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The basic message, "May Peace Prevail on Earth," is written in English, Japanese, Russian and Spanish.

The just-erected pole, provided through Cooperative Campus Ministry (CCM), is located between walkways just west of Tod Hall.

The Rev. Jim Ray, CCM advisor, said the idea of "peace poles" originated in Japan, where there are now some 50,000, and has spread around the world with many now appearing on U.S. campuses, in parks and other public areas.

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YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio - The 12th annual District Directors Institute on Federal Taxation will be held at Youngstown State University from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. June 12.

Specific topics will include current developments, investment income and passive activities, fringe benefits, tax practice management, estates and gifts, and corporations and small business. These topics are intended to present a cross-section of current areas of importance and interest to tax practitioners, accountants, attorneys, insurance advisors and other interested individuals.

Participants will attend different concurrent sessions, which will be conducted by a panel of qualified, experienced practitioners and technical specialists from the Internal Revenue Service and tax professionals from the private sector.

Richard C. Stark, assistant to the IRS Commissioner, will be the luncheon speaker.

The Accountancy Boards of Ohio and Pennsylvania have approved the institute for Continuing Education credit.

Sponsors include YSU's Warren P. Williamson, Jr. School of Business Administration and its Department of Accounting and Finance, and the Cleveland District of the IRS in association with YSU's Office of Continuing Education.

The registration fee is \$80, or \$65 if registered before June 5. The fee includes participation, materials, refreshments, lunch, parking, and a certificate of participation.

To register, or to receive a free brochure, call the YSU Office of Continuing Education at (216) 742-3358.

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