

# MSU candidates boast longtime school ties



Dee Cook, Republican



Jack Shingleton, Republican



Lawrence Owen, Democrat

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Vice chairman of the Martin Luther King Center for Non Violent Social Change, Doss is also treasurer of the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation. He is also president of the Coleman A. Young Foundation and chairman of Doctors Hospital.

Doss' educational background includes undergraduate work in accounting and graduate work in public administration. Doss was president of New Detroit, Inc. from 1970-77.

Shingleton, is a former MSU employee, best known for his 24 years as university's director of placement. A 1988 recipient of MSU's Distinguished Alumni Award,

he also served as assistant director of personnel, an interim director of athletics and alumni programs during his 38-year MSU career.

He is the author of numerous books and articles about job placement activities, including "College to Career: Finding Yourself in the Job Market," published in 1977.

A member of the MSU tennis team as a collegian, Shingleton participated in the U.S. masters tennis open in 1973-74. He is also a member of the National Fresh Water Fishing Hall of Fame's board of directors.

Shingleton holds a bachelor's degree in science and arts from MSU.

Cook, a Greenville resident, is national chairwoman for the \$160 Million MSU Capital Campaign.

She is a member of the MSU Development Fund's board of directors, Ralph Young committee and on the advisory council for the MSU Wharton Center for the Performing Arts.

A charter member of the MSU Hannah Society, she is also a member of the MSU President's Club, Band Fan Club and Cowles House Society, among other MSU-related activities.

Cook holds a bachelor's in television and communication from MSU and has performed on all three Detroit-area network affiliates.

Tisch Party candidate Donald D. Schneider of Galsburg is also on the ballot. No Libertarian Party candidates, or representatives of any other parties filed for the MSU seats.

# Newcomers will gain WSU seats

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She is vice chairwoman of the Michigan Republican State Committee and a member of the Detroit Chamber of Commerce. Active in Hispanic issues, Kopack has been secretary for the Republican National Hispanic Assembly and vice chairwoman of the Michigan Republican National Hispanic Assembly. She was a member of the Engler for Governor Exploratory Committee.

Kopack holds an undergraduate degree from WSU and a juris doctorate from the University of Detroit School of Law.

Scott, a Detroit resident, is a

political consultant with Scott & Associates. She is also director of the Northwest Institutional Leaders Action Council crime prevention program and an administrative assistant to Detroit City Councilman Mel Ravitz.

A member of the Wayne State Alumni Association, Scott is also a member of the NAACP, Detroit Urban League Guild, and is president-elect of the Optimist Club, Belle Isle Chapter.

Scott holds a bachelor's in political science and speech communication from WSU and a master's in urban politics and public administration from the University of Detroit.

Robinson, of Melromer, is a partner in the firm of Honigman, Miller, Schwartz and Cohn, Detroit, and is president of the Michigan State Bar.

He was U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Michigan from 1977-80 and was chairman of the Michigan Supreme Court committee which drafted the state's rules of evidence.

A former adjunct professor at the WSU law school, Robinson is also involved in drafting questions for the

Multi-state Bar Exam.

Robinson holds a bachelor's degree, with honors, from Michigan State University and a juris doctorate, magna cum laude, from WSU. He is a former editor of the Wayne Law Review.

Third party candidates in the race include Tisch Party candidate James Kaufman of Huntington Woods, Libertarian Party candidates Denise Kline of Stephenson and Maureen Vermeer of Sterling Heights and Workers World Party candidate Kevin Carey of Detroit.

# Voters also to pick two for state board

In addition to voting for university board members, voters will also elect state board of education members.

Two positions for eight-year terms are open on the state Board of Education: Michigan State University Board of Trustees; University of Michigan Board of Regents, and Wayne State University Board of Governors.

The Michigan Board of Education's Democratic incumbents, Hollie Hoggood of Taylor and Barbara Roberts Mason of Lansing, are being challenged by Republican nominees Dick DeVos of Grand Rapids and Lowell Perry of Southfield.

A win by either challenger could tilt the political orientation of the eight-member board toward the GOP. Members were split along party lines 4-4 earlier this year over a satisfactory job evaluation given to

Superintendent of Public Instruction Don Bemis.

Democrats praised him for new programs including hiring women and minorities. Republicans criticized him as a mediocre manager who lacks vision. His contract was renewed for a year due to a legal technicality.

DeVos said the split puts the board in limbo. He supports putting more decision-making authority into the districts to allow for more problem-solving creativity. Mason and Hoggood blame the legislature for district spending discrepancies. Mason said the state should set program priorities and ensure funding for the most important.

Also vying for the two terms are Tisch candidates Fayanne Kaufman and Robert Tisch, and Libertarian candidates Mary Ruwart and Gwendolene Stillwell.



Brenda M. Scott, Democrat



James K. Robinson, Democrat



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