium.

Sponsors are the MSU Medical Humanities Program and the Department of Human Development.

Dr. Mauer is medical director of St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital in Memphis and professor of pediatrics at the University of Tennessee.

Before going to St. Jude, he was professor of pediatrics at the University of Cincinnati, hematologist at Cincinnati Veterans Administration Hospital and director of hematology at Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Research Foundation.

Vice president of the American Society of Hematology and author of 115 publications, Dr. Mauer is a frequent guest speaker at national and international meetings and most recently participated in research meetings in Rome, Venice and New Delhi.
MONDAY, JANUARY 23, 1978

8:30 a.m.  Interpersonal Process Recall Workshop for Medical Educators. Norman Kagan, Ph.D., is workshop leader. Continues through January 25. Kellogg Center for Continuing Education.

4 p.m.  Physiology seminar: "Histamine H1 and H2 Receptors and Equine Digital Microvascular Permeability" by Tom Kozlowski, D.V.M. 105 S. Kedzie.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1978

11:30 a.m.  Faculty Development Program Workshop: Instructional Product Development. Includes elements necessary for effective instruction, flowchart development, instruction for skills training, and sharing of instructional problems. Lunch is provided. Reservations are necessary (353-7285). E2 Fee.

12:00 p.m.  Microbiology and Public Health seminar: "Staphylococcus aureus and Protein A as Related to a Vaccine Against Bovine Mastitis" by Dr. J. W. Pankey, North Louisiana Hillfarm Experiment Station, Louisiana State University. 146 Giltner. Discussion and brown/bag lunch will follow at 1 p.m. in 294 Giltner.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1978

4 p.m.  Nephrology Research Group. For information, contact J. B. Hook, 353-3718. 448 Life Sciences.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 1978

12:30 p.m.  "Cancer, Children and Curing" by Alvin M. Mauer, medical director of St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Memphis, and professor of pediatrics, University of Tennessee. Life Sciences Auditorium.

MONDAY, JANUARY 30, 1978


4 p.m. Physiology seminar: "Significance of Multiple Forms of Renin" by Michael Bailie, M.D., Ph.D., associate professor of human development and physiology. 105 S. Kedzie.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1978

10:30 a.m. Michigan Association of Osteopathic Directors of Medical Education. University Club.

12:00 p.m. Microbiology and Public Health seminar: "A Look at Immune-related Membrane Molecules of Lymphocytes" by Lee Hood, California Institute of Technology, Division of Biology. 146 Giltner Hall. Discussion and brown/bag luncheon will follow at 1 p.m. in 294 Giltner Hall.

12:15 p.m. Council of Affiliated Hospitals luncheon and meeting. University Club.

4 p.m. Unit III Center Representatives meeting. Dinner at 6 p.m. University Club.

4 p.m. Pharmacology seminar: "L-DOPA Induced Inhibition of Prolactin Secretion in Proestrous Rats" by C. Johnston, Department of Pharmacology. B449 Life Sciences.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1978

8:45 a.m. Workshop on Preceptorship Clinical Training sponsored by Department of Family Medicine. For information, contact Margot Kurtz, Ph.D., codirector of the preceptor program, 353-4730. Three Category IA CME credits available. Michigan Center for Continuing Education in Osteopathic Medicine, 900 Auburn Rd., Pontiac.

1 p.m. College Curriculum Committee meeting. A316 E. Fee.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1978

4 p.m. Nephrology Research Group. For information, contact J. B. Hook, 353-3718. 448 Life Sciences.
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WILLIAM F. MAY TO SPEAK
JAN. 23 ON RIGHT TO DIE

A leading theologian and noted educator, Dr. William F. May, will address Michigan State University medical students and faculty on "The Right to Die" on Monday, January 23. The seminar at the Life Science auditorium will begin at 12:30 p.m.

Sponsors are MSU's Medical Humanities Program and the Department of Surgery.

Chairman of religious studies at Indiana University from 1966 to 1976, Dr. May is a magna cum laude graduate (1952) of Yale Divinity School and in 1962 received the Ph.D. in contemporary theology from Yale University. He completed undergraduate work at Princeton where he majored in history in a special humanities program.

Widely published and a popular speaker, he has lectured at nearly 50 major colleges and universities, including Dartmouth, Emory, Vanderbilt, California, Princeton, Wisconsin, Notre Dame, New York, Arkansas, Denison, and Yale.

He gave the 1975 presidential address at the American Academy of Religion on "Institutions as Symbols of Death" and lectured at national meetings of the American Association for the Advancement of Science on "Death and Dying" -- "The Concept of Natural Death as an Ideal in the Medical Professions" and "The Right to Die vs. the Right To Be Dead."

Dr. May has conducted several humanities seminars for medical practitioners at Williams College and Stanford University.

Recently he worked at a New York hospital to observe delivery of health care in various settings and as author of resulting papers on "The Right to Die and the Obligation to Care" and "Some Notes on the Ethics of Lawyers and Doctors."

Dr. May is a past president of the American Academy of Religion, fellow and a director of the Society for Values in Higher Education, and co-chairman of the work group on death and dying of the Institute for Society, Ethics, and the Life Sciences. He is a member of the Indiana Committee for the Humanities, a former advisor to the Kennedy Foundation, and a past member of the advisory council of Princeton University's department of religion.

Lunches will be available for purchase in the Life Science lobby.
John L. Wang, Ph.D., assistant professor of biochemistry, is principal investigator under a grant from the American Cancer Society to study chalones, a class of compounds postulated to function as endogenous growth inhibitors in normal tissues. The major objective of the research will be to purify and chemically characterize the chalones, knowledge of which may offer practical clues to the regulation of neoplastic responses.

Loren R. Snyder, Ph.D., associate professor of microbiology and public health, is the coauthor of "Regulation of Anti-Late RNA Synthesis in Bacteriophage T4: A Delayed Early Control" published in the Journal of Molecular Biology 114:461:476. Principal author was R. J. Frederick.

Walter Hoppe, D.O., 1975 alumnus, recently took over a new practice at St. Johns, Mich. Dr. Hoppe, who has been practicing in DeWitt for the past year and a half, will maintain offices in both cities.

E. James Potchen, M.D., chairman of radiology, attended in December the National Cancer Institute as chairman of the task force to evaluate cancer control programs. He also attended the Creative Concepts in Academic Radiology Conference at Vail, Colorado.

Irvin M. Korr, Ph.D., professor of biomechanics, was the coauthor (with Gustavo S. L. Appeltauer) of "Further Electrophoretic Studies on Proteins of Neuronal Origin in Skeletal Muscle" published in Experimental Neurology 57:713-724, December 1977. This article is the most recent in a series of research reports elaborating Dr. Korr's 1967 demonstration of the delivery of nerve-cell proteins to muscle via the nerve fiber.

Daniel A. Bronstein, S.J.D., associate professor of psychiatry and resource development, will address the American Bar Association Environmental Law meeting on February 25 in Dillon, Colorado, on "Chemical Carcinogenesis and the Law: The Toxic Substances Control Act." He and Warren Samuels, Ph.D., professor of economics, are the authors of "Medical Malpractice: The Case for Contract -- Another View" which will appear in the February issue of Trial.


Gary Inwald, D.O., a 1976 alumnus, is working with the Allied Medical Institute of New York City. He is engaged to marry Robin Hurwitz, Ph.D., a staff psychologist with the Phobia Clinic of Long Island Jewish-Hillside Medical Center in New Hyde Park, N.Y. in June.
WORKSHOP ON PRECEPTORSHIP CLINICAL TEACHING TO BE HELD AT PONTIAC CENTER FEBRUARY 1

Time, Location
A workshop on preceptprship clinical training will be held from 8:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 1, at the Michigan Center for Continuing Education in Osteopathic Medicine, 900 Auburn Rd., Pontiac.

Purpose
The workshop is planned to assist preceptors in their roles as clinical teachers, supervisors and role models for osteopathic students in general practice settings.

Objectives
Particular objectives of the workshop will be to increase skills in making appropriate assignments of students to patients in accordance with the student's leading needs, and to discriminate between effective and ineffective feedback and evaluation procedures.

Faculty
Faculty for the seminar include:

- Lynn F. Brumm, D.O., chairman of the Department of Family Medicine;
- John Casbergue, Ph.D., associate professor, Office of Medical Education Research and Development;
- James Davis, D.O., associate professor of family medicine;
- Lon Hoover, D.O., associate professor of family medicine;
- Margot Kurtz, Ph.D., codirector of the Preceptor Program, Department of Family Medicine;
- Rivkah Lindenfeld, R.N., M.A., instructor, OMERAD;
- John Schweitzer, M.A., OMERAD.

CME credit
Three continuing medical education credits in Category IA have been approved by the American Osteopathic Association.

Contact
For information or registration materials, contact Margot Kurtz, Ph.D., Department of Family Medicine, College of Osteopathic Medicine, Michigan State University, East Lansing, 48824, (517-353-4730).

THREE-HOSPITAL MERGER UNDER DISCUSSION FOR DETROIT OSTEOPATHIC INSTITUTIONS

Three hospitals affiliated with the MSU College of Osteopathic Medicine are seriously considering merging to better meet the needs of the inner city and to provide much-needed cost containment for medical services.

The hospitals -- Zieger Osteopathic Hospital, Detroit Osteopathic Hospital, and Art Centre Hospital -- have taken the first steps in planning a new 605-bed facility which would reduce by almost 20 percent the number of beds the three hospitals have now.
STUDENT OSTEOPATHIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

Basic Life Support to be Taught at Okemos Schools

Members of the Student Osteopathic Medical Association and Michael James, D.O., associate professor of osteopathic medicine, will be sponsoring a two-day seminar on Basic Life Support for the Okemos Public Schools at 6:30 p.m., February 14 and 16, at Kinawa. One and two-person cardiopulmonary resuscitation, airway obstruction and infant resuscitation will be taught.

Persons from the second year class who are interested in teaching should contact Anne Pawlak or Ben Field.

First-year Students Needed to Teach Basic Life Support

Twenty individuals from the first-year class are needed to teach Basic Life Support in the Cardiovascular System. Prior experience with CPR (as an instructor, in emergency room work, etc.) is preferred. Participating students will be certified as instructors during a seminar in May sponsored by SOMA in conjunction with Dr. James. Interested persons should submit their names and mailbox numbers to Anne Pawlak (Box 280).

STUDENT CHAPTER—MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF OSTEOPATHIC GENERAL PRACTITIONERS

Fund Raising

The Student Chapter of the Michigan Association of Osteopathic General Practitioners is beginning a number of funding-raising activities that include the sale of monographs published by Abbott Laboratories and the ordering of D.O. pins.

Recent Activities

MAOCP presented a seminar on Sunday, January 15, on "Laboratory Update" at the Hilton Inn. The seminar and catered luncheon were free to MAOCP members.

Harold Margolis, D.O., clinical associate professor of osteopathic medicine, was the guest lecturer of the Association on January 18, when he discussed "Interpretation of the CDC." Dr. Margolis stressed points important to the family practitioner.

Future Programs

Programs planned for the future include emergency care, trauma and a lecture on the CAT scanner. These programs will require membership for attendance. For membership information, contact Pattie Pierce, Paul Ehrmann, Neil Parkas, or David Daitch.

SIGMA SIGMA PHI

Holiday Donations

Sigma Sigma Phi recently received a letter of appreciation from the Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Greater Lansing for their donations of food and money to needy children during the holidays.

The funds were raised from the organization's Christmas party, organized by Bruce Badaglialacqua and Dennis Deacon.
STUDENT SPOUSES AUXILIARY

Invitation to Membership
Newly-married spouses and spournses of first-year osteopathic medical students are encouraged to join the MSU-COM Student Spouses Auxiliary and to attend its monthly meetings. For further information, contact Kristie Bair, president, at 351-8578, or Christine Schultz, 349-1319.

January meeting
The Auxiliary's January meeting included a presentation on handwriting analysis by Robert C. Ward, D.O., professor of family medicine, professor in the Office of Medical Education Research and Development, and director of special projects for the College.

February meeting
"Understanding Osteopathic Manipulative Therapy" will be the topic for the meeting February 21.

24 ATTEND HUNTWORK LUNCHEON

Twenty-four faculty, staff, administrators and friends from the College of Osteopathic Medicine and the Department of Microbiology and Public Health attended the farewell luncheon held for Ethel Huntwork, retiring secretary to the associate dean for research.

The luncheon featured the presentation of a book of letters, the reading of the poem "Ethel Ith Spethul," and the gift of a portable television set to Ethel and her husband Ray.

OSTEOPATHIC GRADUATES NATIONALLY
HITS RECORD NUMBER DURING 1977

A total of 891 D.O. degrees were awarded by eight colleges of osteopathic medicine in 1977, according to the American Osteopathic Association, showing an increase of 79 over the graduating class of 1976. The last entering class nationally was 1,207 students, and it is estimated that nearly 1,000 degrees will be awarded during 1978.

Increased enrollment in the existing colleges and the establishment of new colleges of osteopathic medicine are credited with the increase.

This fall, two new colleges, the New Jersey School of Osteopathic Medicine and the New York College of Osteopathic Medicine entered their first classes of 24 and 36 students respectively. The West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine will graduate its first class of about 33 students next June.
UNIT III NEWS AND INFORMATION

Post-June Rotations
If any present out-of-phase Unit III students whose rotations will occur after June 1978 have not been recently contacted by the MSU-COM Unit III Office regarding scheduling of services, they should notify the office as soon as possible.

Emergency Elective
A 4 to 6-week elective in an emergency and trauma unit is available for students at Suburban General Hospital in Norristown, Pennsylvania. Objectives of the program would be to involve the student in direct patient care in the emergency room setting, and provide in-house follow-up of trauma cases after primary treatment has been managed.

The hospital ER sees approximately 15,000 to 16,000 patients a year, and is located northwest of a large metropolitan area with a significant number of motor vehicle accidents and multiple trauma cases. Hours could be flexible, and students, if they desire, would be notified of all major trauma cases. Students would be expected to respond to the emergency room detentions at any time.

Supervising physician is Robert W. Driscoll, D.O., and the hospital’s director of medical education is Harold Schreiber, D.O.

Dinner/Dance Tickets
For students who have already purchased tickets for the dinner/dance following the hooding ceremonies June 9, tickets above the normal allotment are available for $6.60 each. For information, contact Gene Conte, 1202A University Village, East Lansing, 48823, 355-5948.

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