

the Update

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This Week's Events

Monday

October 3

Office of the Registrar...
Deadline to file for December Graduation

Athletics...
Women's Golf at Lady Buff Stampede Amarillo, Texas

Tuesday

October 4

Athletics...
Women's Golf at Lady Buff Stampede Amarillo, Texas

Continuing Education...
Nonprofit Management Certificate 9 a.m.-5 p.m. WFMA

Hispanic Heritage Month...
A Stroke of Genius 5-7 p.m. Legacy Hall

Athletics...
Volleyball at Southern Nazarene 6 p.m. Bethany, Okla.

Department of Music...
Jazz Band and University Choir Concert 7 p.m. Priddy Pavilion

Student Government Association...
SGA Meeting 7 p.m. Comanche Suites

Wednesday

October 5

Disability Support Services...
Transition Fair 8 a.m. CSC

Thursday

October 6

Athletics...
Men's Soccer at Lubbock Christian 3 p.m. Lubbock, Texas

Hispanic Heritage Month...
Piñata Workshop 3 p.m. Legacy Hall

Center for Continuing Education...
Wreath Making 5:30 p.m. Sikes Lake Center

Department of Theatre...
Production: *Ghosts* by Henrik Ibsen 7:30 p.m. Fain Fine Arts Theatre

Friday

October 7

Hispanic Heritage Month...
Hispanic Leaders Luncheon 11 a.m. CSC Mesquite Café

Department of Human Resources...
Employee Recognition and Service Pinning Luncheon Noon Comanche Suites

Athletics...
Volleyball vs. Angelo State 6 p.m. Ligon Coliseum

Student Development and Orientation...
UPB Tailgate Soccer Party 6 p.m. Soccer Field

Department of Theatre...
Production: *Ghosts* by Henrik Ibsen 7:30 p.m. Fain Fine Arts Theatre

Athletics...
Women's Soccer vs. West Texas A&M 7:30 p.m. MSU Soccer Field

Saturday

October 8

Athletics...
Cross Country at Oklahoma Baptist Invitational Shawnee, Okla.

Athletics...
Men's Soccer at UT-Permian Basin 1 p.m. Odessa, Texas

Athletics...
Women's Volleyball vs. Tarleton State 2 p.m. Ligon Coliseum

Athletics...
Football at Texas A&M-Commerce 7 p.m. Commerce, Texas

Department of Theatre...
Production: *Ghosts* by Henrik Ibsen 7:30 p.m. Fain Fine Arts Theatre

Sunday

October 9

Athletics...
Women's Soccer vs. Eastern New Mexico 1 p.m. MSU Soccer Field

Department of Theatre...
Production: *Ghosts* by Henrik Ibsen 2:30 p.m. Fain Fine Arts Theatre

Mark Your Calendar

Faculty Forum Series: The Human Genome Project

The Faculty Forum Series at Midwestern State University presents The Human Genome Project: A Panel Discussion on the Impact on Health, Technology, and Society at 7 p.m. Monday, October 10, in Clark Student Center Wichita. Karen Polvado, Associate Professor of Nursing, will moderate and participate in the discussion with Stacia Miller, Assistant Professor of Kinesiology; Michael Shipley, Associate Professor of Biology; Richard Simpson, Assistant Professor of Computer Science; and Pam Whitehouse, Assistant Professor of Educational Leadership and Technology. Call Jon Price at ext. 4288 for more information.

Imagine Graduation

Imagine Graduation will be from 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, October 11-12, in CSC Comanche Suites (Atrium entrance). December 2016 graduation

candidates will have the opportunity to finalize everything related to graduation at one time and in one location. Representatives from the following offices will be present to help student with last-minute plans: Registrar's Office, Business Office, Financial Aid, McAda Graduate School, Moffett Library, International Services, MSU Bookstore, Herff Jones, Career Management Center, and Alumni Relations. For more information, call ext. 4116.

Staff Luncheon

President Suzanne Shipley will host a Staff Luncheon from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Wednesday, October 12, on the Sikes House Lawn. The Kiowa Kooks will serve burgers, hot dogs, fries, and the fixins. The luncheon is come and go, and an MSU shuttle will be available from any campus bus stop. Lot #15 by the Wellness Center will be the only lot available for parking. Please RSVP to cindy.ashlock@mwsu.edu by October 10.

Lunch with the Mustangs

Join your MSU Mustangs for lunch at noon October 13 at the Wichita Falls Museum of Art at MSU. Cost is \$5 for members of the Mustangs Athletic Club or \$6 for non-members. For more information, call ext. 4779.

Music Series at Akin: Jennifer Koh & Shai Wosner

The Music Series at Akin presents violinist Jennifer Koh with pianist Shai Wosner at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, October 13, in Akin Auditorium. Koh is Musical America's 2016 Instrumentalist of the Year, a winner of the Concert Artists Guild Competition, and a recipient of an Avery Fisher Career Grant. Wosner has entertained audiences at Kennedy Center's Terrace Theater, the Lincoln Center, the Santa Fe Musical Festival, Cal Performances in Berkeley, Wigmore Hall in London, and the Festival de Musica de Camara in San Miguel de Allende, Mexico. Tickets may be purchased by contacting the Department of Music at ext. 4267, or visiting <http://fineartstickets.mwsu.edu>. Season tickets for faculty and staff are \$24 or \$15 for each performance. MSU students are admitted free and tickets.

Theatre Production: *Ghosts* by Henrik Ibsen

MSU Theatre will present *Ghosts* by Henrik Ibsen at 7:30 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, October 13-15, in the Fain Fine Arts Center Theatre. Secrets abound in the Alving family. Upon the dedication of an orphanage in her late husband's memory, Mrs. Alving may have to divulge all. After Friday night's performance, the audience is invited to stay for a talkback session with cast and crew about any aspect of the production. General admission tickets are \$10. Price is \$8 for pre-college students, senior citizens, and military. Admission is free for students, faculty, and staff with a valid MSU ID. For more information or for season ticket or group

ticket information, call the box office at ext., 4393, the publicity office at ext. 4399, or the Department of Theatre at ext. 4670.

Campus News

Flu Vaccine Clinics

The Vinson Health Center is offering free flu shots to all MSU students with current MSU ID during the following times:

1:30-4 p.m. Wednesday, October 19
2-4 p.m. Friday, October 21
8:30-10:30 a.m. Wednesday, October 26

An MSU ID and appointment are required.

All other eligible groups are faculty, staff, retirees, spouses of faculty/staff, and current Alumni Association members, who may schedule an appointment for \$18. Group appointments may be scheduled, time permitting. Vinson Health Center will offer a free influenza vaccine for anyone accompanying 10 students. Visit the Vinson website for additional information and updates at <http://www.mwsu.edu/healthcenter/>. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call ext. 4231.

Welcome

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Jobs

An EEO/ADAAA Compliance Employer

Business Assistant
(Open to Current MSU Benefit-Eligible Employees)
Department: Administration and Finance
Starting Date: As soon as possible
Starting Salary: \$2,531 monthly, plus benefits

In the Spotlight

On September 27, Computer Science Faculty participated in the Eighth-Grade Career Expo held at MPEC. **Ranette Halverson, Tina Johnson, Cerise Wuthrich,** and **Richard Simpson** discussed computer science as a discipline of study and as a career path in eight separate sessions meeting with approximately 500 eighth-grade students from Wichita Falls ISD and area schools.

Andrew J. Allen, Assistant Professor of Music, has transcribed and edited Giovanni Gabrieli's *Diligam te Domine* for saxophone octet. It is now distributed through Dorn Publications, Inc.