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Students have opportunity to meet professionals

## Career Market: a learning experience

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Over 70 professionals from a variety of careers, including KGW-TV news anchor Pete Schulberg, will be participating in the 1989 Career Market today from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Community Center Mall, according to Gail Laferriere, coordinator of the event.

The event is being held to give people an opportunity to talk with professionals in a variety of fields to help answer questions they may have about certain careers, and to help them make a decision about what career they will enter.

The Career Market will include representatives from the following career fields: administration, bookkeeping and accounting, electricity and electronics, engineering, federal agencies, graphic arts, health services, math and computer science, metalworking, police and security services, sales and social services.

"All of the people who are coming have said they are really excited about what they're doing," Laferriere said.

Representatives from the various careers will answer questions concerning educational requirements, what the job is like, and how to prepare for the career but will not, Laferriere stressed, be recruiting employees.

"Presenters at these events

sometimes talk more about their job and try to recruit people, but the ones who are coming to Career Market are very good at avoiding that," Laferriere stated.

Laferriere said that she "selects participants based on if there is a reasonable employment outlook for the career, and on how enthusiastic the participants are." She added that "almost all of the career areas with shortages are represented."

The participants in Career Market range in educational background from 2-year degrees to Ph.Ds. The participants also represent both large and small companies.

"People always seem to respond to big name (companies) - they're a good resource - but the trend in this country is that small businesses are hiring more than larger ones," Laferriere pointed out.

Some of the participants even have connections to Clackamas Community College.

"Some of them graduated from CCC and are even on department advisory boards - that's where their commitment (to the college) comes from," Laferriere said.

This is the second year Laferriere, a career development specialist, has organized the event, although the Career Market was held before Laferriere worked for CCC. Last year between 800 and



Gail Laferriere, coordinator of the Career Market, said she enjoyed organizing the annual event. Photo by Lane Scheideinan

1,000 students participated in the event, according to Laferriere.

Laferriere also noted that there wasn't much support for Career Market in the past, but this year that has changed.

"One instructor even required his students to attend Career Market," Laferriere said. She went on to say that student government has been a big help this year in promoting the event.

Part of the reason Laferriere enjoys organizing the event is that her own experience in choosing a career was less than satisfactory.

"When I went to high school I didn't have any idea of what I

wanted to do. There was no career center; there were no tools to help me find out what I wanted to do. I would have been ecstatic if there would have been something like Career Market. That's why I'm so excited about the event. It makes me feel good about working here (at CCC)," explained Laferriere.

Laferriere described the Career Market as a learning experience, stating that it "allows us to see what a job is like before the first day of work." She also added that "it's kind of a two-way street. Both the students and the presenters learn something."

## There's a rat in ASG



After a rat, found Monday in the ASG Office, died . . . ASG members bought two new ones to take its place. Deni Gardner gets acquainted with the new rodents. Photo by Jillian Porter

## Smoking solution sought by CCC students

Associated Student Government President Garrett Lytle presented a packet on the smoking issue to the President's Council yesterday.

The packet included a letter to President John Keyser that outlined plans for the smoking forum Nov. 21 from 12:30-1:30 p.m. and Nov. 22 from noon to 1 p.m. in the Community Center Mall.

The packet also included a draft of the campus-wide opinion poll. Polling on the smoking issue will take place Nov. 27-30 from 5:30 p.m. for evening students,

and noon-5 p.m. Nov. 29, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Nov. 30, and 8 a.m.-1 p.m. Dec 1 for day students. Results of the poll will be presented to the President's Council on Dec. 5.

"This is just an opinion poll and is only a recommendation to the President's Council," Lytle stated.

President Keyser will be in New Zealand from Nov. 9 to Dec. 6 and will not be at the meeting when the poll is presented, but he doesn't feel his absence will affect the council's decision on the smoking ban.

## News Digest

### Correction

In last week's "News Digest" a misleading headline appeared over a news brief for the 1989 Career Market.

The headline, "Need a job?" falsely created the impression that jobs would be offered at the Career Market. This is not the case, as the Career Market is only presenting examples of various careers so informed career choices can be made.

The Clackamas Print apologizes for this error.

### Slides slated

The CCC Science dept. will be hosting a slide show about the Great Basin National Park, the nation's newest national park. The presentation will begin at 12:30 p.m. tomorrow in P101.

### Scholarships offered

The following scholarships are available in the Financial Aid Office:

Elk National foundation Harry S. Truman Natl. Scholarship

Many others are also available. You can find them by looking through the Scholarship notebook at the Financial aid Office.

### Important dates

- Nov. 10-11: Veterans Day Closure
- Nov. 16: Great American Smokeout
- Nov. 23-26: Thanksgiving Closure
- Dec. 4: Winter Term Registration Begins
- Dec. 11-16: Finals Week
- Dec. 16: Fall Term ends

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