



April 27, 2018

Today's Headlines

Expense Reports/Cash Advances

Currently approved cash advances and expense reports are processed each week using an approval deadline of 12 p.m. Wednesday. Effective the week of May 14, the deadline will move to Tuesday at 5 p.m. in order to be included in the weekly payment processing.

Please direct any questions to the Fiscal Affairs Office.

St. Charles Faculty Commencement Instructions

Please see the instruction for the commencement ceremonies next week: [Read more](#)

Assessment Tip of the Week: "Important News: Kate Herrell, Director of Academic Assessment"



As everyone knows, Geremy Carnes, Assistant Professor of English, has been wearing multiple hats this past year while also serving as the Director of Academic Assessment. Due to his recent election as the new Chair of the English Department, Geremy has decided that he needs to relinquish his assessment role at the end of the current term. I know everyone will join me in thanking Geremy for his service and leadership and wishing him well in his new duties.

In this transition time, I am pleased to announce that Kate Herrell, Assistant Dean in the School of Arts, Media, and Communications

and Assistant Professor of Music, will assume the Director of Academic Assessment role, beginning this summer. [Read more](#)

Women's Bowling Wins ITC Title for First Time Since 2006



For the first time since 2006, the women's bowling team won the United States Bowling Congress Intercollegiate Team Championship (ITC) April 19-21 at Sun Valley Lanes in Lincoln, Nebraska. The Lady Lions defeated defending champion McKendree University three games to one in the best-of-five baker finals match to claim the national title. [Read more](#)

Olympic Weightlifting Three-Peats as National Champions



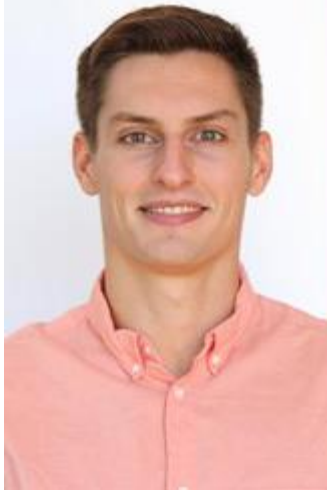
Olympic weightlifting won its third straight coed title at the 2018 USA Weightlifting University Nationals April 20-22 on the campus of Weber State University in Ogden, Utah. The Lions earned 146 points overall to take the crown over second place Northern Michigan with 135 points. [Read more](#)

ADP Alumni Happy Hour Coming in May

Attention ADP alumni, faculty, and staff: We are coming to a neighborhood near you in May!

Join us for an ADP alumni happy hour and catch up with former students and classmates.

Marrow Registry Drive



Lions, one of our own needs us! Travis Russo, a Lindenwood student double majoring in Exercise Science and Athletic Training, and a member of the swimming and diving and leadership competition teams has recently found out that his cancer has returned. He is currently undergoing treatment and will need a bone marrow transplant, as chemotherapy simply is not enough. Please join us on Monday, April 30, from 7 to 11 p.m. in the Spellmann Dining Hall to join the bone marrow registry to see if you are a match for Travis or for others who need a match to survive. It only takes about 15 minutes to have your cheek swabbed, but those 15 minutes could ultimately save a life!

If you cannot attend the drive, you can join on-line by clicking here (link to <https://join.bethematch.org/Lindenwood>). A swab kit will be mailed to you. For more information about Travis' journey or the Be the Match Registry, click here (link to Marrow Drive attachment). Lions help Lions, so we hope to see you on Monday!

--Lindenwood Swimming & Diving and Student Involvement

Travis to Serve as Advisor for BSU

Robin Travis, candidate status coordinator with the School of Education - Advising, Retention, and Certification Center (ARCC), has agreed to serve as an advisor to the Black Student Union (BSU) for the 2017-2018 school year. Travis currently works with our teacher candidates as they prepare for their student teaching experiences.



Faculty News and Notes

School of Humanities student and administrative assistant, **Kaitlyn Centini** (Religion, History, and Art History, '19), presented at the Fourth Annual Jesuit Research Student Symposium at the Jesuit Archives & Research Center (co-sponsored by St. Louis University) on April 24, 2018. She lectured on "Matteo Ricci: Leader of the Jesuit Mission in China," and participated in Q&A and in the concluding roundtable discussion. Drs McMaken and Torbitzky, Religion, along with other School of Humanities students, attended the symposium.



Jeanie Thies, Department of Public Affairs and Administration, presented the results of her recent research at the annual conference by the Minnesota Association for Treatment of Sex Abusers on April 19. The title of her research presentation was *Sex Offenders on Federal Supervision: Predictors of Contact Offending*. On the same day, two alumnae who assisted with this research, Kayleb Adams-DeRousse (BA, May 2016, and Joshua Johnson, BA, December 2017) presented the same findings in a poster presentation at a conference put on by the Massachusetts Association for the Treatment of Sex Abusers, in Boston, MA. Adams-DeRousse and Johnson received partial funding for the conference and related travel through a grant Thies received.

Upcoming Presentations on Faculty Compensation

Date: May 15
Time: Sessions offered at 9-10 a.m. and 2-3 p.m.
Location: AB Leadership
Topic: Understanding faculty compensation at Lindenwood

HR will present information about the compensation system used to determine salaries for faculty at Lindenwood and how to interpret personal pay grade and range information in Workday. Attendance is optional.





Thank You!

Thank you to the 40 student employees and supervisors who attended the professionalism workshops held by the Student Employee Office. The workshops took place in Saint Charles and Belleville on April 18 and 20. We hope to see you at our next workshop!

Spellmann Center Computer Lab Finals Expanded Hours April 2018		
Date	Time	Lab Location - Spellman 1st Floor
Friday, April 27, 2018	7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	
Saturday, April 28, 2018	9:30 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.	
Sunday, April 29, 2018	10:00 a.m. – 2:00 a.m.	
Overflow access for Finals Week Available in the LARC, During expanded finals hours: Larc Classroom Lab 124 Larc Computer Lab 244 Larc Training Room 217 (217 for overflow upon request)		Library and Academic Resource Center LARC

Extended Library Hours for Sunday April 22- Sunday April 29

Sunday April 22	2:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m.
Monday April 23 – Thursday April 26th	7:30 a.m. – 2:00 a.m.
Friday April 27	7:30 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Saturday April 28	9:30 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Sunday April 29	10:00 a.m. – 2 a.m.



EVANS COMMONS REC CENTER & THIRD FLOOR TRACK FINALS WEEK HOURS

SAT. 4/28 – SUN. 4/29	10:00 A.M.—10:00 P.M.
MON. 4/30 – FRI. 5/4	7:00 A.M.—7:00 P.M.
SAT. 5/5 - SUN. 5/6	CLOSED

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Events and Deadlines

- **Each Monday-Thursday:** [Lindenwell Yoga and Zumba Classes](#)
- **April 27:** [Guitar and Modern Music Ensembles](#)
- **April 28:** [Lindenwood Yard Sale](#), 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- **April 28:** [Jazz Band and Combo](#)
- **April 28-29:** [Voices Only](#)
- **April 30:** All-Staff Meeting and Award Ceremony, 2-4 p.m., J. Scheidegger Center for the Arts Theater
- **April 30:** [TEDx Proposal Deadline](#)
- **May 1:** Puppies at the Pavilion, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.
- **May 1:** [Nick of Time Improv](#)
- **May 2:** [Give STL Day](#)
- **May 2:** [Graduating Student Day](#)
- **May 3:** Full Faculty Meeting, Scheidegger Center, 3-4:30 p.m.
- **May 8:** [“Culture and Opportunity in America”](#), 6:30 p.m., J. Scheidegger Center for the Arts
- **May 9:** [Annual Assessment Summit](#), 9 a.m. - noon, J. Scheidegger Center; Topic: "Diversity at Lindenwood"
- **May 9-11:** Assessment Days
- **May 15:** Dr. Tawni Hunt-Ferrarini, [“Cryptocurrency”](#), 6-7 p.m.
- **May 15:** [Tech Tuesdays in the IDEA Studio](#)
- **May 18:** [Summer Tool Series at the IDEA Studio](#)
- **May 19:** [EdCampU](#)
- **May 19:** [Frankie Avalon](#)
- **May 27:** [Glenn Miller Orchestra](#)
- **June 15:** Annual 5-column Program Assessment Reports due for all academic programs, co-curricular & administrative units
- **Aug. 15:** Annual 5-column Program Assessment Reports due from School of Accelerated Degree Programs