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Human Aging Subject of STU Lecture

Dr. Gary M. Kenyon, specialist in the field of aging, will deliver a lecture titled "Human Aging: Inner and Outer Dimensions", at 7:30 P.M., Thursday, November 27, in St. Thomas University's Edmund Casey Hall, Room 103.

A leading researcher in gerontology, Dr. Kenyon delivered papers on various aspects of the subject at the 1984 Annual Meeting of the Canadian Association University of British the International Symposium on "Ethics and Aging" (1984), and at the 1985 Annual Meeting of the International Association on Gerontology, New York. He has taught both graduate and undergraduate in Theories courses of Aging, Social Gerontology, and the Older Consumer at the Leonard Davis School of Gerontology, University of Southern California; and served as visiting lecturer both at Simon University's Gerontology Center and at the Andrus Gerontology Center, Los Angeles. He has been named 1987 Visiting Scholar Centre Pluridisciplinaire de Gerontologie, Grenoble, France; at the Norwegian Institute of Gerontology, Oslo,

Norway; and at the University of Bremen, Bremen, West Germany. He is currently a Post Doctoral Fellow at the University of Linkoping, Linkoping, Sweden, where he is conducting a comparative study of research and policy on aging in Sweden, Canada, and the United States.

Co-editor with J. Birren of THEORIES OF AGING: A SELECTED BIBLOGRAPHY, Dr. Kenyon's articles on gerontology have been published in various scholarly journals and newsletters. Most recently he has contributed chapters to THEORIES OF AGING: PSYCHOLOGICAL AND SOCIAL PERSPECTIVES ON TIME, SELF AND SOCIETY, edited by J. Birren and V. Bengtson.

A resident of Montreal, Dr. Kenyon was educated at Loyola University (B.Comm.), Concordia University (B.A., M.A.), and the University of British Columbia (Ph.D. Gerontology). He has also studied at the Andrus Gerontology Center, University of Southern California. In recognition of his scholarship he has held the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Doctoral Fellowship, the University of Southern California's Andrew Norman Institute Post-doctoral Fellowship, and the Canadian-Scandinavian Foundation's Swedish Institute Post-doctoral Fellowship.

Members of the public are invited to attend Dr. Kenyon's lecture at St. Thomas University. There is no admission fee.

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