

#### **Dr. Shonrock Conducting Listening Tours**

Over the last few weeks, Dr. Shonrock has conducted a listening tour with each individual school. These visits were an opportunity for faculty to share their ideas and concerns and for Dr. Shonrock to share his vision. The meetings went very well and Dr. Shonrock will be following up with the academic deans to share what he learned.



#### **Online MA in Nonprofit Administration Voted Fourth**

Our [online MA in Nonprofit Administration](#) was voted [fourth](#) among all schools that offer an online degree in this discipline by Best College Reviews!

## Lindenwood Belleville Education Department to Co-Host 'Experience Dyslexia: A Learning Disabilities Simulation'

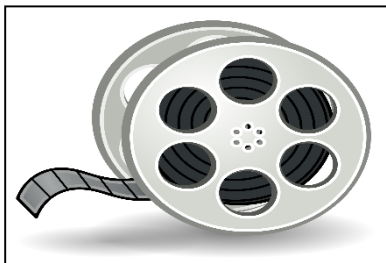


The Division of Education and Counseling at Lindenwood University-Belleville has partnered with area organizations to host "Experience Dyslexia: A Learning Disabilities Simulation" Thursday, Oct. 26, at 6 p.m. at the Children's Dyslexia Center, 1549 Frank Scott Parkway West, Belleville. [Read more.](#)



### Career Fair

Students and alumni came out in force to participate in the Fall 2017 Career and Internship Fair. Armed with resumes and dressed in their best professional attire, candidates stepped onto the floor of the Evans Commons Gym and were greeted by representatives from some of the areas' top corporations including Abstrakt Marketing, Brown Smith Wallace, Monsanto, Enterprise Holdings, Microsoft, the FBI, Edward Jones, Mueller Prost, and many more. Approximately 20 percent of the company representatives that participated were alumni who landed their first jobs as a result of attending a Lindenwood Career Fair.



### Cinema Arts Students Attend Best Film School in Germany

Lindenwood University Cinema Arts students Jackson Olson and Brent Butler are attending the first Germany Study Abroad program for the Arts, Media, and Communications School. They are part of the Filmakademie Baden-Wurttemberg, in Ludwigsburg, Germany, International Bilateral Exchange program. According to the *Hollywood Reporter* in 2015, the Filmakademie is the number one film school in Germany, and in the Top Fifteen in the world.

ATHLETICS

**Cycling Team Finishes Third Overall** [The cycling team finished third](#) overall at the

2017 USA Cycling Collegiate Track National Championships September 14-16 in Indianapolis, IN. The Lions earned a total of 774 points, while Colorado Mesa earned 953 for second and Marian 1,075 for first.



### **Men's Water Polo Still Ranked No. 1**

[Men's water polo claimed the top spot again](#) in the Collegiate Water Polo Association (CWPA) Week Two Men's Collegiate Club Top 20 Poll.



### **Table Tennis Posts Solid Results at First Event**

[The table tennis team posted solid results](#) at the first event of the season, the Butterfly Badger Open, September 16-17 at the Milwaukee County Sports Complex in Franklin, WI.



### **Billiards Struggles, but Pulls out 15-12 Win**

The billiards team struggled early, but [was still able to pull out a 15-12 win](#) against Rudy's Rackrunners at the Lindenwood Billiards Arena. The win gave the Lions a 3-1 record so far this season.



### **Lions Remain Eighth in Regular Season Ranking**

[Men's ice hockey remained eighth](#) in the first regular season American Collegiate Hockey Association (ACHA) Men's Division I Ranking.



### Football Beats Pitt State

Two of Lindenwood football's biggest wins since joining the MIAA have come at Carnie Smith Stadium in Pittsburg, KS. The first came in 2012, and sparked the team to a Mineral Water Bowl appearance. The second came when the [Lions defeated the Gorillas this season](#) by a 45-11 margin.



### Lindenwood vs. Fort Hays State

For the second straight home game, the Lions were just a play or two from coming away with a victory. Once again, though, [Lindenwood fell just short as it lost to No. 14 Fort Hays State](#) on Saturday by a 38-35 margin.



### Men's Soccer Handles No. 16 Upper Iowa

[Men's soccer defeated the No. 16 Upper Iowa](#) Peacocks by a final score of 2-1 from Hunter Stadium. Steven Lilako scored his first goal as a Lion in the 67th minute, which would prove to be the game-winning score.



### Second-Half Surge Propels Field Hockey to Victory

Women's field hockey captured their [fourth-consecutive victory](#) to begin the 2017 season! The Lions scored twice in the final eight minutes of the match to defeat the Mercy Mavericks 3-2.



### deBruyn Makes 48 Saves at Wisconsin

[Women's hockey opened the 2017-18 season](#) with a 3-1 loss at No. 2 Wisconsin. *Taylor Girard* scored Lindenwood's first goal of the season while on the power play in the second period.



### **Men's Golf Takes Sixth at NSU Golf Classic**

[Men's golf played to a sixth-place finish](#) at the NSU Golf Classic from Muskogee Country Club in Muskogee, OK. For the second time in three tournaments this season, Yente Van Doren secured a top-five finish, landing in fourth place to lead the Lions.



### **Gymnastics Announces 2018 Schedule**

[The Lindenwood gymnastics team announced its 2018 season!](#) The highlight will be the Lady Lions hosting this year's MIC Championships in March.



### **Hoogendijk Named ECAC Player of the Week**

[Bridget Hoogendijk has been named the ECAC field hockey Player of the Week.](#) It is her first weekly award of the season and the second award for the Lions this season.



### **Lions Tested by Bears but Win in OT**

Men's ice hockey was tested by Missouri State, but [pulled out a 3-2 win in overtime](#) at the Mediacom Ice Plex in Springfield, MO. The Lions are undefeated so far with a 3-0 record!



### **Lions Top Washburn in Five Sets**

Women's volleyball battled Washburn to a thrilling five-set victory recently. [The win is the Lions' second in a row.](#) Lindenwood rises to 10-8 overall and 2-3 in MIAA games.

## **FACULTY**



### **Music Professor On Tour**

This October, Dr. Jeffrey Barudin, Associate Professor of Music, will be joining with Susan Nelson of Bowling Green State University to "explore the unique and exciting partnership of bassoon and percussion". The duo will be offering performances, clinics, master classes, and chamber coaching. They will be going to Bowling Green State University, the University of Akron, Youngstown State University, and Ithaca College.



### **Health Sciences Professor Authors Key Position Stands**

Chad Kerksick, assistant professor and director of the Exercise and Performance Laboratory, has played an important role in the creation of a pair of position stands designed to guide fitness professionals in how to best do their jobs. Kerksick was the lead author of one of the papers, titled "Nutrient Timing." He was the second author on the other, which was entitled "Dietary Protein and Exercise." Both were published by the International Society of Sports Nutrition.



### **Assistant Professor of Management Published**

One of Bob Cote's papers "Vision of Effective Leadership" has been accepted by 2 journals – *The Journal of Leadership, Accountability and Ethics* and *International Journal of Business Administration*. The purpose of the paper will be to develop a framework for the objective evaluation of leadership styles, including effective and dark side leadership.

## STAFF



### **Stockley Decision: An Open Forum**

The Office of Student Life & Diversity sponsored an open forum on the Stockley Decision on September 26th in Dunseth Auditorium. Over 130 students, faculty, staff, and senior administrators attended the event. Dr. Pernell Witherspoon was the moderator and the panelists were Kelly Moyich, Dr. Saint Rice, and Dr. Donna Bradley.



### **Diversity Dialogue: Free Speech**

The DEI Task Force and Office of Student Life & Leadership are sponsoring a new series called "Diversity Dialogues". The first event will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 10 from 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. in Dunseth Auditorium, Harmon Hall. The topic will be Free Speech and will be an open forum. The event will be moderated by Dr. Pernell Witherspoon, Associate Professor of Criminal Justice. All students, faculty, and staff are invited.

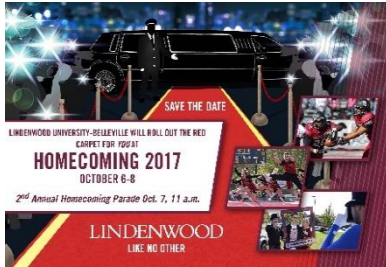
### **Lindenwood Supports Our Venezuelan Students**

Dr. Ryan Guffey, Associate Vice President for Global Education and Dr. Shane Williamson, Associate Vice President for Student Life & Diversity, sent an informative and supportive email to all of the Lindenwood University Venezuelan students. The email addressed the temporary travel ban, defined an executive order, and reiterated Lindenwood University's commitment to international students. The students appreciated our joint email.

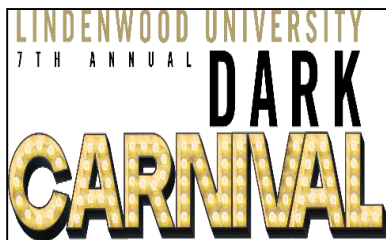


## IN OTHER NEWS

### Belleville Homecoming



Join the Belleville campus for Parents, Family and Alumni Reunion at Homecoming 2017! For a full list of events, visit [www.lindenwood.edu/bv/homecoming](http://www.lindenwood.edu/bv/homecoming)



### Dark Carnival

It's that time of year again! The [Lindenwood Dark Carnival](#) is right around the corner on Oct. 25! Mark your calendar, as this will be the best year ever: more booths, more food, great music, and great prizes!

### Stephen and Owen King at Lindenwood



The event with Stephen and Owen King in the J. Scheidegger Center was a smashing hit! [Click here](#) to see what the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* had to say about it!



### International Day of Prayer for Peace

Lindenwood University's Chaplain's Office held a service for the International Day of Prayer for Peace. The event was led by Chaplain, Rev. Dr. Nichole Torbitzky and students from Catholic Student Union and International Student Fellowship. Students, faculty, and staff gathered in Spellmann Plaza for music and prayer for our world, nation, city, University, and our lives.



### **Family Day**

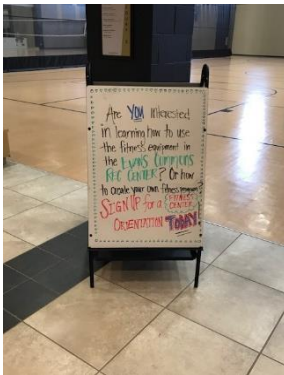
Family Day 2017 was a huge success! Over 400 people attended the various events offered throughout the day which included a Business/Departmental Expo, LARC Ribbon Cutting, Kid's Corner, International Festival, and Football Game.

### **Outdoor Intramural Sports**



Outdoor intramural sports are in action! The Evans Commons Rec Center is currently hosting flag football, softball, and sand volleyball leagues just to name a few! The ongoing events for students will be held throughout the semester with new sports every few weeks. Students are able to sign up by contacting the Evans Commons Rec Center front desk for more information.

### **Fitness Orientations**



The Evans Commons Rec Center is now offering fitness orientations to better help all students, staff, and faculty. These orientations are aimed to providing educational sessions on how to properly use the equipment or how to structure workout programs. All participants can stop by the Evans Commons Rec Center front desk for questions or to sign up!



### **Thriving Fraternities and Sororities**



Fraternity and Sorority recruitment added 103 new members to their community bringing the total number of affiliated students to 343. This year, the fraternity participated in a Bid Day Ceremony where they announced to our community which organization they were joining. Here are the numbers for the 2016 – 2017 academic year: 5,028 hours of community service and \$17,055.06 raised for charity.

### **Outstanding Cohort Default Rate**

We received our official 2014 Cohort Default Rate notification letter that the U.S. Department of Education releases once per year. Lindenwood University is 2.3 percent, which is well below the national and state level! The FY 2014 national cohort default rate is 11.5 percent and the FY 2014 Cohort Default Rate for the State of Missouri is 10.9 percent. A cohort default rate is the percentage of a school's borrowers who enter repayment on certain Federal Family Education Loan (FFEL) Program or William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan (Direct Loan) Program loans during a particular federal fiscal year (FY), October 1 to September 30, and default prior to the end of the second following fiscal year.

### **Lunch with Leaders**

Student Involvement teamed up with Alumni Relations to offer our first ever Lunch with Leaders event on Sept. 20. This event gave students the chance to network with 3 Lindenwood alumni - Jeremiah Dellas '01, Wes Kuhn '15 and Elliott Shostak '03 & '14, and hear about their various leadership experiences

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