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## AUGUST INTERIM HOURS

### PICKLER MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Aug. 7-8 • Closed  
Aug. 9-13 • 8 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Aug. 14-15 • Closed  
Aug. 16-20 • 8 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Aug. 21 • Closed  
Aug. 22 • 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

### STUDENT RECREATION CENTER

Aug. 2-6 • 11 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Aug. 7-8 • Closed  
Aug. 9-13 • 11 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Aug. 14-15 • Closed  
Aug. 16-20 • 11 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Aug. 21-22 • Closed

### STUDENT UNION BUILDING

Aug. 9-20  
Building Hours:  
Mon.-Fri. • 7 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Closed Weekends  
Union Admin. Office:  
Mon.-Fri. • 8 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Truman Bookstore:  
Mon.-Fri. • 8 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Center for Student Involvement:  
Mon.-Fri. • 8 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Food Service Operations:  
Freshens Ice Cream Shop:  
Closed  
Jazzman's Coffee House:  
Closed  
Mainstreet Market:  
Mon.-Fri. • 7:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.  
Tierra Del Sol:  
Closed

## R. Crosby Kemper III to Present Address at Truman's Summer Commencement

R. Crosby Kemper III will deliver the commencement speech at 6:30 p.m., Aug. 6, on the Quadrangle. The commencement rain site is Baldwin Auditorium.



Approximately 95 undergraduate and 49 graduate students will be marching during the commencement ceremonies. In addition to these graduates, Truman will have seven golden alumni, who graduated from 1954 and prior, participate in the ceremony. Approximately 30 golden alumni will attend the Golden Alumni Reunion at 1 p.m. in the Student Union Building Georgian Room. A reception for all graduates will follow commencement on the Quadrangle near the flagpole.

Kemper served as the chairman and CEO of UMB Financial Corporation and UMB Bank, n.a. from 2001-2004.

Prior to that he was the chairman and CEO of UMB Bank, n.a. in Kansas City, Mo., from 2000-2001. From 1993-2000 he was the president of UMB Bank St. Louis. He held the positions of vice president, senior vice president and executive vice president at the UMB Bank in Kansas City, Mo., from 1991-1993. Kemper did independent scholarship work in New Haven, Conn., from 1990-1991. He was the executive director of the British Institute of the United States in New York from 1985-1990.

He was an English instructor at the University of Sichuan in Chengdu, China from 1983-1984. Kemper was the vice president for UMB Bank, n.a., in Kansas City, Mo., from 1977-1981.

Kemper has been a very active member of the community. He was appointed by Gov. Bob Holden to chair the blue-ribbon, Citizens Commission on the Future of Higher Education in Missouri. He also founded successful, free, outdoor Shakespeare festivals in Kansas City, Mo., and St. Louis.

He serves on the boards of many institutions. He is vice chairman of the Truman Presidential Library and Institute Board of Directors. He is on the Board of Trustees for the Kansas City Symphony and the Thomas Jefferson Foundation, the private, nonprofit corporation that has owned and operated Monticello since 1923. He has also served on the boards of the Jefferson National Park Association, Westminster College in Fulton, Mo., and Webster University in St. Louis. Kemper is an emeritus member of the Board of Commissioners of Tower Grove Park in St. Louis which is appointed by The Missouri Supreme Court.

He wrote and edited the book titled "Winston Churchill: Resolution, Defiance, Magnanimity."

Kemper received his bachelor's degree in history from Yale University.

### Planning a University event for the fall?

The Public Relations Office would like you to get your event on the Master Calendar. Please go to <http://www.truman.edu/pages/203.asp> to submit your event today!

# Notables

**Daniel R. Mandell**, associate professor of history, recently presented a paper on "Reform Movements and New England Indians, 1790-1830," at the Conference of the Society for Historians of the Early Republic, in Providence, R.I., as part of a session that he organized on Religion and Reform Among Indians in the Early Republic.

**Betty McLane-Iles**, professor of French, has been admitted full membership of France's National Library-Bibliotheque Francois Mitterand in Paris for rare documents and newspaper archive usage, was notified while in France of the second edition to be published of her 1987 book on Simone Weil "Uprooting and Integration in the Writings of Simone Weil." Her essay, "Reflections on an Unnecessary War," will

be published in the July 2004 issue of *Well Versed* by the Columbia chapter of the Missouri Literary Guild.

**Four members of the Truman State University Phi Beta Lambda chapter** went to the national conference. **Todd Young**, junior business administration major from Quincy, Ill., received first place in business law. **Kris Kueker**, senior accounting major from Perryville, Mo., received first place in future business executive and Who's Who in Phi Beta Lambda. **Lisa Helgenberg**, senior accounting major from Fenton, Mo., received sixth place in accounting for professionals. **Alaina Murray**, junior business administration major from Novelty, Mo., represented the state as the state secretary.

# Notes

The Board of Governors will meet at 1 p.m., Aug. 6, in the SUB Conference Room. Graduate student applications for December 2004 graduation are due Aug. 6. For more information, contact the Graduate Student Office at 785.4109.

The next issue of the *Truman Today* will be published Aug. 22 for first-year students. The *Truman Today* begins weekly publication for the University community Aug. 31. Submissions for the Aug. 31 issue are due by Aug. 25 to [kbest@truman.edu](mailto:kbest@truman.edu).

## Residence Life Purchases New Recycling Bins for Residence Halls

Residence Life has purchased new recycling bins for the residence halls. Students can place their mixed paper, aluminum cans, glass, plastic bottles in the designated bins to be picked up by Truman's Recycling Center.



# On Campus

## 6 FRIDAY

Graduate Degree Applications for December 2004 Graduation due

August Interim begins

Second Five-Week Graduate Summer Session ends

1 p.m.-Board of Governors meeting, SUB Conference Room; see Notes

6:30 p.m.-Commencement, Quadrangle; see Page 1

## 21 SATURDAY

August Interim ends

## 22 SUNDAY

First-year students move in

## 23 MONDAY

Truman Week begins

Grades for first five-week summer courses are now available via Banner Web.

Grades for eight-week summer classes will be available after 5 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 9.

All other summer grades will be available after 5 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 12.

During the summer, the *Truman Today* is a biweekly publication. Deadline for entries is 5 p.m., the Wednesday preceding Monday's online publication. Entries should be submitted by sending an e-mail to [kbest@truman.edu](mailto:kbest@truman.edu) or by completing a *Truman Today* form available in the Public Relations Office, McClain Hall 101. The form also may be accessed online at <http://trumantoday.truman.edu/submissionform.pdf>. All submissions are subject to editing for clarity, style and space.

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

### FALL SEMESTER 2004

**Aug. 22**

First-Year Student Move-In Day

**Aug. 23-27**

Truman Week

**Aug. 29**

Upper Class Move-In

**Aug. 30**

Classes Begin

**Sept. 6**

Labor Day Holiday  
(no classes, offices closed)

**Oct. 2**

Family Day

**Oct. 15-17**

Midterm Break

**Oct. 18-22**

Homecoming Week

**Oct. 23**

Homecoming

**Nov. 24-28**

Thanksgiving Vacation

**Nov. 29**

Classes Resume

**Dec. 10**

Last Day of Classes

**Dec. 13**

Final Examinations Begin

**Dec. 15**

Reading Day

**Dec. 17**

Final Examinations End

**Dec. 18**

Commencement

**Dec. 20**

Interim Begins