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World-Famed Austrian Photography Scholar

Will Fly to Canada for WLU Lecture October 23

One of Europe's best-known scholars in the field of film technology, Dr. Wilhelm Mutschlechner, comes to North America this month as a quest of Waterloo Lutheran University to deliver two lectures.

The lectures, backed up by specially prepared movies and slide presentations, have been under preparation for a year. The first will be delivered October 23 at WLU at 2:30 p.m. in Room 2C8 of the Arts Building. Dr. Mutschlechner then goes to Princeton University to give the same lecture for the benefit of American film students.

President of the Austrian State Research and Teaching Institute for the Graphic Arts, Dr. Mutschlechner is a world-famed authority in his field. A chemist originally, he has turned his attention to research in the art of photography, a field that brought him renown.

He has served both as president of the photographic society in his own country as well as president of the international association for those engaged in his profession. In addition he serves on other international associations of the graphic arts.

At WLU and Princeton Dr. Mutschlechner will talk on the past and future of the graphic arts in Austria, the country that pioneered photography in an artistic way since before the beginning of the century.