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BLOOMINGTON, Ill. — The Illinois Wesleyan Board of Trustees elected two new members at its February meeting. They are Patricia M. Armstrong '70, who is senior vice president with Wells Fargo & Co. in San Francisco, and Henry Bird, who is president and publisher of *The Pantagraph* in Bloomington.

Armstrong, who received both her M.S. and Ph.D. from Southern Illinois University, has taught at Salisbury State in Maryland and the California School of Professional Psychology, and has had an adult psychotherapy private practice. She served as co-owner and principal consultant of Organizational Data, which did consulting on a wide range of management and organizational issues, prior to joining Wells Fargo in 1990 in the company's Employee Assistance Services. She advanced to become senior vice president and director of human resources for the 6,000-person Private Client Services group.

Bird was named president and publisher of *The Pantagraph*, the daily newspaper in Bloomington, in February 2001. His duties were expanded in April 2003 when he was named a vice president of Pulitzer Newspaper Inc. with oversight responsibility for additional Pulitzer newspapers in Illinois and Wisconsin.

A native of Dublin, Ireland, Bird came to *The Pantagraph* from *The Muncie (Ind.)* Star Press where he had been president and publisher. Bird serves on the board of the American Red Cross of the Heartland, the McLean County Museum of History, the McLean County Chamber of Commerce, and the YMCA. He was chair for the 2003 United Way Campaign.

The Board of Trustees at Illinois Wesleyan consists of 42 members, plus five honorary and 27 emeritus trustees.