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FOR AND ABOUT THE PEOPLE OF BRYANT COLLEGE

## *Wall Street Journal* ads feature Bryant alumni

Bryant has launched a new series of ads to attract students to its financial services program, the first such undergraduate program in the East. The testimonial ads, produced by the college relations' staff, feature prominent Bryant graduates David Arel '72, executive vice president, Aon Risk Services, Inc. of New York; John D. Callahan '56, chairman and CEO, The Callahan Group, LLC, Illinois (and chairman of the Bryant board of trustees); and Diane Kazarian Sturino '83, partner, PricewaterhouseCoopers, Toronto.

The ads, which target alumni, parents, current and potential students, and the business community, appeared in the *Wall Street Journal* beginning on January 12, with the last ad scheduled for February 25. The ad schedule was developed to reach readers from Northeastern Canada to Florida plus Mississippi, Tennessee, West Virginia, and Washington, D.C.

The ads also ran in the *Providence Journal-Bulletin* throughout January. The campaign is the latest in Bryant's enrollment enhancement efforts.

## Best-selling author, concert set for March, April

Poet and novelist **Marge Piercy** will read from her work on **Wednesday, March 10, at 7 p.m. in Janikies Auditorium**. Piercy is the author of more than 25 novels and collections of poetry, including *Small Changes*, *The Moon Is Always Female*, *Circles On the Water*, and *Available Light*.

The Departments of Computer Information Systems, English and Humanities, Finance, History and Social Sciences, Management, Science and Technology, the Women's Studies Program, the Student Programming Board, and the Division of Academic Affairs are sponsors of this event.

Admission is free and open to the public. Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, call 232-6464.

**On April 9, the President's Cultural Series presents Khenany**, a group of five musicians from Obregon in Sonora, Mexico, whose music encompasses ancient, traditional, and modern rhythms of Latin American culture.

Most of Khenany's songs are in Spanish, but they also perform in Quechua, language of the ancient Incan empire; Yaqui, a dialect that is spoken widely in the Ciudad Obregon region; and English. They incorporate both an American and a classical music medley into their repertoire and offer music from a number of pre-Hispanic cultures, using replicas of the instruments used some 500 years ago by the Aztecs. They will play more than 30 different instruments during their performance.

The concert will be held at 8 p.m. in Janikies. Tickets will be available beginning March 1 at the Bryant Center Info Desk. They are \$5 for faculty, staff, and their guests; and \$10 for the general public. Bryant students get in free, but must pick up a ticket. Call 232-6245 for tickets. For general information, call 232-6120.

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### Two Bryant alumni appointed to board of trustees

Welcome to Autino "Tony" Maraia '58 and Thomas Hewitt '68, who were recently appointed to three-year terms on the board of trustees.

Maraia is president and CEO of National Gypsum Company in Charlotte, North Carolina. Hewitt is president and chief operating officer of Carnival Resorts & Casinos in Miami, Florida.

Look for photos and more detailed information in the Winter 1999 issue of *Bryant Business*.

### Dance company to perform March 6

The Cadence Dance Project will perform at Bryant on Saturday, March 6, at 8 p.m. in Janikies Auditorium. These classically trained dancers have performed with the Boston Ballet, the Ballet of Cuba, the National Ballet Canada, the Metropolitan Ballet of Caracas, and the Dutch National Ballet. The non-profit dance company's performance is choreographed by Colleen Cavanaugh and has won rave reviews over the past year.

Tickets may be purchased at the Bryant Center Info Desk at \$5 for students and children, and \$15 for faculty and staff. The Office of Student Activities is sponsoring this Performing Arts Series event. Call 232-6160 for information.

### Employees earn extra time off

Congratulations and continued good health to the following clerical/secretarial, physical plant, and public safety employees who earned extra time off in 1999 for taking fewer than three sick days last year.

Marcia Akerholm  
Helen Ammerman  
Frank Arena  
Linda Asselin  
Robert Aust  
Marcel Beaulieu  
Roland Bell  
Vincent Benoit  
Robert Berard  
Mary Blais  
Raymond Camara  
Sheryl Canis  
Robert Carlson  
Maurice Carriere  
Rene Chartier  
George Clark  
Diane Conlon  
Claire Corrado  
Loraine Cournoyer

Richard Coutu  
Wynette Dahlquist  
Beverly Daignault  
Judith Dawson  
Pauline Denault  
Robert Deshaies  
Joseph Diorio  
Paula Doyle  
Ronald Eaton  
Frederick Falcone  
Albert Forget Jr.  
Barry Frechette  
Jeanette Harrington  
Donna Harris  
Raymond Hebert  
Paula Hogan  
Robert Improta  
Debra Inman  
Marilyn Isherwood

Robert Jencks  
Arthur Johnson  
Donna Klepadlo  
Claire Kopacsi  
James Lachapelle  
Raoul Laferriere  
John Lariviere  
Lorraine Lallier  
Donna Lamirande  
Dianne Larossee  
Aurelie Maciejewski  
Mell Mann  
Naurene McDermott  
Richard Morello  
Thomas Murphy  
Vivian Paquin  
Rene Parenteau  
David Pickering  
George Pina

Claire Pitts  
Bruce Plante  
Carol Platt  
Bill Randle  
Thomas Rayko  
Frank Riccardi  
Diana Riordan  
Charlotte Rodericks  
Kathleen Rossi  
Dorothy Scott  
Claire Senecal  
Marilyn Serapiglia  
Bruce Shepherd  
Joseph Theroux  
Gail Valentine  
Victor Vargas  
Frank Widor