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Chancellor Rakes and his wife, Dr. Glenda Rakes, professor of education, talk to Crawford Gallimore, University of Tennessee Board of Trustees member, at the annual Chancellor's holiday open house Friday evening. More than 200 current and retired faculty and staff and local residents attended the event.



Len Solomons, left, vice chancellor for university advancement, talks to newly elected 77th District State Rep. Judy Barker at the annual holiday open house, hosted by the chancellor in Boling University Center.



Administrators, faculty and staff don aprons (and, occasionally, a Santa hat) each year to serve students during the Moonlight Breakfast, offered by Sodexo and Dining Services in Skyhawk Dining Hall. This year's event was Dec. 8.

University will be closed on Jan. 2

The University of Tennessee at Martin will be closed, Jan. 2, with staff and 12-month faculty to report a day of annual leave, personal leave, or compensatory time (previously banked overtime worked) for the day. This will allow UT Martin to save on energy costs by keeping most buildings at a lower temperature than on a normal workday following the holiday closing, Jan. 1, for New Year's Day.

Certain departments perform services that UT Martin must provide on Jan. 2. Employees who perform those services should report the time they work in place of leave for the period

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CALENDAR

Dec. 15-Jan. 4

- Monday, Dec. 15
- 7 p.m. - Skyhawk men's basketball @ MTSU
- Wednesday, Dec. 17
- 5 p.m. - Skyhawk women's basketball @ Belmont
- Thursday, Dec. 18
- 7 p.m. - Skyhawk men's basketball vs. Brescia University, Kathleen and Tom Elam Center
- Sunday, Dec. 21
- 2 p.m. - Skyhawk women's basketball @ Vanderbilt
- Monday, Dec. 22-Friday, Dec. 26
- Holiday/administrative closing
- Saturday, Dec. 27
- 6 p.m. - Skyhawk men's basketball vs. Florida International @ Miami
- Sunday, Dec. 28
- 6 p.m. - Skyhawk men's basketball vs. Fordham @ Miami
- Monday, Dec. 29
- 4:30 p.m. - Skyhawk women's basketball vs. Rice @ Ole Miss
- Tuesday, Dec. 30
- Skyhawk women's basketball vs. Ole Miss/Northwestern Louisiana @ Ole Miss, TBA
- Wednesday, Dec. 31
- 4 p.m. - Skyhawk men's basketball @ Central Arkansas
- Thursday, Jan. 1-Friday, Jan. 2
- Holiday/administrative closing



The Office of Research, Grants, and Contracts was awarded the 2008 Program of Research and Evaluation for Public Schools Hugh Peck Award in memory of Dr. Hugh I. Peck, who was the director of PREPS at Mississippi State University from 1989-1994. The recipient of this award has participated in worthwhile research and development with PREPS for the betterment of public schools. Pictured with Sarah Catledge Howard, second from left, director of Research, Evaluation and Technology at PREPS, Inc., are Dr. Bonnie Daniel, UT Martin senior research assistant; Dr. Joan West, UT Martin Office of Research Grants and Contracts director; and Patty Flowers, UT Martin research associate.

December training opportunities listed

The Office of Extended Campus and Continuing Education is offering the following training opportunities through Dec. 17:

- Information Sessions: Changes to Health Care Plans - effective Jan. 1, 2009, 2:30 p.m., Dec. 15, Room 206, Gooch Hall. The session will attempt to address any questions and needs about the changes.
- Beginning-Intermediate Powerpoint, 9 a.m.-noon, Dec. 16-17, Presentation Room, Crisp Hall, 6.0 HR 128 training credit, instructor, Doug Bloodworth, IT Administrator II. Beginners to intermediates can learn how to create effective presentations.
- Managing Stress in the Workplace for Employees (EAP), 2:30-4 p.m., Dec. 16, Room 206 Gooch Hall, 1.5 HR 128 training credit. This training provides a thorough and diverse set of tools for managing stress in the workplace and avoiding work-related exhaustion.
- Travel Policy-What's New & Review, 1-3 p.m., Dec. 17, Room 206, Gooch Hall, presenters, Laura Foltz and Mike Sudzum, 2.0 HR 128 training credit.
- Purchasing, Inventory and Surplus Training, 3-5 p.m., Dec. 17, and 8:30-10:30 a.m., Dec. 18, Room 206 Gooch Hall, presenters, Lori Hutcherson and Wanda Griffin, 2.0 HR 128 training credit.

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• Department of Management, Marketing and Political Science faculty recently had an article accepted for publication in The Seoul Journal of Business, December, 2008 issue. "Organizing For Developing Radically Innovative Product: Application of 'Quantum Evolution' Theory in Bioecology" was authored by **Dr. Michael Hyung-Jin Park**, assistant professor of marketing, **Dr. John Overby**, department chair and professor of management, and Young-Hyuck Joo, associate professor of marketing, School of Business Administration, Hansung University, Seoul, Korea.

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worked. Examples of services that must be provided that day include for example: police protection, heating and other weather-related services, student housing, animal care and services associated with athletic teams.

Prior to leaving for the holiday period, all departments are to update their phone messages to indicate the university is closed Jan. 2 and will reopen Jan. 5. Anyone with questions, may contact a supervisor or the Office of Human Resources.

Reagan Leave deadline is Feb. 1

Reagan Leave proposals are due in the Office of Research, Grants and Contracts by Feb. 1.

The Jan. 5 Addenda will be the next edition