

Oct. 24, 2017

Today's Headlines

Open Enrollment 2018

Good Afternoon Lindenwood University Employees,

I am pleased to announce that Open Enrollment for the 2018 calendar year will begin on **Monday, October 30** and end on **Friday, November 10**! I am even more excited to present you with the following updates for 2018:

Medical insurance premiums will increase by **5%** for 2018. No changes will be made to the cost of premiums or the out of pocket expenses! Read more

Bio Screenings Available Nov. 6-7

Bio Screenings will be available on Monday, Nov. 6 and Tuesday, Nov. 7! Screenings will be available from 7 – 11 a.m. on both days in Evans Commons Room 3020.

Please remember that fasting is suggested prior to your screening to ensure the best possible results. Please reserve your spot in advance.

You will need to scan/email, take a photo/email, or stop by Stumberg Hall with proof that you received your screening in order to receive your Well Bucks. This event is worth \$10,000. Please email Mariah Gove at mgove@lindenwood.edu for those Bucks!

Fifth Annual Mock Trial Competition Coming Soon

In partnership with the Illinois State Police, Lindenwood University-Belleville will



host the fifth annual Mock Trial Competition Nov. 17-18 on its campus, 2600 W. Main Street, Belleville.

The event will begin with opening statements on November 17 at 9 a.m. in Linden Hall, room 216. The bulk of the competition will occur at the all-day Mock Trial event on November 18, starting at 8:30 a.m. in Old Main Hall, room 208. Both dates are open to the community, and

there is no cost to attend. Read more

Free "Trick or Treat Event" On Campus

Bring your children to trick or treat on the heritage side of campus on Oct. 31, 2017 from 6-8 p.m. Each hall will have decorated porches and a ton of candy to hand out! Feel free to stop by as a family to enjoy a free event hosted by the Lindenwood University Residential Life department and the Residential Hall Association (RHA).

J. Scheidegger Center for the Arts Schedule



Dance

Fall Dance Concert

Nov. 16-18, 2017 7:30 p.m. Lindenwood Theater

Music

Percussion Ensemble

Nov. 2, 2017 7:30 p.m. Emerson Black Box

Theater

String and Woodwind Ensembles

Nov. 6, 2017 7:30 p.m. Emerson Black Box Theater

Women's Select Ensemble and Voices Only

Nov. 7, 2017 7:30 p.m. Emerson Black Box Theater

Theater

The Visit

Nov. 2-4, 2017 7:30 p.m. Lindenwood Theater

Boyle Art Gallery

Lindenwood University Art and Design Faculty Exhibition

Oct. 5- Nov. 12, 2017

Young Artists and Their Teachers 2017

Nov. 19- Dec. 11, 2017

HLC Fact of the Day: "HLC Assurance Argument: Subcomponent 3B4" (with specific focus on "Diversity in the Curriculum")

In the HLC Criteria for Accreditation, Subcomponent 3B4 says:

The education offered by the institution recognizes the human and cultural diversity of the world in which students live and work.

In our Assurance Argument that has been submitted to HLC, and in support of the 3B4 standard, this is what we say regarding "Diversity in the Curriculum": Read more

Dissertation Defenses

Doctoral Candidate: Justin Paul Linsenmeyer

Chairperson: Dr. Dr. Shane Williamson

Title: "A Nice Place to Live and Work: A Mixed-Methods Case Study of a Residential Life Living-Learning Community and Employment Model at a Top-

Tier Midwestern University" **Date:** Friday Nov. 3, 2017

Time: 8 a.m. Place: Roemer 219

Doctoral Candidate: Ibrahima Coulibaly

Chairperson: Dr. John Long

Title: "Influence of Gender and Age on the Performance of a PBIS program: Quantitative Analysis of Secondary Data from A Midwestern Suburban Public

Middle School"

Date: Friday Nov. 10, 2017

Time: 9 a.m. Place: Roemer 219



It's that time of year again! The Lindenwood Dark Carnival is right around the corner on Oct. 25! Mark your calendar, as this will be the best year ever: more booths, more food, great music, and great prizes!

Volunteer opportunities abound-please sign up at http://www.lindenwood.edu/dark-carnival/volunteer-registration/

We would love 100 percent department participation, and there will be winning prizes.

For information regarding volunteer opportunities please contact Cheryl Delaporta at cdelaporta@lindenwood.edu.

Dark Carnival Road Closures



Dark Carnival is quickly approaching and will require Heritage Campus roads to be closed from 8 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 24, to 11 a.m. Thursday, Oct, 26, as indicated on the map.

Public Safety & Security have been advised and will begin blocking off parking spaces on Sunday night, Oct. 22. Please plan to use alternate routes when traveling through the Heritage side of the campus during these times.

Thank you for your patience during this time and enjoy

the Dark Carnival!

Fall Break Dining Hall Hours

Please see the <u>flier</u> for dining hall, Starbucks, and Lion's Pride Market hours during fall break.



Commencement Volunteers Needed



It's that time of year again, Academic Services is seeking staff members to volunteer to assist with December Commencement. It is an opportunity to earn a \$100 stipend and cheer on our graduates on this special occasion! This does not include staff that already have assigned duties each year, such as Academic Services, Maintenance,

Housekeeping, Security, or PR. Non-exempt staff members must receive approval from their supervisors. Read more

Parking on Watson Street Remains Restricted

Due to a water project by the City of St. Charles northeast of the St. Charles campus, parking on Watson Street remains restricted 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.

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Events and Deadlines

- Through November: Academic Technology Workshop Schedule
- Through November 12: LU Art Faculty exhibition, Boyle Family Gallery
- Oct. 25: Faculty Workshop: Community Building, LARC 117, 3:30 p.m.
- Oct. 26: Faculty Meeting, A-B Leadership Room, 3:30-4:30 p.m.
- Oct. 25: Dark Carnival Register to Volunteer here!
- Oct. 27: Dissertaion Defense: Erin M. Klepper,8 a.m., Roemer 219
- Oct. 31: Trick or Treat Event
- Nov. 1: Graduate School Information Session

- Nov. 3: Dissertation Defense: Jenna Lee Sladek, 9 a.m., Roemer 210
- Nov. 3: Student Research Conference Logo Competition Deadline
- Nov. 13: Faculty Colloquium Series (Read Abstracts)
- 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.