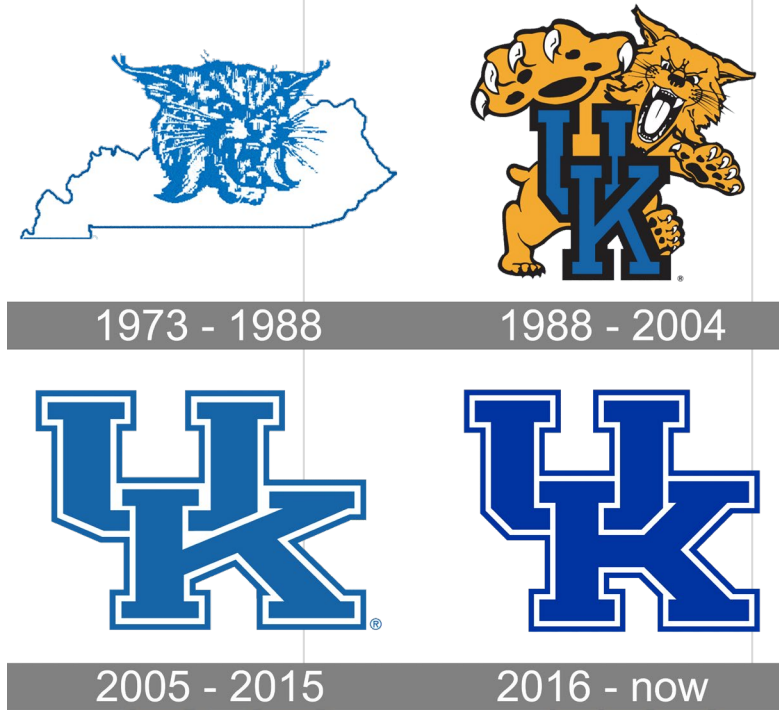


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Department of Earth & Environmental Sciences

FACULTY TIMELINE

1892-1925

Compiled by Adrienne Gilley (2013-2022) and Meaghan Bushling (2022-2025) Department Managers



1973 - 1988

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2005 - 2015

2016 - now

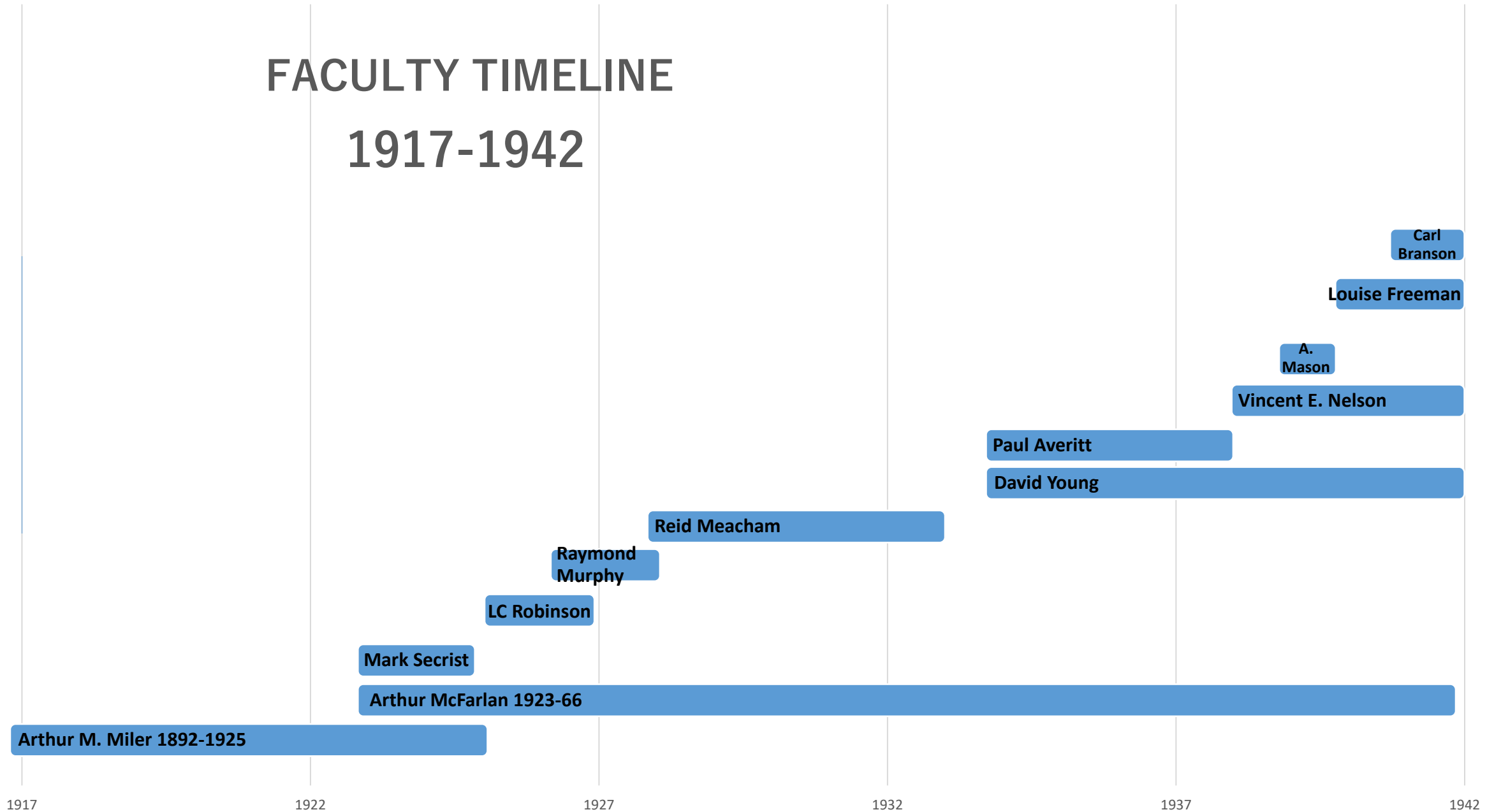
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Arthur M. Miler, 1892-1925

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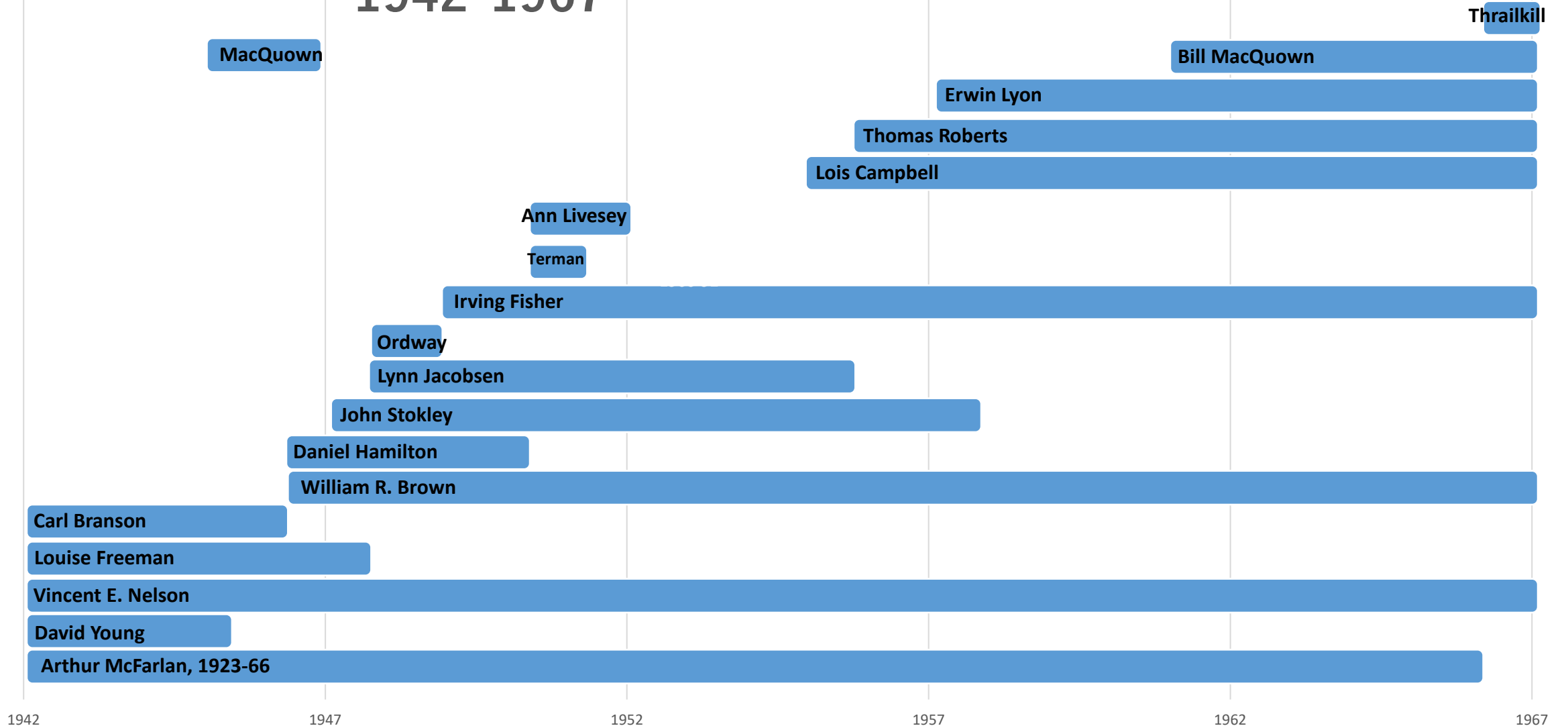
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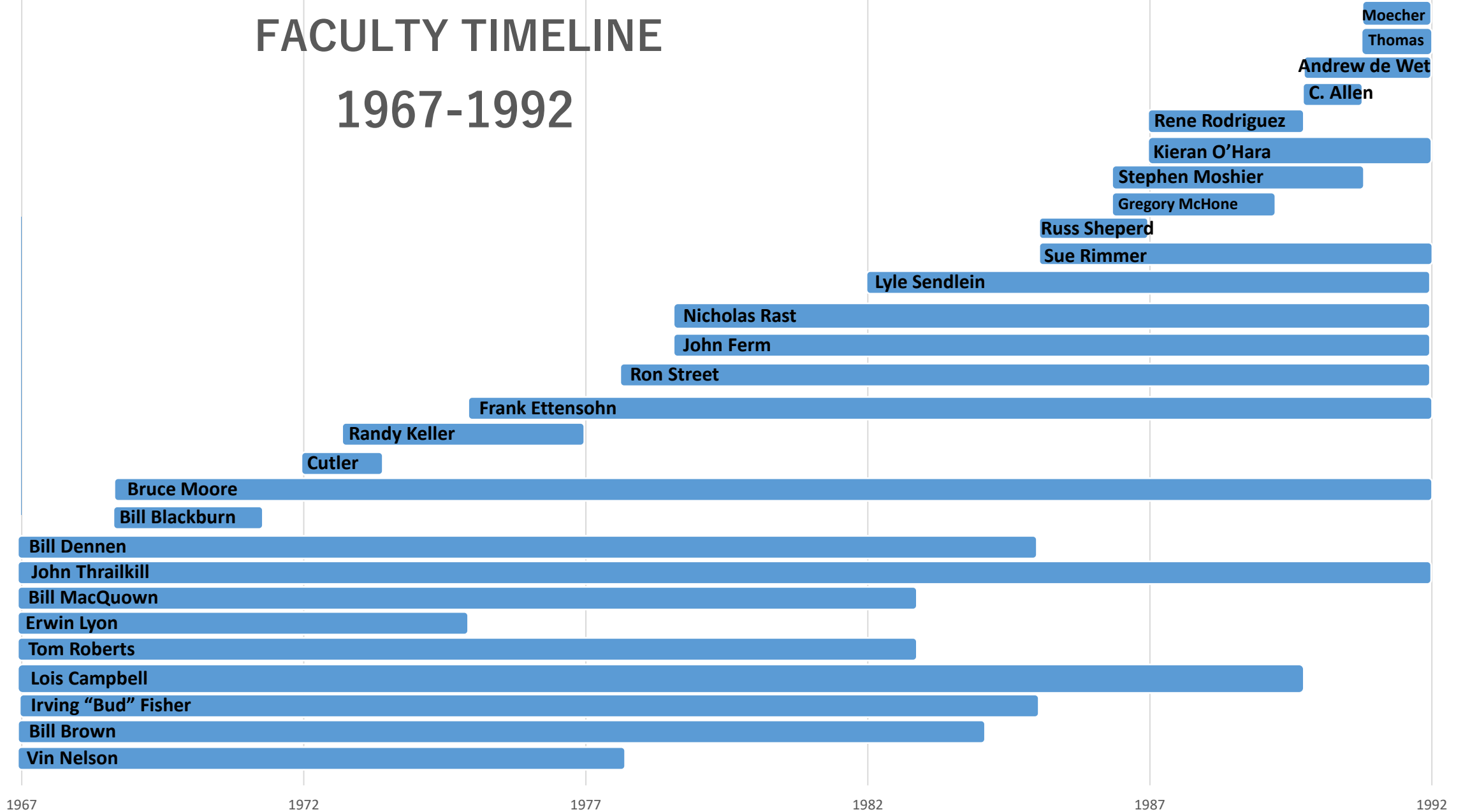
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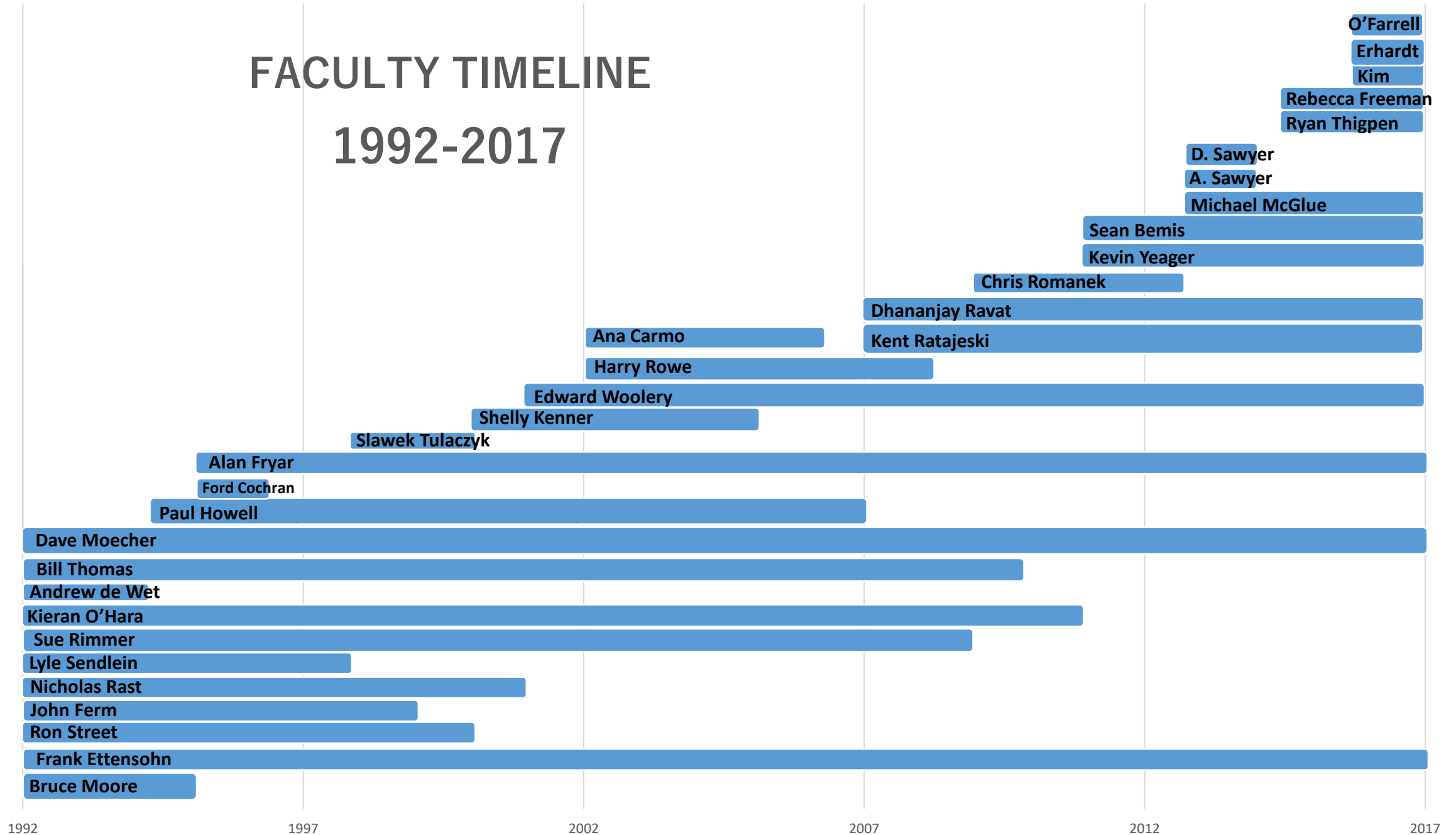
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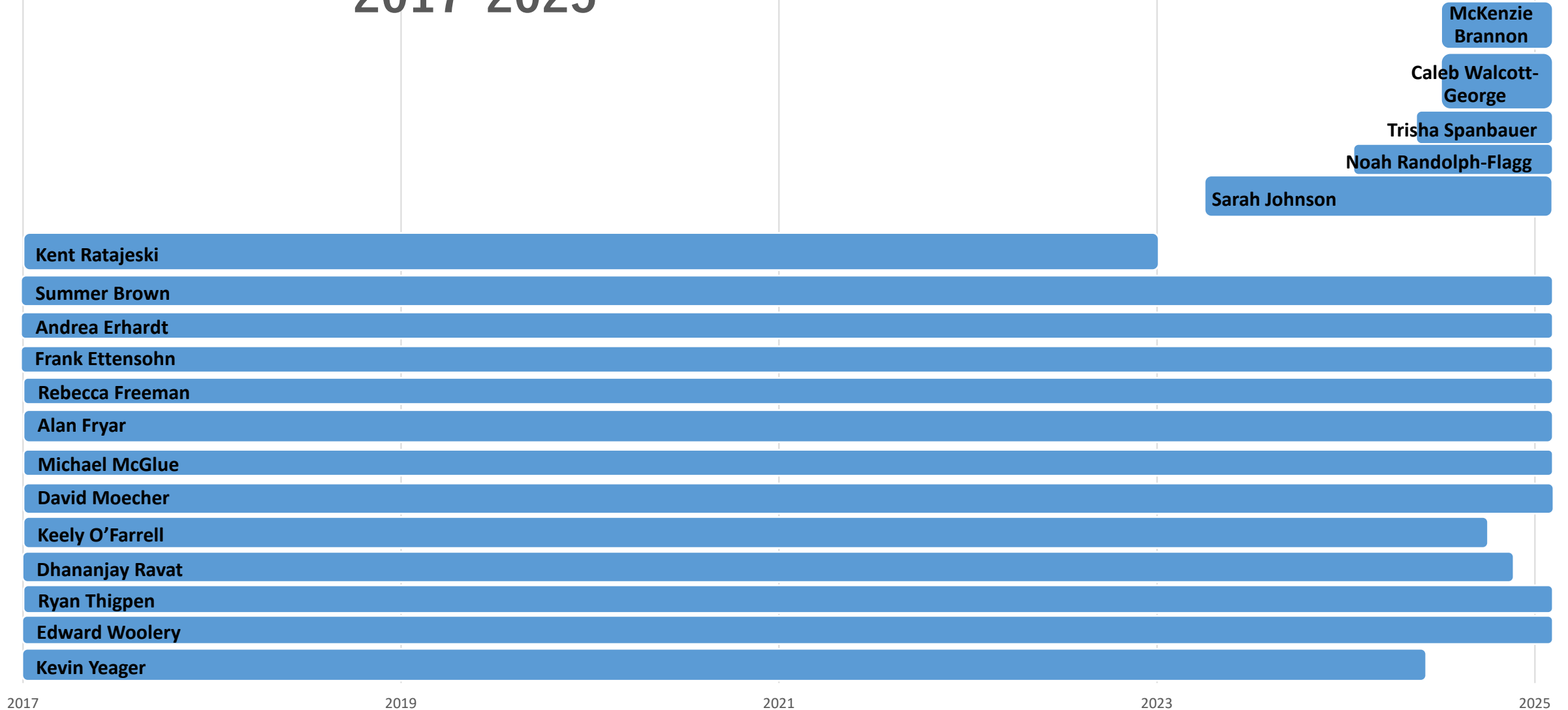
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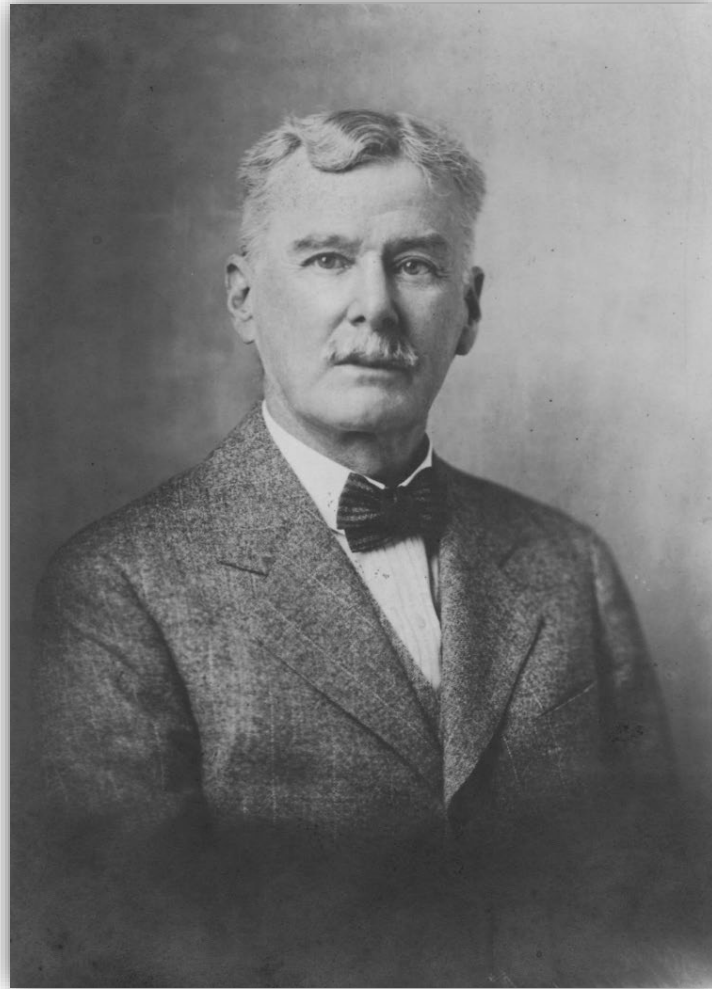


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2017-2025



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Arthur Miller, 1892-1924

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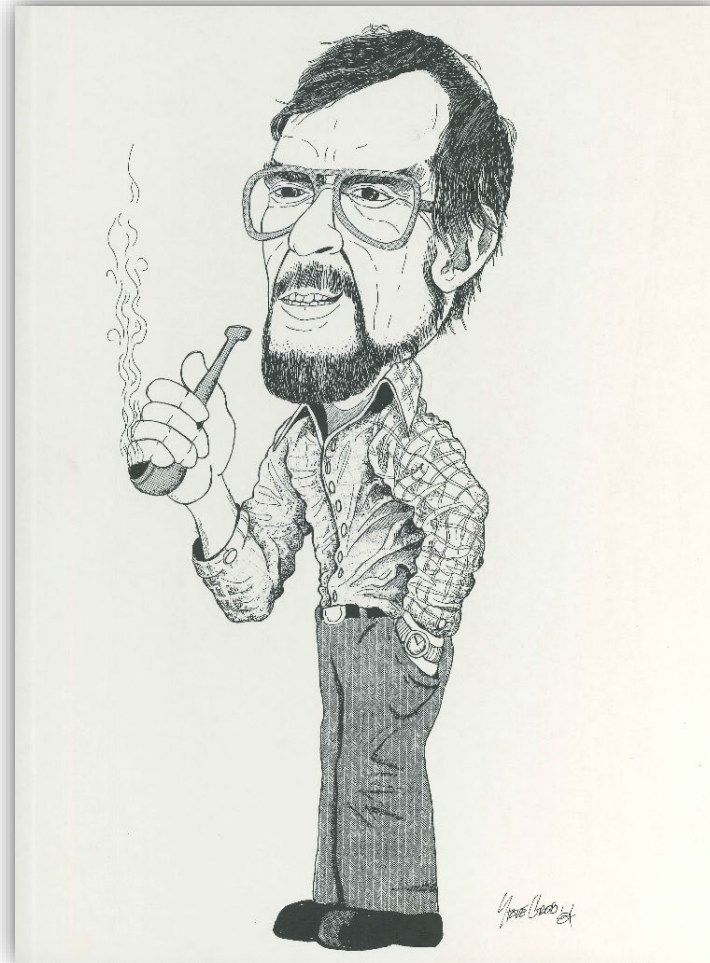
A. C. McFarlan, 1924-1966

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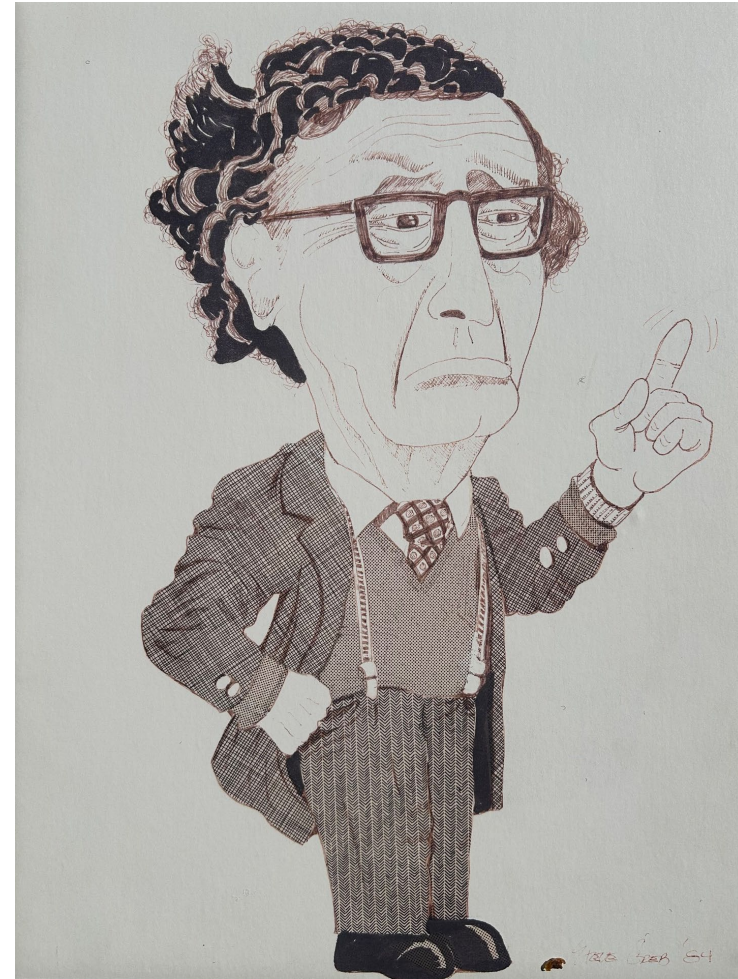
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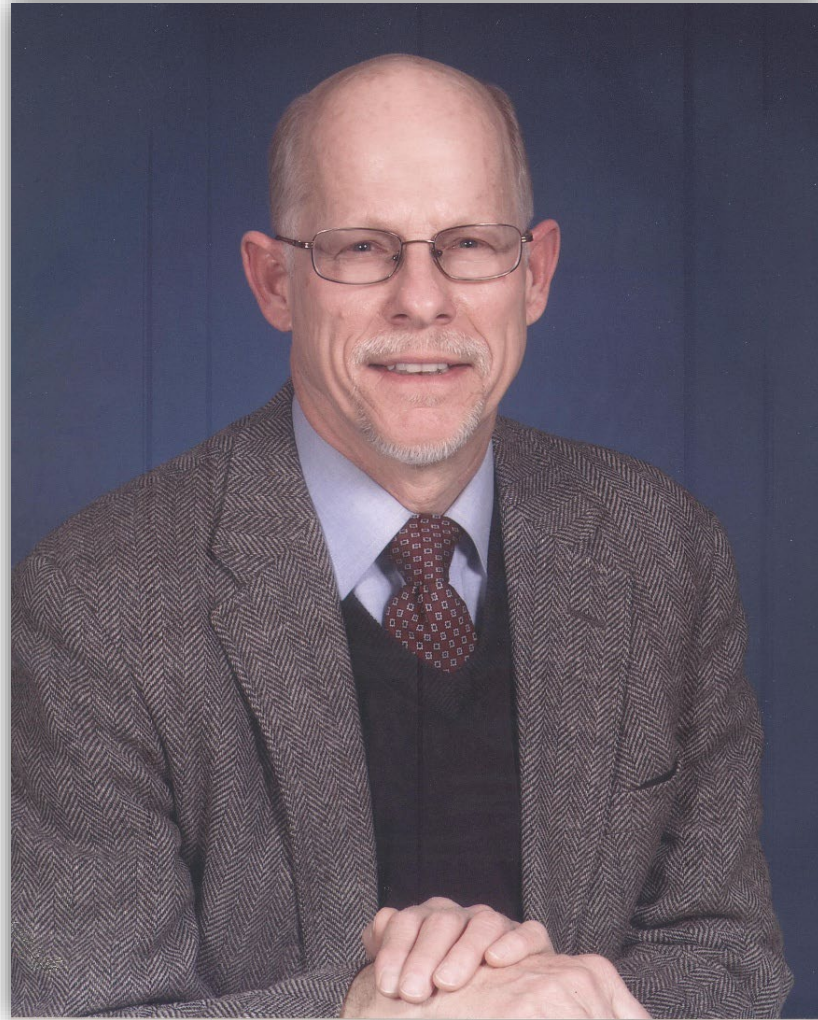
Lyle Sendlein, 1990

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William Thomas, 1991-1996, 2006-2008

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Frank Etnensohn, 1997-2005

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Dhananjay "Tiku" Ravat, 2009-2011

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David Moecher, 2012-2019

DEPARTMENT CHAIRS



Ed Woolery, 2019-present

DEPARTMENT HOMES OVER THE YEARS...



MILLER HALL 1898-1971

DEPARTMENT HOMES OVER THE YEARS...



BOWMAN HALL 1971- PRESENT

DEPARTMENT HOMES OVER THE YEARS...



SLONE RESEARCH BUILDING 1990- PRESENT



Survivors of the move from Miller Hall to Bowman Hall, 1972



Arthur McQuiston Miller

Professor and Chair,
Department of Geology
1892-1917

Dean of the College of Arts & Sciences
1908-1917

First UK Football Coach
1892



NATURAL SCIENCE BUILDING 1898



Sue Dobyngs McCann

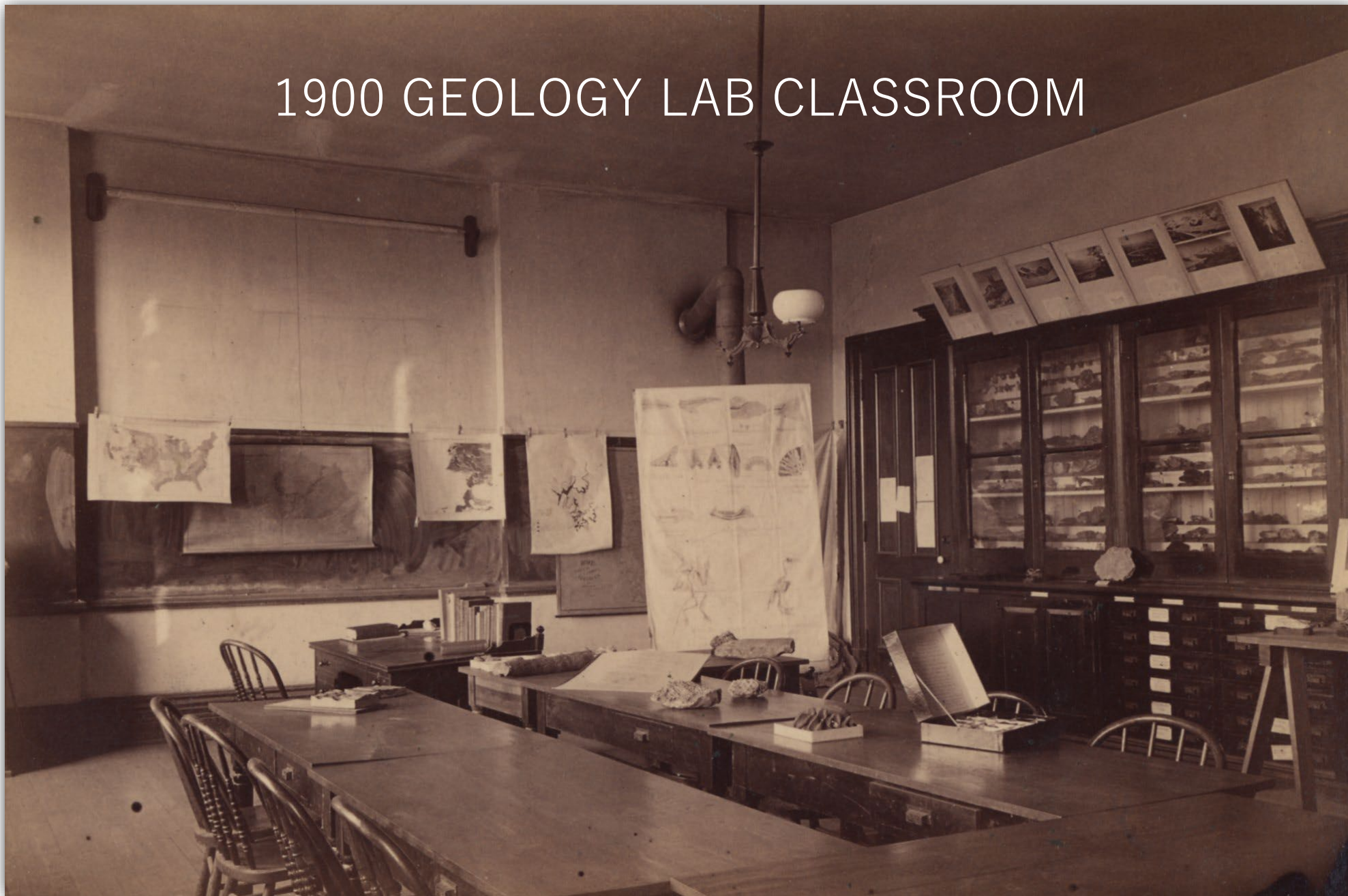
Fellow Assistant in Zoology, Geology
and Entomology

(1907-1912)

1898 GEOLOGY LECTURE ROOM



1900 GEOLOGY LAB CLASSROOM





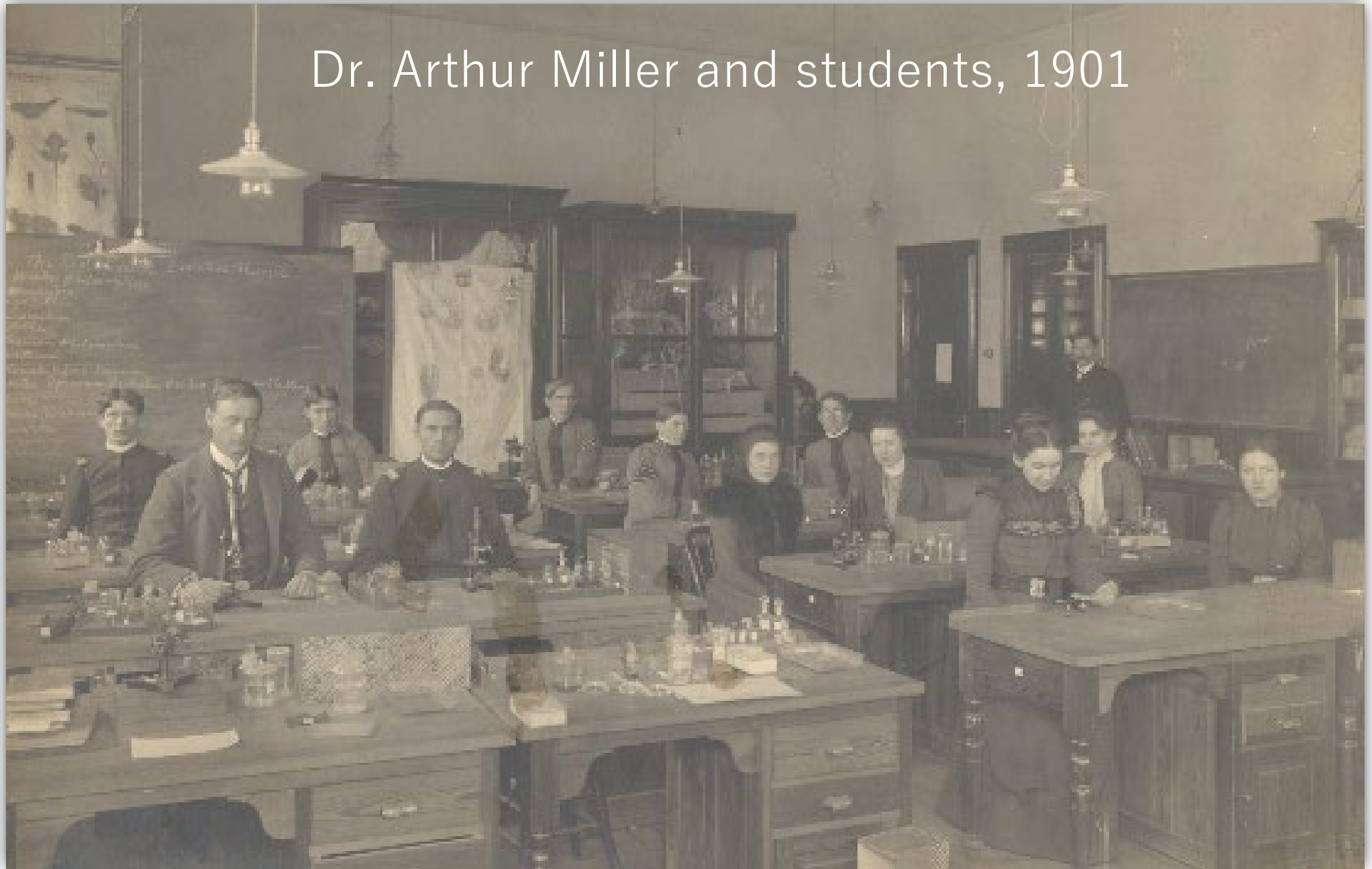
Arthur Miller's 1900 Geology Class outside the Natural Science Building (later Miller Hall)

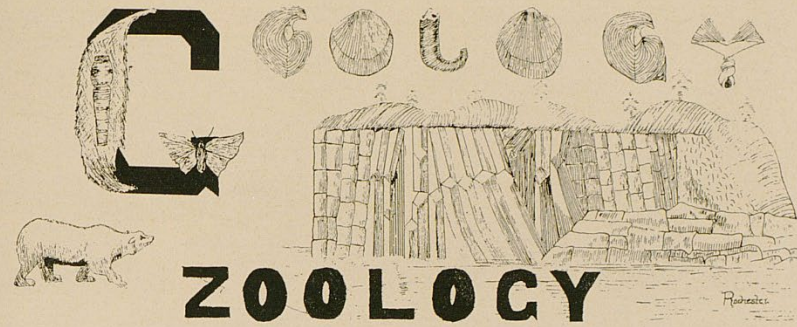


Field Outing



Dr. Arthur Miller and students, 1901





**DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY, ZOOLOGY AND
ENTOMOLOGY**

The Department of Geology, Zoology and Entomology, embracing the larger part of the scientific courses which the University offers, has for its apartment, since the erection of the Agricultural Building, almost the whole of Science Hall. On the first and second floors are lecture rooms, class-rooms and laboratories, while the third floor is occupied by the State Museum, which is of great value to the students of this department. It contains specimens of rare animals and insects and geological formations found in Kentucky.

Other sources of considerable help are the well-equipped laboratories and the lantern and slides with which the lectures are illustrated. Professor A. M. Miller, the Dean of the College of Arts and Science, is the head of this department. He is one of the state's most eminent scientists and is a specialist in the field of geology. He is intensely interested in his work and is still engaged in research work. His activities have been the means of adding much valuable information to the world of science. He is ably assisted by Miss Sue D. McCann, a graduate of State, who has already won fame as an entomologist.



The Kentuckian, 1909







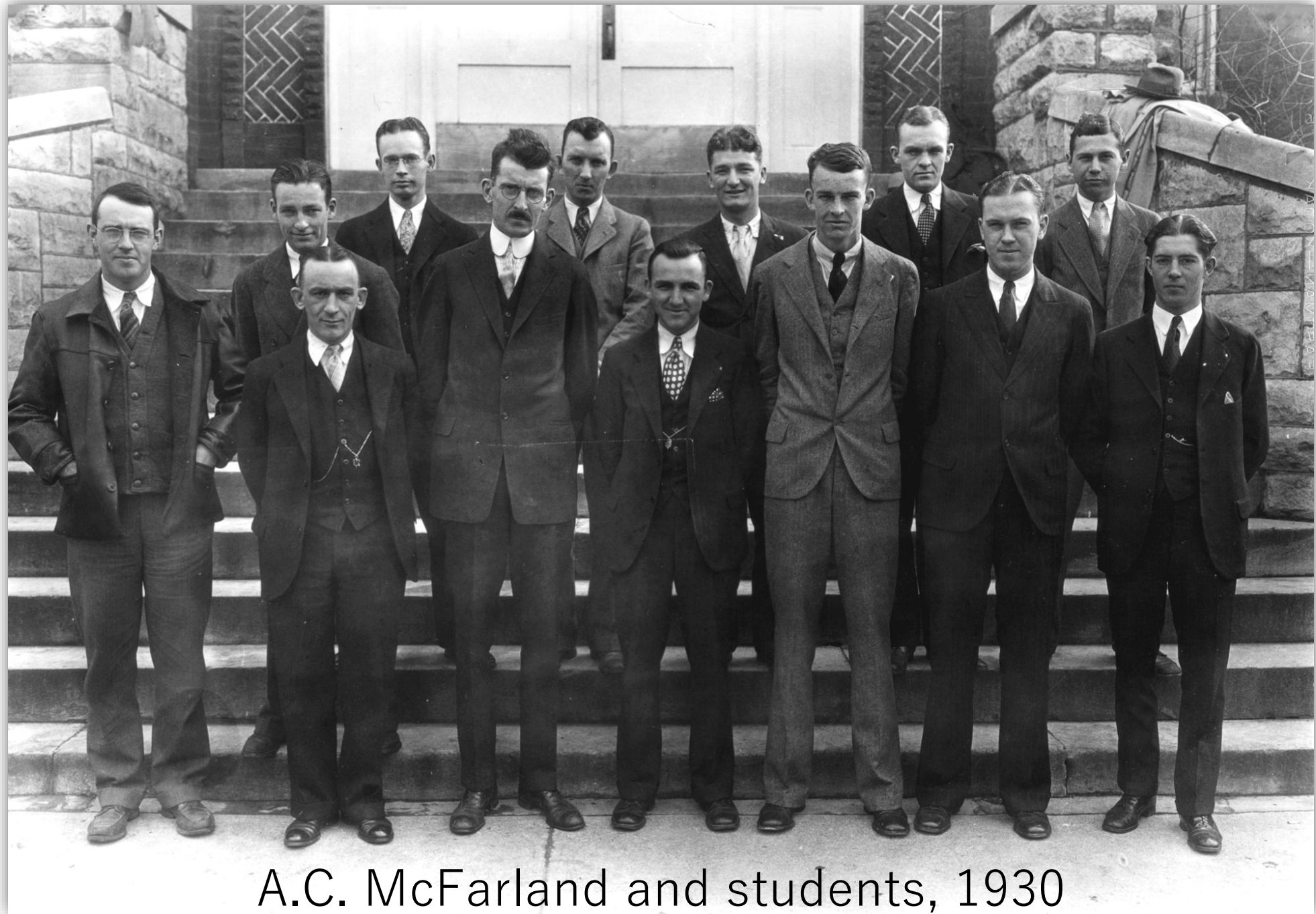
Dr. Arthur Miller, Hines Cave, KY exploring party camp, 1922



Arthur C. McFarlan

Professor and Chair
(1923-1966)

Retired after 43 consecutive
years of service



A.C. McFarland and students, 1930

Louise B. Freeman Clarkson

Frist female Geology graduate Student,
1932

PhD, University of Chicago, 1940

Part-time instructor
(1941-1948)

Founded Casa Grande Oil Company





Geology Faculty and Students Outside Miller Hall



Field vehicles have always been important to our mission!



Field trip to Black Hills, South Dakota, 1946

Pictured: Professor A.C. McFarlan,
A.C. McFarlan, Jr., Richard Naylor,
Professor Vincent E. Nelson and
Professor W.R. Brown



Field trip to Black Hills, South Dakota, 1946



William MacQuown

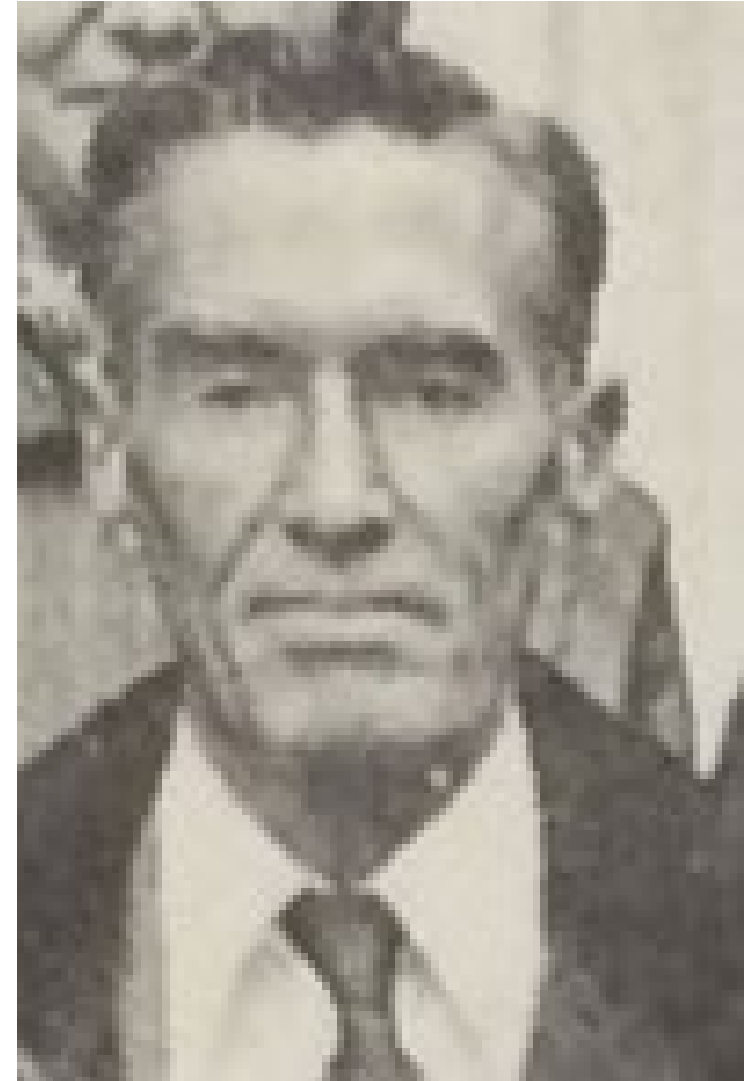
Professor
(1945-47, 1961-1983)

Retired after 22 consecutive
years of service

William R. (Bill)
Brown

Professor
(1946-1984)

Retired after 39 consecutive
years of service





Lynn Jacobsen

Assistant Professor
(1948-1955)

Irving S. Fisher

Professor
(1949-1985)

Retired after 36
consecutive years of
service





Lois J. Campbell

Associate Professor
(1954-1990)

Retired after 36
consecutive years of
service

Vivian Hall

Geology Librarian
(1963-1986)

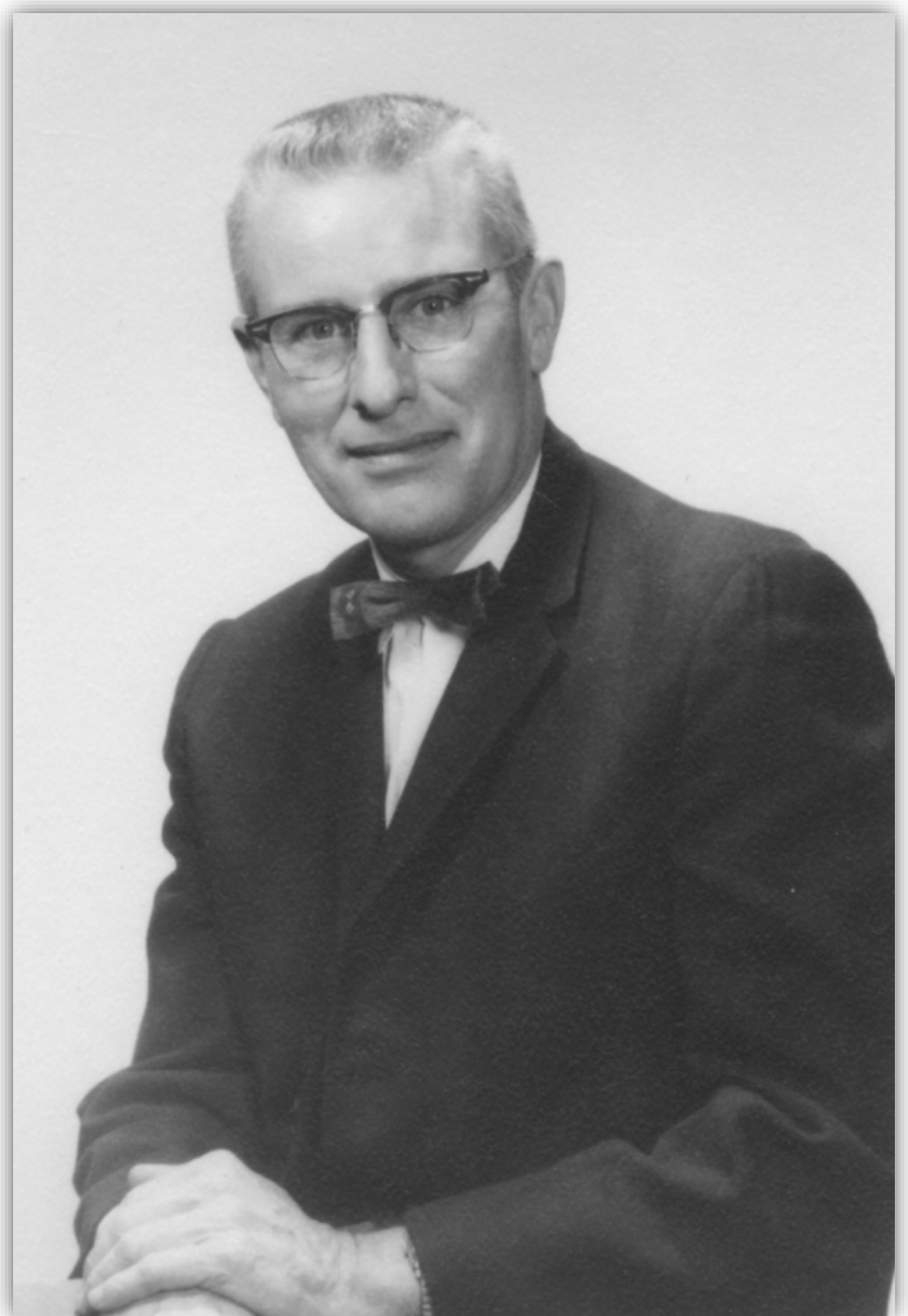
Retired after 23
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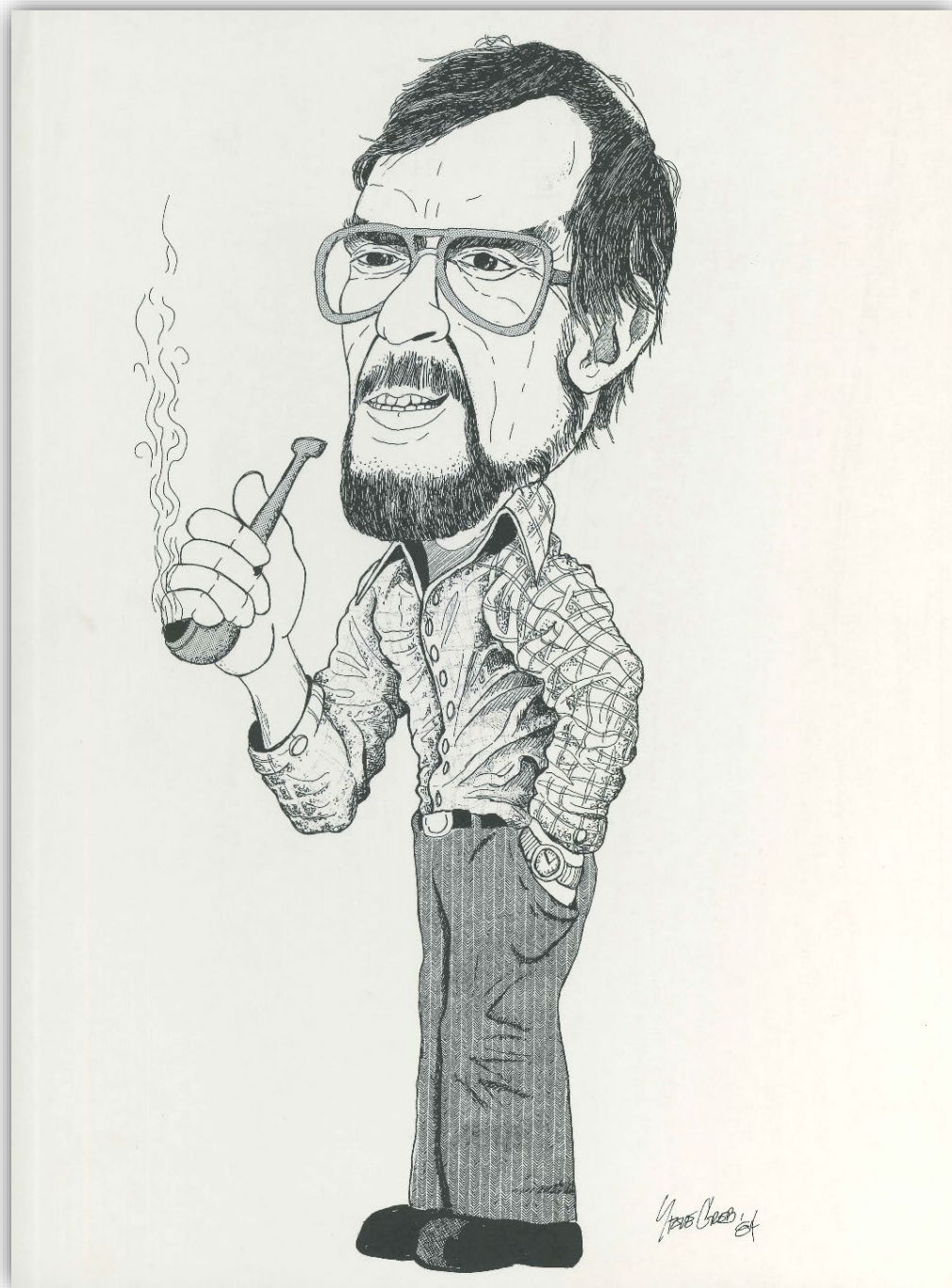


Thomas G. Roberts

Professor
(1955-1983)

Retired after 27
consecutive years of
service





John Thrailkill

Professor
(1966-1992)

Retired after 27
consecutive years of
service

Bruce Moore

Professor
(1969-1995)

Retired after 26
consecutive years of
service





Ron Street

Professor
(1978-2000)

Retired after 22
consecutive years of
service



John C. Ferm

Professor
(1980-1999)

Nicholas Rast

Professor
(1981-2001)

Retired after 21
consecutive years of
service





Sue Rimmer

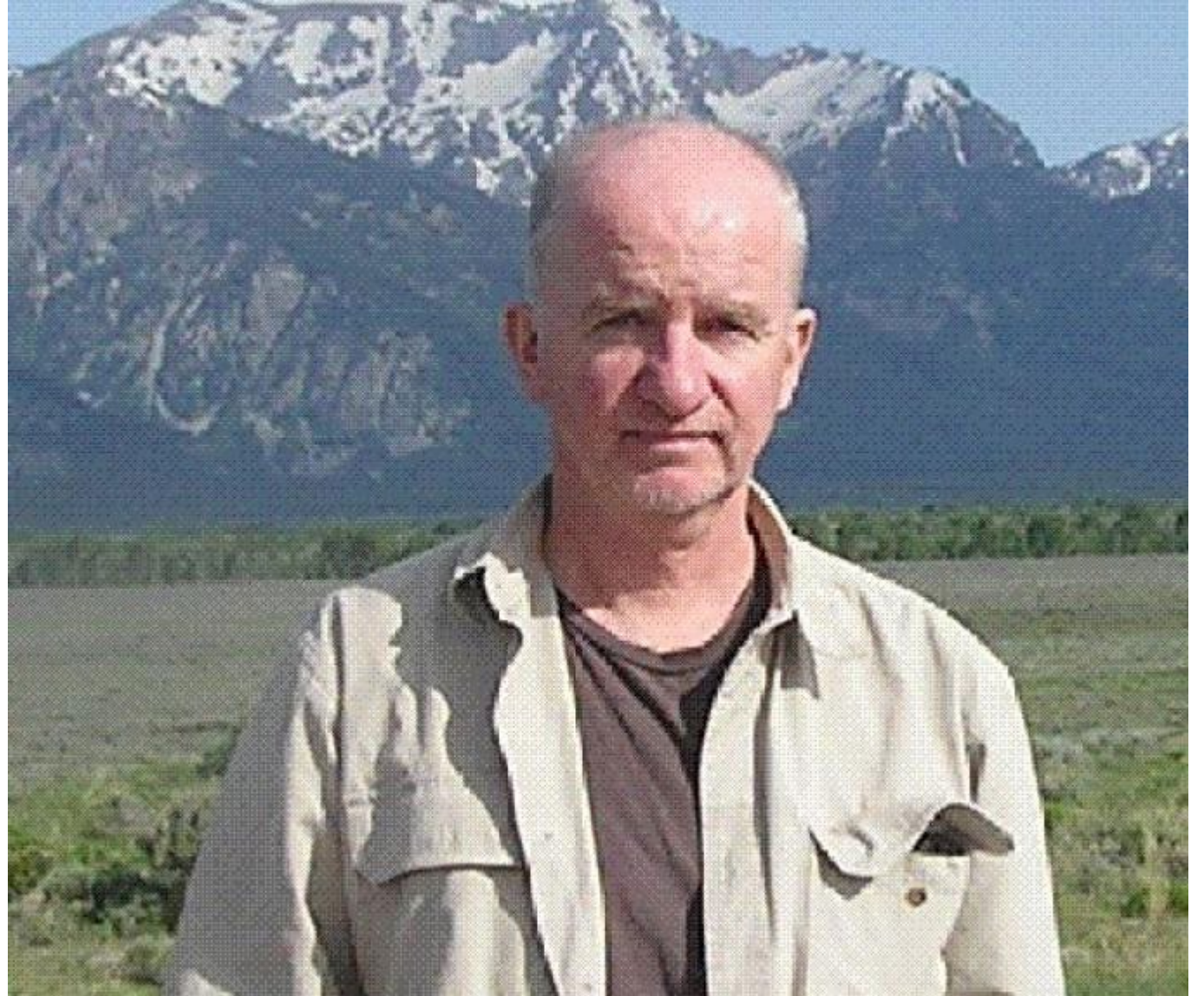
Professor
(1984-2009)

Retired after 27 years of
consecutive service

Kieran O'Hara

Professor
(1987-2011)

Retired after 24
consecutive years of
service





William (Bill) Thomas

Professor
(1991-2010)

Retired after 19
consecutive years of
service

Dhananjay “Tiku” Ravat

Professor
(2007-2025)

Retired after 18
consecutive years of
service



Adrienne Gilley

Department Manager
(2013-2022)

Now Assistant to the
Dean of the College of
Arts and Sciences



CURRENT EES FACULTY AND STAFF



McKenzie Brannon
Lecturer



Summer Brown
Lecturer, Director of
Undergraduate Studies



L. Sebastian Bryson
Professor

CURRENT EES FACULTY AND STAFF



Meaghan Bushling
Department Manager



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Post Doc



Andrea Erhardt
Associate Professor

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Frank Ettensohn
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Research Assistant
Professor



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Alumni Endowed
Professor

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David Moecher
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Noah Randolph-Flagg
Assistant Professor



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Stable Isotope Lab
Manager

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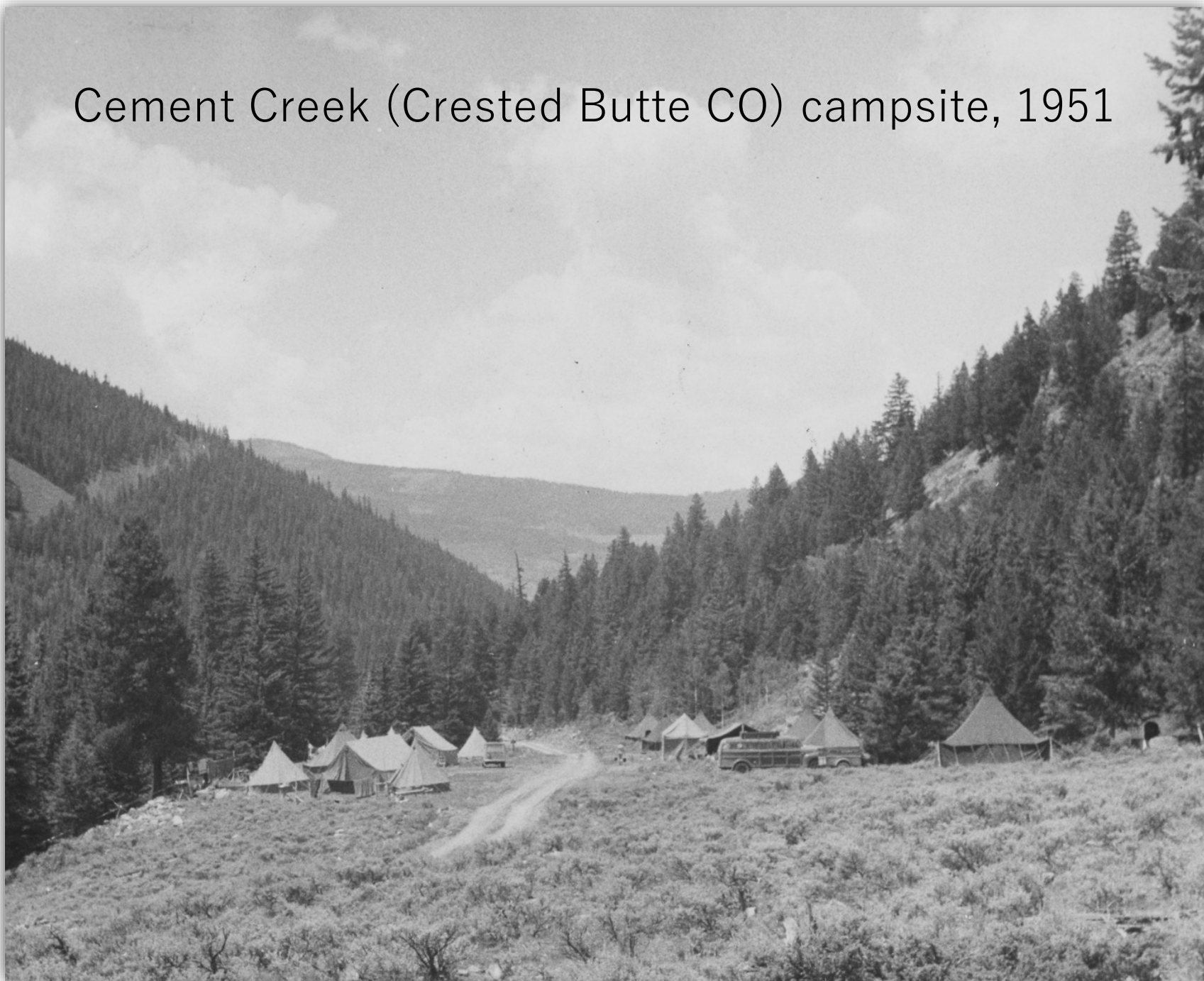
Edward Woolery
Professor, Chair

FIELD CAMP THROUGH THE AGES

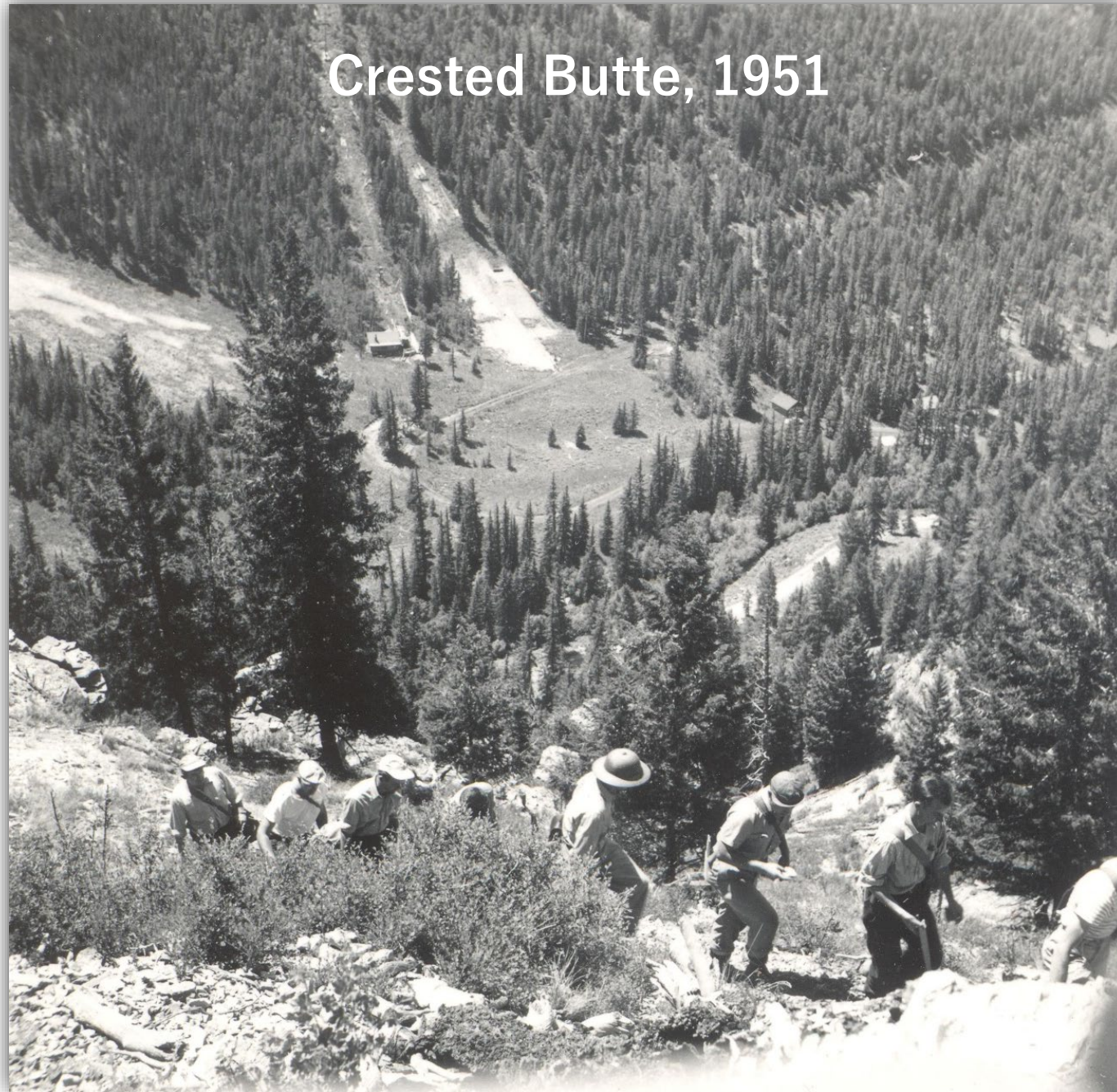


1930 Field Camp

Cement Creek (Crested Butte CO) campsite, 1951



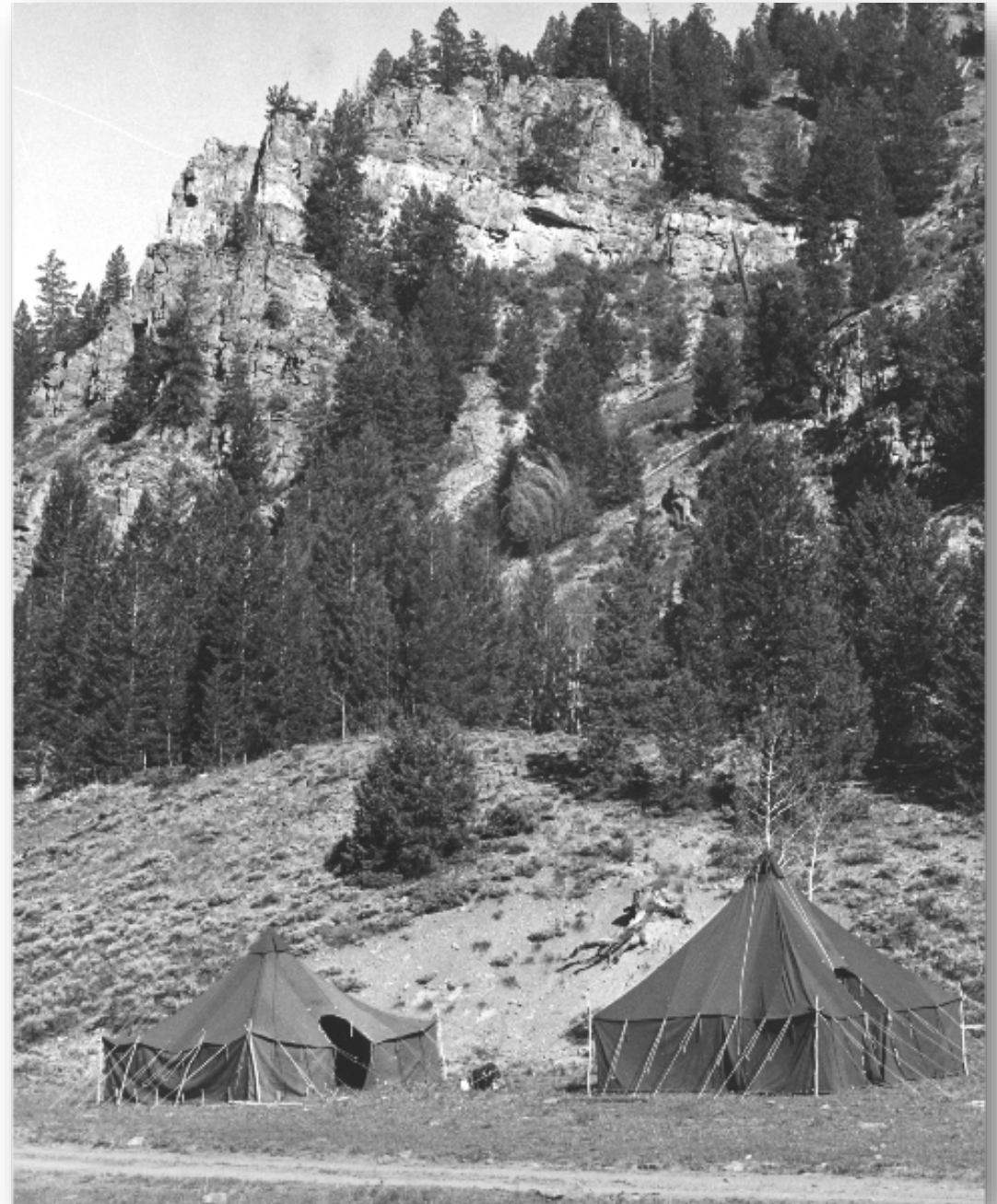
Crested Butte, 1951



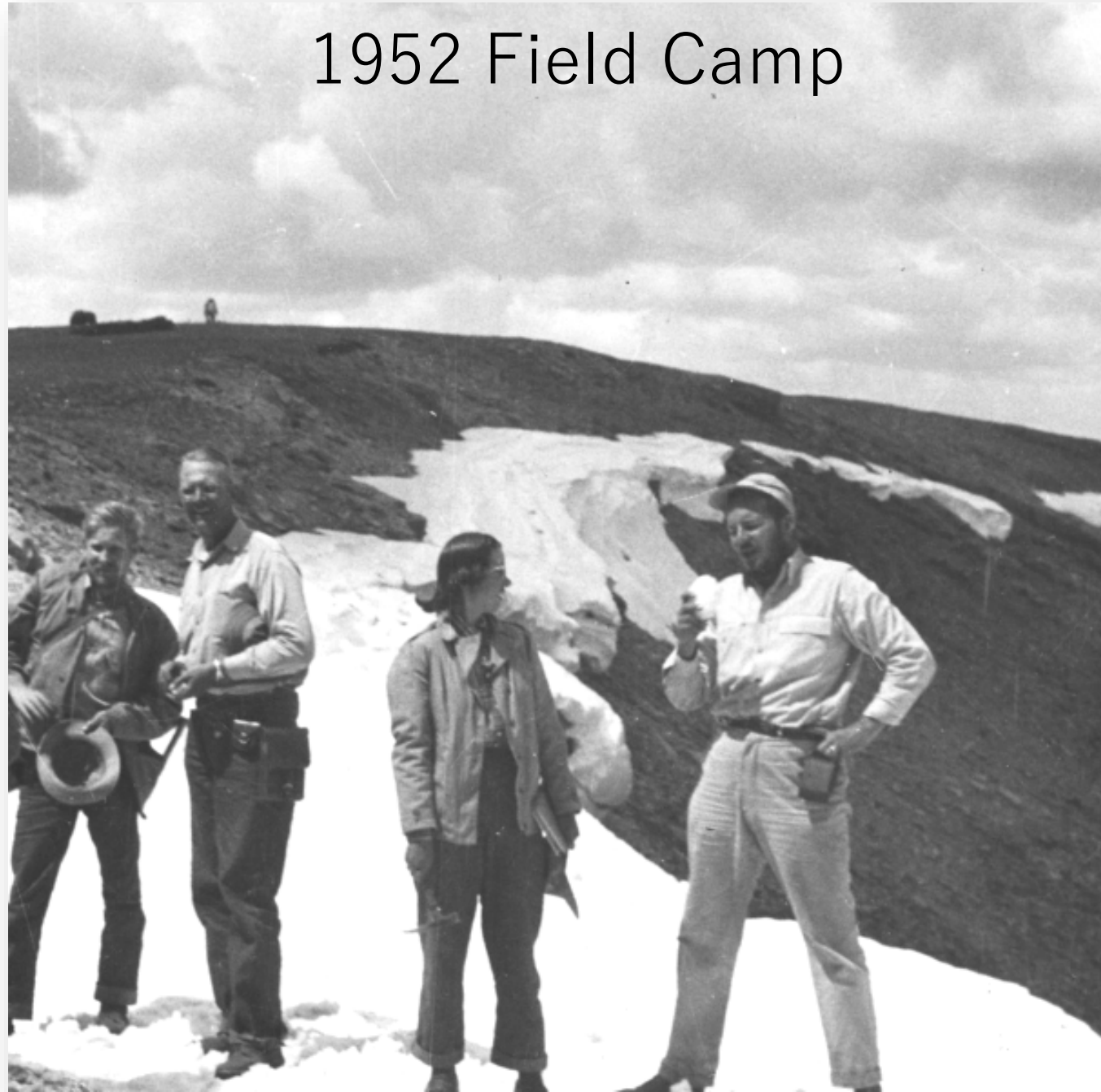


Wash Day, 1951

1952 Field Camp on
Cement Creek



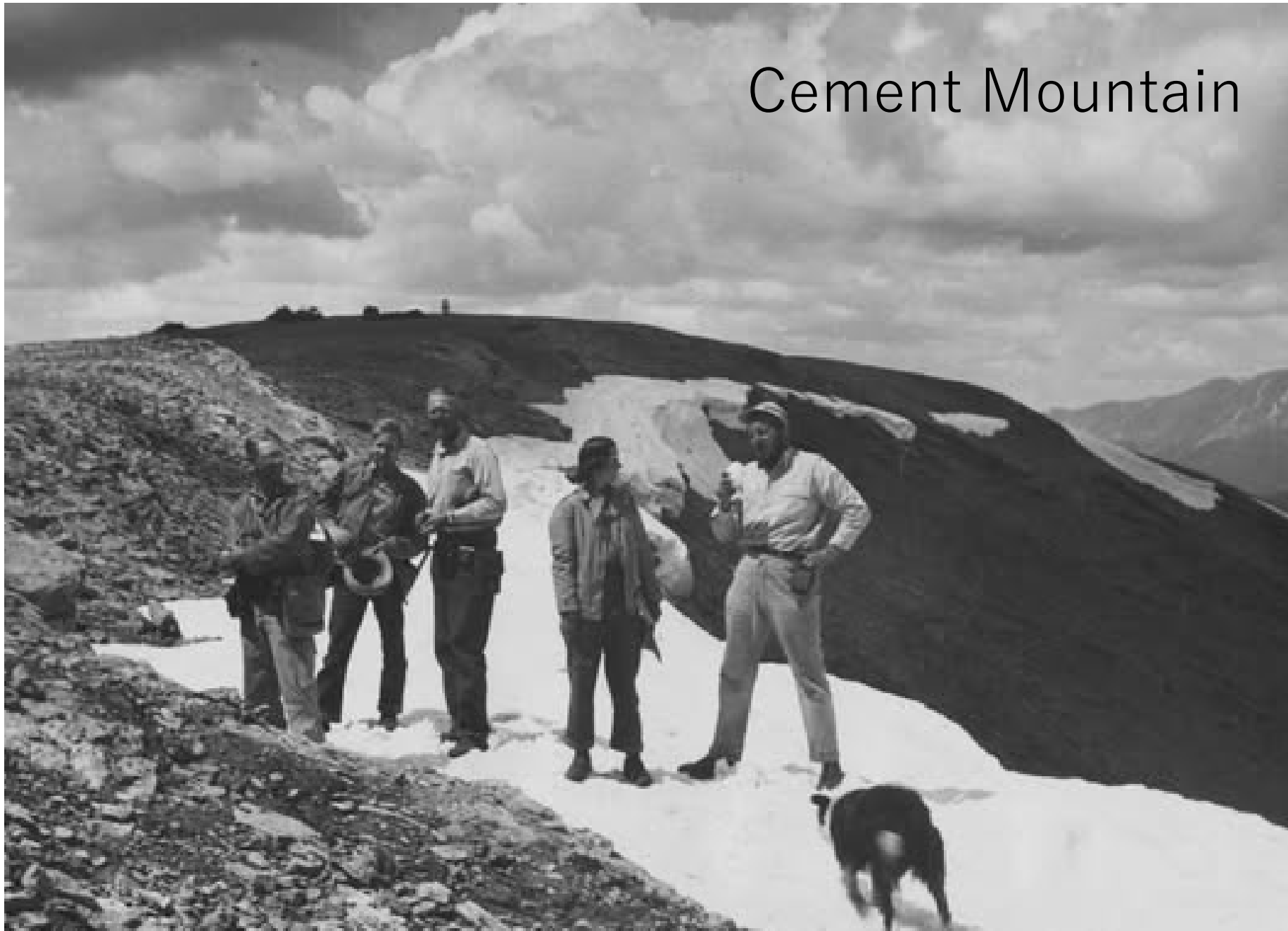
1952 Field Camp



Emerald Lake



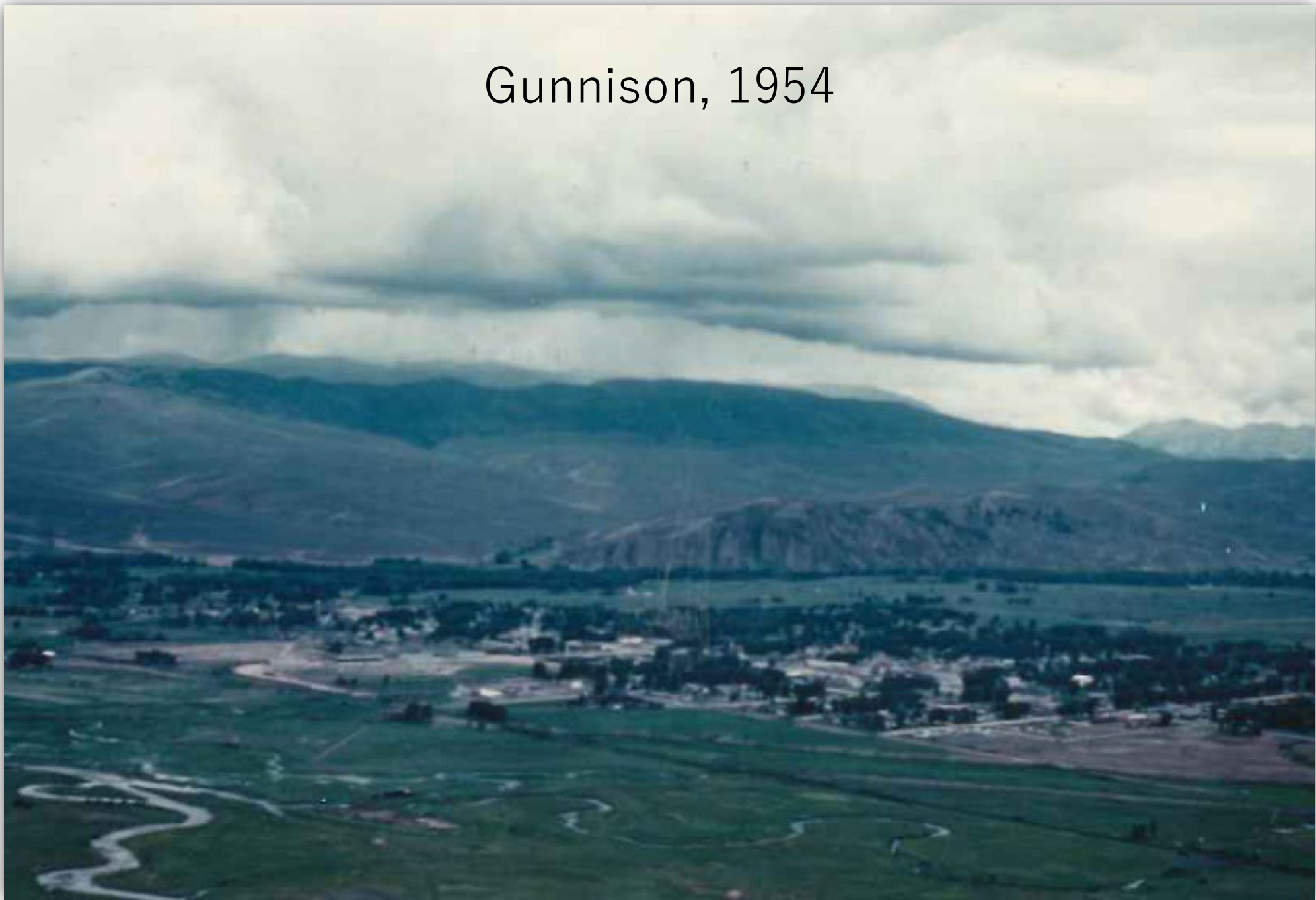
Cement Mountain





1954 Field Camp

Gunnison, 1954

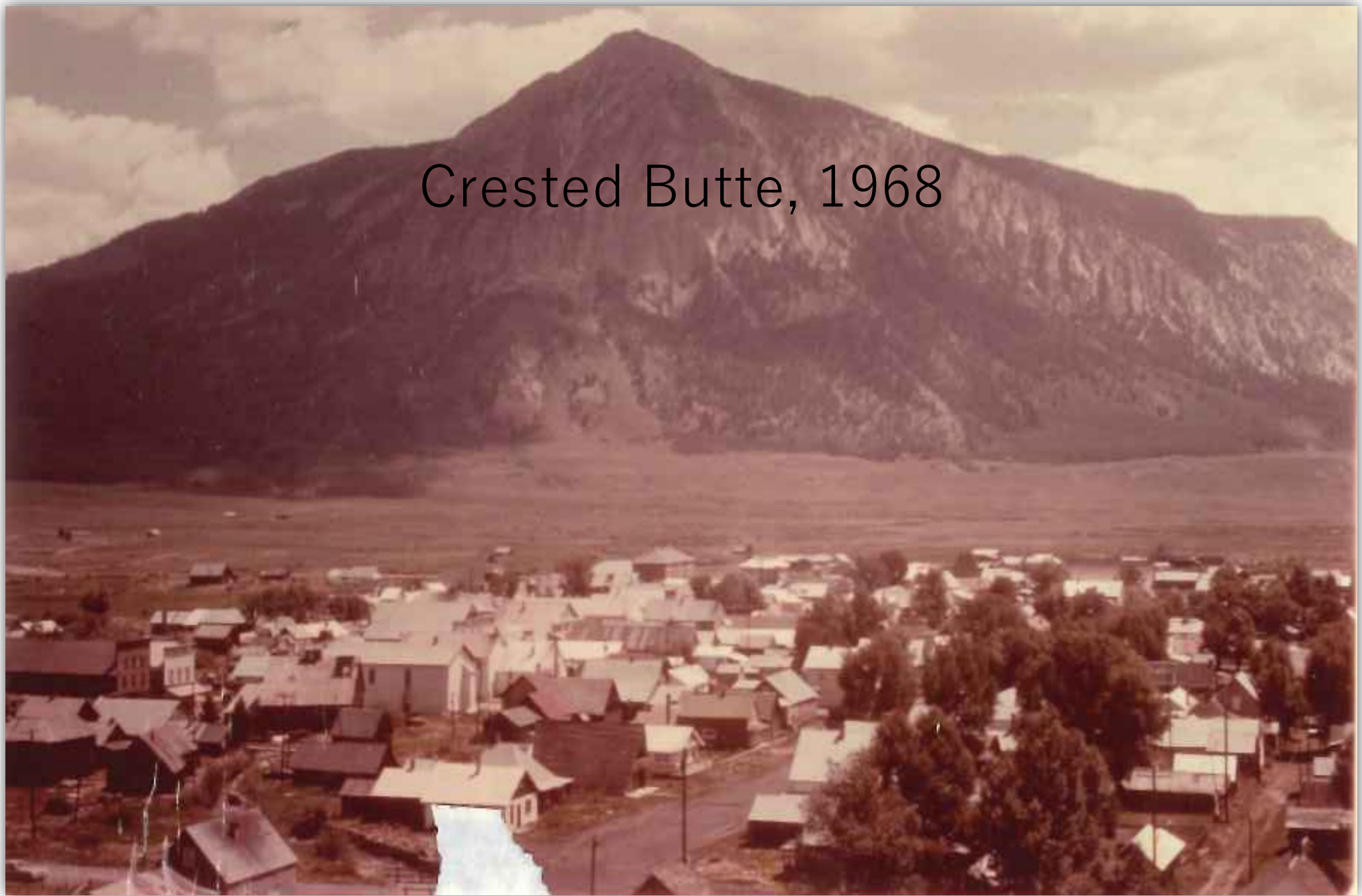


Crested Butte, 1965



Ranging up over a ridge, one of the members of UK's Geology Department confronts the majestic vista of Crested Butte, Colorado. Part of the Gunnison National Forest, Crested Butte was the site for the 1965 Geology Summer Field Camp. Extended academic experiences such as this are a vital part of the University's total education program and are offered in many departments.

Crested Butte, 1968





Field Camp, 1968 (Bill Brown)



Almont, Field Camp, 1968





Field Camp 1968? (with Vin Nelson and family)

Field Camp 1979? (with Frank Ettensohn)





UK Geology
“Float” in 1979
Crested Butte
4th of July
Parade.

Folks on
vehicle include
L-R John Fouts,
Jim Webb, John
Hatcher, and
Terry O’Hara.



1979 Field
Geologists near
top of Pt Lookout.

L-R: Larry
Randall, John
Fouts, Mark
Horrell, Tony
Duda, Rusty
Ashcraft, Rodney
Rymer, John
Beam.



1980 pre-Dinner time gathering around campfire at Cement Creek Camp



1979- Group Photo at
Slumgullion mudflow overlook
near Lake City.

Kneeling: Vanessa Santos, Terry
Ohara, Pat Anderson, Rusty
Ashcraft, unknown, Ralph
Langenheim, unknown.

Second Row: unknown, Rodney
Rymer, Frank Ettensohn, David
Couch, Mike Graham, unknown,
Rob Flynn, Martha Smith, John
Hatcher?, Tony Duda, Tom
Spalding, unknown, unknown,
Mark Horrell?



Mineral collection day at West Maroon Pass. TA Tim Elam taking a group up to look for the twinned orthoclase feldspar crystals (which they found).

L-R: Unknown, unknown, Tim Elam, unknown, Dave Smith, Chris Biagi, Tim Tharp. Kneeling: Beth from Nebraska.



1999 Field Camp at Ship Rock (with Dave Moecher)



End of a Long Day, 1999 Field Camp

Field Camp 2001





Field Camp 2003 at Black Canyon of the Gunnison

Dave Moecher on Comb Ridge, Regional Field Trip





Kit Clemons at
Black Canyon of
the Gunnison
2005 TA



2005 Field Camp Almont



2009 Field Camp in Western State College dormitory

2015 Field Camp on Almont



2017 Field Camp Black Canyon



2022 Field Camp with
George Mason
University – Italy



2024 Field Camp with
George Mason
University – Italy