

## Serials: Faculty/Staff Newsletters and Alumni Magazine

### 1998.140 *The Technometer, 1941 – 1965*

*The Technometer* was “monthly news report on the activities of Illinois Institute of Technology and the alumni; published for alumni and faculty nine times during the academic year.”

### 1998.290 *Campus News Letter, 1945 – 1947*

*Campus News Letter* (or *Illinois Institute of Technology Campus News Letter*) was a newsletter which “combine[d] the services previously rendered to staff personnel by the *President’s News Letter*, the *Armour Research Foundation News Bulletin*, and the *Gas Institute News*” per Vol.1, No. 1 (pg. 4). The *News Letter* was published by the IIT News Bureau, and was slated to be a monthly publication.

### 1992.09 *IIT Reports, 1963 – 1969*

*IIT Reports*, was a monthly newsletter for alumni and other members of the Illinois Institute of Technology (Chicago) campus community. Also bound into the center of each issue is the separately titled and paginated *Alumni Reports* (AKA, Alumni Section). This title was published monthly during academic year.

### 1998.132 *Technology and Human Affairs, 1969 – 1975*

*Technology and Human Affairs* was the alumni magazine that replaced *IIT Reports* with the same masthead. “A new IIT alumni magazine, entitled *Technology and Human Affairs* will be published on a quarterly basis beginning in the spring of 1969 [replacing *IIT Reports*. The new magazine]... will reflect the university’s concern with engineering and science in the modern world, focusing on the social significance of developments in these areas. The magazine will include materials by and for alumni, and articles by prominent people in various fields. A major objective of the magazine will be to relate alumni to each other and to IIT.” Source: *IIT Reports*, Vol. 8, No. 2 (Jan., 1969), p. 3.

### 1998.179 *IIT Community Newsletter, 1971 – 1973*

*IIT Community Newsletter* was a hand-produced 4-page bi-weekly (?) newsletter produced by “an agency of various [campus] organizations” as a means to “facilitate communication among the various faculty, staff, students, and resident organizations at IIT” (per the first issue. Bob Nisbett, editor. Publication has an underground quality to its coverage and editorial perspective. Topics discussed include: St. Savior chapel activities; women’s issues; campus food co-ops; Community Thrift Merchandise Club (CTMC); campus coffeehouse; ATS [Association of Tech Students]; Legal Defense Fund; Bronzeville community activities; CTA; Chicago-Kent; campus safety/security issues; Melvin Tracht; Inter Residents Council (IRC); American Association of University Professors (AAUP) chapter; accreditation report; Rush Nursing program; campus housing issues.

### 1998.138 *IIT News & Views, 1971 – 1982*

*News & Views*, was a publication of the Illinois Institute of Technology’s University Relations office, published six times a year “for faculty, staff, alumni, parents and friends. Contains news

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of general interest to the IIT Community and feature articles about Institute personalities and activities.”

**1998.181**      *IIT Newsletter, 1976 – 1980*

*IIT Newsletter*, was a printed 8 – 12 page newsletter “published for the faculty and staff of Illinois Institute of Technology.” Includes announcements and photos about campus activities, media coverage, faculty presentations, new hires, etc.

**1998.190**      *Intercom, 1981 – 1986*

*Intercom*, was the Illinois Institute of Technology faculty and staff newsletter published by Office of University Relations; generally monthly during academic year beginning April 1981.

**1998.123**      *IIT Alumni News, 1982 – 1990*

*IIT Alumni News* was an 8-page newspaper-format serial publication of Illinois Institute of Technology. Each issues contains short articles and black & white illustrations concerning campus activities, events, and people. Class Notes, Calendar and In Memoriam columns are also included. This title was published “by the Department of University Relations for the alumni, faculty, staff, parents, and friends of Illinois Institute of Technology.” Mary Dawson served as its first editor.

**1998.178**      *Inside, 1989 – 1992*

*Inside*, was a serial publication of Illinois Institute of Technology which served as the employee newsletter featuring events, activities, and people on campus. Twelve-page printed periodical published by the office of Public Relations under the directorship of Sara Fishman; editor (1993) Frank Lipo.

**2001.41**      *Catalyst, 1990 – 2001*

*Catalyst*, was a periodical directed toward alumni. Stories feature activities and profiles of alumni and articles cover current events of the university which have human interest focus. “Classmates” column features news (career moves, personal items, obituaries, etc.) about alumni. This title was published (generally) quarterly by the IIT Office of Communications and Marketing (formerly, the Office of University Relations) and served primarily as the university’s alumni organ.

**1998.166**      *Contact, 1991 – 2006*

*Contact*, being an in-house newsletter-type publication of the Communications and Marketing (formerly Public Relations) office of IIT for on campus distribution to faculty and staff. Published on a weekly/bi-weekly schedule. Includes notices of events and activities on campus, calendar items, speakers, staff appointments, promotions, and occasional departures/retirements. Also obituaries, honors, grant awards, publications, etc. of member of the campus community.

*Contact: A Bulletin for the Illinois Institute of Technology Community* “is a newsletter published weekly in the spring and fall semesters and bi-weekly in the summer, to inform the IIT Community of timely news.” (per the publication 2001/02) This title became an electronic document in March 2002; hard copies (printed from the digital files sent via email) are included

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in this accession after that date. *Contact* was discontinued with the initiation of the daily electronic newsletter, *IIT Today*. [Hard copies of *IIT Today* are not being printed and saved by the IIT Archives.]

**2002.11**      ***IIT Magazine, 2002 – continuing***

*IIT Magazine*, being a serial title published for the university's alumni and general audience. Magazine contains articles about various campus activities, people, research projects, academic programs, etc. Initial issue is a 32-page, 4-color publication and edited by Art Menke. This title was published three times a year by Communications and Marketing, "replacing our alumni newsletter [*Catalyst*]."