The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy

The Ohio State University
For John Glenn, the opportunity to represent his fellow citizens in the United States Senate marked the summit of his dedication to a lifetime of public service: distinguished military duty, historical achievements in the U.S. space program, successful corporate management, and leadership in national politics.

Glenn’s 1998 retirement from the Senate will not end this remarkable and honorable career, but will mark the beginning of a new effort to further enhance the lives of all Americans through his commitment—in partnership with The Ohio State University—to public service with the creation of The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy.

“True patriotism is not manifested in short, frenzied bursts...
"The vitality of our democracy depends on the active participation of each generation of citizens. If we are to achieve our greatest potential, we must all participate in public life and not just turn over the reins of democracy to a dwindling few who may or may not be the best qualified. The mission of The Ohio State University nurtures active citizenship in our young people to the great benefit of Ohio and the nation."

—John Glenn

of emotion. It is the tranquil, steady dedication of a lifetime."

—Adlai Stevenson

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The Ohio State University is proud to become the home of The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy—an institute like no other, committed to making a difference in public service and policy at all levels of government and for all our nation’s citizens.

The John Glenn Institute will collaborate with Ohio State’s extensive existing public service and public policy resources to:

- Introduce students to public service—its challenges and opportunities, and stimulate their participation in public leadership
- Foster research on public policy to generate solutions to society’s most pressing problems, and communicate those results directly to decision-makers and to the public
- Sponsor forums to improve public awareness and foster discussion and debate on critical issues of national and international significance
- Offer training seminars to elected and appointed public officials to enhance their governing skills
- Make available to all citizens The Glenn Archive—Senator Glenn’s papers, speeches, and historic memorabilia
Key program areas and offerings of The John Glenn Institute

Public Service Activities—The Institute will sponsor classes, internships, community service activities, and research projects to stimulate student participation in public service, to foster America’s next generation of leaders.

Public Policy Analysis—Ohio State faculty will conduct scholarly research in conjunction with public officials on significant issues facing society. The results will then be shared with decision-makers and legislators as they address these issues.

Executive and Continuing Education—Public officials at all levels and terms will be offered opportunities to attend seminars on such topics as budgeting and finance, ethics, personnel management, policy evaluation, and regulatory issues. Programs will be designed to help officials learn more about the political process and expand their organizational skills and policy-making abilities.

Linkages and Outreach—The Institute will seek to educate the broader public by sponsoring national conferences, seminars, publications, and forums on important public issues.

The Glenn Archive—Ohio State students, faculty, and staff, as well as the public citizenry, will have access to Senator Glenn’s extensive collection of papers, policy decisions, and memorabilia, enabling scholars at all levels to study his work.
"The Ohio State University’s mission to teach, to conduct research, and to serve the public mandates that we endeavor in all ways to benefit the people of Ohio and the nation. We know of no initiative that is more in harmony with our mission than the creation of The John Glenn Institute."

—William E. Kirwan
President, The Ohio State University
How to Get Involved

There are many ways that you can partner with Ohio State to support The John Glenn Institute, including direct annual gifts and endowed funds that generate annual income. Your contribution will support activities and programs such as:

- Student Public Service Scholarships and Fellowships
- Student Public Service Field Placement and Internship Program
- Distinguished Visitor Program
- Visiting Distinguished Professorships
- Faculty Chairs and Professorships
- Public Policy Initiatives
- Public Service Leadership Workshops
- National Conference/Symposium

Your support of The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy is part of Ohio State's five-year "Affirm Thy Friendship" fund-raising campaign.
Glenn papers might go to Ohio State

CLEVELAND (AP) — Retiring U.S. Sen. John Glenn is negotiating with Ohio State University to have his papers and memorabilia displayed there, a newspaper reported yesterday.

Glenn and Ohio State President Gordon Gee recently spoke about OSU securing the collection, Glenn spokeswoman Dale Butland told The Plain Dealer.

William Napier, Gee’s executive assistant, said the university would welcome the collection of the four-term Democrat.

“They would open a lot of doors to researchers. He’s had a very distinguished career in the Senate, and most of what he has saved has been very carefully archived,” Napier said.

“It’s quite a collection. There aren’t any others like it.”

The newspaper said some people thought Glenn, 75, would give his collection to Muskingum College. He and his wife, Annie, graduated from the school in New Concord, Ohio, more than 50 years ago.

However, Sen. Glenn keeps a home in Columbus and has maintained close ties with Ohio State.

Glenn, a former astronaut who was the first American to orbit the Earth in 1962, also made history in 1992 by becoming the first Ohioan elected to four straight Senate terms. He was a presidential candidate in 1984.
GLENIlNSTITUTE TO FOCUS ON PUBLIC SERVICE AND PUBLIC POLICY

COLUMBUS -- A new institute committed to enhancing public service and public policy at all levels of government will be established at The Ohio State University and named in honor of U.S. Senator John Glenn.

The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy is designed to provide expanded academic and service experiences for students, and practical educational opportunities for citizens and policymakers. Faculty research concerning pressing American problems will be shared with government officials through institute programming.

Glenn and University President William E. Kirwan announced establishment of the institute today (9/18) before an audience of students, faculty, staff and members of the public. Glenn told the group, "Because the vitality of our democracy depends on the active participation of citizens, each generation has a responsibility to instill in its successors a strong commitment to public interest and public service. Education is critical to sustaining this tradition."

Glenn’s collection of papers, which he has donated to Ohio State, will be used as an institute resource in linking public service objectives with research and teaching activities.

Glenn already has been appointed as a University Honors Distinguished Fellow and an adjunct professor in both the School of Public Policy and Management and the Department of Political Science. He has said that after his retirement from the Senate, he wants to work with Ohio’s youth to encourage and foster public service and to decrease young people’s cynicism about politics.

"If we are to achieve our potential in communities, states, and the nation, we must all be participants in public life and not just turn over the reigns of democracy at all levels of
government and public institutions to a dwindling few who may or may not be the best qualified,” Glenn said.

Creation of the institute reflects the commitment that Glenn and the university have made to promote pride in public service and to cultivate scholarly contributions to the development of public policy.

A series of institute initiatives to enhance participation in public service is planned to reach students in their classrooms and residence halls, and in the campus and surrounding communities.

Organizers are considering a variety of academic initiatives, including creating an undergraduate major in public policy; establishing a public ethics program; designing student leadership development experiences; partnering with groups and entities in Ohio and across the United States to improve citizenship training for precollege youth; and hosting a distinguished public servant in residence.

Development of a public service living and learning center is under consideration as one way for institute programming to reach students outside the classroom.

Expanded public service internship opportunities in Columbus and Washington, D.C., will be facilitated through the institute. The university also hopes to contribute to the quality of governance through training seminars focusing on the mechanics of public service, targeting such audiences as newly elected public servants or mid-career officials.

Finally, the institute will serve as a vehicle through which Ohio State research on critical issues facing the country can be disseminated to appropriate audiences in a variety of settings. Public outreach also will extend to the sponsorship of conferences and symposia, including one major annual national conference on subjects central to Glenn’s career.

“We expect to have a particularly broad reach with this institute because it involves students, faculty, citizens and public officials in the pursuit of a stronger American democracy,” Kirwan said. “By stimulating student interest in public leadership and sharing results of university-based policy research, the Glenn Institute will be a truly national resource.”
The university will provide funding for the institute and will also seek grants from state, federal and private sources. A $20 million fund-raising goal for the Glenn Institute has been incorporated into Ohio State's $1 billion Affirm Thy Friendship Campaign, now under way.

"We will be asking for support from our many friends who care about student careers in public service and good public policy and who wish to honor Senator Glenn's career and commitment to the future in a meaningful way," Kirwan said.

Program planning for the institute has begun, with a major national conference to be held this spring. For the time being, the institute will be housed in Stillman Hall on the campus, with eventual plans to move it to a permanent location.

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Contact: Herb Asher, counselor to the president, (614) 292-0803.
Ohio State Extends John Glenn Exhibit Through March 2000

COLUMBUS -- During his lifetime, Ohio native John Herschel Glenn Jr. has completed many missions as a Marine pilot, astronaut and senator -- all along the way remaining a hero to millions of Americans young and old.

The Ohio State University Libraries and the John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy at Ohio State invite the public to come and relive a part of American history through the eyes of John Glenn.

The exhibit A Tribute to Public Service: The Many Missions of John Glenn, currently on display at the Philip Sills Exhibit Hall in Ohio State's Main Library, 1858 Neil Avenue Mall, through March 2000, tells the life story of a young man raised in New Concord, Ohio, who grows up to be the first American to orbit the Earth.

On Oct. 8, Glenn archivist Jeff Thomas had the opportunity to walk Glenn through the exhibit. Glenn's wife, Annie, has not yet had the chance to see the exhibit of which she too is a part, he added.

"I had an hour to show Senator Glenn the exhibit, and he really enjoyed it," Thomas said. "We talked a lot about the Friendship 7 space flight -- the heart monitor tape from his trip and his New York ticker-tape parade. Then there was a large crowd of Ohio State students waiting to ask the senator for his autograph. It was an enjoyable morning."

On Feb. 20, 1962, Glenn was launched into space in the Mercury-Atlas, Friendship 7 spacecraft after 11 unsuccessful attempts. During the flight, there was concern at NASA about the guidance system and the loss of the protective heat shield. Glenn orbited the Earth three times and successfully landed despite the problems. After the flight, national celebrations

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included a speech by Glenn to a joint session of Congress and a
ticker-tape parade for him in New York City. President John F.
Kennedy ordered NASA not to send Glenn up on another dangerous
mission because he was considered too valuable to the space
program and to the country to be put at risk.

The exhibit also includes letters and drawings from school
children sent after the Friendship 7 mission and more recent ones
sent after Glenn's return to space in 1998 aboard the Discovery;
papers from Glenn's 24-year Senate career; several awards,
including the Collier Trophy for aviation and the Harry S. Truman
Award for Public Service; and information on Glenn's newest
endeavor, the John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public
Policy at Ohio State.

All of these documents, awards and memorabilia are part of
more than 1,346 cubic feet of materials that make up the Glenn
archives -- the largest personal collection ever donated to the
university, said Thomas. The collection was donated to the
university in October 1997 and documents Glenn's full career.

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Contact: Shannon Tippie, University Libraries development
officer, at (614) 292-3387, or Jeff Thomas, John Glenn Archives,
(614) 688-8429.
on receipt 1-7-00

GLENN INSTITUTE PRESENTS DORIS KEARNS GOODWIN ON JAN. 26

COLUMBUS - Pulitzer Prize-winning historian Doris Kearns Goodwin will deliver a free public address at 3:30 p.m. Jan. 26 at Mershon Auditorium, 1871 N. High St. Goodwin’s visit is sponsored by The Ohio State University’s John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy.

Kearns Goodwin is the best-selling author of three acclaimed presidential biographies, including No Ordinary Time: Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt: The American Home Front In World War II, for which she received the 1995 Pulitzer Prize for history.

In her Ohio State talk, “Shared Memories: The Lessons of History,” Kearns Goodwin will discuss her experiences in writing biographies of Presidents Franklin Roosevelt, Lyndon Johnson and John Kennedy as well as the process of writing Wait Until Next Year, her memoir of growing up in the 1950s and following her beloved Brooklyn Dodgers baseball team.

A commentator for NBC News and a regular panelist on PBS’s The NewsHour with Jim Lehrer, Kearns Goodwin also has been a resource on- and off-camera for PBS documentaries about the Kennedy family and Presidents Johnson and Roosevelt, and for Ken Burns’ The History of Baseball.

There are no tickets for the presentation, and doors will open at 2:30 p.m. Public parking is available at the Ohio Union garage.

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Contact: The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy, (614) 292-4545.
The John Glenn Institute High School Internship Program is a unique public service internship program that allows high school students in the Winter quarter of their senior year to gain first-hand experience within organizations in the public service sector. As a service-learning program, students also participate in an academic seminar at The Ohio State University that reinforces their internship experience. Internship placement locations have included the Statehouse, the Governor’s office, the courts, state agencies, non-profit organizations and the media.

**Internship Placement:**
Students work at their internship placement sites a total of 100 hours over the course of the 10-week program. Interns are also required to complete a self-selected internship placement project. Examples have included the creation of a website, a two-part radio broadcast, and an historical perspective on the contributions of Ohio women.

**Democracy and Public Service Course:**
Glenn Interns also attend a weekly seminar course at The Ohio State University for college credit (25 hours cumulative class time). Interns participate in the Post Secondary Enrollment Option Program (PSEOP) for dual high school and college credit for this seminar course.

Upon successful completion of the internship experience and seminar course, interns earn 10-credit credits from Ohio State. The college seminar requires that students be admitted to the OSU Academy Program.

Students selected to be interns:
- are seniors in a Franklin, Licking, Fairfield, Union, Madison, Knox or Delaware High School (public or non-public) slated to graduate in 2002. Home-schooled students are eligible;
- have a class rank in the top 15% of their class and hold at least a 3.5 cumulative high school grade point average on a 4.0 scale;
- have outstanding scores on the SAT or ACT (Combined SAT of 1150 or Composite ACT of 26);
- or have outstanding civic participation.
Important Dates

May 1, 2001  Announcement of Glenn High School Internship Program
May 30, 2001  Final deadline for all applications
June 30, 2001  Students notified of selection for interviews
September 10-21, 2001  Intern interviews
January 7, 2002  2002 Internship Program begins
March 21, 2002  2002 Internship Program ends

Application Procedure

Interested students should request an application packet through the John Glenn Institute at 614-247-6374 or by email at Gorczyca.7@osu.edu. Application packets must be complete and postmarked no later than May 30, 2001 or they will not be considered. There is no application fee for the Glenn High School Internship Program.

Applicants granted an interview will be notified by June 30, 2001 and will be scheduled for an interview during the period of September 10-21, 2001. After the interview process, the announcement of the class of 2001 Glenn Interns will notified by mail.

Students must meet with their High School counselors to determine if graduation requirements can still be met while participating in the program.

Additional Information

Glenn interns who participate in the Post Secondary Enrollment Option Program (PSEOP) are eligible to receive 10-quarter credits from The Ohio State University, which is fully funded according to the PSEOP guidelines. Tuition and books are included. Incidental costs associated with the internship site include daily travel to and from the internship site, parking costs at most downtown locations and at Ohio State for the weekly seminar. (Some Internship Sites offer free parking). Ohio State issues COTA bus passes to students with their identification card.

Application packets can be downloaded from the Glenn Institute Website at: http://www.osu.edu/glenninstitute/hsintern.html

For more information regarding the Glenn Institute, call 292-4545. For specific questions regarding the internship program, please call Kate Gorczyca at 247-6374.

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-John Glenn
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CONTACT: Richard Sisson, 292-9658 or sisson.9@osu.edu

University Leaders to Discuss Academic Priorities and Budget Policy

COLUMBUS -- Several Ohio State University leaders will discuss how academic goals and budget realities mesh in a changing university environment in a May 9 panel discussion open to the public. From 3:30 to 5:00 in the Grand Lounge of the Faculty Club, 181 S. Oval Dr., the topic will be "Academic Priorities and Budget Policies in a Changing University."

Ed Ray, executive vice president and provost, will chair a panel that includes Dan Farrell, chair of the Department of Philosophy; Matt Filipic, executive vice chancellor of the Ohio Board of Regents; Judith Koroscik, dean of the College of the Arts; and Bill Shkurti, senior vice president for business and finance.

The forum is one of a series convened under the auspices of the John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy. They are designed to provide a neutral forum to discuss and debate major university issues. It is hoped that there will be a free exchange of ideas. This panel, as well as public lecture by President Kirwan on May 23, from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. in 14 University Hall, are also part of an interdisciplinary and inter-college graduate seminar led by Elaine Hairston, chancellor emerita of the Ohio Board of Regents and a Distinguished Visiting Scholar in the College of Education; Gerald Reagan, professor of educational policy and leadership; and Richard Sisson, professor of political science and formerly university provost and interim president.

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A TRIBUTE TO PUBLIC SERVICE:
THE MANY MISSIONS
of JOHN GLENN

AN EXHIBIT PRESENTED BY THE JOHN GLENN INSTITUTE AND THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES

JOHN GLENN completed many missions during a lifetime of public service to the American people. Contained within this exhibit are samples from the collection of more than two million items (and still growing) compiled by John Glenn over the course of his public service career. Donated to The Ohio State University Libraries in December 1998 as the John Glenn Archives, the collection will be a major resource for scholars. Items within the exhibit cases illustrate Glenn’s extraordinary life under the themes: All-American family; decorated military aviator; pioneer astronaut; American hero; politician; U.S. Senator; and return to space. In addition, the exhibit highlights Glenn’s latest, and in many respects most important, mission: The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy.

CHRONOLOGY OF JOHN HERSHEL GLENN

1921
- July 18, 1921 - John Hershel Glenn, Jr. was born in Cambridge, Ohio. His father, John H., Sr., was a plumber and business man, and his mother was a school teacher. When John was a child, the family moved to New Concord, Ohio. The family had been associated with New Concord since before 1800, when Glenn’s ancestors moved there.

- As a boy, Glenn had an early interest in aviation and attended air races in Cleveland with his father.

1939
- Glenn enrolled in Muskingum College.

1941
- Glenn took flying lessons at the New Philadelphia airport and earned his pilot’s license.

1942
- March 1942 - Glenn left college before earning a diploma to participate in World War II. He joined the U.S. Navy, earned his seaman’s wings, and transferred to the U.S. Marine Corps. He planned to become a commercial airline pilot after the war.

- Glenn flew 99 fighter bomber missions in WWII, mostly in the Marshall Islands. His first combat mission was on July 10, 1944.

- Glenn won an Air Medal with 18 Clusters and gained recognition as a leader and trainer of pilots during WWII. He was involved in dive bombing and strafing.

- Glenn remained in the military after WWII as a Marine pilot.

1943
- Glenn married Anna (Annie) Margaret Castor, his sweetheart since 8th grade and the daughter of a dentist in New Concord.

1953
- Glenn fought in Korea as a combat pilot with baseball star Ted Williams as a wing man.

- During the Korean War, Glenn was famous for low bombing and strafing runs, and he volunteered to participate with the U.S. Air Force in combat north of the Yalu River. Before the war ended, Glenn shot down three MiGs.

1954
- Glenn won an assignment as a Marine test pilot and invested special effort in learning the math required to do so.

1957
- Glenn planned and piloted Operation Bullet, a transcontinental flight from California to New York that established a new record for speed. Much publicity followed for Glenn, including appearances on the television shows “I’ve Got a Secret” and “Name That Tune.”

- October 7, 1957 - Flight of Sputnik by the Soviet Union.

1958
- When President Dwight D. Eisenhower confined the selection of astronauts to military test pilots, Glenn volunteered. However, Glenn was handicapped by age (37), weight, height (at 5 feet, 1 inches he was considered too tall), and the lack of a college degree. Glenn had taken numerous courses since leaving Muskingum College, but was not awarded a degree until after his 1962 space flight.

- Glenn excelled at the physical and mental tests, and was especially noted for his stable personality and judgment under stress.

1959
- April 1959 - Glenn was selected as one of seven Mercury astronauts from an original pool of 540 candidates.

- Glenn and the other astronauts signed a contract with LIFE magazine for $500,000 in exchange for exclusive access to their personal lives, homes, and families.

1961
- January 19, 1961 - NASA selected Alan Shepard as the astronaut for the first manned space flight, much to Glenn’s great disappointment.

- August 6, 1961 - The Soviet Union put a second cosmonaut in space which accelerated the pressures on NASA to put Glenn, the third astronaut, into orbit rather than attempt another sub-orbital flight.

1962
- February 20, 1962 - Glenn was launched into space in the Mercury-Atlas 6, Friendship 7 spacecraft after eleven attempts. During the flight, NASA was concerned about the guidance system and fearful about the loss of the protective heat shield. Glenn orbited the earth three times and successfully landed despite the problems.

- After the flight, national celebrations included a speech by Glenn to a joint session of Congress and a ticker-tape parade for him in New York City.

- John F. Kennedy ordered NASA not to employ Glenn on another dangerous mission. Glenn was considered too valuable to the space program as a national hero to be put at risk.

- President John F. Kennedy and Robert Kennedy encouraged Glenn to think of politics as a career.

1964
- January 17, 1964 - Glenn announced his intent to challenge Steve Young in the Ohio Democratic primary for a seat in the U.S. Senate.

- February 26, 1964 - An accidental fall in the bathroom hospitalized Glenn, and his recovery took nearly nine months.

March 30, 1964 - Glenn withdrew from the election.

1965
- Glenn retired from the Marines as a Colonel and developed a business career.

- Glenn joined Royal Crown Cola, first as a member of the board of directors and later as the president of Royal Crown Cola International.
1966
- Glenn was involved with the television series "Great Explorations."

1968
- Glenn had a close friendship with Robert F. Kennedy and helped his campaign for President. Glenn was present when Robert Kennedy was assassinated, and the Kennedy family asked Glenn to tell six of Robert Kennedy's children about the assassination. Glenn was also a pall bearer at the funeral.

1969
- Glenn resigned from Royal Crown as an executive officer but remained on the board of directors.

1970
- Glenn campaigned for the U.S. Senate but lost in the Democratic primary to Howard Metzenbaum.
- Henri Landworth, whom Glenn had known during his career as an astronaut in Florida, encouraged Glenn to purchase the Holiday Inn near Disney World at Orlando. This became a very profitable investment.
- Glenn worked for the campaign to elect John Gilligan as governor of Ohio. Glenn headed the Buckeye Executive Club, which was a group of businessmen in favor of the Democratic governor.

1972
- Glenn campaigned for Ed Muskie, who was running for president. John Gilligan appointed Glenn to the statewide environmental task force.
- Glenn created the TV documentary "Here Comes Tomorrow" with David Wolper.

1974
- Glenn won a landslide election to the U.S. Senate.
- In the U.S. Senate, Glenn established a reputation as hardworking, very knowledgeable, and problem-oriented. Glenn took an active role in creating policies regarding nuclear technology, energy management, and the Strategic Arms Limitations Treaty.

1976
- Glenn was one of three men considered to be Jimmy Carter's Vice President. However, Walter Mondale, as a veteran politician, had an inside-track, and Glenn's keynote address at the Democratic convention failed to impress the delegates.

1978
- The Nuclear Non-Proliferation Act was in large part an achievement by Senator Glenn.

1980
- Glenn was re-elected in a landslide, despite Ronald Reagan's victory over Jimmy Carter in Ohio.
- Glenn was prominent in his service on the Government Affairs Committee, the Select Committee on Intelligence, the Armed Services Committee, and the Special Committee on Aging. Glenn was considered an expert on technical and scientific matters.

1983
- Glenn announced his candidacy for U.S. President in 1984.

1984
- The release of the movie, "The Right Stuff," about the Mercury astronauts and John Glenn.
- Glenn withdrew from Democratic presidential contest.

1986
- Glenn was re-elected to the U.S. Senate.

1992
- Glenn was re-elected to the U.S. Senate as the first four-term U.S. Senator from Ohio.

1997
- February 1997 - Glenn announced that he would not seek re-election in 1998.
- October 1997 - Glenn announced that his papers, which document his full career, will go to The Ohio State University.

1998
- September 1998 - A press release announced the creation of the John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy at The Ohio State University.
- October 29, 1998 - The space shuttle Discovery mission STS-95 launched into space with Glenn on board.
- November 7, 1998 - Shuttle Mission STS-95 returned to Earth.
Provost Edward J. Ray
cordially invites you to join him
and
Special Guests Senator and Mrs. John Glenn
at a reception celebrating the exhibit

“A Tribute to Public Service: The Many Missions of John Glenn”
presented by The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy with the University Libraries

Wednesday, October 13, 1999

Bricker Hall
190 North Oval Mall
The Ohio State University

5:30 - 7:00 p.m.

Please respond by October 7
by calling 614-292-3801

The exhibit is displayed in the
Philip Sills Exhibit Hall, Main Library
Participants in the program meet policy professionals and interact with Ohio State alumni in the region. This interaction has value far beyond the quarter in which the students are involved in the program. Real opportunities are presented for career advice, professional development, and cross-generational exchange.

**Internship Placement**

Students are placed in substantive internships with supervisors who can serve in a mentoring capacity. While many students choose to work in the federal government, there are countless other options to consider, including nonprofit and international organizations, art and history museums, media outlets, advocacy groups, and health and environmental policy offices.

**Residential and Classroom Facilities**

While in Washington, students are housed together in a residential hotel selected for convenience, access to Metro, and appropriate amenities and services. Seminars and policy colloquia, as well as many alumni events, are held in our downtown offices located at 1705 DeSales Street, NW, between Connecticut Avenue and 17th Street. Glenn Fellows have full use of a dedicated computer lab.

Financial Aid

Students who receive financial aid continue to do so while participating in the program. Appropriate adjustments are made to compensate for the increased cost of travel and living in Washington. We make every effort to ensure that no student will be denied the opportunity to participate due to financial need.

Study Tours

In addition to their academic and work activities, while in Washington, students have the opportunity to visit many places of political, cultural, and historical importance. Arlington National Cemetery, Ford’s Theater, Mount Vernon, Annapolis, and Civil War battlefields are among the sites program participants have the chance to experience.
Application Procedures

Any student interested in the program should pick up or request an application from 400 Stillman Hall, 1947 College Road, Columbus, OH 43210-1123. Applicants will need to submit:

- a completed application form
- a resume
- a personal statement of interest detailing academic preparation and a dedication to public service
- a writing sample
- two letters of recommendation
- an official Ohio State transcript

Students are strongly encouraged to plan for their term in Washington well in advance of their intended quarter of participation. For more information, contact the on-campus Program Coordinator, Ms. Courtney Veleri, at (614) 292-4486 (JGI-DC@admin.ohio-state.edu) or the Director of the Washington Academic Internship Program, Dr. Elizabeth Boles (boles.16@osu.edu) in Washington at (202) 452-6880.

To learn more about The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy, visit our website at www.osu.edu/glenninstitute.
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Chicago Tribune columnist delivers Glenn Institute lecture

Bexley native Bob Greene will tell “Once Upon a Town”

Veteran journalist, columnist and broadcast commentator Bob Greene will talk about “Once Upon a Town: The Miracle of the North Platte Canteen,” at 4 p.m. on Tuesday (6/4) at the Wexner Center Film/Video Theatre, 1871 N. High Street.

Greene, who grew up in the Columbus suburb of Bexley, is a syndicated columnist for the Chicago Tribune. He is also author of several best selling-books, including “Duty: A Father, His Son, and the Man Who Won the War;” “Be True to Your School,” a reminiscent look at his teen years; and “Hang Time: Days and Dreams with Michael Jordan.”

Ohio State recognized Greene with an honorary doctor of journalism degree in 1998, when he returned to deliver the spring commencement address. He was the scheduled speaker for the 1997 ceremony that was cancelled due to heavy rain.

Greene's book, bearing the title of his lecture, is a poignant narrative about volunteerism in a small Nebraska town during World War II. More than six million soldiers passed through the train station on their way to war from 1941-45. Citizens turned the train stop into a canteen and a wonderful memory for the young people who passed through the town.

The lecture is the second in the series “Book Marks: Notable Authors on Public Policy,” sponsored by the John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy. The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy aims to encourage public service among citizens of all ages, explore the place of public service in American life, train public officials for more effective leadership, and disseminate pragmatic, fact-based research to all policymakers.

Greene’s talk is co-sponsored by the Department of History. The lecture is free and open to the public. A reception and book signing will follow the lecture.

Reserved seating is available and recommended by contacting the Glenn Institute at 292-4545 or e-mail glenninstitute@admin.ohio-state.edu. Reserved seats will be held until 3:50.

WHAT: Bob Greene, author and syndicated columnist, will deliver “Once Upon a Town: The Miracle of the North Platte Canteen.”

WHEN: Tuesday, June 4.

WHERE: The Wexner Center Film/Video Theatre, 1871 N. High St.

WHY: The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy offers relevant and timely information on public policy issues.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

NEW Leadership Institute to educate, empower collegiate women
Sponsored by the John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy

Women in Ohio make up only 22 percent of the state’s legislature and only two Ohio women hold statewide elected offices. To garner more interest in political careers, the John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy will sponsor a weeklong residential institute to teach collegiate women about politics and policymaking.

More than 25 women from universities throughout Ohio will learn from women educators and politicians at The National Education for Women’s Leadership (NEW Leadership) Ohio Summer Institute, from Monday (6/24) to Friday (6/28) at the Fawcett Center, 2400 Olentangy River Road.

Among the institute’s featured speakers and panelists are Bernadine Healy, the keynote speaker and former president and CEO of the American Red Cross; Betty Montgomery, Ohio attorney general; Priscilla Mead, Ohio senator; Jo Ann Davidson, former speaker of the Ohio House of Representatives; and Yvette McGee Brown, president of The Center for Child and Family Advocacy at Children’s Hospital.

The institute will educate women on leadership skills through hands-on workshops, group and panel discussions, and site visits to public policy agencies and to the Ohio statehouse. Institute topics will range from leadership to communication skills and from diversity to running for office.

Participants come from Ohio colleges and universities, including Bowling Green State University, Denison University and The Ohio State University. The students are majoring in a variety of disciplines, including business, English, political science and international studies.

WHAT: National Education for Women’s Leadership (NEW Leadership) Ohio, a weeklong institute for women from Ohio universities and colleges.

WHEN: Monday (6/24) to Friday (6/28).

WHERE: The Fawcett Center, 2400 Olentangy River Road.

WHY: To help educate and empower the next generation of women leaders.

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David Gergen

David Gergen currently serves as editor-at-large at U.S. News & World Report and as a regular analyst on ABC: Nightline. He is also a Public Service Professor of Public Leadership at the John F. Kennedy School of Government and Co-director of its Center for Public Leadership. His 2000 book, Eyewitness to Power: The Essence of Leadership, Nixon to Clinton was a national best seller.

Gergen bases his comments on White House service as an advisor to four Presidents: Nixon, Ford, Reagan, and Clinton. Most recently, he served for 18 months in the Clinton administration, first as Counselor to the President and then as Special Advisor to the President and the Secretary of State.
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In the late 1980s Mr. Kiplinger co-authored two best-selling forecast books which contradicted the prevailing pessimism of that time, accurately predicting that the United States would set the global pace for economic growth and technology leadership in the 1990s. In his most recent book, *World Boom Ahead* (1998), Mr. Kiplinger forecast that the U.S. will continue to benefit from soaring productivity and surging trade with the expanding economies of Asia, Latin America, and Eastern Europe.

Mr. Kiplinger is a frequent guest on CNN and CNBC, and he has appeared on “Wall Street Week with Louis Rukeyser,” “The Today Show,” “CBS This Morning,” and “The Larry King Show.” He is a regular commentator on “Marketplace,” the daily business report heard on public stations nationwide.

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Education for Citizenship

The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy at Ohio State invests directly in the future of democracy by cultivating three ingredients essential to public life: citizens, leaders, and ideas.

The John Glenn Institute invests in future citizens with a wide variety of student programs. Academic internship programs for high school and college students in both Columbus, Ohio, and Washington, D.C., give young people avenues to explore public service and to learn about the policymaking process in our country.

NEW Leadership Ohio offers a one-week summer institute on the Ohio State campus for college women from throughout Ohio. Students participate in workshops to build their leadership skills and explore women’s roles in politics and policymaking.

The John Glenn Institute is investing in our current leaders by offering training programs for more than 2000 public sector employees and public officials each year. To enhance the quality of public service, the Institute offers training sessions and workshops for legislators, management training programs for public sector employees, and customized leadership courses for public agencies.

The Glenn Institute invests in ideas—blueprints for our democratic future—through conferences, lectures, and policy research. More than 150 faculty members and six policy centers are affiliated with the Institute. The Glenn Institute has policy research initiatives in areas such as education theory and practice, criminal justice, health outcomes, evaluation theory, environmental policy, and the Second Amendment.

Speaker series promote serious discussion of policy issues. Speakers have included Secretary of Defense William Cohen, Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O’Connor, and four-time Presidential Advisor David Gergen.

An annual Essay Competition, co-sponsored with Ohio State’s School of Public Policy and Management, allows college juniors and seniors worldwide to address pressing policy issues and compete for substantial cash prizes.

The John Glenn Archives complements the work of the Institute by housing the papers and memorabilia of Senator John Glenn.

The John Glenn Institute aims to encourage public service among citizens of all ages, explore the place of public service in American life, train public officials for more effective leadership, and disseminate fact-based research to all policymakers.
Project Overview: Page Hall Renovation

The renovation of Page Hall will provide a permanent home for the John Glenn Institute, as well as for the complementary programs of the School of Public Policy and Management. Classroom and computer laboratory space will remain on the ground floor of the building, serving all university students, while providing options for Glenn Institute events.

Page Hall is ideally positioned for the Glenn Institute, with access to High Street, the Oval, the Ohio Union Parking Garage, and the Wexner Center for the Arts. These nearby facilities will allow the Glenn Institute to serve as an interface between campus and the outside policy world. Institute activities and permanent displays of John Glenn artifacts will draw visitors from the Ohio State campus and beyond.

Page Hall opened in 1903, serving first as the home of the law school and then as part of the Fisher College of Business. The renovation will require gutting most of the building's interior to create spaces appropriate for both the Glenn Institute and the School of Public Policy and Management. The renovation will add a floor to Page Hall's existing three, providing additional space for Glenn Institute activities.

Glenn Institute Objectives for Building Design

- Deepen our public service programs for Ohio State students
- Create a distinctive forum for group discussions, debates, and meetings
- Expand our provision of high quality, non-partisan research to policymakers
- Provide spaces for affiliated faculty and distinguished visitors to collaborate on joint policy projects, as well as to interact informally with students and policymakers
- Honor Senator Glenn's service to our country
- Create an exhibition gallery to display memorabilia from Senator Glenn's public service, military, and space endeavors
- Provide a lasting link between this international hero and the State of Ohio
- Embrace a distinctive building design that will reflect John Glenn's vision and career, together with the Institute's mission

HISTORY OF PAGE HALL SINCE 1903

Built in the Classical Style of architecture, Page Hall was the ninth building to be erected on the Ohio State campus (1903). For a short time, it was called Hunter Hall, after then-dean, William F. Hunter. The building's name was changed to Page Hall, honoring prominent Circleville attorney Henry Folsom Page. He was not an Ohio State alumnus, but left his entire estate to the university. Many different offices have used Page Hall over the years: the State Health Department (prior to 1919), the old College of Commerce and Journalism (1916-24), Music (1940s), and the College of Law (until 1959). In 1960, the Fisher College of Business moved into Page Hall, where it remained until moving to the new Fisher College complex in 1998.
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Policy Forum
Executive Education Center
Lounge/Library
Distance Learning Studio
Boardroom
Senator’s Office Interior
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Former Vice President of the United States on Global Change and the Environment

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45th Vice President of the United States

Al Gore served as the forty-fifth Vice President of the United States. He has also been a United States Senator and Congressman, a Presidential candidate, and a working journalist.

Mr. Gore is currently a member of the board of directors of Apple Computers, Inc. and serves as senior advisor to Google, Inc. He is a visiting professor at two universities in Tennessee - Middle Tennessee State in Murfreesboro and Fisk University in Nashville. He is also a visiting professor at UCLA.

Mr. Gore received a B.A. in government with honors from Harvard University in 1969. After graduation, he enlisted in the U.S. Army and served in the Vietnam War as an army reporter. Upon returning from Vietnam, Al Gore became an investigative reporter with the Tennessean in Nashville, where he also attended Vanderbilt University’s Divinity School and then Law School. In 1976 Mr. Gore was elected to Tennessee’s Fourth Congressional District where he served for four terms before filling a vacant Senate seat and winning election in 1984. In public office, Mr. Gore was active in environmental issues including passage of the 1980 Superfund bill to clean up toxic waste sites. In 1992 presidential candidate Bill Clinton chose him as running mate.

As Vice President, Mr. Gore served as president of the Senate, a member of the Cabinet, and a member of the National Security Council. He also led a wide range of administrative initiatives, including environmental policy, technology, science, communications, and government cost reduction.

Long recognized for his interest in the environment, Mr. Gore authored the best-selling Earth in the Balance: Ecology and the Human Spirit.

In 1970, Al Gore married the former Mary Elizabeth “Tipper” Aitcheson and together they have four children: Karenna, Kristin, Sarah, and Albert III. On July 4, 1999, Karenna and her husband, Dr. Drew Schiff, gave birth to their first child, Wyatt Gore Schiff. On August 23, 2001, Wyatt’s sister Anna Hunger Schiff was born.

PROGRAM

Welcoming Remarks
Lonnie Thompson
Distinguished University Professor, Department of Geological Sciences, and Research Scientist, Byrd Polar Research Center
President of The Ohio State University

Karen Holbrook

Introduction of Speaker

Senator John Glenn

Featured Speaker

The Honorable Al Gore

Question Session Moderator

Barbara Snyder
Interim Executive Vice President and Provost

About The Bownocker Lecturers


This year we are recognizing the contributions of former Vice President of the United States Al Gore. He has advanced government and private sector understanding of the Earth System and the environment through his writings, including his book Earth in the Balance, his promotion of scientific input to public policy issues, and his Science Seminar Breakfasts with agency heads and leading scientists. We are honored to have former Vice President Al Gore as the 62nd Bownocker Lecturer and recipient of the Bownocker Medal.

The Bownocker Lectures and Medals are made possible by a bequest to The Ohio State University from John A. Bownocker (1865-1928), Professor and Chairman of the Department of Geology and State Geologist of Ohio.
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In recognizing the growing importance of the Earth Systems approach to understanding how the world works and addressing sustainability issues, the Department currently is exploring expanded multi-disciplinary relationships on campus and globally.

Geological Sciences has laboratories, classrooms, and offices in the recently renovated Mendenhall Laboratory and in Orton Hall, where the Orton Memorial Library of Geology and the Orton Geological Museum are located.  www.geology.ohio-state.edu

About The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy
The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy aims to encourage public service among citizens of all ages, explore the place of public service in American life, train public officials for more effective leadership, and disseminate cutting-edge, relevant research to all policymakers. More than 180 faculty members and seven policy initiatives are affiliated with the Institute.

To engage undergraduates in public service, the Institute sponsors both an academic internship program in Washington, D.C., and a Living Learning Program on campus. The Institute’s pre-collegiate program allows high school seniors to combine public service internships with college-level coursework on public policy.

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New interim director named for the John Glenn Institute

Libby’s appointment is effective July 1

COLUMBUS -- The Ohio State University’s Executive Vice President Barbara R. Snyder announced today (5/16) that she will recommend to President Karen Holbrook the appointment of Lawrence W. Libby as the Interim Director of The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy. Subject to approval by the Board of Trustees, his appointment will be effective on July 1.

Libby will replace Professor Deborah Merritt, who is returning to the Moritz College of Law where she holds the John Deaver Drinko-Baker & Hostetler Chair in Law.
Still On a Mission

It's been 43 years since John Glenn orbited the earth, eight since he announced his retirement as Ohio's longest-running senator, and seven since he became the oldest person in space. But at 84 and with an eye on educating the state's youth, his journey's just begun.

By Jennifer Haliburton

Photos by Matthew Roharik
At the John Glenn Institute for Public Policy & Public Service at The Ohio State University in Columbus.

"I'm glad to be on campus," says Glenn. "I'm hoping to be able to inspire the young people here."
ohn Glenn is waiting for news.

He doesn’t let on: no signs of nervousness, not even a hint of rushing his visitor. He just sits patiently behind his desk, occasionally twirling his eyeglasses, politely answering questions about his least favorite topic, himself—and waits for the news.

It’s a warm, sun-drenched July day on the campus of The Ohio State University, and inside Page Hall it seems even brighter. The light pouring in through the window of the former senator’s cozy office is part of it; the rest comes from an upbeat air that gives this place, the John Glenn Institute for Public Service & Public Policy, the enthusiastic feel of a campaign headquarters—from the smiling young people milling about the building to the presence of Glenn’s cheery chief of staff and scheduler, perched right outside his office. Glenn adds to the sunny, campaign-trail aura. He greets guests with a smile and a handshake and is prone to throwing out a “hey, how are ya?” or “take it easy” to passersby. His ensemble is standard-issue for senators, past and present: the immaculate navy blazer with shiny gold buttons, the dark red tie emblazoned with the Bill of Rights (“We the people” nicely visible beneath the knot).

Like a Washington insider, too, Glenn will be on one of the Sunday talk shows a few days from now. In the wake of the news that lumps of foam debris fell off the space shuttle Discovery when it launched a couple of days ago—the same thing that caused the shuttle Columbia disaster in 2003—the news media is abuzz with questions: What is the future of the shuttle program? How relevant is space flight anymore? And is it worth all the risk?

Here is where Glenn differs from other political figures: there is no mistaking that John Glenn is not just a former senator. He is a living legend. While most Americans have a special reserve of skepticism for the utterances of politicians, John Glenn they’ll believe. They believe him when he says that yes, being an astronaut is a risky occupation, but one doesn’t go into the business of riding a rocket into the cosmos at some 20 times the speed of sound without understanding the dangers involved; and yes, it is worth the risk, because it’s imperative that this country maintain its

boarded in 1998, making him the oldest person ever in space—has successfully connected with the International Space Station.

“Oh good, good,” says Glenn. “I’m glad to hear that.”

Suddenly, Glenn is far from being a politician or a hero—he’s Bud from New Concord (as the folks there remember him), an aeronautics fanatic who’s had a thing for flight ever since the day in 1929 when his dad, John Herschel Glenn Sr., pulled over to the side of a grass-field airport during a drive to Cambridge, saw that a pilot was offering rides aboard an open-cockpit airplane, turned to his 8-year-old son and said those six magic words: “You want to go up, Bud?”

“Hey MJ, have they sent any more expanded pictures down of the protective tiles? That’s what they’re gonna take pictures of when they’re belly up to the station, you know,” Glenn says to Veno. The more he talks about space, the more clearly it seems those youthful, all-American features come into focus: the deep dimples, the still reddish-blond eyebrows, the freckles. (Author Tom Wolfe once called Glenn’s “the sunniest face in 10 counties.”)

The former astronaut knows that now that Discovery and the enormous space station are linked, they’ll be as bright as a first-magnitude star, visible to the naked eye in the night sky above his downtown Columbus apartment. NASA’s web site provides schedules instructing on the best viewing times and where to gaze.
On March 3, 1962, Glenn's small hometown of New Concord, population 2,100, swelled to 75,000 for a "welcome home" parade.

"Can you get [a schedule] for the next 10 days? Probably for the whole flight?" he asks Veno, who disappears again.

John Glenn wants kids in schools across America to feel this same mixture of insatiable curiosity and fascination about the galaxy. Unlike during the space race of the 1960s, teachers no longer regularly wheel a television set into their classrooms, allowing kids to sit spellbound in front of images of astronauts rocketing off the earth. Still, says Glenn, students should be steeped in the sound math and science education that prepares them to appreciate the wonders of space, and necessary to become an astronaut. He knows, too, that the solid values and constant encouragement to explore that he received in New Concord are responsible for his own accomplishments, and he and a band of dedicated citizens in his hometown are determined to share those virtues with another generation, inspiring them to reach the same heights.

"I talk a lot about that these days," says Glenn. "I think it is so key to the future of our country."

The fact that he is in the middle of his ninth decade is hardly a deterrent from this lofty task; age certainly hasn't stopped him before. At 37, Glenn was the oldest of the famed Project Mercury test pilots turned astronauts chosen as the first Americans to explore outer space (famously chronicled in Tom Wolfe's book and the movie, "The Right Stuff"). At 71, Glenn was re-elected to a fourth term as Ohio's longest-serving senator, and he still ranks as the only state politician to win all 88 of Ohio's counties. And, of course, at 77, Glenn's tenacity alone was responsible for his second trip off the planet.

Not that the achievements made at a mature age make Glenn want to rhapsodize on the joys of getting older.

"For all the advances in science and medicine that I have supported and that have occurred in the 35 years since my orbital flight, one immutable fact remains: There is no cure for the common birthday," he once told a crowd at his alma mater, Muskingum College.

His visitor has forgotten this anecdote. She makes the mistake of wishing Glenn a happy belated birthday (He turned 84 on July 18.)

"I'm trying to forget about them," Glenn says with a grin.

December 13, 1962
Dear Mr. Glenn,
I would like you to know that you are my number one hero. Everybody says I picked a dandy person...

The letters seem endless.
Dear Mr. Glenn,
I, a boy of twelve, sometimes wonder how it feels to be a great man of the nation...

There are roughly 25,000 of them. There used to be about a quarter million more such letters.

One day seven years ago, three large semis pulled up to The Ohio State University Archives, more than 2,000 boxes of John Glenn's material in tow. Jeff Thomas, Glenn's archivist at the univer-
sity, narrowed it all down by taking just a sampling of the fan letters, and thus slimming the collection down to about 1,000 meticulously organized, slate-gray boxes, all now neatly stacked in a chilly, climate-controlled warehouse with 30-foot ceilings and forklifts navigating the aisles of what is, essentially, John Glenn’s attic.

“That’s what you get for growing up in the Great Depression — you learn not to throw anything away,” says Glenn, an admitted pack rat. Though much of the material in the OSU collection was previously stored at the Library of Congress, plenty of the come straight from John and Annie Glenn’s other home in Bethesda, Maryland.

It’s difficult to imagine these days — when even those too young to have experienced much already seem a bit jaded — but only 43 years ago, a generation of children were so thrilled by the accomplishments of one person and so proud of the United States’ success, that they took pencil to paper and poured out heartfelt emotion, unselfconsciously calling John Glenn their hero.

“They were coming in by the sack load every day,” says Glenn, who in 1964 compiled some of the most touching and eccentric letters in a book called, P.S. I Listened To Your Heartbeat. He notes that NASA had to create a special mailroom just to manage the flood of correspondence from admiring kids after he became the first American to orbit the earth.”And they all got answers back, we made sure of that.”

As enamored as Glenn was of airplanes as a boy, he could have written the same type of letters to one of his childhood heroes, Charles Lindbergh. Fortunately for him, his father, the owner of a small plumbing business, shared his interest in flying: He’d been captivated by the planes dog-fighting overhead while an infantryman in France during World War I. So, he went up with his eight-year-old son for that flight in the open-cockpit airplane over Cambridge, the one that immediately left Glenn amazed by flight.

“Looking down at everything on the ground from way up there — I was fascinated by aviation from that time on,” says Glenn. “I started building all these model airplanes. [And since] my dad was interested in them too, every year we’d go up to Cleveland for the National Air Races — camp out the night before, then go watch the races the next day.”

Glenn has nothing but affection for the close-knit, patriotic, Muskingum County community he was raised in and still frequently visits. “Sometimes it seems to me that Norman Rockwell must have taken his inspiration from New Concord, Ohio,” he wrote in John Glenn: A Memoir. “A boy could not have had a more idyllic early childhood than I did.”

But when the town asked to use the large home his father built for the family in 1923 to honor Glenn’s achievements, he had reservations. “I gave it to them on one basis: I didn’t want it to just be some Glenn museum. We can do without that,” he says.

“But,” he adds, “if the place could be used as an inspiration to kids and to educate them on what things were like when we were coming up, then that’d be something worthwhile.”

Which explains why Lorle Porter, standing inside the gray-and-white home now called the John and Annie Glenn Historic Site and Exploration Center, is wearing a prim, old-fashioned housedress, crafted from a 1944 McCall’s pattern by local seamstresses. She plays Glenn’s mother, Clara, in the living-history portion of the house, where everything from the ration books to the radios — not to mention the display of John Glenn’s military uniforms — is authentic.

“The younger people don’t know about any of this. It’s as disconnected from life today as the 18th century is from the Jetsons,” Porter says with a sigh. The retired Muskingum College history professor, author of several books on Ohio and living-history coordinator at the center, says the goal of the site is to convey the types of sacrifice, values and sense of civic responsibility that had Glenn’s father doing plumbing jobs in exchange for food during the Depression, and sparked Glenn to immediately enlist in the Navy after learning of the bombing of Pearl Harbor.

“People can’t believe that you ever had ration books, that you once had to sacrifice to that extent,” says Porter. “The last time Annie and John were here, Annie said, ‘The kids today need to know these things!’”

Annie Glenn enters her husband’s office so quietly that, were it not for the side door clicking shut behind her, she’d have stepped in unnoticed.

John Glenn and his visitor look in her direction as she takes a seat beneath a large multi-colored quilt covering the wall (a gift from West Virginia Senator Jay Rockefeller’s wife after hearing about Annie’s love of folk art).

Glenn smiles broadly at his wife and mentions the view of the docked shuttle Discovery and Space Station they’ll see from the apartment tonight. “Hey Annie! We’ll have to get the old binocs out,” he says. Glenn curls his fingers and holds them up to his eyes, peering at his 85-year-old wife through imaginary binoculars, and proving that space isn’t the only thing capable of transporting him back to being youthful Bud from New Concord.

Few couples can say they spent time in the same playpen together as children, as Annie and John did when their respective parents, who were close friends, would entertain at each other’s homes. They’ve been married for 62 years, and Annie still won’t let him upgrade the $125 engagement ring he slipped on her finger before heading off for flight training. “It’s a tiny little thing,” says Glenn of the purchase he made at 21, “but Annie’s still just as proud of it as if it were the Hope diamond.”

The Glens have two children, Dave, 59, a doctor, and Lyn, 58, an artist. Handsomely framed photos of the family decorate the Page Hall office’s bookshelf. The beaming faces make it easy to forget that this close-knit family once struggled to help Annie communicate with the rest of the world. A severe speech impediment left her stammering on 85 percent of the words she spoke.

The communication problem never mattered to Glenn. “I would just let her plow through it, let her get all her ideas
The focus on education is hardly a new path for Glenn, just the continuation of an adventure that has always had public service as its mission — whether affirming the country's leadership by orbiting the globe, or securing its future prestige by focusing on the next generation.

"When I think of John Glenn, I think of three things," says Tom Daschle, former South Dakota senator, Senate majority leader and a friend of Glenn's. "First is his aura: The fact that when we were in Congress, he didn't try to present himself this way, but he was always more than just another senator — he also happened to be this national hero. Second is that he is clearly a man of immense integrity. And third, because of that integrity and because everyone looked at him in this heroic manner, he's always had to live with very high expectations.

"The remarkable thing is, he actually lives up to those expectations."
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The Presentation of NASA's Ambassador of Exploration Award to Senator John Glenn

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Barbara R. Snyder, Executive Vice President and Provost
The Ohio State University

Remarks
Karen A. Holbrook, President
The Ohio State University

Presentation of Award
Steve Robinson, Astronaut
Neil Armstrong, Astronaut

Remarks
Senator John Glenn

Submission of Award to Ohio State
Senator Glenn, President Holbrook, Provost Snyder

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With special guests Senator John Glenn
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burst onto the national scene as an author in 2000 with his New York Times #1 bestseller book Flags of Our Fathers. The Times called it “the surprise runaway nonfiction best seller of the season.” Steven Spielberg has acquired the movie rights.

Flags of Our Fathers is about the six boys who raised the American flag on Iwo Jima. The photograph is the most reproduced in photographic history. One of the figures in the photograph is James’ father, John Bradley.

James’ second book Flyboys debuted September 30, 2003 on NBC’s top-rated morning program, THE TODAY show, and was followed by other national media and an extended two-month, 25-city national book tour.

Flyboys is the secret story of eight naval aviators who were beheaded on the island next to Iwo Jima. A ninth Flyboy got away. His name is George Bush.

James is also a professional motivational speaker who delivers his message, Doing the Impossible, to corporate and association audiences across the country.

James was raised in Wisconsin, studied at the University of Notre Dame, Sophia University in Tokyo, Japan and graduated with a degree in East Asian History from the University of Wisconsin. James has vast experience writing and producing corporate films and corporate meetings; he has traveled the world, living and working in more than 40 countries for nearly a decade. He has run companies in the United States, Japan, the United Kingdom, Germany and Italy. He has jumped out of airplanes at 15,000 feet, scuba-dived in deep waters worldwide, trekked to Mount Everest’s base camp and walked among lions in Africa. He is an avid reader of history and enjoys discovering exotic cuisine, cliff diving, golfing and snow skiing.

James is President of the James Bradley Peace Foundation, which is dedicated to fostering understanding between America and Asia. The foundation sends American schoolchildren to High School in Japan and China where they live with a family. In both 2002 and 2003, there were James Bradley Peace Foundation-sponsored American high school students living in Asia.

This lecture is sponsored by the Ohio Telecom Association. OTA’s member companies are keenly aware of the value of developing informed, substantive public policy, and will play an important role, along with the Glenn Institute, in that process.

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August 9, 2006

Dear Friend,

As you may know, plans have been underway over the past few years to merge the John Glenn Institute and The Ohio State University’s School of Public Policy and Management, which has been in operation since 1969. This summer the merger was completed and the John Glenn School of Public Affairs is now a reality.

A basic principle of democracy is that it will succeed in direct proportion to its citizens’ participation and education. The issues facing this country today, both on the domestic and global fronts, are daunting and complex. It is only with determination, intellectual honesty, collaboration across the aisle, and investment in education that we will foster the skills to address climate change and manage the environment, economic competition and its effects on our workforce, nuclear proliferation and essential issues of war and peace.

The new School features a variety of non-partisan programs that inspire citizenship and develop leadership among diverse students and constituents. Like its predecessor, the John Glenn School offers two Master’s degrees and a doctoral program, including dual- and joint-degree offerings with other colleges and departments on campus. The School runs dynamic internship programs for high school students and undergraduates, training programs for mid-career journalists and for public service professionals, and public events and conferences that incorporate expertise and the community in debating and discussing issues of contemporary importance. Enclosed is a brochure that provides additional information on the School.

The newly formed Glenn School builds upon the strong reputation and heritage that the Glenn Institute and the graduate School of Public Policy and Management have established. Over 2,000 alumni currently serve in academia and public service capacities where they demonstrate leadership at local, state and national levels. We believe that a rigorous non-partisan education creates excellent professionals and thoughtful citizens, and encourages good government; this is our mission. I am personally committed to working with the faculty, staff, and students to inspire future generations to carry forward the American dream and deepen the definition of what it means to be a citizen.

Thank you for your ongoing interest and support. I invite you to visit the Glenn School in the newly renovated Page Hall at the heart of The Ohio State University campus. Our faculty, staff, students, and facilities are among the best in the country, and we look forward to serving you as a student in one of our training programs or courses of study, or as a participant in public lectures or conferences. You can make a difference.

Best regards,

John Glenn

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Our democracy is a priceless heritage.

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The John Glenn School provides leadership training for emerging leaders, skill development for new and mid-level managers, conferences for local government leaders, and other programs that enhance the quality of public service and the democratic process.
The Washington Academic Internship Program selects outstanding undergraduates from any major to spend a quarter in the nation’s capital as John Glenn Fellows. Students work in field placements that reflect their academic preparation and professional interests, interact with policy experts and local alumni, and take rigorous courses in an intimate, engaging seminar setting. Each Fellow produces a policy paper stimulated by the internship experience.
The Kiplinger Program in Public Affairs Journalism provides mid-career journalists an opportunity to spend six months producing in-depth public affairs projects that they take back to their news organizations.

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The John Glenn School Learning Community allows undergraduate students who live together in the same residence hall to participate in public service projects, work with public officials, and take field trips to Washington, D.C.

NEW Leadership Ohio engages undergraduate women from across Ohio in a week-long program to encourage them to run for public office.
The High School Internship Program allows high school seniors to gain first-hand experience working in public service internships while they complete an introductory course in public policy.
The Speech and Debate Team at Ohio State prepares undergraduate debaters to participate in local and national tournaments.
The Glenn School’s Civic Engagement Programs, such as OSUVotes and the National Issues Forum Workshop, offer opportunities for central Ohio high school students and Ohio State students to get involved to strengthen democracy.

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The faculty of the John Glenn School are renowned scholars who perform research in policy areas such as environmental science, democratization, information technology, statehood, management, social welfare, economic development, and crime. In addition, the School fosters research on local and national policy issues and distributes the results to the broader community.
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Kathryn Sullivan to lead new math, science education policy center

Scientist and former astronaut to join Ohio State

COLUMBUS – Kathryn D. Sullivan, Ph.D., the first American woman to walk in space, has been named the first director of the new Battelle Center for Mathematics and Science Education Policy housed at The Ohio State University’s John Glenn School of Public Affairs. The announcement of Sullivan’s appointment was made today by Ohio State President Karen A. Holbrook and Battelle President and CEO Carl F. Kohrt.

In May, Holbrook and Kohrt announced the formation of the center through a $4 million gift from Battelle. The center will address the country’s global competitiveness and its clear link to math and science education by developing policies and practices that will increase the number of students in the STEM fields and prepare them to be leaders.

“Dr. Sullivan’s incredible background and personal enthusiasm, energy, and commitment to innovation, science, and education will guide the Battelle Center to its full potential as a place for educators, business and government leaders to debate and formulate policies that enhance STEM education in this country,” Holbrook said.

“Kathy Sullivan is an excellent choice as the first director for the new Battelle Center for Mathematics and Science Education Policy,” Kohrt said. “She brings unmatched real-world experience from her days with NASA as well as a great feel for science education from her leadership at COSI. She is currently vice chair of the National Science Board and played a key role in the development of the board’s recent ‘2020 Vision’ for the National Science Foundation, one of the nation’s key players in science education. I’m excited to see her bring that expertise to bear on some of the important discussions that will take place at the Center.”
Sullivan To Lead New Center -- 2

Sullivan, who will begin her new role at Ohio State on Nov. 1, serves COSI, the Center of Science and Industry in Columbus, as science adviser, providing strategic counsel on science and education policy matters. Sullivan will continue to support COSI as a science advisor in a volunteer capacity once she begins her position with the Battelle Center. Her appointment is subject to approval by the Ohio State University Board of Trustees.

Sullivan also served as president and chief executive officer of the science center from 1996 through 2005, leading COSI through a period of major growth and change. During this period she managed the construction and launch of a $125 million new facility and a major expansion of the science center’s contribution to science education reform.

From 1992 to 1996, Sullivan was the chief scientist at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), where she oversaw a wide array of research and technology programs ranging from climate and global change to satellites and marine biodiversity.

A former astronaut and veteran of three space shuttle missions, Sullivan became the first woman to walk in space during a *Challenger* flight in 1984. She flew on the *Discovery* in 1990 for the Hubble Space Telescope deployment mission and on the *Atlantis* in 1992 for the ATLAS-1 Spacelab mission.

Sullivan serves as vice chairman of the National Science Board. A captain in the U.S. Naval Reserve, Sullivan holds a bachelor of science in Earth Sciences from the University of California at Santa Cruz and a Ph.D. in geology from Dalhousie University, Nova Scotia.

Her professional affiliations include the American Association for the Advancement of Science, where she is a fellow and director, and the Wood’s Hole Oceanographic Institution. She has received numerous honors and awards, including NASA medals for Exceptional Service and Outstanding Leadership and the National Air and Space Trophy from the Smithsonian National Air and Space Museum. She was inducted into the Astronaut Hall of Fame in 2004.

Battelle is a global leader in science and technology. Headquartered in Columbus, Ohio, it develops and commercializes technology and manages laboratories for customers. Battelle, with the national labs it manages or co-manages, oversees 20,000 staff members and conducts $3.4 billion in annual research and development. Battelle innovations have included the development of the office copier machine (Xerox); pioneering work on compact disc technology; fiber optics for telecommunications; new medical products to fight diabetes, cancer and heart...
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Founded in 1870, The Ohio State University is a world-class public research university and the leading comprehensive teaching and research institution in the state of Ohio. The university is ranked ninth by the National Science Foundation among public research universities based on total research expenditures and has been named among the Top 25 public research universities every year U.S. News & World Report has done the ranking. With more than 51,800 students enrolled at its main Columbus campus, 18 colleges and 170 majors, the university offers its students tremendous breadth and depth of opportunity in the liberal arts, the sciences, and the professions.

The university houses colleges with national and international reputations in the STEM fields. The engagement of those colleges — Engineering, Biological Sciences, Mathematical and Physical Sciences, and Education — will play an important role in the success of the Battelle Center for Mathematics and Science Education Policy.

The John Glenn School of Public Affairs at The Ohio State University (www.glenninstitute.org) is a non-partisan interdisciplinary unit that prepares graduate students for careers in public service, and seeks to strengthen democracy through increased civic engagement, policy research and outreach. The School began operations on July 1, 2006 as a merger of the long-standing School of Public Policy and Management and the John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy at OSU.

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Ohio State celebrates legacy of John Glenn on 50th anniversary of his Friendship 7 space flight

NASA astronaut Mark Kelly will speak at scholarship gala

The Ohio State University will lead the celebration of John Glenn's legacy on the 50th anniversary of his historic flight aboard Friendship 7 on February 20 by engaging students, NASA officials and the public policy community. When Glenn piloted Friendship 7 into space in 1962 and became the first American to orbit the earth, he became an instant hero as the flight captured the nation and the world's imagination. Through this tribute, the university will celebrate the historic moment in time and honor one of America's great heroes — John Glenn — and the culture of leadership, citizenship and public service that he has instilled at Ohio State and the John Glenn School of Public Affairs (http://glennschool.osu.edu).

The major university event will be a celebration dinner featuring a keynote speech by NASA astronaut Mark Kelly, commander of the space shuttle Endeavor's final mission. Proceeds from the dinner will primarily benefit the John Glenn School of Public Affairs (http://glennschool.osu.edu/) and the College of Engineering (http://engineering.osu.edu/), and the university is hoping to raise more than $2 million toward student scholarships in those areas.

From that first flight, NASA put astronauts on the moon, built spacecraft that could take off and land, built a working laboratory into space and more. The flight spotlighted the partnership between public policy and scientific and technological research that thrust the United States into a position of technological superiority. It also launched new industries that continue to provide the nation and world with life-enhancing innovations.

After the flight, Glenn went on to serve 24 years as a U.S. Senator representing Ohio. As he neared the end of his Senate career, Glenn donated his papers, including memorabilia from the space flight, to the university, which are now available through the John Glenn Collection (http://library.osu.edu/find/collections/ohio-congressional-archives/john-h-glenn-archives/). Weeks before his historic return to space in 1998, he returned to Ohio State and announced the creation of the John Glenn Institute, which is now the John Glenn School of Public Affairs (http://glennschool.osu.edu).
Ohio State President E. Gordon Gee says, "John Glenn is, quite simply, an extraordinary American patriot. He is a man of boundless courage, limitless optimism and unswerving honor. I am deeply grateful for this opportunity to celebrate his tremendous achievements and his important leadership at Ohio State. He is one of this University's - and this nation's - greatest treasures."

The university's celebration will include many special events:

*A major exhibit on the Friendship 7 space flight takes place from Feb. 1 to April 30 at the Thompson (main) Library, 1858 Neil Ave. "Friendship 7 at 50: An Anniversary Celebration of John Glenn's Historic Space Flight" uses includes manuscripts, photographs and artifacts from the John Glenn Collection (http://library.osu.edu/find/collections/ohio-congressional-archives/john-h-glenn-archives/) to describe Glenn's selection and training as one of the original seven Mercury astronauts, his Friendship 7 space mission, and the public acclaim following his return to Earth.

The exhibit includes a gallery talk at 4 p.m. on Feb. 16. Contact: Jeff Thomas, (614) 688-8429 or Thomas.1082@osu.edu. See: www.go.osu.edu/oca (http://library.osu.edu/find/collections/ohio-congressional-archives/).

*A celebration dinner at 7 p.m. on Feb. 20 at the Archie Griffin Ballroom in the Ohio Union, 1739 N. High St. Proceeds from the dinner will benefit faculty, students and programs related to science and technology research and policy at the John Glenn School of Public Affairs (http://glennschool.osu.edu/) and the College of Engineering (http://engineering.osu.edu). The keynote speaker is NASA astronaut Mark Kelly, commander of the space shuttle Endeavor's final mission. Tickets can be purchased by contacting customerservice@ohiostatealumni.org (mailto:customerservice@ohiostatealumni.org) or online by going to https://eweb.ohiostatealumni.org/eWeb/DynamicPage.aspx?Site=aime&Webcode=OEES (https://eweb.ohiostatealumni.org/eWeb/DynamicPage.aspx?Site=aime&Webcode=OEES).

For questions, please contact The Ohio State University Alumni Association at (800) 762-5646.

*The NASA Future Forum (https://www.signup4.net/Public/ap.aspx?Eid=NASA18E), Feb. 20-21 at the U.S. Bank Conference Theater in the Ohio Union. NASA leadership, technologists, scientists, and engineers along with local business, science, technology, and education leaders will discuss the future role of NASA in further advancing innovation, technology, science, engineering, education and the economy that benefits the community and nation.

The program will feature panel discussions on Innovation, Discovery, National Benefits, and Education, and will feature key speakers including Senator Glenn, Ohio State President E. Gordon Gee and NASA Administrator Charles Bolden.

Seating is limited and registration is required to ensure a seat at http://events.signup4.com/futureforum_osu (http://events.signup4.com/futureforum_osu) or http://www.nasa.gov/oct (http://www.nasa.gov/oct).

* The Future of Space Exploration: A Faculty Panel – 7:30 p.m. on Feb. 15, 130 Page Hall, 1810 College Rd. Space travel is very different today than it was 50 years ago when John Glenn first orbited the Earth. Distinguished Ohio State faculty will discuss the state of space travel today and what's next for NASA and the future of space exploration.

Throughout the preceding week, the campus will mark the anniversary with military-style fitness challenges, an academic lecture, a space trivia contest, a service project with Muskingham College, rides on campus busses as they "orbit" campus and free "Orbit" gum.

The entire schedule of events planned to honor Glenn and celebrate the flight is available at www.osu.edu/johnglenn (http://www.osu.edu/johnglenn).
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Jocelyn Smallwood will dot the "i" in Script Ohio

After four years of playing sousaphone in the Ohio State University Marching Band, Jocelyn Smallwood will dot the "i" in Script Ohio. Jocelyn participated in the John Glenn Learning Community as a freshman, and has been an active member of the Civic Leadership Council ever since.

As the top ranking sousaphone in her class, Smallwood had first pick of when she would dot the "I," and she chose the Michigan game. To add to this achievement, her dotting the "i" will be one for the record books, as it marks a number of historic firsts for the band. Jocelyn is the first female to dot the 'i' at a Michigan game and is the first African American female to dot an "i".
For John Glenn, the opportunity to represent his fellow citizens in the United States Senate marked the summit of his dedication to a lifetime of public service: distinguished military duty, historical achievements in the U.S. space program, successful corporate management, and leadership in national politics.

Glenn's 1998 retirement from the Senate will not end this remarkable and honorable career, but will mark the beginning of a new effort to further enhance the lives of all Americans through his commitment—in partnership with The Ohio State University—to public service with the creation of The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy.

“True patriotism is not manifested in short, frenzied bursts of emotion. It is the tranquil, steady dedication of a lifetime.”
—Adlai Stevenson


First American to orbit the Earth
Won Ohio Senate seat
Author the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Act of 1978
Candidate for President
Spearheaded legislation to help root out waste, fraud, and abuse in government
First popularly elected Senator from Ohio to win four consecutive terms
Authored the Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act of 1993

Space Shuttle Discovery 315-9
Announces The John Glenn Institute
The Ohio State University is proud to become the home of The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy—an institute like no other, committed to making a difference in public service and policy at all levels of government and for all our nation’s citizens.

The John Glenn Institute will collaborate with Ohio State’s extensive existing public service and public policy resources to:

- **Introduce students to public service**—its challenges and opportunities, and stimulate their participation in public leadership
- **Foster research on public policy** to generate solutions to society’s most pressing problems, and communicate those results directly to decision-makers and to the public
- **Sponsor forums to improve public awareness** and foster discussion and debate on critical issues of national and international significance
- **Offer training seminars** to elected and appointed public officials to enhance their governing skills
- **Make available to all citizens The Glenn Archive**—Senator Glenn’s papers, speeches, and historic memorabilia

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Key program areas and offerings of The John Glenn Institute

**Public Service Activities**—The Institute will sponsor classes, internships, community service activities, and research projects to stimulate student participation in public service, to foster America’s next generation of leaders.

**Public Policy Analysis**—Ohio State faculty will conduct scholarly research in conjunction with public officials on significant issues facing society. The results will then be shared with decision-makers and legislators as they address these issues.

**Executive and Continuing Education**—Public officials at all levels and terms will be offered opportunities to attend seminars on such topics as budgeting and finance, ethics, personnel management, policy evaluation, and regulatory issues. Programs will be designed to help officials learn more about the political process and expand their organizational skills and policy-making abilities.

**Linkages and Outreach**—The Institute will seek to educate the broader public by sponsoring national conferences, seminars, publications, and forums on important public issues.

**The Glenn Archive**—Ohio State students, faculty, and staff, as well as the public citizenry, will have access to Senator Glenn’s extensive collection of papers, policy decisions, and memorabilia, enabling scholars at all levels to study his work.
How to Get Involved

There are many ways that you can partner with Ohio State to support The John Glenn Institute, including direct annual gifts and endowed funds that generate annual income. Your contribution will support activities and programs such as:

- Student Public Service Scholarships and Fellowships
- Student Public Service Field Placement and Internship Program
- Distinguished Visitor Program
- Visiting Distinguished Professorships
- Faculty Chairs and Professorships
- Public Policy Initiatives
- Public Service Leadership Workshops
- National Conference/Symposium

Your support of The John Glenn Institute for Public Service and Public Policy is part of Ohio State's five-year “Affirm Thy Friendship” fund-raising campaign.

"The Ohio State University's mission to teach, to conduct research, and to serve the public mandates that we endeavor in all ways to benefit the people of Ohio and the nation. We know of no initiative that is more in harmony with our mission than the creation of The John Glenn Institute."

—William E. Kirwan
President, The Ohio State University
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