

(Below)  
 Author Alan Hines, who wrote the TV movie on the Texas cheerleader murders for CBS, will be speaking at a special Writers' Forum on Tuesday October 7th. Other writers that will be featured in the next few weeks include: Larry Johns, Winner of 1997 O'Hara award, who will be reading on October 9th. The October 23 forum will be "faculty reading night." October 30th will be Ezra Pound/Brunnenburg night. Author Reynolds Price will visit December 4.



## ECRC Update

by Gail Menius

Electronic Commerce is the wave of the future for business. The need for this facility arose in 1994 when the Department of Defense decided to require all of their suppliers to do business through Electronic Data Interchange. This cuts down on cost and time and it simply makes things a lot easier. Large businesses already used EDI; there was, however, a need to help small to medium sized businesses get on the bandwagon. Thus ECRC was born.

But if you are more interested in something closer to home, I have juicy stuff. There are oppourtunities for interns on an as-needed ba-

sis, although they currently have enough people.

There is also going to be a training facility on campus. This facility will be located in Pate Hall and will be used for classroom instruction.

ECRC affects everyone at St. Andrews. The internships are educating the students involved about the current technologies. As with most new technologies, it will change the way that everyone does business in the future.

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