



# THE CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

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## RESOLUTION

concerning

## APPOINTMENT OF

DR. ROBERT F. ARIOSTO  
as  
DEAN OF STUDENT AFFAIRS

at

CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

JULY 25, 1986

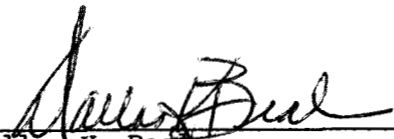
WHEREAS, Central Connecticut State University has conducted a search to fill the position, Dean of Student Affairs, and

WHEREAS, The President of Central Connecticut State University, after due consultation with the faculty, has recommended the appointment of Dr. Robert F. Ariosto, and

WHEREAS, President Beal concurs in this recommendation, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That effective August 25, 1986, under the terms and conditions of the Trustees' "Personnel Policies for Management Personnel and Confidential Professional Personnel," Dr. Robert F. Ariosto be and hereby is appointed Dean of Student Affairs at Central Connecticut State University, at an annual salary of \$55,000.

A Certified True Copy:



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Dallas K. Beal  
President

ROBERT F. ARIOSTO  
703 MARY JANE STREET  
LEBANON, ILLINOIS 62254  
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PERSONAL DATA :  
DATE OF BIRTH : APRIL 5, 1949  
MARITAL STATUS : MARRIED  
NO. OF CHILDREN: TWO

EDUCATION:

May 1984

Doctor of Education in Student Personnel Administration in Higher Education  
Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.

December 1979

Master of Education in Student Personnel Administration  
Specialization: Higher Education Administration  
Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.

June 1972

Master of Arts in Student Personnel Administration in Higher Education  
Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.

May 1971

Bachelor of Science in Education: Major - English  
Seton Hall University, South Orange, New Jersey

EMPLOYMENT:

August 1983 - Present

Dean of Student Affairs  
McKendree College, Lebanon, Illinois

Chief Student Affairs Officer responsible for the administration of student services and programs designed to support the academic mission of the College and the developmental needs of the students.

I. Supervisory Functions:

- A. Supervise the activities of nineteen (19) professional staff within the Student Affairs Division including:
  1. Associate Dean of Student Affairs (Residence Life)
  2. Coordinator of College Activities
  3. Director of Athletics
  4. Director of Health Services
  5. Director of Campus Security
  6. Director of Campus Dining Services
  7. Coordinator of Intramurals and Recreation
  8. Four Residence Hall Directors
  9. Eight Coaches of Mens' and Womens' Athletics
- B. Indirectly supervise the activities of approximately sixty-five (65) student staff including:
  1. Resident Assistants
  2. Student Center Staff
  3. Student Security Officers
  4. Orientation Student Advisors
  5. Intramural Staff

II. Fiscal Management Functions:

- A. Assume overall responsibility for the fiscal management of all Student Affairs Division offices except Campus Dining Services.
- B. Assume final responsibility for the fiscal management of the student activity fee generated Student Government budget.

III. Advisory Functions:

- A. Serve as the principal advisor to the Student Government.
- B. Serve as the principal advisor to the Inter-Society Council.
- C. Serve as the primary advocate for student concerns and interests.

IV. Staff Development Functions:

- A. Organize and coordinate with staff the training of Residence Hall, Security, and Student Center professional and student staff.
- B. Coordinate Student Affairs Division retreats and professional development activities.

V. Student Development Functions:

- A. Organize and coordinate orientation programs for freshmen and transfer students.
- B. Organize leadership training programs for Student Government.
- C. Organize the training of Orientation Student Advisors.
- D. Organize and coordinate career planning programs and services through the Student Activities Skills Inventory (S.A.S.I.); career interest testing and assessment; and career information outreach programs with Alumni.
- E. Serve as the Campus Disciplinary Officer.

VI. Policy Development Functions:

- A. Develop, implement, and evaluate policies which affect student life on campus.
- B. Participate in the development and modification of institutional policies.

VII. Teaching and Institutional Research Functions:

- A. Organize and teach a one credit required Freshman Seminar
- B. Organize and conduct research on factors contributing to student attrition and retention.

July 1980 - August 1983

Dean of Student Life

State University of New York, College at New Paltz, New Paltz, N.Y.

Responsibilities included providing leadership and direction for the following offices within the Student Life Cluster of the Division of Student Affairs:

- A. Activities and Orientation
- B. Commuter Student Services
- C. Residence Life
- D. Student Union Building

I. Supervisory Functions:

- A. Supervise the activities of sixteen (16) professional staff including:
  - 1. Director of Activities and Orientation
  - 2. Director of Residence Life
  - 3. Director of Student Union Building Operations
  - 4. Assistant Director of Residence Life
  - 5. Eleven Residence Hall Directors
  - 6. Coordinator of Commuter Student Services
- B. Indirectly supervise the activities of approximately one hundred twenty-five (125) student staff including:
  - 1. Resident Assistants
  - 2. Student Union Building Staff
  - 3. Commuter Student Services Staff
  - 4. Orientation Student Advisors
  - 5. Student Security Force

II. Fiscal Management Functions:

- A. Assume overall responsibility for the fiscal management of all offices within the Student Life Cluster.
- B. Serve as the College President's Fiscal Designee governing the use of the mandatory student activity fee and act as the administrator of the Student Government's \$400,000 annual budget.

III. Advisory Functions:

- A. Serve as the principal advisor to the Student Government.
- B. Provide assistance and guidance to student organizations and serve as an advocate for student interests.

IV. Staff Development and Leadership Training Functions:

- A. Organize and coordinate the training of Residence Hall and Student Union Building professional and student staff.
- B. Organize leadership training programs for Student Government.

V. College-Wide Committee Involvements:

- A. Serve as the Chairman of the Athletic Council, a committee of students and faculty who established policies and governed the allocation of financial resources for intercollegiate athletics, intramurals, and recreation.
- B. Serve as a member of the following College-Wide committees:
  - 1. Orientation Planning Committee
  - 2. College Program Board
  - 3. Space Utilization Committee
  - 4. Auxiliary Services Board of Directors
  - 5. Human Relations Committee
  - 6. Food Service Committee
  - 7. Radio Station Program Board

VI. Ancillary Functions:

- A. Serve as a Campus Discipline Officer
- B. Assist in the organization of campus-based conferences
- C. Mediate disputes between student organizations

September 1979 - June 1980

Educational Leave of Absence to complete doctoral coursework.

January 1975 - August 1979

Director of College Activities and Student Union Building

State University of New York, College at New Paltz, New Paltz, N.Y.

Responsibilities included:

- I. Program Development:
  - A. Organized a format for the programming of social, cultural, recreational, and educational events on campus.
  - B. Worked with faculty from a wide range of disciplines to create a series of co-curricular experiences for students
- II. Supervision of Student Union Building and Activities student staff and professional staff.
- III. Management Functions:
  - A. Fiscal Management:
    1. Student Union Building operations
    2. Program Board Budgets
  - B. Policy development and organization of Student Union Building operations and services including:
    1. Conference utilization
    2. Food Service operations
    3. Information Center for the Campus
    4. Maintenance and custodial services
    5. Recreational facilities
- IV. Advisement of Student Organizations

September 1972 - December 1974

Assistant Director of Student Affairs

Kean College of New Jersey, Union, New Jersey

Responsibilities included:

- I. Advising students in the development of social and cultural programming.
- II. Advising the Student Government Financial Council.
- III. Assisting the Director in the operation of the College Center.
- IV. Serving as the College liaison with campus food service.
- V. Developing Leadership Training retreats and seminars for Student Government.
- VI. Assisting in the organization of freshman orientation programs.
- VII. Serving as the resident counselor for residence hall students.

#### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- I. Consultation work
- II. Guest lecturer at graduate level courses in higher education

PRESENTATIONS

- February 1986: National Conference on the Freshman Year Experience  
University of South Carolina, Columbia, S.C.  
Freshman Seminar: A Unifying Element of the College Curriculum
- October 1985: Annual meeting of the National Academic Advising  
Association; Kansas City, Missouri  
S.A.S.I. - A Program of Skills Identification and Assessment
- March 1982: Rockland and Westchester County High School  
Association Leadership Retreat; Bear Mountain, N.Y.  
Curbing Vandalism . . . Same Positive Steps
- November 1979: Lecture Presented to Masters and Doctoral Degree  
Candidates in Student Personnel Administration at  
Teachers College, Columbia University, N.Y.  
Student Cultures . . . Subtle Agents of Change - A  
Review and Interpretation of Walter Wallace's Study of  
Freshmen
- October 1978: NACA Regional Conference, Grossingers, N.Y.  
Concert Production on Campus - A Working Model
- April 1976: Lecture Presented to Masters Degree Candidates in  
Student Personnel Administration at Teachers College,  
Columbia University, N.Y.  
The Student Activities Professional - The Challenges and  
the Extraordinary Opportunities
- October 1974: ACU-I Regional Conference, Trenton State College, N.J.  
Programming for Multiple Campus Populations . . . Not As  
Hard As It Sounds

ORGANIZATIONS/PROFESSIONAL

Member of the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators

REFERENCES

References are on file and may be obtained upon request.