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AROUND CAMPUS

Learning Styles Workshop
Four learning styles workshops will be offered this week as part of the Student Success Series presented by the Office of Student Transition Services. Participants will complete a quick learning preferences inventory and discover new ways to study that best fit their preferred style. The schedule is:
- Wednesday, September 26 at noon and 5 p.m. in CSC Cheyenne
- Thursday, September 27 at 7 p.m. in CSC Wichita
- Friday, September 28 at 1 p.m. in CSC Cheyenne
For more information, call ext. 4500.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Social Media Day
The third annual MSU Texas Social Media Day will be Monday, October 1. Designed as a series of short, 30-minute discussions on the how-to and why-to of various aspects of social media, the day will include a speaker from PolitiFact—Allison Graves—who will discuss how to fact-check social media. Other speakers include local individuals talking about everything from analyzing success in social media to how to utilize Facebook Live. The event is sponsored by the Department of Mass Communication and the Division of Student Affairs. Events will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the Legacy Multipurpose Room. There is no charge for any of the events and no pre-registration is required. For more information, visit the MSU Social Media Day webpage.

Faculty Forum:
Dr. David Carlton
The Faculty Forum will present Dr. David Carlton, Professor of Psychology and this year’s Hardin Professor, at 7 p.m. Monday, October 1, in Legacy Multipurpose Room. Carlton’s topic will be “Motivational Interviewing: A Framework for Inspiring Change.” Hardin Professor is the highest honor bestowed on MSU professors. Admission is free and open to all. For more information, contact Dr. Jon Price at jonathan.price@msutexas.edu or call ext. 4288.

¡Conectémonos! Professional Networking Lunch
As part of Hispanic Heritage Month, students are invited to connect with local professionals and peers over lunch to improve their networking skills and to discuss identity expression in the workplace. The networking luncheon will be from 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m. Tuesday, October 2, in Legacy Multipurpose Room. RSVP is required and seating is limited. The event is sponsored by the Office for Equity, Inclusion and Multicultural Affairs.

i.d.e.a.WF 2018
The keynote speaker for this year’s i.d.e.a.WF luncheon is Tommy Van Wolfe, Vice President of Corporate Restaurants for Raising Cane’s Chicken Fingers. Van Wolfe will share how Raising Cane’s gives back by supporting the community and improving the lives of those who make the company so successful. To date, Raising Cane’s has donated more than 25% of its profits back to the communities where its restaurants operate, with an emphasis on schools, food banks, active lifestyles, canine assistance, and business and entrepreneurship organizations. The judges have selected six outstanding finalists for i.d.e.a.WF 2018: Civilian Ballistic Defense – a
new start-up company with a patent pending on a stadium seat that converts to a ballistic plate carrier much like those used by law enforcement.

**Handcrafted Modern Charm** – Pinterest-inspired handcrafted décor, gifts, and accessories with a focus on modern style with a twist of rustic charm.

**Herd Connect** – a customizable web-based cattle management system that allows ranchers to monitor and update cattle operations, pasture placements, and animal histories.

**NuYu Teeth Whitening** – a business-to-business provider of teeth whitening products with over 150 retailers located throughout the United States and Canada.

**The Burn Shop** – with their state of the art CNC plasma table and a wealth of creativity, they offer everything from simple decorative cutouts to customized grill grates to large-scale business signs.

**Xylo Bats** – offering the highest quality wooden baseball bats on the market to everyone from a 6-year old little leaguer to professional baseball players and everyone in between.

The luncheon will be from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Wednesday, October 3, in CSC Comanche Suites. i.d.e.a.WF tickets are $25 and available online. For more information, call ext. 6200.

**Speakers & Issues Series: Amanda Danning**

Nationally known artist and forensic sculptor, Amanda Danning puts faces on our long dead history and tells tales which have been written in bone with her presentation of “Skeletons in My Closet” at 7 p.m. Thursday, October 4, at the Wichita Falls Museum of Art as part of the University’s Speakers & Issues Series.

Danning gained international recognition as a forensic sculptor. She has achieved this recognition, in part, through her consulting work with the Smithsonian Institute on several occasions. Her facial reconstructions have been the subjects of exhibits at the National Museum of Natural History in Washington, D.C., the National Buffalo Soldier Museum, and the Bullock Texas State History Museum. Her work has also been displayed on programs shown on the History Channel and the National Geographic Channel. Since 2010, Danning’s work has been featured in several books including on the cover of Douglas W. Owsley and Richard L. Jantz’s *Kennewick Man: The Scientific Investigation of an Ancient American Skeleton*. With more than 20 years of professional experience and an advanced degree in sculpture, Danning has more than a hundred portraits in museums across the nation.

She has gained extensive experience in the museum industry working as a designer, fabricator, and exhibit director. For more information, call Sally Henschel at ext. 4731.
University Choir and Midwestern Singers

The Department of Music will present the University Choir and the Midwestern Singers in concert at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, October 4, in Akin Auditorium. For more information, call ext. 4267.

Reel to Real Film Series: The Latino List

The Office of Equity, Inclusion & Multicultural Affairs will present the first of its Reel to Real Series with a screening of The Latino List at 7 p.m. Thursday, October 4, in the Center for Multicultural Affairs & Community. The film explores an aspect of Hispanic/Latinx culture, identity and tradition. Refreshments will be provided. For more information, call ext. 4947.

Theatre: Dracula

The Department of Theatre will present Dracula by Steven Dietz at 7:30 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, October 4-6, and at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, October 7, in the Fain Fine Arts Center Theatre. The play is based on Bram Stoker’s novel of the Transylvanian vampire and those who want to stop him from taking new victims. General admission tickets are $10. Price is $8 for pre-college students, senior citizens, and military. MSU students, faculty, and staff will be admitted free. For more information, call the box office at ext. 4393, the publicity office at ext. 4399, or the Department of Theatre at ext. 4670.

Family Weekend 2018

Family Weekend begins Friday, October 5. This year’s program will feature a variety of activities on the MSU campus and at Memorial Stadium. For a complete schedule of events, visit the Family Weekend webpage.

Spirit Event and Membership Kickoff

The Office of Alumni Relations will present its annual Spirit Event and Membership Kickoff from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Saturday, October 6, at Memorial Stadium on the west side lawn. Alumni may renew their membership before the football game and enjoy a free hot dog. Call ext. 4121 to RSVP by October 3. The 2018 Spirit Award will be presented to Barbara Merkle at the Alumni Award Ceremony during homecoming.

JOBS

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Custodian (2 positions)
Department: Facilities Services
Starting Date: As soon as possible
Starting Salary: $1,655.67 monthly, plus benefits

Registrar Assistant I
Department: Registrar
Starting Date: October 15, 2018
Starting Salary: $1,907.33 monthly, plus benefits

Secretary
Department: Music
Starting Date: September 30, 2018
Starting Salary: $1,907.33 monthly, plus benefits

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Nathan Jun, Associate Professor and Coordinator of the Philosophy Program, presented two papers—“Anarchism without Adjectives” and “Deleuze and the Anarchist Tradition”—at the 5th Anarchist Studies Network Conference at Loughborough University, UK, September 13-14.