

# Womanhood is theme of OU conference

"Womanhood: How Do You Live It?" is the theme of the fifth annual conference of the Michigan Women's Studies Association beginning at 9:15 a.m. Saturday, March 18, on the campus of Oakland University.

Participants will attend workshops on a variety of issues including the problems of divorce and widowhood, sex role stereotypes in the classroom, feminism, and sexuality.

The keynote address on "Women's Participation in the Work Force" will be delivered by Cynthia Fuchs Epstein, professor of sociology at Queens College and Graduate Center, City University of New York and author of "Woman's Place." The 9:15 a.m. talk will be in room 201, Dodge Hall of Engineering.

Workshop sessions will be held in Meadow Brook Hall, the Tudor-style mansion on the OU campus. Topics and leaders include "Crisis and Change: Divorce and Widowhood," with Carol Mindy, divorce counselor

and author of "The Divorced Mother;" "Feminism: A Minority Report," led by Alicia Copola, principal of Abraham Lincoln Elementary School, Pontiac; and "Sex Role Stereotypes in the Classroom," with Jane Bingham, OU School of Education.

Others are "Women in Art: The Working Artist," with Pamela Stump Walsh, Cranbrook sculptor; "Sexuality: Power Versus Pleasure," with Margaret Kurzman, instructor of learning skills and author of "Because Capricorn Rising;" "Coping With Multiple Roles," with Virginia O'Leary, OU Department of Psychology and author of "Toward Understanding Women;" and "Back to School/Back to Work," with Betty White, project coordinator, OU Continuum Center.

Registration information can be obtained by calling Renate Gerulatis, OU Department of Modern Languages and Literatures, at 377-2070. The fee is \$10.50 for adults and \$7.50 for students, including lunch. Without lunch the prices are \$5.50 and \$4.

## Volunteers

The Oakland County Volunteer Bureau, a program of the Volunteer Action Center of the United Community Services, has weekly listings of agencies needing volunteers. Further information about these and over 200 other agencies needing volunteer services may be obtained from the bureau, 642-7272.

**VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR**—The American Diabetes Association in Mt. Carmel Mercy Hospital is looking for someone interested in organizing a volunteer program. This would involve a time commitment of one or two days a week over the next year. The coordinator could use lists of volunteers already interested and also develop any personal resources available to assist in establishing a schedule of daily and on-call volunteers. The coordinator would also set up calling committees and maintain volunteer files.

**NURSING HOME LIBRARIAN**—Volunteers with outgoing personalities and an interest in older people are needed by the Bloomfield Township Library to serve in the Nursing Home program. Duties include taking books from the library to a home, obtaining requests for specific books, from residents, and returning due books to the library. A commitment of one afternoon every three weeks is preferred. A car is necessary.

**CAMP CONTACT WORKER**—Beginning in March and continuing for several months, the Parent-Youth Guidance in Southfield will need adult volunteers. Duties include contacting and interviewing parents of children who will be attending camp and to determine any special needs that might exist.

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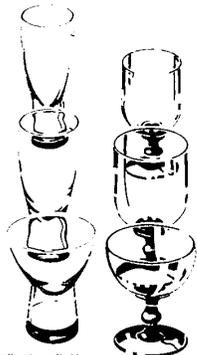
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