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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **Year End Gifts**

The year 2018 is nearing the end and people are making year end gifts to the University. With this in mind I am asking you for your assistance. Should your office receive a gift during these last weeks of December (especially since the University will be closed between Christmas and New Years) I ask that you send copies of all correspondence, along with the envelope the gift was mailed in, to the Foundation office for processing. **IT IS MOST IMPORTANT TO KEEP THE ENVELOPE**

**BECAUSE THE POSTMARK DATE DETERMINES THE DATE OF THE GIFT.** This will help determine what year the gift will be applied to. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Thank You!

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## **May 2019 Steam Shutdown Two Weeks for Construction**

Hello All,

I just wanted to let you all know of the required extended steam shut down for May of 2019.

The Power Plant will be getting new boilers and all associated pump, tanks and piping next spring/summer 2019.

Contractors will need a two week window of total down time in the Power Plant.

I wanted to give you all an early heads up.

**Please mark your calendars to reflect this down time.**

Steam service will be off for two weeks, May 20<sup>th</sup> – May 31<sup>st</sup> 2019

May 20, 2019 Steam off to all of campus

May 31, 2019 – Steam returned to campus

Sorry if this is an inconvenience anyone, but this is a very large project and I wanted to let you all know as early as possible.

**Please mark on your calendar to avoid scheduling events that need steam for hot water and/or cooking this week.**

### **MAY 2019**

As in the past, "Annual Steam Shut Down Notice"

**The Energy Division / Power Plant have planned a steam shut down for the **TWO** weeks of, May 20 thru May 31, 2018.**

This is just a steam shutdown, that will affect only heating, domestic hot water and cooking if your building uses steam for that purpose. No other utility will be affected.

Buildings affected by this steam shut down:

Akers  
Albertson  
Cunningham  
Custer  
Forsyth  
Gross  
Hammond  
Malloy  
Martin Allen  
McCartney  
McMindes  
Memorial Union  
Picken  
Rarick  
Sheridan  
Stroup  
Tomanek

Thank you all for your cooperation.

Sincerely,  
Roger

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## Kansas Undergraduate Research Day at the Capitol

We are now accepting 250-word abstracts for the February 20 Kansas Undergraduate Research Day at the Capitol!

We are pleased to announce the launch of the 2019 Undergraduate Research Day at the Capitol competition. Click on the [link](#) to view more information.

- Deadline: January 31, 2019
- Discipline/Subject Area: Any

The Kansas Undergraduate Research Day at the Capitol event is an opportunity for students to present their research experiences with state lawmakers in Topeka scheduled for Wednesday, February 20, 2019.

This event will showcase the work of up to 40 Kansas undergraduate students representing each of the state's eight public 4-year institutions. The purpose of this event is to demonstrate the unique opportunities undergraduate students have to participate with faculty members in research at all state institutions. This event will also emphasize higher education's role in developing educated citizens and preparing a workforce with the necessary skills to further the economic growth of the state.

Undergraduate students who have been significantly involved in the research enterprise of the university either with their own project or through meaningful involvement with a faculty project are desired as participants. To qualify for this event, participants must:

- be undergraduates during the 2018-2019 academic year;
- have completed research under the guidance of a Kansas 4-year public institution faculty mentor;
- follow the methodology of the appropriate academic discipline;
- be of sufficient quality to be presented at a professional academic meeting;
- have the skills, resources, and capacity to produce a professional academic poster;
- agree to undergo presentation training and rehearse their presentations prior to the Capitol event.

Participants should be able to convey their experience and enthusiasm to state representatives, senators, and other state officials in a poster session. Projects from a broad range of disciplines are encouraged - especially posters that relate to the state of Kansas and issues important to the state legislature (e.g. education, health, agriculture, aviation, biotechnology, energy, transportation, manufacturing, environment, and social services). Up to 5 projects will be selected from each institution.

Lunch and transportation will be provided. The event will take place on the first floor of the Capitol Rotunda from 10 am to 1 pm. The public is invited to attend. Selected participants will receive additional information regarding the event.

Submissions are accepted from student teams, however only two students from the team will be able to go to the Capitol. One designated student should be listed as the Principal Investigator. The entire research team will be recognized in the program booklet and related materials.

This event will not be an adjudicated poster competition with prizes. All participants will be recognized equally for the honor of participating in this event.

Helpful resources for creating posters may be found at <http://www.fhsu.edu/academic/gradschl/ure/URE-Poster-Tips/>.

<https://fhsu.infoready4.com/#competitionDetail/1776971>

Contact Leslie Paige [lp Paige@fhsu.edu](mailto:lp Paige@fhsu.edu) with any questions.

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**Dec. 31 Deadline Approaching for Alumni Association Award Nominations**

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.

**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](mailto:alumni@fhsu.edu).*

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### **Tiger Wellness Center Over Break**

The Tiger Wellness Center will be open over break. We will have the following hours and will have a few days that we are closed:

Dec.14<sup>th</sup> – January 21<sup>st</sup>

Monday-Friday 6:30am -7pm

Saturday & Sunday 10:00am – 5:00pm

Closed: December 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> and January 1<sup>st</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>

We will not have any group exercise classes over break.

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### **Forsyth Library: Winter Break & Intersession Hours**

**Dec 14** – 7:30am - 4:30pm

**Dec 15 & 16** - CLOSED

**Dec 17 - 21** – 8am - 4:30pm

**Dec 22 - Jan 1** – CLOSED

**Jan 2 - 4** – 8am - 4:30pm

**Jan 5 & 6** – CLOSED

**Jan 7 - 11** – 8am - 4:30pm

**Jan 12 & 13** – CLOSED

**Jan 14 - 18** – 8am - 4:30pm

**Jan 19 - 21** – CLOSED

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

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### **Parking Restricted Next Week**

FHSU faculty and staff need to be aware that parking will not be available December 16-21, 2018, along the north side of South Campus Drive due to the waterproofing of the mechanical enclosures at Sheridan, McCartney and to the McCartney Hall building itself. Additionally, there will be some masonry restoration on the south side of Albertson Hall which will close that parking on South Campus Drive. In total, the north side of South Campus Drive will be closed from the southwest corner of Sheridan Hall to the 3-way stop at the South Campus Drive/College Drive/Gustad Drive intersection. Duration of closed parking will be most of the week. The parking lot between McCartney and Sheridan will also be closed. This is to protect vehicles from being sprayed during the masonry restoration work. Any questions, please contact Troy Steiner, [tjsteiner@fhsu.edu](mailto:tjsteiner@fhsu.edu). Thank you.

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### **Free Community Meal**

Free Community Meal  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays every month  
5:30-7:00pm  
Breathe 703 Main St. Hays

Come join us for a home cooked meal and some good conversation!

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## ROAR Issues Available

There are issues of ROAR available for pickup. Please reserve your amount by emailing Johnae at [jeblackmon@fhsu.edu](mailto:jeblackmon@fhsu.edu) or calling 4206. Available issues are listed below.

**Vol. 1 Issue 1 Fall 2016**

**Vol. 1 Issue 2 Summer 2017**

**Vol. 2 Issue 1 Fall 2017**

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## Summer 2019 Study Abroad Program: Universität Duisburg-Essen, Germany June 3 – June 28, 2019

**Applications are Due January 31, 2019 by 12:00 Noon**

FHSU and Universität Duisburg-Essen are pleased to offer a study abroad opportunity to spend the month of June 2019 at the Universität Duisburg-Essen, Germany.

### PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- Language and culture classes
- Up to six credit hours tuition-free transferable to FHSU
- Excursions in afternoons and some weekends
- Free time to explore the city and the area

### WHAT IS FREE OF CHARGE?

- Private room with bathroom
- Local public transport pass
- Trips and excursions
- An amazing résumé achievement

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Student pays airfare and meals
  - Possible scholarships available
  - No prior knowledge of German language required
  - To request application forms and instructions please stop by Rarick Hall 303
  - For more information, contact Rhonda Baker at 785-628-4244 or email [rbaker@fhsu.edu](mailto:rbaker@fhsu.edu)
  - Application deadline is noon January 31, 2019
  - Individual interviews with the screening committee will be held between February 5-12, 2019
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## 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 2021) or juniors (Class of 2020)

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 2021) or junior (Class of 2020).

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.

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## Proposals for TILTed Tech Mini-Conference Due January 4<sup>th</sup>

This spring, Forsyth Library, Teaching Innovation and Learning Technologies (TILT), and Technology Services will co-host two TILTed Tech Mini-Conferences. The first of these will be held on February 26th, 2019 from Noon-3pm and will focus on the theme of Methods and Practices for Gathering Evidence, Feedback, and Input for Your Teaching.

We're looking for your teaching expertise and examples of how you gather evidence and feedback in your teaching. Example proposal topics might include:

- 1) Innovative ways to gather data (building surveys, leading focus groups, card sorting, polling, etc)
- 2) Examples of how you've used quick assessment as feedback in the classroom (to gauge student learning, to adjust your teaching, etc.)
- 3) Tools or software you've used to gather evidence and input in the classroom (Distraction Tools, Poll Everywhere, Swipe.to, etc.)

Submit your proposal before Friday, January 4<sup>th</sup>: <http://bit.ly/TILTedTechCFP>.

## EVENTS

### KWEC Drop-In Winter STEM

Friday, December 28; 12:00pm to 5:00pm

Kansas Wetlands Education Center, Great Bend, KS

Haven't had a chance to check out the new interactive exhibits at FHSU's Kansas Wetlands Education Center? Thanks to a generous donation from the Dorothy M. Morrison Foundation, KWEC has a one of a kind wetlands floor projection, augmented sandbox watershed simulator, a children's education center with turtle cushions, and displays featuring watershed plants, macroinvertebrate samples, and a build-a-bird station.

Come and Go Friday December 28 from 12-5pm for winter themed STEM activities and experiments. Activities geared toward 3-12 year olds. Event is FREE! The Kansas Wetlands Education Center is located at 592 NE K-156 HWY, Great Bend, KS 67530. Email [amkern2@fhsu.edu](mailto:amkern2@fhsu.edu) with questions or call 1-877-243-9268

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### CliftonStrengths Essentials

Friday, January 11; 9:00am to 4:00pm

Memorial Union Stouffer Lounge

Is it best to spend time utilizing your **strengths** or is it more productive to work on your **weaknesses**? Gallup's Strengths theory argues people should spend the majority of their time doing what they do best; using their already existing natural talents to become more productive and profitable in the workplace.

Join the Management Development Center for **CliftonStrengths Essentials** to learn how to leverage your top five talents by turning them into strengths! This workshop is facilitated by Sabrina William & Hannah Hilker.

**Remember, as FHSU faculty or staff, your registration fee is complimentary**, thanks to your FHSU Vice President! Limited funding is available annually per division.

Register here: <https://webapps.fhsu.edu/MDC2.0/Default.aspx>.

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## **Organizational Culture: A Leadership & Social Psychology Toolkit**

Thursday, January 17; 9:00am to 4:00pm

Memorial Union Stouffer Lounge

Are you a chair of a department, dean of your college, or director of a center? Or, do you want to better understand the components of a successful organization? Have you ever wondered why some organizations fail, while seemingly other organizations succeed?

Find the answers to these questions and more by joining the Management Development Center for **Organizational Culture: A Leadership & Social Psychology Toolkit** with Dr. Jeni McRay, Leadership Studies & Dr. Whitney Whitaker, Psychology.

Attendees will explore organizational culture through a 4-dimensional diversity wheel, explore personality styles in an organizational context, analyze your own organizational culture, and create an individual action plan to help your organization adapt in an informed & intentional way.

**Remember:** as FHSU faculty and staff, your registration fee is complimentary, thanks to your FHSU Vice President! Limited funding is available annually per division.

Registration can be completed online at <https://webapps.fhsu.edu/MDC2.0/Default.aspx>

## **SHARE WITH STUDENTS**

### **SOC 348: Latino American Culture & Heritage**

Sociology will be offering a new face-to-face lecture class on Latino American Culture for Spring of 2019.

This course studies the interaction of native South and Meso-Americans with Spanish Europeans as Latin America was formed. It shows how Europeans influenced the history of the Americas and how the Americas influenced the history of the world. It traces Latino America from the time of its inception in the 16th century, through the various Latino American independence movements, to its current expression in the United States of America today.

It will be offered at 9:30-10:20am, MWF, in RH 351.

For more information, contact Dr. D. Nicole English, [DNEnglish2@fhsu.edu](mailto:DNEnglish2@fhsu.edu).

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## **Tiger Team 2019**

Do you have a student who should apply to join Tiger Team 2019? We need the support of faculty and staff to help get students involved!

Our Tiger Team is an energetic & driven group of students volunteering to be leaders, mentors, & facilitators for our orientation & diversity programs. Members of this team are selected through an application & interview process. Once selected, Tiger Team members participate in leadership training throughout the spring semester.

Tiger Team members volunteer for Tiger Stripes, Tiger Impact, Golden Beginnings, Project Lighthouse Mentoring Program, FindUatFHSU diversity celebrations and events, and the Hispanic College Institute. Tiger Team members have the flexibility to volunteer and support at these different events, but are not expected to volunteer for all of these programs.

We hope you will encourage students to apply today on [Tiger Link](#) to become a champion for student success! For questions about Tiger Team, please contact Taylor Kriley at [tlkriley2@fhsu.edu](mailto:tlkriley2@fhsu.edu) or by phone at 785-628-5824.

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## **POLS 675 VB: Latino Politics**

In spring 2019, the Department of Political Science will offer a new online seminar, POLS 675 VB: Latino Politics. The course will explore how Latinos consider politics based upon immigration policy, other ethnic/racial groups, and gender. To learn more about the course or to get more information, please contact Dr. Christopher Olds at [cpolds@fhsu.edu](mailto:cpolds@fhsu.edu).

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## **NEW! Certificate in Writing**

This certificate program will help students develop the written communication proficiency so valued across the professions and will complement any major. Students will develop their creative and analytic skills in a variety of genres beyond those covered in first-year composition—while also becoming more attentive editors of their own and others' work.

Required:

- ENG 446      Advanced Composition

Electives (choose 3):

- ENG 121      Language Skills in the Profession
- ENG 146      Introduction to Creative Writing
- ENG 346      Advanced Creative Writing
- ENG 385      Professional Editing
- ENG 448      Writing Internship
- ENG 449      Writing for Publication
- ENG 602      Topics in Writing (may be taken multiple times)
- ENG 603      Technical and Professional Writing
- ENG 630      Nature Writing
- ENG 675      Playwriting/Screenwriting

**Contact Dr. Cheryl Duffy ([cduffy@fhsu.edu](mailto:cduffy@fhsu.edu)), certificate coordinator, for more information.**

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