



**Nov. 11, 2016**

## **Today's Headlines**

### **Open Enrollment for 2017 Ends Today**

Open Enrollment for the 2017 calendar year will end on Friday, Nov. 11.

Please log into the Workday Portal and access the "Useful Links" worklet. Under the benefits section you will be able to locate all corresponding plan documents. If you experience difficulty with your username or password, please contact the help desk

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### **Exempt Staff Volunteers Needed for December 10, 2016 Commencement (STC)**

It's that time of year again, Academic Services is seeking exempt 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 the Academic Services, Maintenance, Housekeeping, or PR. Please email Christine Hannar at [CHannar@lindenwood.edu](mailto:CHannar@lindenwood.edu) by **Wednesday, Nov. 23, 2016** if you would like to volunteer.

Please indicate [your first two job choices](#). You will need to arrive at the Family Arena between 8 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. on Dec.10.

- 10 positions for student check-in table – greeting students, giving them their name card and possible honors cords, directing them to the student line-up area
- 15 positions for student line-up area – greeting students, reviewing name card with line-up information and directing the students to their specific area, assisting graduate students with hoods

- 4 positions for faculty line-up – assisting faculty with lineup
- 6 positions for programs – greet guests and hand out programs
- 5 positions for VIP parking

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### **Swimming and Diving Hosts Meet On Saturday (STC)**

The Lindenwood swimming and diving teams will both host a five-team meet on Saturday afternoon at 1 p.m. at the St. Peters Rec-Plex. The meet will feature several of the St. Louis area swimming and diving teams in Saint Louis University, Lindenwood University-Belleville, University of Missouri-St. Louis, and Maryville University. Both teams will come into the competition on a high note after the men's team won last week's Drury Invitational, and the women's team came in second.

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### **Global Leadership Series Features Dave Desmond Nov. 15 (STC)**

Dave Desmond, USMC, and chief test pilot for Boeing Corporation for 12 years will speak Tuesday, Nov. 15 at 9:30 a.m. in Dunseth Auditorium at Harmon Hall.

Desmond will speak about leadership skills and his experience working with leaders in over 20 countries for Boeing flight evaluations. This is a rare and unique opportunity and Lindenwood is the only campus Mr. Desmond has agreed to speak to!

RSVP not required. Invite your students!

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### **Stuart Diamond to Speak Nov. 15 (STC)**

Internet entrepreneur, journalist, and musician Stuart Diamond will speak in the Anheuser-Busch Leadership Room Nov. 15 at 7 p.m. See [the flier](#) for more information

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### **GIS Day is One Week Away! (STC)**

Lindenwood will be hosting Geographic Information Systems Day on Nov. 17 from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. in the Anheuser-Busch Leadership Room in Spellmann Center. Come see how GIS is being used right here in the St. Louis region and the many career opportunities available to students with these skills. The Advanced Topics in GIS class will be presenting their Ferguson Housing Survey Project at 12:30 p.m. Please see [the link](#) for more details about GIS and

exhibitors attending the event. Contact Tara Vansell at [tvansell@lindenwood.edu](mailto:tvansell@lindenwood.edu) for more information.

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### **Graduating Student Day Dec. 1 (STC)**

December 1, 2016 is Graduating Student Day. From 1-6 p.m. in the Anheuser-Busch Leadership Room, , graduating students can get resume reviews, decorate their cap, and more! See [the flier](#) for more information.

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### **Dissertation Defense: William Patrick Casner (STC)**

**Doctoral Candidate:** William Patrick Casner

**Chairperson:** Dr. Lynda Leavitt

**Title:** “A Mixed Method Study on Schema-Based Instruction, Mathematical Problem Solving Skills, and Students with an Educational Disability”

**Date:** Friday, Nov. 18, 2016

**Time:** 8 a.m.

**Place:** Roemer 201

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### **Events and Deadlines**

- **November (Multiple Dates):** [Academic Technology Workshops](#)
- **Nov. 11:** Dissertation Defense: Matthew F Glazer at 9 a.m. in Roemer 201
- **Nov. 12:** Metro Honor Concert, Lindenwood Theatre, 3 p.m.
- **Nov. 12:** [Choir Concert, Lindenwood Theatre, 7:30 p.m.](#)
- **Nov. 12:** Student One Acts in Emerson Black Box Theatre, 7:30 p.m.

- **Nov. 15:** Global Leadership Speaker Series: Dave Desmond, USMC, 9:30 a.m., Dunseth Auditorium
- **Nov. 16:** [Dragging Up the Past, Emerson Black Box Theatre, 7:30 p.m.](#)
- **Nov. 17:** [Geographic Information Systems Day](#)
- **Nov. 17:** [Percussion Ensemble, Emerson Black Box Theatre, 7:30 p.m.](#)
- **Nov. 18:** Matt Hormann Recital, Emerson Black Box Theatre, 7:30 p.m.
- **Nov. 18:** Dissertation Defense: Lauren Elizabeth Jansen at 9 a.m. in Roemer 201
- **Nov. 19:** [String Ensemble Concert, Emerson Black Box Theatre, 4 p.m.](#)
- **Nov. 19:** [Jazz Combo 1 Concert, Emerson Black Box Theatre, 7:30 p.m.](#)
- **Nov. 20:** [Guitar Ensemble/Jazz Combo 2 Concert, Emerson Black Box Theatre, 4 p.m.](#)
- **Nov. 20:** [Recital, Emerson Black Box Theatre, 7:30 p.m.](#)
- **Nov. 20-Dec. 5:** [Young Artists and Their teachers](#)
- **Nov. 27:** [Christmas Walk from 4-7 p.m.](#)(STC)
- **Nov. 28-Dec. 2:** [Christmas on Campus](#) (BV)
- **Nov. 30:** Global Leadership Speaker Series: Scott Alberson, 11 a.m. in Dunseth Auditorium
- **Dec. 1-3:** [A Christmas Carol](#) (STC)
- **Dec. 2-4:** [A Christmas Carol](#) (BV)
- **Dec. 9:** Dissertation Defense: Kelly Ann Hantak at 9 a.m. in Roemer 201