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Welcome:

Fred L. Bookstein, a world renowned researcher, is a new professor in the department. Prior to his appointment here, he was based at the University of Michigan. He has collaborated with the UW's Dept of Psychiatry on it's Fetal Alcohol Syndrome study for many years. He will hold an adjunct title with Psychiatry. He is also affiliated with the University of Vienna.

William D.K. Green, will be working for Fred L. Bookstein as a System's Programmer.

New Students:

Nicole Bohme, St. Olaf College

Catherine Kneeling, University of Washington

Hilary Lyons, University of Washington

Tatiana Maravina, M.V. Lomonosov Moscow State University

Xiaoyue Niu, Peking University and University of Minnesota

Christine Oehlert, Grinnell College

Gail Potter, Oberlin College

Roopesh Ranjan, ISI, India

Soyoung Ryu, University of Florida and Florida Atlantic University

Mark Seligman, University of Michigan and University of Washington

Ranran Wang, Peking University, National University of Singapore

Linqiu Wu, Peking University

Lei Xu, University of Washington

Passages:

University of Washington **Emeritus Professor Cliff Lunneborg** died on August 10, 2005.

He was an Adjunct Professor in the Department of Statistics and Psychology. He was a key person in the creation of the Department of Statistics. He will be missed by all those whose lives he touched.

Holiday

The University of Washington will be closed on Monday, September 5th to observe "*Labor Day*".

Goodbye and Best Wishes:

Alejandro Murua accepted a position at Universite de Montreal, Canada.

Charles Geyer returned to the University of Minnesota.

Grace Chiu accepted the position of Assistant Professor in the Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science at the University of Waterloo, Canada.

Eric Aldrich entered the Ph.D. program at Duke University.

Saonli Basu accepted the position of Assistant Professor in Biostatistics at the University of Minnesota.

Sanjay Chaudhury accepted the position of Assistant Professor at National University of Singapore.

Amanda Cox received her Master's Degree and is on leave. She has taken a job as a graphics editor at the New York Times.

Caroline Cutting received her Master's Degree and will be leaving for Namibia (west of Botswana) in northwest of South Africa) in November with the Peace Core.

David Daily is going to work in the field of intelligence and achievement test development, working with Measurement Learning Consultants and the Woodcock-Munoz Foundation.

Raphael Gottardo received his Ph.D. and accepted the position of Assistant Professor at the University of British Columbia.

Ting-Yuan Liu is going to work at Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center as a Statistical Research Associate in the Department of Computational Biology.

Chia-Chi Wang will still remain at the University of Washington but pursue othe avenues regarding graduate student research projects.

Samir Warty received his Master's Degree and is on leave.

Adam Weissbarth moved to Arizona to teach chess.

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