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MEMO TO:

The University Community

FROM:

Nancy Belck

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SUBJECT:

Chancellor's Office Personnel Changes

The Office of the Chancellor has reorganized to provide more efficient and effective service to the campus community, to give Equal Opportunity additional visibility, and to bring planning and budgeting expertise into the Chancellor's Office. There are no increases in administrative costs, since these changes are within existing budget lines.

James Klenke has been appointed Executive Assistant effective January 21, filling the position left vacant by the death of Bill Gardner last May. Dr. Klenke, former Executive Assistant to the President of Wittenberg University, was chosen after an extensive search with over 150 applicants. He will assist in a variety of areas--including internal planning, student services enhancement, staff supervision, and communication with the President's staff.

Chuck Mecum, who served in the SIUE's chief executive office since 1975, became operations manager for University Park January 21. In his new position, he reports to Brian Donnelly and will be housed in the Park. His current duties will be reassigned to two other SIUE staff members discussed below, who are moving to the Chancellor's Office.

Dan Corbett's responsibilities will be expanded, and his title changed to Budget Director and Special Assistant to the Chancellor. In addition to continued supervision of SIUE's budgeting process, he will help with community relations and policy development.

Additionally, Paul Pitts, presently Director of Human Relations, will become Assistant to the Chancellor for Equal Opportunity. Pitts will be responsible for all compliance issues, including Equal Employment Opportunity, Affirmative Action, and the Americans with Disabilities Act. The remaining duties of the Human Relations Office will be transferred with Elizabeth Tarpey to the Office of Acting Assistant Provost for Cultural and Social Diversity, Rudy Wilson.

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