



## Mulitsch Belleville's May Employee of the Month



Sandy Mulitsch has been named the May 2014 Employee of the Month for the Belleville campus.

A member of the Lindenwood Belleville community since August 2009, Mulitsch first took on the role of director of LCIE admissions and later served as director of day admissions. She played a crucial part in growing the number of evening and day students enrolled at the Belleville campus when it was only an extension site and paved the way for the unprecedented enrollment growth that led to LU-Belleville's transition to a "full-service university campus."

In 2011, Mulitsch took over the newly added position of Assistant Registrar. In this role, she oversees the processing of all academic forms, transcript evaluations, and transfer guide updates, in addition to conducting graduation audits, managing degree postings, and printing diplomas. She is also in charge of the Residual ACT Program and the safe storage of student records. Last year, Mulitsch oversaw the planning and management of the Belleville campus' inaugural commencement ceremony, and she coordinated the second annual

## Did You Know?

**Did you know that Leo the Lion has not always been the mascot for Lindenwood? During the 1989-1990 season, the women's soccer team tried to make a life sized Gumby its mascot. During the year, pranksters kidnapped and placed him in a number of locations around campus. The following year, the team returned to using the lion.**

commencement this year with more than 300 graduates participating.

According to Dr. Keith Russell, dean of academics, “Sandy is very hardworking and strives to assist our students, staff, and faculty with excellent customer service. Her role in the commencement ceremony on May 18, 2014, was enormous; she was essential in organizing this event.”

President Bladdick also stated, “Sandy truly deserves this honor of Employee of the Month. Her attention to detail at the 2014 LU-Belleville graduation ceremony was managed with grace and true leadership.”

“I was totally taken by surprise when presented with the Employee of the Month award,” said Mulitsch. “I am grateful to have been chosen, but would be remiss if I did not share the honor with the rest of the Academic Services team. I can’t do what I do as well as I do it, without them! I am blessed to have such a great team to work with on a daily basis! Thank you for this honor.”

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## Scaturro Selected as St. Charles Campus Employee of the Month



Greg Scaturro, Maintenance

Department employee, has been named the Lindenwood University Employee of the Month for June.

The St. Peters, Mo., resident has worked in the role since 2011. Prior to coming to Lindenwood, he worked for seven years in the heating and cooling industry and for 24 years in cargo and facilities operations for American Airlines.

In his current position, Scaturro is responsible for maintenance duties at the Spellmann Center, Welcome Center, Fitness Center, and Office of Public Safety and Security. He handles electrical, plumbing, painting, and a variety of other miscellaneous repair needs.

“Myself and the others in my department, we usually take care of just about anything,” he said. “It’s like having your own big house to take care of.”

Scaturro’s attention to detail and willingness to take on additional projects were two qualities highlighted by his Employee of the Month Award nominator, Ryan Guffey, PhD, Vice President for Student Development and Global Affairs.

“Working in building maintenance is not an easy job, but Greg has managed to perform the tasks with the highest level of craftsmanship,” said Guffey. “He has an uncanny way of mingling with students and inspiring them to share the same passion for the space. It’s through his dedication and eye for detail that the Spellmann Center remains a jewel in Lindenwood’s crown of facilities.”

Scaturro pointed out that while he appreciates the award and the praise, he derives his own personal satisfaction from fixing things and in keeping Lindenwood's property in top shape.

"It's nice to hear you're doing a good job and to hear that people have pointed out I do my best to try to make a difference, but honestly if I'm doing a good job, things should be in order and as they need to be," he said. "The best praise is if people don't have the chance to notice anything in disrepair."

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## Reuter Named Paul Harris Fellow by Belleville Rotary



Mary Reuter, Assistant Vice President and Executive Director of Community Relations for Lindenwood University-Belleville, was named a Paul Harris Fellow by the Belleville Rotary on June 24 in appreciation of her contributions to the Rotary Club.

The Paul Harris Fellowship is named for one of the co-founders of Rotary, which was established in 1905. The Fellowship was created in his honor to express appreciation for individuals' contributions to the humanitarian and educational programs of the Rotary Foundation and to honor those whose lives demonstrate a shared purpose with the objectives of Rotary. These objectives include funding, implementing, and managing an array of projects that save and invigorate the lives of people around the world, as well as enhance international friendship and understanding.

"It is an honor to be named a Paul Harris Fellow," said Reuter. "The community relationships and friendships I have formed through the Belleville Rotary are so rewarding, not only for me as a person, but also for the Lindenwood University family."

Barbara Cempura, president of the Belleville Rotary Club, presented Reuter with the honorary certificate and medallion on behalf of Rotary International.

"Mary serves on the Belleville Rotary Club Board of Directors and works with the committees that host the football banquet recognizing area high school seniors who excel in football, as well as the Young Women of Achievement Awards Dinner recognizing female seniors who excel in academics, sports, volunteer service, and the arts," said Cempura.

"Character is earned, not purchased, and if we live by the ideas of respect and

understanding that are central to Rotary, we can make our community and work a better place," said Reuter.