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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Proposals for Spring Prof Dev Day due December 1!

Spring Professional Development Day will be held **January 16th, 2019**, in the Memorial Union. The Call for Proposals (CFP) for this day is now open! Proposals are due by **December 1st**, and we will notify you of your acceptance by **December 17th**. This spring's Professional Development Day theme is **Work/Life Integration**. We look forward to receiving any and all proposals related to this theme.

The spring Professional Development Day is open to all campus constituents, with special regard for staff-related topics and offerings. Need ideas? Here are some topic/title requests we have received: Adobe Photoshop and InDesign, Business Communications, Business Etiquette and Protocols, Business Writing, Collaboration Platforms: What Would Work Best for Your Team?, Committee Work, Excel (Beginners & Intermediate), Emotional Intelligence, Error-Free Writing, Introvert in an Extrovert World: Making Your Talents Work at Work, Leadership Development, Leading Virtual Teams, Microsoft Word Tips & Tricks for Efficiency, Minute-Taking: What Should You Be Doing in Meetings?, Managing Up: Leading When You're Not in Charge, Nutrition and Health, Self-Care, Simple Ways to Boost Your Memory, Stress Management, Team Building, Tech-Savviness for Administrative Professionals, Time Management

You can submit your presentation proposal here:

[Spring Professional Development Day Call for Presentations](#)

If you have any questions, please contact Nicole Frank or Nuchelle Chance:

Nicole Frank
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Change Wars to Benefit Hays ARC Park

The National Student Speech-Language Hearing Association (NSSLHA) is conducting a fundraiser for the Hays Accessible Recreation Complex (ARC). Stop by the Union on Thursday, Nov. 15th and 29th between 11:30-1:00 and bring your change; coins, bills, and checks are accepted! Select one of the five FHSU colleges to put your change in; donating \$2 or more gets you a homemade cookie. The college with the most change donated will be announced on 11/30/2018.

More information about the ARC Park can be found here: <https://haysarcpark.org/>.

If you'd like to donate but can't make it to the Union during those times, please contact Tara Marshall, tmarshall@fhsu.edu or 628-4450 to make other arrangements. Thank you!

Sabbatical Applications 2019-2020

Sabbatical applications for AY 2019-2020 are due to Department Chairs electronically by November 30.

The sabbatical process is accessed through Lotus Notes Workspace:  Sabbatical (*not web-based*)

Please contact the Provost's Office if you have any questions regarding accessing or completing the application form.

Sabbatical leave information is available in the [AAUP MOA, page 64](#) and the Faculty and Unclassified Staff Handbook, [Chapter 5 Leaves](#).

Meeting the Needs of Diverse Digital Learners with the Help of Quality Matters and SoftChalk

Time: 12/04/2018 12pm - 1pm.

Location: Online webinar

<http://tigerlearn.fhsu.edu/event/meeting-the-needs-of-diverse-digital-learners-with-the-help-of-quality-matters-and-softchalk/>

In this presentation, you will hear from Jami Nininger from Mount Carmel College of Nursing and Jennifer Campbell from Tulsa Community College about their best practices for incorporating accessibility into their courses using SoftChalk Create 11 and the newly revised QM Higher Education Rubric, Sixth Edition. They will also share their experiences with accessibility throughout their careers in education.

Forsyth Library Fall Break Building Hours

Nov 17–18 – CLOSED

Nov 19–21 – 8am – 4:30pm

Nov 22–23 – CLOSED

Nov 24 – 10am – 5pm

Nov 25 – Noon – Midnight

Forsyth Library | 785-628-4434 | <https://www.fhsu.edu/library/>

Foundation Early Check Run

Because of the short work week, the Foundation will be processing checks on Monday, November 19th. Please have check requests to the Foundation by 4:30 p.m. on Friday, November 16th if you want them included in next week's check run.

Thankful Thursday

This upcoming Thursday we will be getting into the Holiday spirit by distributing Thanksgiving Day care packages! These packages will be temporarily replacing our normally scheduled Fresh Food Friday hours.

There will be between 30-40 packages available and distribution will begin at 12:15pm in the Tiger Food Exchange. Distribution will end once all the packages have been given out, so please don't delay!

Also, the FHSU Hunger Initiatives would like to thank those who have helped in making this Thankful Thursday possible! Have a great day!

Sustainability Task Force

Sustainability Task Force – a general meeting for any interested students, faculty, and staff

The Sustainability Task Force will meet Thursday November 15th at 3pm in AH 169.

We will discuss future directions of the recently idle Sustainability Task Force at FHSU, including:

- Moving forward from here and fit with other FHSU initiatives

- AASHE engagement and a framework for moving forward with AASHE (the STARS data model)
- Potential need for a mission or vision statement
- Sub-committees for specific interests that fit with (possibly):
 - Community and campus activities and partnership,
 - Curriculum and co-curricular student engagement,
 - Research initiatives
 - Practical campus infrastructure issues

-Gregory Weisenborn, Ph.D.; Associate Professor – Operations Management

Senior Administrative Assistant Needed

The Advanced Education Programs Department in the College of Education is accepting applications for a full-time Senior Administrative Assistant position. For a full description of the position and to apply, please visit <https://fhsu.wd1.myworkdayjobs.com/CAREERS>.

For more information, please contact brooke.moore@fhsu.edu.

2019-20 FAFSA Available!

The **2019-20 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** is available at fafsa.gov. The FHSU priority deadline is **December 1, 2018**. Because some financial aid programs have limited funds and are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis, it is to your student's advantage to submit their FAFSA before the priority deadline. They will need parent and student 2017 tax information in order to complete the FAFSA.

2018 Makerspace Holiday Ornament Competition

Come to Makerspace **November 12 - December 5, 2018** and create an ornament!

Ornament must be turned in to a Makerspace staff member by December 5th at NOON at Makerspace, Forsyth Library room 062.

Sponsored by Science Mathematics Education Institute
www.fhsu.edu/smei/makerspace/index

-Cari Rohleder, Science and Mathematics Education Institute

Dickens Carolers

CALLING ALL VOCALISTS WHO LOVE CHRISTMAS CAROLS!

The FHSU CHOIRS are once again forming the **DICKENS CAROLERS**, named after author Charles Dickens, and for the type of English Carolers you see in stories like A CHRISTMAS CAROL. (i.e., "Scrooge")

- Requests for groups of carolers come as the Holiday Season approaches...we have several already! To meet this demand, the members of the FHSU Choirs are inviting **any students/faculty /staff** to join us in providing a little Christmas cheer!

REPLY BY E-MAIL TO DR. TERRY CRULL IF YOU WISH TO BE ADDED TO THE LIST.

I will then send out a notification for upcoming gigs, using that list.

Questions?

Dr. Terry Crull, FHSU Choirs

tacrull@fhsu.edu; 628-4258(o); 639-3200(c)

Caroling books will be provided for members of the DICKENS CAROLERS to use as we perform.

Some gigs require only a qtet or octet; however, several gigs will be “Y’all COME!” and will be open to any/all interested singers...no one will be excluded!

-Department of Music & Theatre

Hispanic College Institute Leaders Application

The Hispanic College Institute (HCI) is a program sponsored by Fort Hays State University to help high school students prepare and succeed in college, become professionals, and give back to the community. Our goal is to serve 150 high school students by providing them with the opportunity to gain experience during a four-day, three-night college empowerment program. Leaders are responsible for serving as a guide, mentor, and leader to a familia of 10-12 high school students over the course of HCI.

To apply and be considered, students must have a cumulative GPA of 2.50 or higher, participate in pre-institute spring training, summer communication, and the institute in June. Please sign up on Tigerlink using this link <https://tigerlink.fhsu.edu/submitter/form/start/145077>.

Scholarship Application Priority Deadline

Apply NOW for the 2019-2020 FHSU scholarships at https://fhsu.academicworks.com/users/sign_in.

Priority Deadline: November 15, 2018

Final Deadline: February 15, 2019

If you haven't already submitted your 2019-2020 FHSU Scholarship Application, submit it NOW to meet the November 15th priority deadline! The online scholarship application will automatically match and recommend scholarships for which you are eligible, as well as allow you to search for and select scholarships for which you wish to apply.

Additional scholarship opportunities will be posted throughout the scholarship application cycle (September 15, 2018 - February 15, 2019). Be sure to log back into your scholarship account periodically to view additional opportunities that may be available.

You may view the FHSU scholarship opportunities before applying at <https://fhsu.academicworks.com/>.

International Education Week

International Education Week (IEW) is a week-long celebration of events and activities to be hosted throughout the week of **November 12-15**.

It provides everyone a chance to celebrate, promote, and recognize international students, international education and education abroad, and internationalization at FHSU and within the community of Hays.

For a full list of events and activities, please visit our web site at <http://www.fhsu.edu/international/programs/>, and click on the International Education Week link.

Please join us in celebrating our FHSU international students!

-Marnie Kohl, International Student Services Office

FHSU Hispanic College Institute

Fort Hays State University's Hispanic College Institute is a free, four-day, residential program that prepares high school Hispanic students to enter and succeed in higher education.

Where: Fort Hays State University

When: June 19-22, 2018

Who: Hispanic high school sophomores (Class of 2020) or juniors (Class of 2019)

The program is based on research and input from Hispanic educators and community leaders, and much of the content is delivered by Hispanics who can relate to the students' experiences and challenges.

How to Apply

Apply soon, as we still have a limited number of spots available. To be eligible, a student must:

- Have a 2.5 GPA or above;
- Be a current Hispanic high school sophomore (Class of 2020) or junior (Class of 2019).

There are a limited number of spaces available and acceptance to the program is based off of the application.

APPLY NOW! The deadline to apply is May 1, 2019.

If you have further questions, please feel free to contact [Erica Meneses](#) at 785-628-4503.

Alumni Association Award Nominations

Know a Tiger alumnus or friend worthy of an alumni award? Make a nomination today!

Each year, the Fort Hays State University Alumni Association presents accomplished alumni, friends, students and faculty with awards in honor of their achievements and/or service. At Homecoming, four categories of awards are given: Alumni Achievement, Distinguished Service, Nita M. Landrum, and the Young Alumni.

The Alumni Achievement Award, established in 1959, honors graduates of the university for outstanding achievement based upon meritorious service to society or the community. The award is based upon career and professional achievements, service involving community betterment and philanthropic activities, and educational achievements. It is the university's highest recognition of its graduates. [View past recipients.](#)

The Distinguished Service Award, established in 1974, recognizes individuals who have demonstrated a continuing concern for humanity on a universal, national, state or community level; who support spiritual, cultural and educational objectives; and who endorse and exemplify the highest standards of character and personal attributes. It is reserved for alumni or friends of the university. [View past recipients.](#)

The Nita M. Landrum Award, established in 1994, recognizes alumni or friends who have provided sustained volunteer service for the betterment of the Alumni Association and/or FHSU, especially in their home communities or at any local level. [View past recipients.](#)

The Young Alumni Award, established in 1977, is designed to recognize those early in their careers who have had outstanding achievements and recent accomplishments. The award is based upon professional and educational achievements, community activities, honors and awards received and other noteworthy items of merit since graduation. Candidates must hold a bachelor's degree from FHSU, be members of the 10-15 reunion classes, and be under age 40 as of Jan. 1 of the year the awards are presented. [View past recipients.](#)

To make a nomination for 2019, visit the [online form](#) or [download a form](#) and return it to the Alumni Association postmarked by Monday, Dec. 31, 2018.

-Questions, contact the FHSU Alumni Association at 785-628-4430 or alumni@fhsu.edu.

Tuition Assistance

Tuition Assistance applications for the Spring/Intersession semester are due in the Human Resource office by **Friday, December 7th, at 4:30PM**. Applications and policies are available at http://www.fhsu.edu/humanresourceoffice/Other-Benefits/#Tuition_Assistance. Please note the changes to the Dependent Tuition Assistance percentages.

For questions, contact Megan Palen in the Human Resource office.

EVENTS

Music & Theatre Program Upcoming Events

Sunday through Friday, November 11-16

See Below for Dates & Times

Join the *FHSU Music and Theatre* program for the upcoming events this week. The Music department invites the community to our student recitals on the dates of November 11th and 16th. Our theater production of *Rancho Mirage* kicks off this week as well! Come and see the black comedy that looks at suburban couples whose truths finally catch up with them; see how secrets of their past play out on stage with hilarious and farcical results. Looking forward to seeing you at Music Department's events this week!

15th, 7:30 p.m.

Theatre: *Rancho Mirage Felten-Start*; General Public: \$15 - Student/Senior Citizen: \$10

16th, 7:30 p.m.

Theatre: *Rancho Mirage Felten-Start*; General Public: \$15 - Student/Senior Citizen: \$10

16th, 6:30 p.m.

Max Befort, Composition *First Methodist Church*; Free Admission

Geography Awareness Week

Sunday, November 11- Saturday, November 17

Event Information Listed Below

Geography Awareness Week is Nov. 11-17, this is a great week to get involved!

It's not too late, check out the events still open for the remainder of the week.

- You got Globed Fundraiser
- Chalkboard Chat
- Coloring Contest
- Geoguesser Contest
- Photography Contest

A complete list of events and activities for the week are listed at <https://www.fhsu.edu/geo/events/GAW>

For additional information or questions please contact the Department of Geosciences, geosciences@fhsu.edu, 785-628-5389.

UAS Information Forum

Thursday, November 15; 10:00am to 3:00pm

FHSU Robbins Center

Unmanned Aerial Systems or Drones: Information Forum
“Getting Started with UAS in Western Kansas”

Robbins Center Thursday Nov. 15 - 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Regional experts, academics, and personnel from regulatory agencies will all provide timely information on the integration of UAS technology in an entrepreneurial economy.

Registration: \$20.00 / Lunch provided

Preregister by Tuesday Nov 13, 2018 thru the Hays Area Chamber of Commerce at 785-628-8201 or visit discoverhays.com/Events/CalendarofEvents. Seating is limited but walk-ins will be registered day of until capacity is reached.

Program can be found by clicking [HERE](#).

International Education Week – “Oh the Places I’ve Gone!” Testimonies from Study Abroad Tiger Ambassadors

Thursday, November 15; 7:00pm

FHSU Ballroom

Please join us on Thursday, November 15 at 7:00pm in the FHSU Ballroom, Union for the “Oh the Places I’ve Gone”!

Testimonies from study abroad Tiger Ambassadors

Hear from Tiger Ambassadors & learn about how their Study Abroad experiences have impacted their academic & personal journeys! Presentations will include our SIAS China Summer Camp, National Student Exchange, International Student Exchange programs, and our Faculty Led short-term programs.

For a full list of events and activities, please visit our web site at <http://www.fhsu.edu/international/programs/>, and click on the International Education Week link.

-Marnie Kohl, International Student Services Office

Music & Theatre Program Presents Fall Play: Rancho Mirage

November 15-17; 7:30pm / November 18; 2:30pm

Beach/Schmidt Performing Arts Center

Our next production, Rancho Mirage, performs November 15, 16, 17, and 18. Steven Dietz’ black comedy looks at suburban couples whose truths finally catch up with them. At a dinner party, long-time friends are awakened to the secrets of their past with hilarious and farcical results. Written by one of America’s most widely produced playwrights, this biting funny comedy asks what remains when youth, dreams, and the fictions that hold our lives together are exposed. In this sharp and surprising sojourn into the psyche of modern day America, affluence is perhaps our greatest mirage.

We have a website where you may [reserve your seats on-line](#).

The Link to the Seat Reservations Page is: <https://webapps.fhsu.edu/theatreonlinereservations>

Pay It Forward Movie Showing

Friday, November 16; 10:00am to 2:00pm

Cody Commons

CSI and the Pay It Forward Leadership 310 team have partnered up to show the movie Pay It Forward! Come to Cody Commons from 10-2 pm on November 16th to see the movie Pay It Forward! The movie is inspiring, moving, and overall eye-opening about the importance to paying it forward and being kind.

If you have any questions or comments, contact Quinn Munk at qnmunk@mail.fhsu.edu.

Assistive Technology, Accessibility, & Universal Design

Friday, November 16

Event Information Listed Below

The Instructional Resource Center (IRC), Room 236 on the second floor of Rarick Hall, is hosting a visit this Friday, November 16th, with experts on accessibility and assistive technology from Kansas City Kansas Community College.

Robert Beach, Assistive Technology Specialist, and Alex Twitty, Learning Specialist, both of them with the Office of Student Accessibility and Support Services at KCKCC, will be sharing ideas and best practices related to accessibility and universal design for learning (UDL), for one hour at 10:30 a.m. in the IRC meeting room, Rarick Hall 236B. All interested persons are welcome.

The same two specialists will lead a "working lunch" session from 11:30 to 12:30, with hands-on discussion connected to the facilities of the IRC, a College of Education initiative to support the progress of candidates in FHSU teacher licensure and endorsement programs.

At 1:00 p.m., there will be a question-and-answer session with Robert Beach and Alex Twitty, in the IRC, open to any interested FHSU faculty, staff, or students.

Many thanks to the Office of Student Accessibility and Support Services at KCKCC for sending their specialists to share knowledge, ideas, and strategies for making instruction and technology open and adaptable to the needs of all students. Many thanks to Amie Wright, Director of the Instructional Resource Center at FHSU, for making this visit and these exchanges possible.

For questions, please contact: Robb Scott at rbscott2@fhsu.edu or 785-628-5851.

Science Café Presents: “The Exploration of Caves”

Monday, November 26; 7:00pm

“The Venue” at Thirstys, 2704 Vine Street

Hays, KS 67601

Exploration is critical for both performing science in caves and accessing the information contained inside of caves.

Dr. Jonathan Sumrall, Assistant Professor of Geosciences, FHSU

Free and open to the public!

-Sponsored by Science and Mathematics Education Institute

STEM-ED Student Chapter Presents “Twas the Night Before Christmas”

Saturday, December 1; 10:00am

Sternberg Museum - Seibel Lobby

Fort Hays State University STEM-ED Student Chapter
Presents their Annual Christmas Show: “Twas the Night Before Christmas”

Admission to show: FREE

<https://www.fhsu.edu/smei/index>

Sponsored by Science and Mathematics Education Institute

For Information contact Janet Stramel (785) 628-4474 or jkstramel@fhsu.edu

Holiday Open House

Friday, November 30; 12:30pm to 4:30pm

FHSU Presidential Residence

Faculty and Staff are invited to a Holiday Open House at the FHSU Presidential Residence on Friday, November 30th from 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm. Celebrate the season at this come-and-go event with holiday cookies and hot chocolate. Don't forget to pick up your 2018 FHSU ornament. We hope to see you there!

-Janette Meis, Event Planner and Communication Specialist

SHARE WITH STUDENTS

Spring 2019 Honors Courses

Please encourage your students to enroll in one of the Spring 2019 Honors Courses! Honors Courses are intellectually stimulating courses that feature high levels of student engagement and critical thinking, and are available for **any** student at FHSU. Students that take honors classes will receive a notation that indicates it was an honors course. Honors courses are well-suited for students seeking deeper inquiry into subject material. Below are the honors courses being taught for the Spring 2019 semester:

- ECON 202 C: **Principles of Macroeconomics**, taught by Dr. Samuel Schreyer (Tu/Th 10:30-11:45 am)
- IDS 350 K: **Diversity in the United States**, taught by Dr. Nicole English (M/W/F 12:30-1:20pm)
- TEEL 673 Pr/Ed I: **Concepts of Educational Practice and Theory**, taught by Dr. Sarah Broman (Tu/Th 9-10:15 am)

-Matt Means, Director, Honors College – (785) 628-4748

Spring Creative Nonfiction Course

I shall be offering ENG 602: Creative Nonfiction (Personal Essay, Travel Writing, Memoir, etc.) in spring 2019. The course is capped at 15, open to Undergraduate and Graduate students and meets on Wednesday Night 6:30-9:20 p.m.

Many thanks.

-Dr. Brett Weaver

Ceramics Classes

Would you like to explore or expand your creativity in a dynamic, interactive class? Consider taking a class in Ceramics next Spring.

The foundation class Art 260: Ceramics I is offered at 10:30 am – 12:20 on Monday, Wednesday, Friday. This class features Creation Stations designed to build hand skills, followed by Deep Studio Time, allowing students to use the skills they learned in a more in-depth project. Ceramics Designed for Life introduces functional pottery, industrial products such as cell phone holders, and ceramic objects designed to enhance an interior. Ceramics as Expression begins with mask making, then moves into solid sculpting and hollow forms before students engage the Deep Studio Experience. Finally, experimental projects explore the properties of clay, glaze and firing to produce unexpected results.

Art 360: Ceramics II focuses on the skill of throwing on the Potter's Wheel. Inspired by their favorite foods, students learn to create vessels to enhance their favorite dishes. Near the end of class, students will learn to stage and take photographs of their pots in action and develop a class cookbook. Then we eat our props. This class meets at 4:30 – 7:20 pm on Monday and Wednesday.

There are no pre-requisites for either class, as both classes start with the basics and work to develop more advanced skills. You don't need to be an Art and Design major to enroll or benefit from this creative experience. All skill levels are welcome. A studio free covers tools and materials.

If you have questions, please contact Linda Ganstrom at lmganstrom@fhsu.edu.

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