

Rousseau Inducted To Oxford's Who's Who

James A. Rousseau has been selected for inclusion in the 1992-93 edition of Oxford's *Who's Who*, the Elite Registry of Extraordinary Professionalism announced recently by Oxford's managing editor, Scott H. Adams.



James Rousseau

executive committee, N.C. Association of Institutional Research; member, N.C. Cooperative Extension Advisory Board (vice chairman);

recognized by the Winston-Salem Chamber of Commerce Task Force for outstanding service in the Cleveland Avenue Community project, Chamber of Commerce; executive committee member, Winston-Salem Forsyth County Private Industry Council.

Some of Rousseau's earlier career achievements include but are not limited to: principal, Paisley High; principal, Philo Junior High; assistant principal, East Forsyth Senior High.

As the vice president for Planning & Development/Student Services for the past 10 years, Rousseau is responsible for the institution's annual planning progress, the institutional foundation, fund-raising and grants. Rousseau's personal goals include becoming an executive vice president or president in the next 2-3

years. The goals for the college include continued cultural diversity enhancement of the faculty and curricula and increased funding from the private sector.

Selection for inclusion in Oxford's *Who's Who* is an accomplishment in itself. This publication garners prestigious participants such as Chrysler's chairman, Lee Iacocca; the C.E.O. of IBM, John Akers; the C.E.O. of the Walt Disney Company, Michael Eisner; Chairman of Xerox, David Keams; Ford Motor Corporation's Chairman, Harold Poling and Microsoft's founder, William Gates.

Inclusion in Oxford's *Who's Who* is based upon the fundamental principal of reference value. Oxford's also strives to recognize its participants for significant achievements both in the business and private sectors.

Twin City League Kicks Off '93 Season

Twin City Little League will hold an organizational meeting on Sunday Feb. 3rd at 3:30 p.m. at the Salvation Army Boys Club on Martin Luther King Jr. Drive. The meeting will kick off the 1993 season for the league, the only predominately black-little baseball program in North Carolina. Anyone interested in becoming a coach, manager, umpire or member of the auxiliary committee is urged to attend the meeting. Parent with children ages 6-18 are also urged to attend. With a boundary expansion, the league has expanded from 12 to 28 teams. Formal registration will be held on Feb.

20, from 10 a.m. til 3 p.m. at Happy Hill, Piedmont Circle. Kimberly Park and Cleveland Avenue community centers, and the Boys Club on Martin Luther King Jr. Drive. The cost of registration for the 1993 season is \$25.

The board of directors of TCLL has put together a program for 1993 that is expected to make this season the best ever. Melvin "Rip" Wilkins, league president, said he is expected to further involve the entire community this season. "We expect this year to be a great one for Twin City," Wilkins said. "We are now beginning to reach the number of

kids where we can make a major impact upon the city of Winston-Salem. We are making an effort to have an impact upon the lives of inner-city kids. We really want this to be a positive outlet for children in this city. In this program we stress the importance of teamwork and goal-setting. Hopefully we can reach out to kids who haven't had a chance to participate in an organized program before." During Wilkins tenure, the program has grown from having 12 teams to 28 teams.

The only drawback cited by Wilkins is the lack of volunteer support to match the number of children

taking part in the program. "A successful program is built by volunteers," Wilkins said. "We have a lot of very dedicated people, but we don't have the numbers to adequately staff and run a program of this nature. Hopefully the community will continue to respond and the numbers will increase." We sent 5 teams to the division all-star. The Twin City (A team) boys 16-18 won the first divisional title in Twin City history.

To win a divisional title is a milestone, that will just let us know that we can compete with the major Little League program.

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Earned Income Tax Credit

Many families may qualify for the earned income tax credit this year. Individuals who earned less than \$22,370 and had a qualifying child living with them for more than six months during the tax year (1992) can get up to \$1,324 from the earned income tax credit when they file their Federal tax returns on or before April 15, 1993.

A "qualifying child" includes a son, daughter, adopted child, grandchild, stepchild, or foster child who is age 18 or younger unless he or she is a full-time student. A full-time student may be age 23 or younger. There is no age limit for a child who is permanently and totally disabled.

Individuals may be entitled to a larger earned income credit on their 1992 Federal tax returns, if they have more than one qualifying child, or a qualifying child born in 1992. For maximum earned tax credit for two qualifying children is \$1,384. This amount does not increase if you have more than two qualifying children.

Here are the requirements that you must meet to take the earned income tax credit:

- a) you worked and the total of your taxable and nontaxable earned income is less than \$22,370;
- b) your filing status is single, married filing jointly, head of household, or qualifying widow(er);
- c) you must have at least one qualifying child; and
- d) you must not be a qualifying child or another person.

If you meet these requirements complete the "Earned Income Tax Credit" schedule included with the Form 1040 or 1040A that you received from the Internal Revenue Service.

Keep in mind that earned income includes wages, salaries, tips, other employee compensation, net earnings from self-employment, and union strike benefits. It also includes anything of value - money, goods or services - that you get from self-employment, and union strike benefits. It also includes anything of value - money goods or services - that you get from your employer for services you performed, whether or not it is taxable. Earned income, however, does not include interest, dividend, welfare benefits, veterans benefits, pensions or annuities, alimony, social security payments, workers compensation, unemployment benefits, taxable scholarships or fellowships.

Any refund that you receive as the result of claiming the earned income tax credit is not used to determine if you are eligible for benefit programs, or used to determine how much you can receive from them. Such benefit programs include "Aid to Families With Dependent Children (AFDC)," Medicaid and Supplemental Security Income (SSI)," and "Food stamps and low-income housing."

If you are a worker who is eligible to receive the earned income tax credit, you can increase your take-home pay by adjusting your withholding allowances reflected on the W-4, Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate, on file with their employers. This is not a complicated matter, but many taxpayers continue to overpay Uncle Sam every year because they fail to adjust their withholding allowance.

NCI Hosts Teleconference

On Sunday, Feb. 7, from 5-7 p.m. the National Council of Negro Women will celebrate Black History Month with a nationwide teleconference broadcast live via satellite from the National Civil Rights Museum at the Lorraine Motel in Memphis, Tennessee. Locally a teleconference viewing reception will be hosted by Thelma J. Pigford at the Hall Patterson building Room 278 on the Winston-Salem State University Campus.

Millions of viewers from downlink sites and cable systems in cities across the country will be turned in when Charlayne Hunter Gault (MacNeil/Lehrer Report), moderates the historic broadcast entitled "Conversations with Dorothy I. Height: The Weaving of African-American Women's Experiences - A celebration of their stories and quilts."

Dorothy I. Height, the last living link to the civil rights leadership of the 60's will provide an up close and personal perspective of her

more than sixty years as an agent of change in what may have been the greatest social revolution of this century.

The nationwide teleconference will also launch the publication of a special book dedicated to Dr Height. *The Black Family Dinner Quilt Cookbook*.

A special story quilt by Faith Ringgold featuring a portrait of Dr. Height and her mentor Mary McLeod Bethune will be unveiled, accompanied by a dozen other quilts by leading artist from the Women of Color Quilters Network on exhibition at the museum.

The Ringgold quilt portrait entitled "Mealtime Dialogue" is also featured on the cover for the book, which features healthier versions of traditional heritage recipes, food memories form many who have shared special meals with Dr. Height, plus a special historical section on quilting and the African-American slave diet.

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