

# LINDENWOOD DIGEST

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**April 13, 2018**

## **Today's Headlines**

### **National Championships Piling Up for Lindenwood Athletic Programs**

#### **Lionettes Repeat as National Champions**

After winning the first title in program history in 2017, the Lindenwood Lionettes dance team repeated at Jazz Division II national champions at the 2018 NCA/NDA Collegiate Cheer and Dance Championships Friday in Daytona Beach, Florida. [Read more](#)

### **Cheerleading Makes Program History with Two Titles**

For the fourth consecutive year, Lindenwood cheerleading has won a national title at the NCA/NDA Collegiate Cheer and Dance Team Championships in Daytona Beach, Florida, but never before had the program won two titles the same year, until now. The Lions repeated as Large Coed Division II champions on Friday, having won the same title in 2017, but they also hoisted the trophy in Small Coed Intermediate Division II on the same day, and even added a second place finish in



Small Coed D2. [Read more](#)

### **Fans and Supporters Asked to Vote for Lindenwood Men's Rugby Player**

Nick Feakes has been nominated for the 2017-18 Scholz Award.

The senior flyhalf is one of 12 players nominated for the honor, which recognizes the best men's D1 college player of the season. It was first awarded

in the 2015-16 season and is named after Rudy Scholz, a standout for Santa Clara who won two Olympic gold medals in rugby in 1920 and 1924. Dylan Audsley of Saint Mary's won in 2016, and Bryce Campbell from the University of Indiana won in 2017.

Fans and supporters are asked to narrow the list of nominees to four finalists. To vote, visit the Scholz Award [poll site](#). **The deadline to vote is April 13.** After the finalists are selected, an elite panel will make the final selection and the award will be presented at a dinner in Seattle on June 9.

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### **Lindenwood Collegiate DECA Chapter and Students Win Awards**



The Lindenwood University Collegiate DECA Chapter, through the Plaster School of Business & Entrepreneurship, recently won a leadership award for its dedication to DECA core values and principles of encouraging a well-rounded college experience for its members. Savannah Bice and Carli Gogol each won the Academic Honor Award for their academic excellence, leadership, and involvement at

Lindenwood while maintaining a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher. [Read more](#)

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### **Students Compete in Public Health Scholar Bowl Tomorrow**

Seniors in the Public Health program will represent Lindenwood in the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Saint Louis University Undergraduate Public Health Scholar Bowl this Saturday, April 14. The team of six students (Taylor Corry, Abbye Craig, Jesse Hollenbeck, Andrea Hoppert, Cohen Jusilla, and Bella Viviano) will be one of 15 teams from across the country participating in two events – a case study presentation and a quiz bowl competition.



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### **Assessment Tip of the Week: "Assessment Champion Awards: Nominations Due May 22"**

The Assessment Committee is now soliciting nominations for the second annual "Assessment Champion Awards." The committee welcomes nominations from the academic schools and divisions as well as

from the co-curricular and administrative units. Assessment Champion awards are given annually in recognition of faculty and staff who have made a significant contribution toward promoting continuous improvement through assessment. [Read more](#)

## REMINDER – Assessment Summit RSVP

If you are a full-time faculty member or full-time staff member planning to attend the Assessment Summit to be held on May 9, please remember to RSVP. The deadline to reply is today, April 13. You can read more about the Summit [here](#).



Information is also provided in David Wilson's invitation email sent on April 6. Click on the link below to RSVP.

### [RSVP for Assessment Summit](#)

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## Social Work Hosts Empty Bowls

On April 3, Social Work students and faculty hosted an Empty Bowls event to raise awareness of food insecurity and hunger. The Empty Bowls Project is a grassroots movement to help end hunger. It has grown into an international movement, raising awareness and money to help those in need. Its concept is simple: potters and other craftsmen (for our event the Lindenwood art students and faculty) create hand crafted bowls. A meal of broth and bread donated by Pedestal Foods, similar to a soup kitchen dinner, was offered as a "thank you" for donating to the cause of local hunger relief. The handmade bowls serve as a reminder of all of the empty bowls in the world. The event raised \$700 for Food Outreach, a fresh food serving agency for those St. Louis metropolitan region residents living in poverty and diagnosed with cancer or HIV.

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## Excused Absences

Please excuse the following Voices Only and Women's Select choir members on Friday, April 13, 9 a.m. - noon for a choir festival at the LUCC:

Hope Barnes Kaela Barnett Taylor Bohlender Maya Bryant Danielle Coutts Steven Cunningham Erica DeCosta Pamela Doody Rachel Eschbacher	Ian Fleming Zac Genn Brie Howard Alexandar Johnson Aurora Keen Weston Lundy Jamie Meier Marissa Meyers Ashley Morris	Kirsten Muehlbauer Elizabeth Peters James Quiggins Hannah Schmickley Lucie Switalski Kaitlin Trimble Valiante Waltz Lillie Weber Rose Wellborn Courtney Wingerter
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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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**We Still Need Judges! Faculty Judges Needed for Student Research Conference – We Need You!**

It is that time of the year again, where we ask faculty and staff to participate and volunteer with the Student Research Conference. If you are interested in volunteering to be a judge for student projects and presentations at this year's Student Research Conference, please fill out [this form](#) to let us know when you are available.

The Student Research Conference is Wednesday, April 18, in the Spellmann Center. Please put the Student Research Conference on your to-do list. We would really appreciate it.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact [SRC@lindenwood.edu](mailto:SRC@lindenwood.edu).

**You are Invited!**

The sixth annual Student Research Conference will be held Wednesday, April 18, 2018 in Spellmann Center. Students from across the university will share their research projects in poster, paper, and creative formats. Admission is free, and everyone is invited to stop by and discover what our students have been working on. Refreshments will be available. Sessions will run throughout the day starting at noon, and will conclude with an awards presentation at 6:15 p.m.

The event schedule will soon be available at <http://www.lindenwood.edu/academics/beyond-the-classroom/student-research/>

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## Events and Deadlines

- **Each Monday-Thursday:** [Lindenwell Yoga and Zumba Classes](#)
- **Through April 22:** [Fashion Design BFA Exhibition](#)
- **April 13:** Dissertation Defense-Emilee S. Schnefke, 9 a.m., Roemer 208
- **April 13:** [Field Hockey Fundraiser](#)
- **April 14:** [School of Education Alumni Event](#), [RSVP here](#)
- **April 14:** [Siblings Day](#)
- **April 16:** [Social Animals](#), 7 p.m., LARC 343
- **April 17:** Faculty Reads Series, LARC Theater, 2:30 p.m.
- **April 17:** [Tech Tuesdays in the IDEA Studio](#)
- **April 18:** Professionalism for Student Employees Workshop, 6-7 p.m., Dunseth Auditorium in Harmon Hall
- **April 18:** [Digital Parenting](#)
- **April 19-21:** [Spring Dance Concert](#)
- **April 20:** Dissertation Defense-Deborah Rickman Hake, 8 a.m., Roemer 208
- **April 20:** [String and Women's Select Ensembles](#)
- **April 20:** [Men's Basketball Golf Outing Fundraiser](#). [Register here](#)
- **April 21:** [Woodwind, Brass, and New Music Ensembles](#)
- **April 21:** [Spring Fashion Show](#)
- **April 25:** Dr. Tawni Hunt-Ferrarini, "[Is the Information Revolution as Big as the Industrial Revolution?](#)" 6–7 p.m
- **April 26:** *Ethically Engaged - A Look at Community-Engaged Research at Lindenwood University*, LARC 343, 3-4 p.m.
- **April 26:** [Percussion Ensemble](#)
- **April 26:** [Brain-Based Teaching and Learning Series](#)
- **April 26 - May 5:** [Graphic Design BFA Exhibition](#)
- **April 20:** Dissertation Defense- Maureen McLaughlin Green, 8 a.m., Roemer 208
- **April 27:** [Guitar and Modern Music Ensembles](#)
- **April 27:** Dissertation Defense - Lisa S. Thompson, 9 a.m., Roemer 208



- **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:** [TEDx Proposal Deadline](#)
- **May 1:** [Nick of Time Improv](#)
- **May 2:** [Graduating Student Day](#)
- **May 3:** Full Faculty Meeting, AB Leadership Room, 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