

Career Notes

1986-87 Grant testing dates announced

(Princeton, NJ) — The Graduate Management Admission Council (GMAC) has announced testing dates for the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) used by about 800 graduate schools of management as a predictor of academic performance.

The 1986-87 testing schedule includes

administrations of the examination on:
October 18 March 21*
January 24 June 20
Candidates registering to take the GMAT at testing centers in the United States and its territories pay a \$28 fee. In other countries, the registration fee is \$34.
Further information on registration

procedures and deadlines, fees, and testing center locations is available in the GMAT Bulletin of Information for 1986-87. Copies are available locally from Meredith's Office of Career Services or by writing to GMAT, Educational Testing Service, CN 6101, Princeton, NJ 08541-6101. In emergency situations, candidates who

complete a registration form and pay a \$20 service fee may be able to register at test centers as day-of-test standbys. Standby registration cannot be guaranteed, however, as it depends on the availability of space and test materials after all pre-registered candidates have been admitted.

New additions to the admissions department

Joining the admissions staff on September 15, 1986, as Assistant Directors of Admission are BETTY CRAVEN and SALLY DAVIS.

BETTY is 1981 graduate of Duke University, where she majored in history, and expects to receive soon an M.A. in East Asian Studies from George Washington University. She has lived, studied, and taught English language to Chinese students in Hong Kong and Beijing. She worked for one year as coordinator of the Duke Study in China Program, has done crisis counseling in Washington, D.C., and most recently has served as an Administrative Assistant with a corporation in the Research Triangle. Betty will be working with student tour guides.

SALLY is a 1982 graduate of Alboin College in Michigan, where she completed a self-designed major in Public Relations. She has nearly four years of experience in college admissions, having worked until April 1986 at Peace College. After a brief period of working as an account manager with a temporary employment services firm, she is returning with enthusiasm to the admissions field. Sally will be working with open day preparation.

BARBARA CRAIG, who joined the admissions staff in April 1986, has been promoted to Associate Director of Admissions, effective September 15, 1986. Barbara has six years of experience in college admissions. She also has several years of teaching and administrative experience before coming to Meredith. She is a graduate of Mary Baldwin College.

Foreign service exam to be administered

The U.S. Department of State is seeking to attract candidates with an interest in a challenging career in foreign relations to careers in the Foreign Service. The written examination for the Foreign Service will be given this year on December 6. On the basis of historical precedent, thousands of students will be interested in taking the examination. This year, as we have in the past, we are sending application forms and booklets explaining the examination process and the Foreign Service to colleges and universities throughout the United States.

Applications must be returned to the Educational Testing Service, Princeton, New Jersey by October 24 and not to the Department of State. The application booklets contain correctly addressed envelopes.

If you need additional materials or have any questions about the Foreign Service or the examination, please contact Beth Taylor in Career Services, Ext. 8428.

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