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# Ways & Means

**President Bush plans to appoint the controversial Carol Iannone to the Board of Trustees of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, according to Charles Blitzer, the center's director.**

The Woodrow Wilson Center, a federally supported research institution, has a board appointed by the President. No Senate confirmation is required.

Ms. Iannone, a teacher and administrator in the Gallatin Division of New York University, was the subject of a bitter political battle last spring after the President nominated her to a seat on the National Council on the Humanities, the advisory board for the National Endowment on the Humanities.

The Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee killed her nomination in July. NEH Chairman Lynne V. Cheney decried Ms. Iannone's rejection, saying she had been rejected because of her conservative political views.

Opponents of the nomination said they had fought the nomination because she did not have a distinguished record as a scholar.

Last week, some critics of Ms. Iannone privately said they believed that the Administration had awarded her this appointment as a "consolation prize." They also said Mrs. Cheney, who is a member of the Wilson board, had played a role in persuading the Administration to select Ms. Iannone for a post that could not be blocked by the Senate.

Ms. Iannone was unavailable for comment. A spokeswoman for Mrs. Cheney said she had played no role in the appointment, adding: "If Lynne Cheney is doing all the things that everyone accuses her of doing, then she'd have no time to run the endowment. If she was such a superwoman, I'd send her my laundry."

**Mississippi Gov. Kirk Fordice set off a controversy last week when he said he would call out the National Guard if the U.S. Supreme Court ordered improvements in the state's historically black colleges that would require a tax increase.**

Mr. Fordice, a Republican, made the comments in response to a question while speaking at the

# Government

## Justice Dept at 19 Colleges

But the absence of

By SCOTT JAS

The Justice Department letters to 19 colleges and notify them that they were investigation for possible general antitrust laws.

Officials at the college

### Colleges Drop

Albion College  
Amherst University  
Chatham College  
College of Wooster  
Cornell University  
Dartmouth College  
Emory University  
Harvard University  
Johns Hopkins University  
Northwestern University  
Princeton University  
Stanford University  
Yale University

## Some U.S. But Little In

By THOMAS J. De

College officials expected to seek meager increases and biomedical research increases for some other scientific research when he request for fiscal 1993 week.

The mounting federal agreement between the White House are expected for the 1993 fiscal year October. Most Washington expect the Bush Administration to moderate its proposed increases that will serve the President's interests as he seeks reelection.

Mr. Bush announced last week, indicating that the promise made at the Summit" in Charlotte