

Exodus Continues; Two Deans Resign

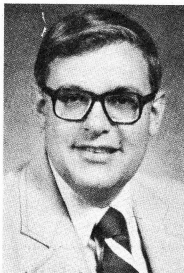
Rev. James M. Demske has accepted the resignations of Dr. Joseph F. Bieron, dean of the college of arts and sciences, and Fr. Anthony B. Brzoska, S.J., associate dean of arts and sciences, effective June 30, 1979.

Bieron will return to his position as a professor in the chemistry department, with tenure. Brzoska will take a sabbatical leave for the 1979-1980 school year, and will return in the fall of 1980 to his position as associate professor of religious studies.

In a September 19 memo, Demske stated, "I am sincerely and deeply grateful to both Dr. Bieron and Father Brzoska for their excellent work in the dean's office in the College of Arts and Sciences. Dr. Bieron has served in this capacity since 1971, and Father Brzoska joined him in 1973, to form a most effective administrative disease."

Demske lauded the two administrators for their accomplishments in implementing a new core curriculum, establishing several new majors, resurrecting the honors program, and helping to improve registration procedures. He added that the pair helped to initiate an effective student advisement program and reduce student attrition.

Demske expressed his gratitude to Bieron and Brzoska for submitting their resignations in enough time to appoint search committees to find a new dean. He added that he will not fill the associate dean's position until a new dean has been appointed.



Dr. Joseph Bieron

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Fr. Anthony Brzoska

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