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# WELCOME To WESTERN

#### RECEPTION

FOR

## New Faculty and Administrative Staff Members

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1958

7:30 P.M.

KENTUCKY BUILDING

Western Kentucky State College

#### DR. ALLAN G. ANDERSON — Department of Mathematics



Dr. Anderson, widely known in the field of mathematics, came to Western from Akron, Ohio, where he was associated with the General Tire Company for the past three years. He was chairman of the Department of Mathematics at Dequesne University prior to entering the industrial field.

He was awarded the Ph. D. degree in mathematics by the University of Michigan in 1952. He was awarded the M.A. degree in 1950 by the University of Florida and the B.S. degree in 1946.

Dr. Anderson and his wife, Lucia, reside on the Smallhouse Road with their three children, Jeffrey, 11; Christine, 9; and Patricia, 2.

#### DR. LUCIA ANDERSON — Department of Biology

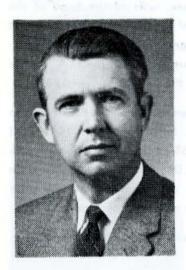


Dr. Anderson, wife of the head of the Department of Mathematics, was awarded the Ph. D. degree in biology by the University of Pittsburgh in 1946, the M.A. degree in 1944, and the B. S. degree in 1943.

Dr. Anderson served on the faculty of the University of Pittsburgh from 1949 until 1952. In 1953-54 she was an associate professor at Dequesne University and in 1955 served as research associate with the University of Pittsburgh Medical School.

The Andersons reside on the Smallhouse Road.

#### DR. LUTHER W. BAXTER JR. — Department of Agriculture



Dr. Baxter is head of the Department of Agriculture. He came to Western from Clemson Agricultural College, where he was assistant plant pathologist. He has had extensive experience in industry as well as the teaching profession.

He was awarded the Ph. D. degree in plant pathology by Louisiana State University in 1954 and the M.A. degree in 1952. He was graduated from Eastern Kentucky State College in 1950 with the B.S. degree, majoring in agriculture.

Dr. Baxter and his wife, Beulah, reside at 210 Longview avenue with their three children, Deborah Leigh, 5; Anne Elizabeth, 3; and John Ralph, six months.

#### DR. RAYMOND L. CRAVENS — Department of History



Dr. Cravens teaches political science. He was awarded the Ph. D. degree in political science by the University of Kentucky in August, 1958. He was awarded the M.A. degree by Western in 1955 and the A.B. degree in 1952.

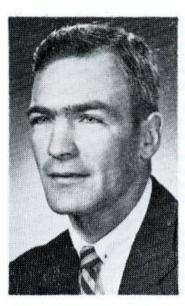
He entered the U.S. Air Force as a second lieutenant in 1952 and returned to Western in 1954.

Dr. Cravens was awarded a Haggin scholarship at the University of Kentucky in 1955 when he began the doctoral program. The grant was renewed in 1956 and 1957.

While an undergraduate at Western he served as business manager of the College Heights Herald.

Dr. Cravens and his wife, Ann, reside at 1541½ Chestnut street.

#### MR. JAMES W. FEIX — Department of Physical Education



Mr. Feix teaches in the Department of Physical Education and is an assistant football coach. He was graduated from Western in 1954 with the B.S. degree. He was awarded the M.A. degree by Western in August, 1958.

As an undergraduate, Mr. Feix was a member of the Western football team for four years. He was named to the Little All-American football team at quarterback in his final season with the Hilltoppers.

Last year he returned to Western to complete work for the M.A. degree and served as student assistant football coach. He served three years with the U.S. Air Force as a flyer following graduation.

Mr. Feix and his wife, Frankie, reside at 2110 Cabel Drive with their son, Jimmie. 4.

#### MR. JAMES H. GODFREY — Department of Music



Mr. Godfrey, widely known music educator in Virginia, came to Western from the Pulaski county schools, Virginia, where he had taught music since 1946. He was awarded the M. A. degree in Music by Columbia University in 1953. He was graduated by Oberlin College with the Bachelor of School Music degree in 1942.

Mr. Godfrey and his wife, Mary Gray, reside at 212 Bellevue avenue with their three children, James Michael, 10; Brenda Jo, 8; and Thomas Edward, 1.

## MISS VERA GRINSTEAD — Department of Library Science



Miss Grinstead was graduated from Western in 1953 with the A.B. degree, majoring in library science and mathematics. She was awarded the M.A. degree in library science by the University of Kentucky in 1957.

She has served as teacher and librarian in Kentucky schools and in Florida. She was associated with the State Bookmobile program prior to joining the Western faculty.

Miss Grinstead resides at Colonial Court, Normal Drive.

#### MRS. LAURA HICKEY — Department of Home Economics



Mrs. Hickey was awarded the M.S. degree in home economics by the University of Tennessee in August, 1958. She was graduated by Murray State College in 1950 with the B.S. degree, majoring in home economics.

She has taught home economics in the Robertson county, Caldwell county, and Muhlenberg county school systems.

Mrs. Hickey resides at Colonial Court, Normal Drive.

#### MRS. FLOYD F. McKIBBEN — Department of Psychology

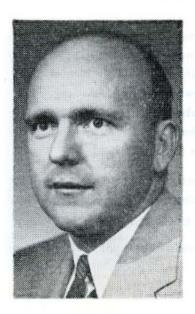


Mrs. McKibben was awarded the B. S. degree by the University of South Dakota in 1939 and the M.A. degree by Western in 1957. She is the wife of Major McKibben, assistant professor of military science and tactics in the Military department at Western. A native of South Dakota, she taught in the schools of that state and served as a Girl Scout executive until her husband was assigned to Western in 1955.

Since 1955 Mrs. McKibben has taught in the Warren county school system, and last year she served as guidance counselor.

The McKibbens reside at 1546 State street with their two daughters, Mollie Ann, 16, and Barbara, 15.

#### MR. JOHN D. MINTON — Department of History



Mr. Minton, prominent Kentucky school administrator, came to Western from Trigg county high school, where he had served as principal since 1953. He has completed all course work and residence for the Ph. D. degree in history at Vanderbilt University.

In 1947 he was awarded the M.A. degree in history by the University of Kentucky and the A.B. degree in education in 1946.

Mr. Minton and his wife, Betty Jo, reside at 624 14th street with their two sons, John Jr., 6, and James Ernest, 3.

#### DR. E. G. MONROE — Department of Art



Dr. Monroe was awarded the Ph. D degree in art and educational psychology by the University of Ottawa in August, 1958. He was awarded the M.A. degree by George Peabody College for Teachers in 1946 and the B. S. degree by Middle Tennessee State College in 1941.

He has had a wide range of experience in the teaching of art in public schools and universities over the past ten years.

Dr. Monroe resides at 1302 College street.

#### DR. ALBERT L. OLSON—Department of Economics, Sociology



Dr. Olson is head of the Department of Economics and Sociology. He came to Western from Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa, where he was head of the Department of Economics and Business Administration.

He was awarded the Ph. D. degree by Yale University in 1934. He was awarded the M.A. degree by Northwestern University in 1934 and the A.B. degree by Augustana College in 1924.

An experienced professor of economics, he served as Chief Economist for the U.S. Office of Price Stabilization, Peoria, Illinois, and has taught at Iowa Wesleyan College, Marshall College, New Haven Community College, and Augustana College.

Dr. Olson and his wife, Molly, reside at 1241 Center street.

#### MISS MARGARET SIMONS — Department of Biology



Miss Simons was graduated from Western in 1952 with the B. S. degree, majoring in the science area. She was awarded the M.A. degree in biology by the University of Kentucky in August, 1958. She was a graduate assistant in the Department of Bacteriology at the University of Kentucky.

While an undergraduate at Western she was a member of the Talisman staff.

Miss Simons resides at 620 Covington avenue with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Simons.

#### NEW ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF MEMBERS

Mr. Lon G. Slaughter . . . . . . . Accountant, Business Office

Mrs. Linda Sidebotton . . . . . . . . . Cafeteria Manager

