

During their annual meeting, the Board of Trustees authorized the operation of a one-year urban studies project in Washington, D. C., to begin in January, 1977. The project is a data-gathering endeavor and is part of the comprehensive long-range planning effort currently underway at Southeastern.

URBAN
STUDIES
PROJECT

This new project should provide us much-needed data on how better to train seminarians for ministry in urban settings. It will allow us to take advantage of the unique learning resources in the nation's capital.

The Trustees' decision constitutes an enabling action. Details of the academic program involved in the project will be announced following appropriate action by the seminary faculty.

Coordination of the data-gathering project will be done by an urban studies subcommittee of the seminary, chaired by Hugh Chambliss, trustee from Alabama.

A special committee which has been studying the concept of a national campaign to raise endowment funds for the six SBC seminaries met March 24 in Nashville. A committee of five persons, chaired by Dr. W. Randall Lolley, was appointed by

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ENDOWMENT

Dr. Charles Harvey, chairman of the SBC Executive Committee, to enlist professional consultants to study the feasibility of the campaign. This committee will report to the Executive Committee in September.

The annual student conference on missions and ministry was held on the campus, March 26-28. Students from colleges and universities in four states attended. The theme of the conference this year was "Creation and Creativity." One feature of the

STUDENT CONFERENCE
ON MISSIONS
AND MINISTRY

weekend was an evening of one-act plays presented by The Southeastern Seminary Players in the Cellar Theater on campus. This annual conference is completely student planned and student conducted. Richard Tumbleston has served as chairman for 1976.

May 12 - Spring semester ends

LOOKING
AHEAD

May 14 - President's Reception for graduates and families
Commencement Sermon, 8:00 p.m.

May 15 - Senior Breakfast
Commencement Exercises, 10:30 a.m.

June 7 - July 2 - First term of summer school

July 5 - July 30 - Second term of summer school

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