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Today's Headlines

Patterson-Mills Created Blueprint for Illinois School Funding Reform



Lindenwood University Associate Professor and School Counseling Program Chair Dr. Sarah Patterson-Mills played a key role in crafting legislation that finally put an end to a two-year school funding crisis in the State of Illinois.

The State General Assembly this week passed a bill which would reformulate the way Illinois schools from kindergarten through high school are funded. The proposed new formula includes language requiring higher thresholds of staffing of guidance counselors, which was based on a white paper largely written by Patterson-Mills. [Read more](#)

TEDx Event at Lindenwood Set for Oct. 12



Lindenwood University is excited to host TEDxLindenwoodU, an independently-organized TED half-day event October 12, 2017, from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the Emerson Black Box Theater in the J. Scheidegger Center for the Arts.

Tickets will go on sale September 7. Student tickets will be \$10; staff, faculty, and alumni tickets cost \$15, and tickets for the general public cost \$20. The Black Box Theater admission will include attendee gifts, vendors, exhibits, and a reception. Free tickets will be available for live streaming locations at the Belleville Welcome Center, the Library and Academic Resources Center Theater and the Anheuser- Busch Leadership Room. [Read more](#)

Changes to Testing Policies

There have been many great changes on campus over the summer and we are contacting you to inform you of the specific changes that have been made to the testing process. Please note that this refers only to tests administered outside of the classroom. [Read more](#)

Women's Soccer and Football Home Openers



The women's soccer and football teams both have their home openers this week.

On Tuesday evening at 7 p.m., the women's soccer team will take on Illinois Springfield.

The Lady Lions got off to a great start last weekend, going 2-0 and outscoring its

opponents by a 7-0 margin. Lindenwood will be facing a Prairie Stars team that went 1-0-1 in its first weekend of play.



On Thursday at 7 p.m., the Lindenwood football team will have its home opener against Northeastern State. The game will be the first home contest for first-year coach Jed Stugart, one of the most successful active coaches at the NCAA Division II level. Both the Lions and RiverHawks will be looking for their first wins of the season.

Admission to soccer is free for everyone, and admission to the football game is free for all Lindenwood faculty and staff.

Database Trial: Kanopy

The Library at The LARC would like to announce that we have been given a 30-day trial of Kanopy (Aug. 25–Sept. 24, 2017). This new resource offers access to over 30,000 documentaries, hundreds of business case studies, featured educational documentaries, nursing videos, along with additional subjects: Journalism, the sciences, arts, social sciences, and much more!

Videos can be viewed on multiple devices, including Roku.

<https://lindenwood.kanopystreaming.com/frontpage>

User name: lindenwood

Password: access

Please [let us know](#) what you think about this database.

Would you like to request a database? [Complete the Faculty Request form.](#)

**HLC Fact of the Day: “HLC Assurance Argument: Subcomponent 5A4”
(with specific focus on “Lindenwood’s performance evaluation system”)**

In the HLC Criteria for Accreditation, Subcomponent 5A4 says: *The institution’s staff in all areas are appropriately qualified and trained.*

In our Assurance Argument being prepared for HLC, and in support of the 5A4 standard, this is part of what we say regarding Lindenwood’s performance evaluation system: [Read more](#)

Parking on Watson Street to be Restricted at Start of Semester

Due to a water project by the City of St. Charles northeast of the St. Charles campus, parking on Watson Street will remain restricted at the start of the semester until that portion of the project is completed. All students and employees are encouraged to give themselves extra time in the morning to find available parking. Nearby lots include the Roemer Hall and Harmon Hall lots and the parking lot of the Presbyterian Church at Sibley and Gamble Streets.

Updates will be posted when they become available.

Family Day

Come join the Lindenwood community as we celebrate Family Day on

Saturday, Sept. 16! We invite your family to come share in the Lindenwood experience and see what makes being a Lion like no other! Events include a Kid's Corner, International Festival, Ice Cream Social, Football Game, and much more. For a full schedule of events, ticket details, and , hotel and travel information, please visit www.lindenwood.edu/familyDay/.

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- **Sept. 10:** [Lindenwood Day at the Ballpark](#)
- **Sept. 16:** [Family Day](#)
- **Sept. 16:** [LARC Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting Ceremony](#)
- **Sept. 20:** Employee Sand Volleyball, Evans Commons Sand Volleyball Courts, 5–6 p.m.
- **Sept. 21:** [Overcriminalization: How'd We Get Here and Where Do We Go?](#)
- **Oct. 4:** Full Faculty Meeting, AB Leadership Room, from 3-4:30 p.m.
- **Oct. 18:** Employee 5v5 Basketball, Evans Commons Basketball Courts, 6–7 p.m.
- **Nov. 15:** Employee Kickball, Lou Brock Softball Field, 7–8 p.m.
- **Nov. 30:** 2017, Full Faculty Meeting, AB Leadership Room, 3-4:30 p.m.
- **Jan. 25, 2018:** Full Faculty Meeting, AB Leadership Room, 3-4:30 p.m.
- **March 7, 2018:** Full Faculty Meeting, AB Leadership Room, 3-4:30 p.m.
- **April 25, 2018:** Full Faculty Meeting, AB Leadership Room, 3-4:30 p.m.