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Minority Studies Conference at the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse

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MORRIS (4/21/76) -- Four University of Minnesota, Morris staff and faculty members will participate in the fourth annual Conference on Minority Studies April 28 - May 1 at the University of Wisconsin-LaCrosse.

William Stewart, Director of the Minority Student Program at UMM, will chair a session on "Minority Alienation on Predominantly White College Campuses." His wife, Ida B. Stewart, also of the Minority Student Program, will deliver a paper at the same session entitled "The Effects of Urban Experience upon Symbiotic Relationships on a White Rural College Campus."

Dr. Marvin Lewis, assistant professor of Spanish at UMM, will deliver a paper on "The Urban Experience in Chicano Fiction." His presentation will be part of a session on "Chicano Literature and Culture."

Dr. Bert Ahern, associate professor of history at UMM, will chair a session on the last day of the conference on "Black Towns."

The conference is hosted by UW-LaCrosse, and is co-sponsored by its Institute for Minority Studies, North Carolina Central University, North Carolina A & T and the National Association of Interdisciplinary Studies for Native American, Black, Chicano, Puerto Rican and Asian Americans.

Theme of this year's meeting is "Multi-Racial Cities: the Perspective of 200 Years of Racism and Liberation."

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