

Feb. 17, 2017

## Today's Headlines

HLC Fact of the Week: "We Need Volunteer Reviewers of our HLC Assurance Argument"

Would you like to be a reviewer of our HLC Assurance Argument draft and provide feedback? If so, please indicate your interest in an e-mail to Marianne Peacock at <a href="MPeacock@lindenwood.edu">MPeacock@lindenwood.edu</a>. There are several ways you can get involved in this effort... <a href="Read more">Read more</a>

# **Gymnastics Competes Twice in St. Charles/Two Spring Sports Have Home Competitions**

The Lindenwood gymnastics team will be in action in St. Charles twice this weekend. On Friday afternoon, the Lady Lions will compete in the GymQuarters Invitational at the Family Arena. Lindenwood is in the first session which starts at 2 p.m. and includes Big 10 Nebraska, Seattle Pacific, and Brown. On Sunday at 1 p.m., Seattle Pacific and Brown will join Lindenwood for a tri-meet at Hyland Arena. The event will be between three of the four teams at last year's USA Gymnastics Women's Collegiate Team Finals.

Also on campus this weekend, the Lindenwood baseball team has its home opening series with three games against Augustana. The two teams will have a doubleheader on Saturday at the Lou Brock Sports Complex, starting at 1 p.m. On Sunday, Lindenwood and Augustana will start a single-game at 11 a.m. The men's lacrosse team is also on home on Saturday, facing Tampa, a 2016 NCAA Semifinalist, at 1 p.m. at Hunter Stadium.

**Gymnastics Pink Out Competition This Weekend** 

Alumni Relations invites you to come out to the <u>Lindenwood Gymnastics Pink</u> <u>Out</u> competition in the Hyland Performance Arena – VIP Room on Sunday, Feb. 19 starting at 11 a.m.

Call Alumni Relations for free entry into the reception and competition at 636-949-4975 or email MGiessman@Lindenwood.edu.

11 a.m. – 1 p.m.: Reception 1 – 3 p.m.: Competition

## Koenig to Discuss "How I Survived the Holocaust" on Feb. 21

The Center for International and Global Studies is sponsoring a discussion by Jerry Koenig called "How I Survived the Holocaust" on Tuesday, Feb. 21 at 7 p.m. in Dunseth Auditorium in Harmon Hall.

Mr. Jerry Koenig, a Holocaust survivor, was present as a pre-teen in the Warsaw Ghetto during World War II. A native of Pruszków, Poland, Koenig was born in 1930 to Isadore and Mary Koenig. However, on Sep. 1, 1939, Nazi Germany invaded Poland. Immediately, the rights of Jewish citizens were stripped as they were in Germany four years prior. The Koenig family was shipped to Warsaw in the winter of 1940. Conditions in the Warsaw Ghetto were horrific. Before being shipped to the Treblinka concentration camp, Jerry's family made a harrowing escape from the Warsaw Ghetto. Mr. Koenig and his family and seven other Jewish people were saved by a Polish family and hidden in a small underground structure in a barn without sun for 22 months. After the war and following the Kielce pogrom in Poland in 1946, Mr. Koenig and his family left Poland for the American free zone in West Germany. From there, the family eventually made their way to Davenport, Iowa supported by the small community of Jews who wanted to help refugees. In 1951 Mr. Koenig was drafted into the U.S. army and returned to Germany. After his service, he and his family eventually settled in St. Louis where he had a successful 35 year career as an engineer for LaClede Gas Company.

http://www.lindenwood.edu/academics/centers-institutes/center-for-international-and-global-studies/speaker-series/mr-jerry-koenig-feb-21/

For further information regarding this discussion, please contact Ray Scupin at Rscupin@lindenwood.edu

#### **Jessica Witte Drawing Installation**

Artist Jessica Witte is slated to install a floor drawing in the Boyle Family Gallery Feb. 20 – 22, 2017. With the help of Lindenwood Art majors, Witte will design and install a drawing made of organic material using the floor of the

Boyle Family Gallery as "canvas" over a three-day period. Completion of the drawing will be celebrated at a reception and gallery talk on Thursday, Feb. 23, 6:30 – 8: p.m. The reception and gallery talk are free and open to the public. The drawing will remain on display through March 24, 2017.

For further information, contact John Troy, Art Department Chair; <a href="mailto:jtroy@lindenwood.edu">jtroy@lindenwood.edu</a>. Read more

### Calling all Fraternity and Sorority Faculty and Staff!

Are you a member of a fraternity or sorority? Were you active in one during your undergraduate education? The Greek Life Office would love to hear from you! We are continuing to build our list of affiliated faculty and staff on campus so that our current fraternity men and sorority women can get to know you, seek your counsel, and learn from your wisdom! Please email the Greek Life Office at <a href="mailto:cmiofsky@lindenwood.edu">cmiofsky@lindenwood.edu</a> with your affiliation and you will be added to the list.

#### **Leavitt and Wisdom Publish Book**

Dr. Lynda Leavitt and Dr. Sherrie Wisdom recently published *Cultural Awareness and Competency Development in Higher Education,* published by IGI-Global. Lindenwood University authors include Ray Scupin, Carla Mueller, Denise King and Dana Klar.

Ms. Kelly Leavitt, Missouri Baptist University, also served as co-editor. For individual chapters please visit: <a href="http://www.igi-global.com/book/cultural-awareness-competency-development-higher/172413">http://www.igi-global.com/book/cultural-awareness-competency-development-higher/172413</a> or for full text, visit amazon.com.

#### **Evans Commons Rec Center Closure**

The Evans Commons Rec Center will be closed February 21 from 5-10 p.m. for an event that evening. The Fieldhouse weight room will be open at this time for students, faculty, staff, and alumni. If you have any questions contact Ron Heator at rheator@lindenwood.edu

#### **Commencement Regalia Orders**

St. Charles Faculty – The Herff Jones website is currently taking faculty regalia orders for the May Commencement Ceremonies. The deadline to place an order will be March 25 at 11:59 p.m. Please see link below for more information.

https://facultydirect.herffjones.com/

### **February is Heart Health Month**

Join us in February for Heart Health Month as the School of Health Sciences and LindenWell presents The Beat Goes On. Check out our <u>events!</u>

We are in search of some healthy recipes! We would love for you all to let us know some of your favorites. We plan to compile all of the recipes we receive into a PDF for everyone to enjoy.

Please send your entries to <u>WHuxhold@lindenwood.edu</u> by Feb.14 and include the following:

Recipe Title

Category (pick one): Breakfast, Brunch, Lunch, Dinner, Snack

Ingredients Directions

#### ACA 1095C Tax Forms Available in Workday!

You may now download your 2016 1095C ACA Tax Forms by simply logging into Workday and following these instructions. Please contact Candace Terry for questions on 1095C forms only. Questions regarding all other tax forms should be directed to Monica Seiter in Payroll.

### **Electronic W2's Now Available in Workday**

Electronic versions of the 2016 W-2s are now available in Workday.

To access your forms, click on the 'Pay' worklet and choose My Tax Documents under the view menu.

Paper copies of the W-2s will be mailed to the home address on file.

If you have any questions, please reach out to the payroll office at 636-949-4971.

#### **Recent Editions**

- Feb. 14, 2017
- Feb. 10, 2017
- Feb. 7, 2017
- Feb. 3, 2017
- Jan. 31, 2017

#### **Events and Deadlines**

- Spring 2017: Academic Technology Services Workshops
- Through Feb. 21: Interpretations in Fiber
- **Feb. 17:** Dissertation Defense: Maggie Malthus "A Mixed-Methods Study Exploring the Relationship between Teacher Evaluation Ratings and Student Achievement in a Rural, Midwest School District" 9 a.m. in Roemer 217
- Feb. 21: John Kelly and Dan McLaughlin
- Feb. 21: Faculty Reads Series
- **Feb. 21:** Lion's Lyrics in A-B Leadership Room, 7-9 p.m.
- Feb. 21: Open Forum to Review Criterion 1 of the HLC Assurance Argument, 12:00, Roemer 217
- Feb. 22: Social Media Best Practices
- Feb. 22: Mock Interviews at Westport
- Feb. 23-25: Heathers the Musical
- Feb. 23-25: Urinetown at Lindenwood Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.
- Feb. 23: Open Forum to Review Criterion 1 of the HLC Assurance Argument, 4:00 pm, MAB 301
- Feb. 24: Dissertation Defense: Dana Burns "A Quantitative Study to Measure the Outcome of At-Risk Students on the Biology End of Course Exams when Using Three Different Instructional Strategies in a Midwest School District" at 8 a.m.in Roemer 217
- Feb. 24: Dissertation Defense: Holly Faye Avis "Effects of the Classroom Assigned Tasks and Responsibilities Program in Middle Schools" at 9 a.m.in Roemer 217
- Feb. 24: Open Forum to Review Criterion 1 of the HLC Assurance Argument, Belleville, 11:00 am and 12:00, L115
- Feb. 28: IRB Together Research & Compliance at Lindenwood Series
- March 1: Mock Interviews at North County
- March 1: Camp Read-A-Lot registration for faculty and staff
- March 2: <u>IRB Together Research & Compliance at Lindenwood</u> Series
- March 3: Dissertation Defense: Sarah Turpin-Padberg "Effects of Teacher Preparation and Support on Retention" at 9 a.m. in Roemer 217
- March 3-4: Urinetown at Lindenwood Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.
- March 31: Dissertation Defense: Megan Zacheis "A Quantitative Exploration of Higher Education, Nontraditional Student Retention Demographics and Success Predictors at a Midwest Private University" at 9 a.m.in Roemer 217
- April 19: Mock Interviews at Wentzville
- April 21: Dissertation Defense: Allison Bearden, "Exploring the Congruency between Mission and Practice in a Pre-K–12, Midwestern, Christian School", 9 a.m. in Roemer 217

- May 10: <u>Annual Assessment and Planning Summit</u>, 9 a.m., A-B Leadership Room, Spellmann Center
- May 10-12: Assessment Days
- June 15: Annual 5-column program assessment reports due