

# THE UPDATE

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## THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

### Monday March 7

*Athletics...*  
Women's Golf at Oak Hills Invitational Ada, Okla.

### Tuesday March 8

*Athletics...*  
Women's Golf at Oak Hills Invitational Ada, Okla.

*Athletics...*  
MSU Tennis vs. Texas-Tyler 2:30 p.m. MSU Tennis Courts

*Office of Institutional Effectiveness...*  
Imagine Graduation 11 a.m. – 6 p.m. Comanche Suites

*MSU American Advertising Federation...*  
El Chico Fiesta 5 – 10 p.m. El Chico Café  
(Southwest Parkway)

*Student Success Series...*  
Eat Right, Feel Good, Look Great! 7 p.m. CSC Shawnee

### Wednesday March 9

*Office of Institutional Effectiveness...*  
Imagine Graduation 11 a.m. – 6 p.m. Comanche Suites

*Various Departments...*  
Cookies, Carts, and Koozies Fair 12 – 2 p.m. Sunwatcher Plaza

### Thursday March 10

*Various Departments...*  
Lecture: "Reforming U.S. Foreign Policy" 7 p.m. Akin Auditorium

*O'Donnell Visiting Artist ...*  
Graphic Design Workshop 2 p.m. Fain C115F  
Lecture by Jan Conradi 4 p.m. Fain C111

### Friday March 11

*Athletics...*  
MSU Softball vs. 3 p.m. Durant, Okla.  
Southwestern Oklahoma

### Saturday March 12

*Athletics...*  
MSU Softball vs. 1 p.m. Durant, Okla.  
Southwestern Oklahoma (DH)

## AROUND CAMPUS

### Student Success Series

Deanna Latson will present "EAT RIGHT, FEEL GOOD, LOOK GREAT!" at 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 8, in the CSC Shawnee Theater. Aiming to dispel unhealthy "fad diet" myths (95 percent of all diets fail), Latson's program is as a hard-hitting, nutritionally sound, research-based discussion about food and how it affects your body. Latson transforms audiences with amazing health information. Having suffered with bulimia, excess weight, and chronic illness, she dramatically restored herself to great health within one college year, and will tell you how you can do the same. The Student Success Series is sponsored by the Office of Student Development and Orientation. For more information, call ext. 4500.

### El Chico Fiesta

The MSU American Advertising Federation (AAF) will play host to a fundraiser at the El Chico Café located off Southwest Parkway from 5-10 p.m. Tuesday, March 8, to raise money for its upcoming student trip to a district conference in Oklahoma City. MSU students, faculty, and staff are invited to attend. Ten percent of the proceeds from the evening will be donated to the MSU AAF. Join the Fiesta and be sure to mention the MSU AAF at your table or when you arrive. For more information, email [liz.minden@mwsu.edu](mailto:liz.minden@mwsu.edu).

### Cookies, Carts, and Koozies Fair

The MSU Counseling Center, Housing and Residence Life, Student Development and Orientation, and University Wellness will present the Cookies, Carts, and Koozies Fair from 12-2 p.m. Wednesday, March 9, in Sunwatcher Plaza. The event is designed to equip students to make smart decisions about alcohol use during spring break and beyond. Students can drive a golf cart while wearing goggles that simulate intoxication, sign a banner pledging not to drive while drinking alcohol, and pick up a free T-shirt and a koozie with a soft drink. Toss Your Cookies will be a mystery event that students will want to participate in during the fair. For more information, call Reagan Foster at ext. 4618.

## O'Donnell Visiting Artist: Jan Conradi

The Juanita Harvey Art Gallery at Midwestern State University will present O'Donnell Visiting Artist Jan Conradi Thursday, March 10, at the following events:

- Graphic Design Workshop 2 p.m. Fain C115F
- Artist Lecture 4 p.m. Fain C111

Conradi, graphic designer and design consultant, has more than 20 years of experience in design education, teaching the entire range of undergraduate design courses, but her primary focus is raising student understanding of design history and typography. As Professor of Graphic Design at the State University of New York at Fredonia, she worked with colleagues to coordinate the graphic design program, and prior to that she taught at Ball State University in Muncie, Ind. Conradi is currently teaching at Rowan University in Glassboro, N.J. Her book, *Unimark International: The Design of Business and the Business of Design* was published in October 2009 by Lars Müller Publishers in Switzerland. Students and the public are welcome to attend.

### Lecture: "Reforming U.S. Foreign Policy"

Glenn Greenwald will present "Reforming U.S. Foreign Policy" at 7 p.m. Thursday, March 10, in Akin Auditorium. Formerly a constitutional law and civil rights litigator in New York, Greenwald is an award-winning columnist for *Salon.com*, where he writes on political and legal topics. He is the author of three bestselling books: *How Would a Patriot Act?* (2006), a critique of the Bush administration's use of executive power; *A Tragic Legacy* (2007), which examines the Bush legacy, and *Great American Hypocrites* (2008), which examines the manipulative electoral tactics used by the GOP and propagated by the establishment press. His most recent book, *With Liberty and Justice for Some: How the Law Is Used to Destroy Equality and Protect the Powerful*, will be published by Metropolitan Books in September 2011. Greenwald has been a guest on several national television and radio programs including ABC's *This Week*, Fox News' *Special Report with Brit Hume*, MSNBC's *The Rachel Maddow Show*, NPR's *All Things Considered*, and *The Colbert Report*. This event is sponsored by the Philosophy Program, the Center for the Study of Reform (Prothro-Yeager College of Humanities and Social Sciences), the Office of the Provost, and the Office of University Advancement and Student Affairs. This lecture is free and open to the public. For more information, contact Nathan Jun at ext. 4128 or at [nathan.jun@mwsu.edu](mailto:nathan.jun@mwsu.edu).

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### Spring Break

Classes will not be in session Monday, March 14, through Saturday, March 19, for Spring Break. University offices will be closed Thursday, March 17, and Friday, March 18.

## CAMPUS NEWS

### Student Support Services and Upward Bound have relocated to McGaha Hall

Student Support Services and Upward Bound have relocated to McGaha Hall. Both SSS and UB are TRiO programs, Department of Education grant programs designed to benefit low-income, first-generation students. Upward Bound services high schools students, and Student Support Services works with the college population, also serving students with disabilities. The goal of both programs is to facilitate a supportive environment for academic success and personal enrichment through individualized services.

### MSU Credit Union

The MSU Credit Union is offering a limited time auto loan special. Get used cars at new car rates, 4.75 – 11.75 percent (with approved credit). For more information, contact Teresa at ext. 4729.

### National Library Week Photo Contest

Moffett Library is sponsoring a photo contest in conjunction with National Library Week. This year's theme is "Create your own story." Photographs must be submitted through e-mail by Saturday, April 16. No more than three photos total may be submitted per individual. All photos may be used for promotional purposes at Moffett Library. This contest is open to currently enrolled or employed students, staff, and faculty of MSU. Participants must be at least 18 years of age. No currently employed full-time staff of the library will be eligible to win prizes. Entries must be the original work of the photographer. Photographs must be of something associated with Midwestern State University in terms of people, places, or things. Photographs associated with Moffett Library are encouraged but not mandatory. Most file types are acceptable, but please use a standard format such as JPEG, PNG, or TIF. Submission, in either color or black and white, must be through e-mail and include the following: title of the work (if any), complete name of the photographer, academic major or department where employed, and where the photograph(s) was taken. Winners will be selected by April 29. Prizes include three \$25 gift cards for Barnes & Noble bookstore plus one \$50 gift card (it can be used on campus or any outlet where B&N is established) For more information, contact Andrea Williams at ext. 4698 or at [andrea.williams@mwsu.edu](mailto:andrea.williams@mwsu.edu).

### Great Day of Service T-Shirts

To conserve funds and make more shirts available to students, we are asking that any faculty or staff who would like a Great Day of Service T-shirt to please purchase one for \$7. The shirt will be black with our new logo, as well as the organizations we help and sponsors on the

back. Please drop off cash or check (with T-shirt size, your name, and campus location – we will deliver!) to the chemistry office by 5 p.m. Wednesday, March 9. For more information, call Candice Fulton at ext. 4450.

## JOBS

### Police Officer II

Department: Police  
Starting Date: As soon as possible  
Starting Salary: \$2,159 - \$2,746 monthly,  
plus benefits (Commensurate  
with qualifications and experience)

### Assistant to the Dean

#### (Open to current MSU employees only)

Department: College of Science and Mathematics  
Starting Date: As soon as possible  
Starting Salary: \$2,452 monthly, plus benefits

## WHO'S NEW

### Linda Lopez

Custodian  
Facilities Services

### Breyana Johnson

Processor/Counselor  
Financial Aid

### Nigel Uline

Police Communication Operator  
University Police

### Brandon Cooper

Assistant Football Coach  
Athletics

## FOR SALE

**Full-size antique bedroom suite.** Headboard, footboard, with chest of drawers, dresser with make-up stool. \$300 firm. For more information, contact Gail at ext. 4253.

## IN THE SPOTLIGHT

**Dr. Beth Vealé**, Associate Professor of Radiologic Sciences, attended the annual meeting of the Association of Collegiate Educators in Radiologic Technology in Las Vegas, Nevada. She coordinated the student academic competition and chaired the poster presentation committee, which also involved evaluating 15 scientific posters from 11 colleges and universities across the nation. She represented MSU Radiologic Sciences in the association's participation in the Image Gently campaign of the American College of Radiology that is dedicated to lowering radiation doses.

An article by **Dr. James Johnston**, Director of Interdisciplinary Education for the College of Health Sciences and Human Services, **Dr. Jeff Killion**, Graduate Coordinator for Radiologic Sciences, and **Robert Comello**, Associate Professor of Radiologic Sciences, titled "Landmarks for Positioning the Lateral Scapula and Scapular Y Projections" that was published in *Radiologic Technology* 2008; 79(4): 379-404, was cited in the new 12th edition of *Merrill's Atlas of Radiographic Positioning and Procedures* introducing a new way to position for these exams.

**Dr. Jeff Killion**, Graduate Coordinator of Radiologic Sciences, gave two presentations at the Louisiana Society of Radiologic Technologists on February 19, in Monroe, La. He presented "Working with Difficult People" and "Career Planning and Development." Killion also conducted an external review for the AS and BS Radiology Programs at Holy Family University on February 25, in Philadelphia, Pa.

**Dr. Mike Patterson** and **Dr. Bob Harmel**, professors in the Dillard College of Business Administration, authored an academic paper titled "The Coin Changing Problem as a Mathematical Model" published in the *Journal of Applied Quantitative Methods*, Vol. 5 number 2.

**Dr. Vanessa Genung**, Coordinator of Family PMH-NP Program and Assistant Professor of Nursing, has been appointed to the Board of Directors for the Texas Chapter of the American Psychiatric Nurses Association (APNA) and has been appointed as the Texas Chapter Regional Representative for Wichita Falls and the surrounding areas.