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EMPLOYEE NEWSLETTER

February 22, 2023

CAMPUS-WIDE NEWS BROUGHT STRAIGHT TO **YOUR INBOX.**

## GOOD MORNING

### LINDENWOOD LIONS!

#### DEI Speaker Series Starts Today



Center fourth floor.

The Center for Diversity and Inclusion is announcing a new Speaker Series beginning today with MUNY CEO Kwofe Coleman from noon to 1:30 p.m. in the AB Leadership Room Spellmann

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This Speaker Series was created through a partnership between Lindenwood's CDI and the St Charles Regional Chamber.



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## Spring Into Service 2023

Join us March 25 from 8 a.m.-noon for our annual Spring into Service event. Student Involvement, the Lindenwood Student Government, and LindenGiving are hosting a half-day community service opportunity for faculty, staff, and students. Register [here](#) for Spring into Service to participate in a service project to assist the growth of the St. Charles and Lindenwood communities. Registration ends March 10, 2023.

Please contact the [Office of Student Involvement](#) with any questions. We look forward to seeing you at Spring into Service!



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## Midterm Progress Survey for Spring '23 Courses

Faculty, please complete your midterm progress survey when prompted in LindenCircle the week of February 27. This survey will allow you to flag attendance concerns, missing and/or late assignments, low quiz or test scores, as well as give kudos to your students. This survey will give success coaches the ability to reach out to students and assist them with any barriers they may be facing at the midterm point.

Resources on how to access LindenCircle, submit attendance, and respond to progress surveys can be found in the Lindenwood Faculty Canvas shell or email [Student Advising and Support Services](#) with

questions.

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## Title IX 101

What is Title IX? Do I have to report? Who do I report to?

Unsure of what your obligations are under Title IX? The Title IX Office would like to meet with your office or department to discuss the requirements of Title IX and how you may best support our students and staff in this area. Reach out to the [Title IX Office](#) to schedule a time for some conversation.

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## Register Your LU Social Media Accounts

Lindenwood requires all social media accounts affiliated with the University to be registered with the Marketing and Communications department. This information is securely stored and is imperative to have in the event of staffing changes or department adjustments.

If you manage a social media account affiliated with the University, please complete the [Social Media Registration Form](#). Accounts registered within the last 12 months do not need to complete the process, unless they are under new management. Please contact our [team](#) with questions.



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## Camp Read-A-Lot

Do you have a child entering first through sixth grade next year? Would you like your child to receive support and enrichment in reading? The College of Education and Human Services is thrilled to announce Camp Read-A-Lot will be held from Monday through Friday June 5-23 from 9 a.m.-11:30 at the Cultural Center.

Tickets are \$80 per camper, plus LU Box Office fees. Ticket sales for members of the Lindenwood community (those with a Lindenwood email address: students, faculty, staff) start March 1 at 8 a.m. and can be purchased [here](#).

Our theme is “Reading is Wild!” and we have loads of new books about wild animals! Camp Read-A-Lot is a wonderful opportunity for your child to receive individualized reading support and we hope they join us this summer.

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## Nonprofit Board and Volunteer Fair

Lindenwood faculty, staff, and students are invited to attend a volunteer service fair Saturday, February 25 from 9-11 a.m. in the AB Leadership Room, Spellmann Center, fourth floor. Nonprofit organizations from St. Charles County will be in attendance to showcase opportunities to serve as a volunteer or a member of their board of directors. For more information, contact [Dr. Julie Turner](#).

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# Q2 Moments

I was having trouble getting Grubhub to work last Friday in Spellmann. **Leah Rosenmiller** took time to stop and help me get the system figured out. This was so kind. These little things are what make Lindenwood great.

[Submit Your Q2 Moment](#)

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LEARNING ACADEMY

## **Culture Connection: Diving Into LU's Culture for New Employees - Cohort 6** **Every Thursday, January 26-March 2** **Lindenwood Learning Academy, LARC 009 and Online**

Culture Connection is a six-week Professional Learning Community hosted by the Learning Academy designed for employees new to Lindenwood who started working during or after September 2022. This session focuses on Service.

[Register](#)

### **Safe Zone 1.0** **February 23, 10 a.m.-noon** **Lindenwood Learning Academy, LARC 010**

This interactive training session will help participants learn how to support and advocate for LGBTQ+ students, faculty, and staff.

Participants will examine LGBTQ+ identities, genders, and sexualities. Training participants will discover campus resources, as well as strategies to apply what they learned to their environment. Megan Woltz is the facilitator.

### **Graduate Attributes Lunch and Learn Workshop** **February 23, 11 a.m.-noon** **Lindenwood Learning Academy, LARC 009**

**February 24, 11 a.m.-noon**  
**Online**

Bring your own lunch (or brunch!) and learn more about the **Graduate Attributes** during these virtual or in-person workshops!

On the last Thursday and Friday in the spring semester, we will overview the Graduate Attributes, alignment in courses and programs, and assessment using signature assignments.

Register

Come to one or all and bring your ideas and questions as we workshop our way to the new Graduate Attributes!

Register

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### **HLC Criterion Workshops**

**February 23, noon-1:30 p.m.**  
**Hyland Arena VIP Room**

**March 1, noon-1:30 p.m.**  
**AB Leadership Room, Spellmann Center,  
Fourth Floor**

In preparation for a very successful HLC Comprehensive Evaluation next year, all employees and students are invited to join one or more of these topical workshops. Each workshop is designed to achieve the following objectives:

- Participants gain a deeper understanding of the value and process of regional accreditation.
- Participants gain insight into Lindenwood's quality assurance journey.
- Participants understand better the HLC Criteria for Accreditation.
- Participants review draft responses and provide input toward a penultimate draft.

Register

### **Financial Wellness: Five Money Questions for Women**

**February 23, noon-1 p.m.**  
**Online**

Women face unique financial circumstances. A strong financial strategy is vital. Ensure your financial strategy fits your lifestyle and needs.

During this presentation, we explore five critical money questions for women.

Register

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**Artificial Intelligence in the Classroom: Exploring Innovative Approaches to Enhance Pedagogy**

**February 23, 1-2 p.m.**

**Online**

James Hutson and Daniel Plate will meet weekly to discuss new developments in Artificial Intelligence and innovative pedagogical approaches to those developments.

Lindenwood faculty and staff are welcome to join these discussions.

[Register](#)

**Disability Bias**

**February 23, 3-4 p.m.**

**Lindenwood Learning Academy, LARC 009**

This interactive training session will help the training participants develop an awareness of how disability bias can impact those around them with ability differences. Training participants will discover campus resources and strategies to apply what they learned to their environment in order to identify and challenge their own disability bias.

[Register](#)

**Feed Your Mind Fridays: International Students Retention in a Volatile, Uncertain, Complex and Ambiguous (VUCA) World**

**February 24, noon-1 p.m.**

**Online**

Tamayo Zhou will lead participants in a discussion regarding supporting international students in and out of the classroom. Zhou will review specific techniques departments may consider to improve the experience of international students.

[Register](#)

**The Power of Design: Increasing Student Engagement Through the Visual Design of Course Materials**

**February 28, 1-2 p.m.**

**Online**

In this workshop, participants will explore best practices for creating course materials that are visually engaging for students, ranging from how to find open-source assets, to choosing images, to designing slideshows and documents that are both visually appealing and well-organized. This workshop supports the RISE Pillar of Engagement.

[Register](#)

**Spiritual/Religious Bias**

**March 1, 3-4:30 p.m.**

**Lindenwood Learning Academy, LARC 009**

**Black History Month: Martin Luther King, Jr., Leadership Awards**

**February 28, 1-2:30 p.m.**

**AB Leadership Room, Spellmann Center, Fourth Floor**

This interactive training session will help the training participants develop an awareness of how spiritual/religious bias can impact those around them who practice different spiritualities or religions. Training participants will discover campus resources and strategies to apply what they learned to their environment in order to identify and challenge their own spiritual/religious bias.

[Register](#)

The DEI Task Force at Lindenwood University presents the Martin Luther King Jr. Leadership Awards. The event is intended to grant distinction and recognition to those individuals in the Lindenwood community who embody the spirit of Dr. King's work.

These individuals embrace creativity, leadership, scholarship, and/or service towards an outcome intended to positively impact the Lindenwood community, with particular emphasis on such activities as they relate to the core values of diversity, equity, and inclusion at the heart of our task force's work.

Award recipients will be announced at the DEI Task Force's MLK Jr. Award Ceremony.

A reception in the Center for Diversity and Inclusion will follow the awards ceremony.

[Register](#)



## SPRING SEMESTER HOURS

### LARC/LIBRARY SERVICES

- Monday- Thursday: 8 a.m. - 10 p.m.
- Friday: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
- Saturday: 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
- Sunday: 2 -10 p.m.

### EVANS COMMONS REC CENTER

- Monday - Friday: 6 a.m. - 9 p.m.
- Saturday - Sunday: 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

### LU BOX OFFICE

- Tuesday-Friday: 12 – 4 p.m.
- Saturday: 10 a.m.–2 p.m.
- Sunday-Monday: Closed

### STARBUCKS

- Monday - Friday: 7 a.m. - 5 p.m.
- Saturday: Closed
- Sunday: 2 - 9 p.m.

### BOYLE FAMILY GALLERY

- Tuesday-Thursday: 12 – 5 p.m.
- Open during Theater and Black Box performances



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