HIGHER EDUCATION UPDATE

Professors to speak in Portland

The tidal wave of change in Eastern Europe will be discussed by three University professors in a Portland luncheon series this winter and spring.

The series, "Change and Continuity in Eastern Europe," will feature geographer Ronald Wixman on March 10 and mathematician Sergey Yuzvinsky on April 14. Both have extensive personal experience in Eastern Europe.

The lectures, sponsored by the University College of Arts and Sciences, will be at the Heathman Hotel, Southwest Broadway at Salmon Street, from 11:45 a.m. until 1:15 p.m. on each of the scheduled days. The charge for each lecture is

Wixman's topic, "Nationalism and Identity," will focus on the important role of ethnic and religious allegiances in Eastern Europe in the absence of centralized power to compel

Yuzvinsky will share aspects of his life in the former Soviet Union and will provide insight into today's Russia.

More information is available from Sue Keene, arts and sciences associate dean, at 346-3950, or from Tron Stadelman of the Portland Alumni Association Board, 245-1187 in Portland

International opportunity

Each year the Friendship Foundation for International Students recognizes a number of international students who make outstanding contributions serving the campus and com-

international students are encouraged to nominate other international students who they feel deserve recognition. Nominations should be submitted on forms available in the Office of International Services. The form will include space for describing the nominee's contributions. The deadline for submitting nominations is March 1. All nominations will be reviewed by a committee.

To be eligible, students should meet the following criteria: · Registered University international student in good aca-

demic standing.

· Service to campus and/or community.

· Students must be on non-immigrant visas

The Outstanding International Student Awards will be announced at the annual Friendship Foundation for International Students spring awards ceremony. This year's ceremony will be held on Sunday, May 17, at the Casanova Center near Autzen Stadium. All international students and their families are invited to attend and honor their international

Prepare for spring break

Midterm exams are just finishing up, and many students would like to start thinking about spring break. And for international students, the preparations usually start early

'If any international student wishes to travel outside of the United States during the spring break, they must have their visa papers in order," said Peter Briggs, associate director of the international services office. By taking care of their paperwork well in advance of any planned travel, international students can avoid last minute complications or delays.

Briggs said some students will need to obtain Canadian visas to enter Canada, but some will not, and finding out information in advance can save a lot of last minute confusion.

International students can bring their visa papers to the Office of International Services in 330 Oregon Hall for process ing anytime before spring break

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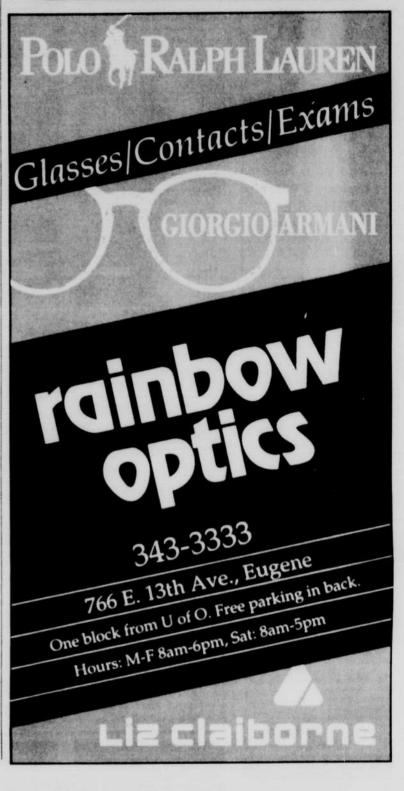
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