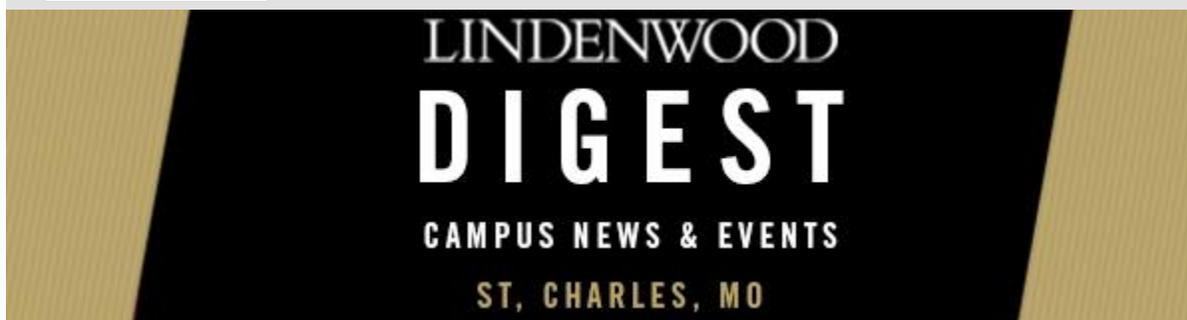


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Today's Headlines

January 25, 2019

Clifton Taulbert Returns to Lindenwood on Feb. 4 for Black History Month and Diversity Week



[Clifton Taulbert](#), owner of [ROOTS JAVA](#) Coffee Company – the only African-American wholly owned coffee company in America – will return to Lindenwood University on Monday, Feb. 4 to kick off Black History Month and Diversity Week. In an event sponsored by the Duree Center for Entrepreneurship, Taulbert will share the first “ceremonial” cup of ROOTS JAVA coffee with Dr. Michael Shonrock at 10 a.m. in Harmon Hall (lower level), and will follow up with a formal presentation from 2 to 3

p.m. in Dunseth Auditorium.

Barnes & Noble will have several of Taulbert’s book titles available for sale (credit cards only); Pedestal Foods will serve JAVA ROOTS coffee the entire month of February in the Lion’s Pride Market Express (Harmon Hall, lower level).

During the afternoon session, Taulbert’s presentation is titled, “Our Stories. Our Lives. Our Times. Good People ought not be Strangers.” He will take event attendees on an incredible journey from the cotton fields of the Mississippi Delta, to the Assembly Hall of the United Nations.

He will also discuss his research on the little-known history of the rise and fall of Tulsa, Oklahoma’s black community known as [Black Wall Street](#), where early seeds of entrepreneurship and innovation were sown.

Taulbert will close his talk with a story about an unexpected invitation to supper at [Roselawn](#), an 18th century plantation in South Carolina. This event led to a five-year journey for Taulbert, resulting in his book “[The Invitation](#),” which is a clarion call for “good people to not be strangers.”

Later that evening from 5:30 to 7 p.m., Taulbert will address members of the [Heartland St. Louis Black Chamber of Commerce](#) at the [William J. Harrison Center](#), located at 3140 Cass Avenue in St. Louis.

For more information, please visit the Hammond Institute for Free Enterprise online at www.Hammond.Institute or call 636-627-2915.

Academic Technology Services Open House Jan. 30

Academic Technology Services will hold their inaugural open house on Wednesday, Jan. 30 from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. in LARC 325.

Learn more about their services and workshops. The event will feature food, games, giveaways, and a drawing for a gift card.

10 Tips for Presenting at a Conference Workshop Feb. 5



Presenting at an academic conference is an essential part of a researcher's life. In order to make a successful conference presentation, knowing your research paper in its entirety is not enough. You must also be well-prepared in terms of public speaking factors such as observing time limits, making eye contact, engaging the audience, etc. This workshop will go over 10 tips on how to present your work at a conference.

If you have students that plan on participating in the Student Research Conference, or have another conference they are attending, and need assistance, please recommend this workshop. The workshop will take place in LARC 124 on Tuesday, Feb. 5 at 3:30 p.m. Questions? Contact Megan Phifer-Davis: mphifer-davis@lindenwood.edu

Assessment Tip of the Week: "Some Advice on Setting Standards and Targets for Program Assessment"

Guest Contributor: Jeremy Carnes, Program Chair, English (St. Charles)

Many considerations have to be weighed when setting standards and targets for program assessment. The difficulty of doing so may be why so many programs end up simply applying the same standard (i.e., a score of 70% on a rubric-based

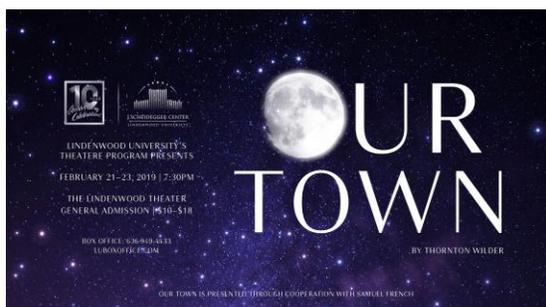
assessment) and the same target (i.e., 90% of students will meet the standard) for all of their outcomes. It's unlikely that such an arrangement is producing very useful information about student learning. [Read more](#)

Diversity Dialogue: "Should Student Athletes Get Paid?"

On Thursday, Feb. 7 at 3:30 p.m. in the LARC Theatre, the DEI Task Force and Office of Student Life & Diversity, are hosting a Diversity Dialogue "Should Student Athletes Get Paid?" The event will be moderated by Molly Hudgins, associate provost.

Panelists for the dialogue are Brad Wachler, vice president for Intercollegiate Athletics, Lisa Kurtz, director of communications for the City of St. Peters and PSBE adjunct instructor, Shelby Quinn, LSG NCAA representative, and Professor Nicholas Hand, visiting faculty for Sports Management.

Upcoming Performances from School of Arts, Media, and Communications



There are two wonderful performance opportunities coming up in February, presented by the School of Arts, Media, and Communications. The Dance Program will present their [Winter Dance Concert](#) February 7 – 9 at 7:30 p.m. in the Emerson Black Box Theater.

Next, [Our Town](#) will be presented by the Theatre Program February 21 – 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the Lindenwood Theater. For both performances, Lindenwood faculty and staff can receive two complimentary tickets by visiting the Scheidegger Center Box Office with a university ID. Please call 636-949-4433 with any questions!

St. Louis Sportswriters Honor Hensley, Pauls

At their sixty-first annual dinner on January 20, the St. Louis chapter of the Baseball Writers' Association of America honored Lindenwood graduates Nicole Hensley and Josh Pauls with the John E. Wray/Myron Holtzman Award for Achievement in Sports Other than Professional Baseball.

Hockey player Hensley and sled hockey player Pauls were cited for their gold-medal performances in the 2018 Olympic Winter Games and the 2018 Winter Paralympics, respectively, in PyeongChang, Korea.

Hensley, who played goal for Lindenwood for four years before joining the U.S. Women's National Team, backstopped the Americans to a 5-0 win over the Olympic Athletes from Russia as the United States made its way to its second Olympic gold medal.

Pauls captained the U.S. National Sled Hockey Team. He tallied eight assists in five games as the U.S. outscored its opponents, forty goals to two, and captured its third straight Paralympics gold medal with a 2-1 overtime win over Canada.

Steve Gietschier, associate professor of history and a member of the BBWAA since 1986, presented the awards. He said, "The writers are pleased to honor outstanding achievement in sports other than baseball. Nicole and Josh are terrific athletes and fine representatives of Lindenwood."

Student Counseling and Resource Center Support Groups On Campus

The Student Counseling and Resource Center will have support groups on campus this semester. Please see the following flyers for more information.

[Grief and Loss Support Group](#)

[Healthy Relationships Group](#)

[Transgender Support Group](#)

[Stress and Isolation Support Group](#)



Athletic Performance Department Selling Blender Bottles

Support the Lindenwood Athletic Performance department by purchasing a blender bottle for \$10. All proceeds will go towards new equipment for our facility and athletes.

Purchase your bottles [online](#).

Patterson Presents at Conference



Dr. Marilyn Patterson presented *Group Theory & Process with a Creative Twist* at the 41st annual National Institute on the Teaching of Psychology conference in St. Petersburg, FL on Jan. 5. She shared teaching strategies and resources with psychology faculty interested in developing a course in therapeutic group work that emphasizes both theory and practice to prepare students for practicum service and employment within a variety of clinical mental health and psychoeducational settings. She specifically emphasized ideas for integrating expressive arts and ethical practice into the course curriculum.

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25% Discount on Rick Springfield Tickets for Faculty and Staff



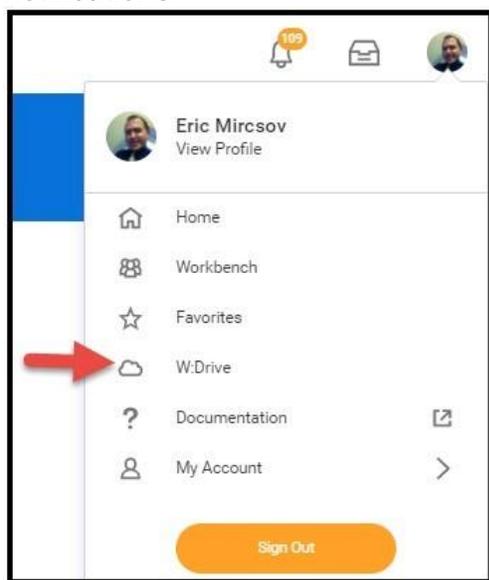
The Scheidegger Center Box Office is excited to offer a special 25% discount on remaining tickets to Rick Springfield (January 26) to all Lindenwood University Faculty and Staff. Please visit the Scheidegger Center Box Office, with a valid university ID, to secure your discounted tickets.

Over the past four decades, Rick Springfield has worn many hats as an entertainer and performer. The creator of some of the finest power-pop of the '80s, a Grammy winning singer, songwriter, and musician who has sold 25 million albums and scored 17 U.S. Top 40 hits, including "Jessie's Girl," "Don't Talk to Strangers," "An Affair of the Heart," "I've Done Everything for You," "Love Somebody," and "Human Touch." Now, you can see him live at Lindenwood!

Electronic Version of the 2018 W-2s Now Available in Workday.

To access your forms, click on the 'Pay' worklet and choose Tax Documents under the My Statements menu. If your form does not automatically pop up after the processing window disappears you can find it on your W: drive in Workday or in your

notifications.



Paper copies of the W-2s will be mailed to the home address on file.

If you have any questions please reach out to the payroll office at 636-949-4971.

Academic Technology Services Spring Catalog Now Available

The Academic Technology Services [spring catalog](#) is now available. The catalog lists all Academic Technology Services workshops available to faculty and staff.

First-Year Programs Seeks Freshman Seminar Proposals

The office of Student and Academic Support Services – First-Year Programs (SASS-FYP) is currently accepting proposals to teach one of our Freshman Seminars. The concept of the Freshman Seminars is to connect our incoming students to full-time faculty members through creative and innovative seminar topics. Each seminar will be unique to the individual instructor, who will have an opportunity to pass on their passion for their particular area of study. We are looking for seminars that represent a broad range of degree programs. [Read more](#)

Summer Camp/Conference Facility Requests

If you are interested in hosting a camp or a conference on campus this summer, please view the [Summer Facility Request Guidebook](#) and then submit a proposal to [Samantha Kennedy](#) no later than March 2, 2019. Proposals are handled on a first come, first serve basis so room availability is limited. Additional questions and internal pricing sheet requests can be directed to Samantha Kennedy.

Student Research Conference Submissions Now Accepted

It is that time of year again, everyone: The [2019 Student Research Conference submission portal](#) is open and is accepting faculty recommendations and student submissions.

Students who are working on or who have completed original research papers or creative projects can be nominated by a faculty member to participate in the Student Research Conference. Students can either display a poster or give a presentation of their work at the conference. [Read more](#)

Events and Deadlines

- Tuesdays and Thursdays: Power Hour training, 11 a.m. - noon, Fitness Center
- [Spring 2019 Group Exercise schedule](#), Evans Commons Rec Center
- Jan. 29: Strategic Enrollment Planning Forum, Dunseth Auditorium, 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.
- Jan. 30: Strategic Enrollment Planning Forum, Dunseth Auditorium, 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.
- Jan. 30: ["Finding Your True Leadership Colors"](#) 11 a.m. - noon, 4-5 p.m., Evans 3020
- Feb. 5: [Second Annual Adjunct Instructor Fair](#); [RSVP link](#)
- Feb. 6: Lindenwood Diversity Event, "The Inaugural Event: The Getting Real Series" [St. Charles RSVP 2 - 3:30 p.m.](#) or [St. Charles RSVP 4 - 5:30 p.m.](#) *If you are a non-exempt employee and you choose to attend the 4 - 5:30 p.m. session, please communicate with your supervisor regarding the potential impact on overtime because this is a paid training.*
- Feb. 12: Faculty Reads Series: Dr. Chris Scribner and Dr. Colleen Biri, 2:30 p.m., LARC Theater

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