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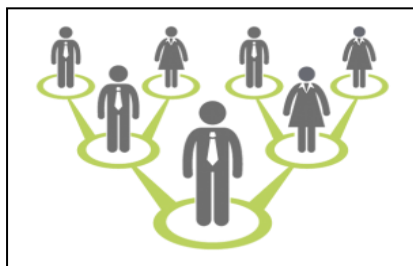
Giving Week

Lindenwood celebrated its first [Week of Giving](#) on October 8-12, 2018. This week gave Lindenwood an opportunity to recognize the wonderful support we receive from faculty, staff, alumni, families, friends, and students. Lindenwood University's Giving Week campaign, which was held Oct. 8-12, raised nearly \$27,000. More than 220 donors contributed.



Launch with the Lynx Fundraiser

The Launch with the Lynx Fundraiser was held September 10-28, 2018. The purpose of the fundriaser was to support Belleville's athletic programs. The fundraiser raised a total of \$51,609.92 with Women's soccer raising the highest dollar amount of \$935.30.



Succession Planning

Joy Peluchette, Assistant Dean of the Plaster School of Business and members of the Human Resources staff, Brittany Brown, Director of Employee Development, and Amanda Price, Assistant Vice President, presented a roadmap for implementing succession planning to various leadership levels at the institution. Their plan goes beyond performance and

evaluates employee talent in order to predict whether an individual is a potential match to a position's hiring profile. Utilizing features within Workday, administrators will be able to identify and develop future leaders for advancement. Succession planning will begin at the cabinet level and extend throughout the various levels within the institution. This roadmap will secure the institution's ability to carry out its mission and achieve its strategic goals.



Lacrosse Teams and Field Hockey Team Adopted

In order to connect with and show support for students on campus, Human Resources and the President's Office decided to "adopt" athletic teams. For the fall season, HR adopted the men's and women's lacrosse teams while the president's office adopted the field hockey team. HR recently hosted a luncheon for the field hockey teams where the HR Mascott, Gypsy,

stole the show! The President's Office hosted a reception at the Lindenwood house for the field hockey team for their last home game. Both were wonderful events filled with Lions supporting Lions!



BBQ for North County ADP Students

Jim Jump (North County Extension Site Director) and Mark Bohr (Development) recently coordinated a Student Appreciation BBQ for ADP students at the North County site. This was a great opportunity to connect traditional and post-traditional populations, as well as support the idea of 'community' and involvement on campus and promote Homecoming for this population! An Estimated 60+ students attended, alongside 10+ faculty/staff members and 3 freshman football players from St. Charles.



Health Management Creates Newsletter

The Health Management Programs within the School of Accelerated Degree Programs have put together a newsletter that is being sent to graduates, students, and adjunct professors. The newsletter will help create cohesiveness between the program and its community.



Women's Golf Finishes Seventh at Preview

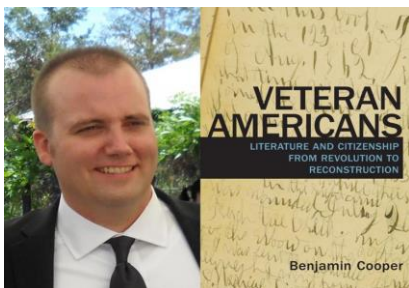
The women's golf team finished seventh at the Central Region Preview hosted by Northeastern State. The tournament serves as a preview on the course that will serve as the host of the NCAA DII Central Regional in the spring. [Read more](#)



Women's Volleyball Drops UCM Contest

The women's volleyball team dropped a three-set contest to No. 17 Central Missouri at Hyland Arena. Sadie Kosciuk was the Lions' top point-scorer with nine kills and a .353 attack percentage. The loss moves the Lions to 12-10 overall and 4-8 in MIAA matches. [Read more](#)

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Cooper to Discuss Book at Left Bank Books

Dr. Ben Cooper, Assistant Professor of English, will [discuss and sign his new book](#) titled *Veteran Americans: Literature and Citizenship from Revolution to Reconstruction* at Left Bank Books in St. Louis on Monday, November 12 at 7:00 PM.



Bear and Mircsov Present at Conference

Kim Bear (IT), and Eric Mircsov (HR) presented at the Workday Rising Student User Group at the Mandalay Bay Convention Center in Las Vegas, NV. There were over 300 people from various higher education institutions in attendance. Kim and Eric presented on how Workday's human resources and student information systems can work together to create a great end-user experience. Lindenwood was showcased for how we leveraged these two systems in our student employee program and person data as well as for implementing a successful governance model.

Eckert Co-Authors Second Edition of Teen Court Manual



Lindenwood University-Belleville's adjunct instructor of criminology and criminal justice and executive director of St. Clair County Teen Court, Judge (Ret.) Annette Eckert, has co-authored *Implementing Teen Courts: A Restorative Justice Peer Jury Guide and Manual, 2nd Edition, 2018* alongside Zabelle Norsigian Vartanian, administrator for St. Clair County Teen Court. [Read more](#)

Official Launch of Economic Education Center



Lindenwood University celebrated the official launch of its [Economic Education Center \(EEC\)](#) on October 9. The EEC represents a growing partnership between the School of Education and the Hammond Institute for Free Enterprise in the Plaster School of Business & Entrepreneurship.



Deca CAPS Receive \$10,000.00 Grant

AT&T Aspire has awarded \$10,000 to Lindenwood University's DECA Consultancy and St. Charles County CAPS for an education program designed to encourage students to reach their highest potential.

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Alumnus Begins Career with Decatur Police Department

Illinois native Clayton Zilz knew he wanted to be a police officer from a young age. Now, as a Lindenwood University-Belleville alumnus, he won't have to travel very far to start his new career in law enforcement. After graduating in December 2017 with a bachelor's degree in criminal justice, Zilz had just a short eight-month gap before securing a position with the Decatur Illinois Police Department.

[Read more](#)



Assessment Champion Awards

Each year, the Assessment Committee at Lindenwood University, through a nomination process, recognizes its faculty and staff who have made a significant contribution toward promoting continuous improvement through assessment with the presentation of an "Assessment Champion Award."

On October 10, at the St. Charles faculty meeting, ten faculty members received one of these awards for their assessment efforts during the 2017-18 academic year. The recipients were:

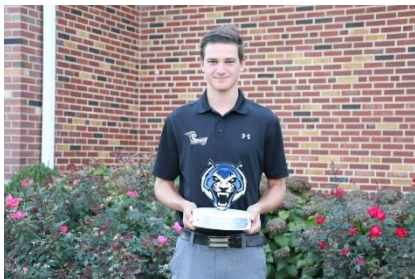
- Bob Steffus, School of Education
- James Hutson, School of Arts, Media, and Communications
- Meri Marsh, School of Humanities
- Tom Godar, School of Health Sciences
- Mira Ezvan, Plaster School of Business & Entrepreneurship
- Amanda Aldridge, School of Education
- Areerat Kichkha, School of Accelerated Degree Programs
- Sarah Patterson-Mills, School of Education
- Jessica Randolph, School of Health Sciences
- Geremy Carnes, School of Humanities



Alumna Ludtke Crowned Miss Missouri

Alumna Miriah Ludtke, who graduated from Lindenwood University in May 2015 with a degree in journalism, was recently crowned Miss Missouri USA at the pageant in Booneville. She will compete for the title of Miss USA in Las Vegas in May.

[Read more](#)



Van Doren Named MIAA Men's Golfer of the Week

For the third time this season, senior golfer Yente Van Doren has been named the MIAA Golfer of the Week. The MIAA has issued only four Golfer of the Week awards this season. [Read more](#)



Starbeck Sets Record on Senior Night

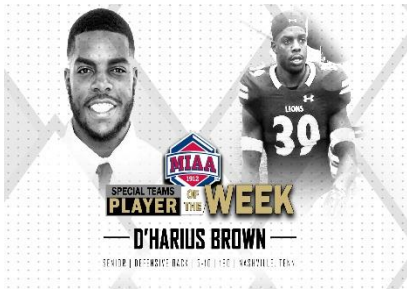
Lindenwood senior goalie Skylar Starbeck became the winningest goalkeeper in Lindenwood history in a 6-0 victory over visiting Bellarmine. She has 39 career victories, surpassing Victoria Gil on the all-time chart. With the win, the Lions move to 8-2 overall.

[Read more](#)



Wenglewski Plays with USA Selects

Lions senior Chance Wenglewski just returned from the Americas Pacific Challenge October 6-14 in Montevideo, Uruguay where he played with the USA Selects, the primary development platform for the USA Men's National Rugby Team. It was the second tour in two years for the loose head prop, who added some size to his frame in the past year, which should solidify him as someone to watch for future USA Eagle consideration. [Read more](#)







D'Harius Brown Named Player of the Week

The Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletic Association announced that football senior D'Harius Brown was named MIAA Special Teams Player of the Week.

Lindenwood took a 14-0 lead into halftime against Northeastern State in Tahlequah, OK. Brown took the opening kick of the second half back 83 yards for a

touchdown to put the Lions up 21-0. [Read more](#)

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