## Salaries, benefits are budget priorities-Faculty


#### Abstract

The UNL Faculty Senate passed two resolutions and heard a report from the College of Business Administration at its monthly meeting this week.


By Tricia Waters

Craig MacPhec, associate professor of economics, also reported on the 1981-82 NU Board of Regents budget requests. Although the requested 18 percent increase was "justified and necessary," the university probably will get a
said. 13 -percent increase from the Legislature, MacPhee said.

To close the gap in salaries between UNL and other American Association of Universities land-grant univer sities, UNL faculty will need a 14 percent salary increase this year, he said. But the administration wants a 10.5 in benefits, which the Faculty Senate had approved earlier, he said.

The Senate unanimously passed a resolution reaffirming its position that the chief UNL budget priority should be increased wages and benefits. The resolution, introduced by Richard Metcalf, accounting professor, also said the 10.5 and 1.5 percent increases should be main tained regardless of a possible decrease in legislative appropriations.

Another resolution was passed which changes faculty membership from four to three members on the Univers ity Libraries Committee. An amendment to the resolution

Before the resolution was passed, English professor Robert Narveson suggested the Senate consider the resoution for another month. He said the Senate could then make the library committee as representative and fair as possible. But the resolution passed with a majority vote.
Gary Schwendiman, dean of the College of Business Administration, said that about 500 juniors or seniors who wish to enroll in that college cannot do so because it must maintain its teaching quality by restricting enrollment.

Schwendiman said.
He said the surge in CBA enrollment during the last 10 years came from the increased enrollment of women. In the fall of 1971, 172 women were enrolled in CBA compared with 1,040 in the fall of 1980.
Male enrollment has fallen in the college, he said In the fall of 1971, 1,939 men were enrol
with 1,777 in 1980, a difference of 162 men.
With high enrollment and a tighter budget, the business college will continue to make yearly program decisions in order to maintain a high quality of education, Schwen diman said.

## Tom Prentiss elected editor in chief

Tom Prentiss, a 21 -year old senior, was elected edit Nebraskan for the fall 1981 Nebraskan for the fall 1981
semester by the UNL Publications board Thursday night.

Prentiss, a journalism major from Arlington Heights, III., is currently a reporter and editorial assist ant
an. an.
He has worked for the paper for five semestersas a reporter, sports report-
er,
or.
Prentiss was an intern during the summer of 1980 for the Omaha World Herald and will intern this summer at the Rockford, Ill. Regis-ter-Star.
Prentiss said he would like to make the Daily Nebraskan more accessible to non-journalism students by recruiting good writers from majors other than journalism.
"I would like to try to make the editorial page representative of the many
diverse opinions on campus," Prentiss said. "I would like to see an Associated Press wire service added to the paper if it is economicthe paper ill
ally feasible.

Prentiss served as a Student Assistent in Selleck and was Selleck Hall president in 1978-1979.
The editor position earns $\$ 700$ per month.


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