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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Student Recognition Programs

Greetings, friends! We are very excited to invite you in advance to this spring's upcoming annual **Student Recognition Programs**. As you may know from past years, SRPs are reception-style events held on-location throughout our Kansas, Nebraska, and Colorado recruiting territories. We will be travelling to Future Tigers' hometowns in an attempt to bring Fort Hays *to* them, *for* them.

Your enthusiastic participation is crucial to the success of these events! These programs are essential during the recruitment process in solidifying our prospective students' decision to become Tigers. For example, following last year's Topeka SRP,

45 out of the 47 students in attendance ultimately chose Fort Hays! **Overall, 82% of the 2018 SRP attendees became Tigers. Way to go, team!** Without your participation, this great return would not have become a reality.

As a reminder, alumni members and non-academic groups (clubs, organizations, etc.) are also welcome to join us on the road. The Office of Admissions will be providing transportation again this year for those who wish to travel with us. Please contact Jon Armstrong at (785) 628-4091 or jdarmstrong@fhsu.edu with any questions or interest in SRP participation.

To view the schedule of events, please visit <https://www.fhsu.edu/admissions/srp>.

Register Now for Spring Professional Development Day!

Please join us for FHSU's Spring Professional Development Day on January 16th!

Our Spring Professional Development Day will offer more than 30 sessions centering on **Work/Life Balance**, with sessions on **Self-Care, Professional Growth, Technology & Tools**, and **Special Topics**. Whether you want to learn more about how nutrition affects your life and work, earn your American Heart Association CPR/AED certificate, or learn how you can use Gradescope to grade papers in half the time, this day is all about helping you enjoy a healthier, happier, and more balanced life and career!

All faculty and staff are invited and significant consideration has been made, to provide topics that **all employees** can find relevant.

We will start the day with a continental breakfast and opening remarks, and then disperse to three concurrent morning sessions. After lunch, there will be an additional three sessions in the afternoon. As you scroll through the offerings, you will notice that several sessions are offered in both the morning and afternoon. It is our hope that this flexibility will help provide additional opportunity to attend the sessions you are most interested in, particularly for those employees who need to take turns with others in your units and offices, to cover your areas and attend sessions.

Space is limited due to room capacities, so register early!

To view a comprehensive schedule of Spring Professional Development Day, go to <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1uM-zK942pOXN0qdNjChkevVfwvTZvdBNHKlBKYMOxEU/edit?usp=sharing>.

To register for sessions go to <https://cloud.i-attend.com/EventRegistration.aspx?dlevE=ZRaAEhX04FmCQ/RA3Dhklw>.

Thank you to the offices of the Provost, the Vice President for Student Affairs, and the Vice President for Administration and Finance, for providing meals for our employees for this day.

If you have any questions regarding registering for Spring Professional Development Day, please contact Nicole Frank (nmfrank@fhsu.edu) or Nuchelle Chance (nlchance@fhsu.edu).

SALT Program Ending

American Student Assistance, the creator of the SALT online program, will discontinue SALT on December 31, 2018. FHSU students will have access to a free online financial tool called CashCourse.org. CashCourse can help you with all your financial literacy needs.

Allied Health Department Seeks Obstetrical Models for Student Training from Campus Community and Hays Community

The Allied Health Ultrasound program is seeking **expecting women** from campus and the community willing to serve as a scan model for training students. Each ultrasound scan is supervised by a certified sonographer that works with the students

to learn the proper mechanics of scanning. Each scan will take about one hour. There is no charge. There is no official report reading from a physician generated. Requirements to volunteer, is that the expecting mother is between 20 and 40 weeks at their scheduled scan time, the mother cannot be considered to be in a high risk pregnancy, and must have physician permission. Ultrasound appointments will be set up for Tuesday early afternoons or Wednesday mornings.

For those interested or if you know someone who might be interested, please contact Jennifer Wagner at jrwagner@fhsu.edu for more information.

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
- Application deadline is noon January 31, 2019
- Individual interviews with the screening committee will be held between February 5-12, 2019

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.

EVENTS

Chamber Chat with Career Services

Friday, January 11; 9:00am

Sunset Lounge Atrium

Please join FHSU Career Services and the Hays Area Chamber of Commerce for a Chamber Chat on Friday, January 11, at 9 a.m. in the Sunset Lounge Atrium. We'll discuss internships, career fairs, job placement and other ways Career Services partners with businesses and organizations in the community. The Chamber Chat is a great way for FHSU staff and faculty to connect with area businesspeople. Refreshments will be provided!

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>.

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>.

MDC Workshop: Social Media Marketing

Thursday, January 24; 9:00am to 4:00pm

Memorial Union, Trails Room

Are you in charge of your departmental social media pages, and have no idea how to manage them? Join the Management Development Center and Dr. Mary Martin for a crash course on **Social Media Marketing!**

Dr. Martin will walk you through how to develop a comprehensive social media marketing strategy, while also giving you an overview of the most popular social media platforms. You will learn how to post & how to manage multiple platforms, while also looking at popular trends!

Social Media Marketing will be on Jan. 24 from 9:00 – 4:00 in Trails Room. Breakfast & lunch will be provided.

And, don't forget: 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> or by calling Hannah Hilker at (785) 628-4121.

Science Café Presents: “Bats: Rock Stars of the Night”

Monday, February 4; 7:00pm

The Venue at Thirsty's. 2704 Vine St, Hays, KS 67601

Join us for a batty evening to learn about these mysterious creatures of the night!

Come learn some of the crazy, cool things bats do and how they are ecologically and economically important.

Presenter: Dr. Amanda M. Adams, Department of Biological Sciences, FHSU

Sponsored by Science and Mathematics Education Institute

SHARE WITH STUDENTS

Special Undergraduate Job Opportunity Developing the Future of Smart Classrooms

The Forsyth Library and Institute for New Media Studies have an exciting opportunity for an undergraduate student to participate in a federally funded research project to design and build the next generation of high-tech smart classroom here on the FHSU campus. This position will support technological aspects of the project (e.g. moving and setting up computers, adjusting software settings, documenting processes) as well as research aspects (conducting user studies, tabulating/processing data, contributing to scholarly publications).

Although priority applications are targeted for January 7, **the position has not been filled and we actively encourage students to apply. We will continue accepting applications until the position is filled.**

Job Title: Smart Classroom Research Assistant

Pay: \$8.25 per hour with approximately 5-15 hours per week depending on project needs and funding availability.

To Apply:

To learn more or apply for this position, use the following link:

https://fhsu.wd1.myworkdayjobs.com/en-US/STUDENTJOBS/job/FHSU-Main-Campus-Hays-Kansas/Student-Research-Assistant-for-Smart-Classroom---NonWorkstudy---Forsyth-Library_R-01403

Primary Responsibilities for this position include the following:

- Assist with construction of the smart classroom prototype
- Participate in prototype testing and iterative redesign

- Provide feedback on the prototype from a student perspective
- Collaborate in planning and executing pilot programming in the smart classroom space for faculty, staff, students, and the public
- Aid in setting up interactive exhibit(s) in the smart classroom space
- Help to write training materials and documentation to go with the smart classroom
- Contribute to the creation of presentation materials and article(s) disseminating information about the smart classroom

Required Qualifications:

- Admission to Fort Hays State University as an undergraduate student and enrolled in the required number of credit hours to be eligible for student employment throughout the life of the position. Students in any academic field or discipline may apply.
- The undergraduate student must be eligible to work in the United States. The successful candidate is required to pass a criminal background check prior to an offer of employment.
- Ability to work up to 15 hours per week during the academic year.
- Communication skills and the ability to work with partners, teammates, or clients.
- Demonstrated proficiency in written and spoken English. Ability to speak to groups of people about projects. Ability to write about projects for public audiences.
- Professional demeanor including professional dress, language, and attitude appropriate to a collegial environment.
- Proficiency in desktop computing including Microsoft Office, Microsoft Windows, Internet, and email.
- Demonstrated ability to meet deadlines, work independently, and seek out additional support from third party sources (such as troubleshooting using online support tools).
- Demonstrated willingness to learn new concepts and motivation to attack problems head on.
- Ability to lift and move computer equipment in an office, classroom, or laboratory settings. Includes the ability to lift 25 pounds without assistance several times in a row.

For Additional Information please contact the project leaders:

Principal Investigator:

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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.

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 tkriley2@fhsu.edu or by phone at 785-628-5824.

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.

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), certificate coordinator, for more information.

To submit an article for Tiger Daily, please create a **new** message and email it to tigerdaily@fhsu.edu before **10:00 a.m.** Items received after 10:00 a.m. will run the next business day. Submissions will be accepted only from FHSU faculty, staff, and student organizations. **Submissions must include** a headline, body text, and contact information only. **Attachments, graphics and images will not be published (including signature line graphics)**, but links to web pages may be included. Submitter is responsible for quality of content, which will be copied/pasted directly. **Replies to this**

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