This Week

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9
Men’s Golf at Ryan Palmer Foundation Invitational
All Day    Amarillo, Texas

Women’s Golf at Texas Women’s Fall Classic
All Day    Glen Rose, Texas

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10
Men’s Golf at Ryan Palmer Foundation Invitational
All Day    Amarillo, Texas

Women’s Golf at Texas Women’s Fall Classic
All Day    Glen Rose, Texas

Grammar Fair
1 p.m.    CSC Comanche

OSPR Faculty Research Coffee Talk: Intramural Grants 101
3:30 p.m.    CSC Cheyenne

Faculty Forum: What fueled me to be first?
7 p.m.    Dillard 101

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
Caribtreats
10 a.m.    Clark Student Center

Corn in a Cup Sale
11 a.m.    Clark Student Center

Women’s Soccer vs. Oklahoma Baptist
5 p.m.    MSU Soccer Field

Students Taking Action in the Name of Diversity!
7 p.m.    MOSAIC Cross Cultural Center

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12
Handmade Soap Craft Class
2 p.m.    CSC Atrium

Faculty Senate
3 p.m.    Wichita Falls Museum of Art

WPE Workshop
4 p.m.    PY 102

Men’s Soccer at Northeastern State
7 p.m.    Tahlequah, Oklahoma

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
Faculty and Staff
Centennial Hall Tours
2 p.m.    Centennial Hall
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Around Campus

Continuing Education: Computer, Basic
The Center for Continuing Education will present a two-session Computer, Basic class beginning September 9. The instructor for the course is Stuart Halverson. The cost is $65. Many of the Center’s computer courses are scheduled on an “as needed” basis. If a course that is not listed is required or an additional date is needed, please contact the Continuing Education at ext. 4307 or email lorraine.parmer@msutexas.edu.

OSPR Faculty Research Coffee Talk: Intramural Grants 101
The Office of Sponsored Programs and Research (OSPR) will present a Faculty Research Coffee Talk to discuss intramural grants at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 10, in CSC Cheyenne. Guests are encouraged to ask questions, discuss scholarly and creative project ideas, and learn how to craft a competitive intramural grant proposal. RSVP by Monday, September 9. For more information, contact the Office of Sponsored Programs & Research at ext. 4714 or email sponsoredprograms@msutexas.edu.

Faculty Forum: What fueled me to be first?
The Faculty Forum presents “What fueled me to be first? Stories from MSU’s first-generation faculty and administrators,” a panel discussion moderated by Dr. Marcy Brown Marsden, Dean for the McCoy College of Science, Mathematics & Engineering. The forum will begin at 7 p.m. Tuesday, September 10, in Dillard 101. For more information, contact Dr. Jonathan Price at ext. 4893 or email jonathan.price@msutexas.edu.

Wellness Center 10-Year Anniversary Kickoff
The Bruce and Graciela Redwine Student Wellness Center is hosting an all afternoon/evening event from 3-8 p.m. Friday, September 13, to celebrate the 10-year anniversary of the Wellness Center opening. Food, games, swag, group fitness classes, tours, orientation, and more will be available. For more information, contact the Wellness Center at ext. 4466 or email angie.reay@msutexas.edu.

WFMA: Opening Reception for Paul Valadez
The Wichita Falls Museum of Art at MSU Texas will present an opening reception for Paul Valadez from 6-8 p.m. Friday, September 13. Valadez is Assistant Professor of Art at the University of Texas Rio Grande Valley in Edinburg, Texas. His artwork is inspired by his childhood and language experiences growing up in a bicultural family: Anglo/white on his mother’s side, and Mexican on his father’s side, and the feeling that he never fit in with either side. The exhibition is in celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month, which begins September 15. For more information, contact the WFMA at ext. 8900.

Theatre Production: The 39 Steps
The Department of Theatre will present The 39 Steps by Patrick Barlow at 7:30 p.m. Friday, September 13, and Saturday, September 14, in the Bea Wood Studio Theatre. Based on the book by John Buchan, this comedy homage to Alfred Hitchcock and his 1935 film of the same name combines murder, espionage, and clever stage magic to create a fast-paced whodunit. The cast of four play more than 150 characters. General admission is $5, including students, faculty, and staff. For more information, contact the Department of Theatre at ext. 4670.
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**Volleyball at the Pioneer Invitational in Denton, Texas**
2 p.m. vs. Henderson State
6 p.m. vs. Sioux Falls, S.D.

**Wellness Center**

10-Year Anniversary Kickoff
3 p.m. Redwine Student Wellness Center

**WFMA - Opening Reception for Paul Valadez**
6 p.m. Wichita Falls Museum of Art

**Women’s Soccer vs. Emporia State**
7 p.m. MSU Soccer Field

**Theatre Production: The 39 Steps**
7:30 p.m. Fain Fine Arts Theatre

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14**

**Volleyball at the DBU Patriot Tournament in Dallas, Texas**
11 a.m. vs. Missouri Southern State
5 p.m. vs. Dallas Baptist

**Football vs. Lindenwood**
6 p.m. St. Charles, Missouri

**Theatre Production: The 39 Steps**
7:30 p.m. Fain Fine Arts Theatre

**WFMA: Weekend Workshops**
The Wichita Falls Museum of Art continues its free walk-in lessons every Saturday in September with the following workshops:
September 14: Foam Relief Prints
September 21: Screen Printing
September 28: Gold Leaf

Lessons are from 1:30-4:30 p.m. and are available for ages 7 to adult. For more information, call ext. 8900.

**Mark Your Calendar**

**Continuing Education: Social Media for Seniors**
The Center for Continuing Education will host Social Media for Seniors from 10-11:30 a.m. Tuesday, September 17, in Hardin 225. Discover how to connect with family and old friends through different avenues of social media. Learn the basic pros and cons of Facebook, Messenger, Instagram and Twitter, and receive a road map to set up accounts. Cost is $25. For more information, contact the Center for Continuing Education at ext. 4307 or email lorraine.parmerr@msutexas.edu.

**University Jazz Ensemble**
The Department of Music will present the University Jazz Ensemble in concert at noon Friday, September 20, at the Priddy Pavilion at Sikes Lake. An additional concert will take place at 7:30 p.m. in the Akin Auditorium. Admission is free. For more information, contact the Department of Music at ext. 4267.

**Caribfest**
Every year, Caribfest brings the famous Caribbean, or more internationally known West Indian, culture to campus. Annually, thousands of students and community members come to campus to celebrate the independence of various countries located in the West Indies region. This year the festival takes place Thursday, September 19, through Saturday, September 21. The festival includes a two-hour street parade, traditional Caribbean food, rhythms of the pan ensemble, and traditional dances. Each year, the celebration ends with a cultural showcase and allows participants the opportunity to obtain traditional arts and crafts of the West Indies culture. For more information, contact the Caribbean Student Organization at senator@csoweb.com.

**Art Opening Reception: Robbie Barber, Sculptor**
The Juanita Harvey Art Gallery will present an opening reception for sculptor Robbie Barber from 6-8 p.m. Friday, September 20, in the Juanita Harvey Art Gallery. Barber has been Associate Professor of Art, Sculpture & 3D Design at Baylor University since 2000. His architecture-related sculptures have been shown in galleries across the nation, including the Wichita Falls Museum of Art. Barber was Assistant Professor of Art at MSU from 1994-2000. For more information, contact the Department of Art at ext. 4264 or email nicolette.daubert@msutexas.edu.

**Campus News**

**Library Research Scholars Awards**
Moffett Library is pleased to announce the 2018-2019 winners of the Library Research Scholars award. First-place winners are Prisca Mbonu, DeShaunte Rolle, Shanice
Toussaint, and Seshakell Williams, who co-authored research on MRSA evolutions. Runners up were former MSU student Darren Butler (Bahamas and computer technology), Cody Comer (Schizoaffective Disorders), Logann Ewers (Traumatic Brain Injury), and Simon Ospina (Small Business Development Centers). All recognized scholars received gift cards. A reception honoring these undergraduate researchers will take place in early October.

Welcome

Heidi Hakimi-Hood
Program Specialist, IELI

Amanda Awtrey
Dual Credit Coordinator

Dominique Bradley
Registrar Assistant I

Selene Gonzales Jimenez
Financial Aid Processor/Counselor

Philip Aragon
Custodian, Facilities Services

Kamy Holloway
Secretary, Radiologic Science

Beth Reissenweber
Vice President, Administration and Finance

Dreama Torres
Custodian, Facilities Services

John Ashbrook
Associate Professor/Chair, History

Melanie Billmeier
Assistant Professor, Radiologic Science - Flower Mound

Christy Bowen
Assistant Professor, Nursing

Eunji Cho
Assistant Professor, Mass Communication

Jennifer Dawes
Professor/Chair English, Humanities and Philosophy

Paul Dease
Visiting Assistant Professor, Music

Rebekah Dowd
Assistant Professor, Political Science

Esi Elliot
Assistant Professor, Marketing

Tracie Fulton
Assistant Professor, Nursing

Kyung Gagum
Assistant Professor, World Languages and Cultures

Paul Geraci
Visiting Assistant Professor, Music

William Hayter
Visiting Assistant Professor, Music

Morgan Mallory
Visiting Assistant Professor, Theatre

Jacob Mescher
Lecturer, Mathematics

Michael Olson
Associate Professor/Chair, Athletic Training/Exercise Physiology

Jennifer Pace
Assistant Professor, Sociology

Kimberly Platt
Assistant Professor, Nursing

Pranaya Pokharel
Visiting Assistant Professor, Engineering

Laura Poston
Visiting Instructor, Athletic Training

Sarah Quintanar
Associate Professor, Economics

Corey Robinson
Visiting Assistant Professor, Music

Emily Weitzel
Assistant Professor, Nursing

Melissa Witherspoon
Assistant Professor, Nursing

Anne Blankenship
Assistant Professor, Nursing

Linda Gonzalez
Visiting Assistant Professor, World Languages and Culture

Jobs

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Assistant to the Registrar
Department: Office of the Registrar
Starting Date: As soon as possible
Starting Salary: $2,531 monthly, plus benefits

Coordinator, Orientation
Department: Admissions
Starting Date: October 7, 2019
Starting Salary: $2,358.17 monthly, plus benefits

Groundskeeper
Department: Facilities Services
Starting Date: September 30, 2019
Starting Salary: $1,715.33 monthly, plus benefits

Assessment Specialist
Department: Institutional Effectiveness
Starting Date: October 1, 2019
Starting Salary: $3,020.67 monthly, plus benefits

Simulation Technician,
Regional Simulation Center
Department: Gunn College of Health Sciences & Human Services
Starting Date: As soon as possible
Starting Salary: $3,095.75 monthly, plus benefits