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EMPLOYEE NEWSLETTER

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## GOOD MORNING LINDENWOOD LIONS!

Lindenwood Giving Week is Here!



Lindenwood Giving Week is here and we need your support!

We are counting on our campus community to join hundreds of Lions from all over the world in our weeklong celebration of philanthropy in support

of Lindenwood students. Giving Week began March 20 and runs through March 24.

To help us celebrate, please stop by our table today from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. in Evans Commons and Friday from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. in Spellmann Center for your chance to win great LU gear and prizes!

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There are more events, giveaways, and prizes throughout the week. We'll also be featuring some unique gift matches and challenges including one from Board member Hal Gentry to help your donation go even further! Visit our [Giving Week website](#) to learn more.

Every gift during Giving Week brings us one step closer to our **\$100,000** goal, so we invite you to support the area of the University you are most passionate about.

One great way to amplify your support of Lindenwood students is by becoming a [Giving Week Champion](#). Create a fundraising page for your favorite area on campus and share with your network.

We're also counting on our community to help boost our messages by posting on [social media](#) using the #LindenwoodGivingWeek hashtag.

If you have any questions about Giving Week or how to make a gift, please email the [Advancement team](#).

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### New Student Mental Health Resource

Lindenwood is proud to announce a new partnership with [Uwill](#), which provides student mental health and wellness support. Uwill maintains a 24/7 hotline for students experiencing a mental health crisis. The direct crisis connection service can be reached by calling (833) 646-1526.



Please do not hesitate to provide this resource to any student experiencing crisis, or who may benefit from the services offered by Uwill.

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### Got Jeans?

The Title IX Office is looking for donations of gently used denim pants to use in support of upcoming Sexual Assault Awareness Month #SAAM programming, and to also donate to a local domestic violence shelter. Drop off your jeans of any size, in good condition, to the Title IX Office, Evans Commons 3030 by 5 p.m. Friday, March 24. Questions, contact [Paula Stewart](#).

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## Alumni Reunion Weekend

We are excited to welcome back our alumni!

Join us on campus and we rediscover Lindenwood and reconnect with classmates and faculty. More information to come.

Check out the [event schedule](#) on LindenConnect to RSVP and purchase your banquet tickets!

For more information, contact [LU Alumni](#).

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## Rainbow Connection - Kickoff Event

Join the Rainbow Connection (Lindenwood's LGBTQ+ Employee Resource Group) for our Kickoff Event at Prasino St. Charles today, Wednesday, March 22. Drop in anytime between 4:30-6:30 p.m. First round of drinks and appetizers will be on us.

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## Diversify the Pride Week

This weeklong series of events supports the University's mission by providing a space outside of the classroom to support academic and intellectual inquiry. Each day corresponds with one of our Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Pillars: Workforce, Students, Culture, Community. These events are geared toward all members of our community.

Register [here](#).

### **Monday, March 27**

Panel: It Takes A Village - Community leaders discuss what we can accomplish collectively  
Noon - 1:30 p.m. - Spellmann Center, AB Leadership Room

### **Tuesday, March 28**

Guest Speaker Stephen Young - Microinequities: Managing Unconscious Bias  
Noon - 1:30 p.m. and 3:30 - 5 p.m.- Spellmann Center, AB Leadership Room

### **Wednesday, March 29**

Panel: The Importance of a Diversified Workforce  
Noon - 1p.m. - Harmon Hall, Dunseth Auditorium

### **Thursday, March 30**

Celebrating Student Cultures: Speaker and Cultural Expo  
5 – 7 p.m., Evans Commons

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LEARNING ACADEMY

## LX Canvas and Teams Support Office Hours

**Every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 8:30-9 a.m.**

**Online**

Need some quick support for a tech problem? Or need a little help with a random tech question? Is Canvas or Teams not playing nicely? Check out Learning Experience Design Support Services! *We might not know the answer, but we will find it for you!* [Join the meeting](#) every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 8:30-9 a.m.

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

**March 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. LU faculty and staff are welcome to join these discussions.

[Register](#)

## Kaja Renkas & Eric Olivares Lira: Poster Art & Graphic Design from Poland and Mexico featuring Augmented Reality

**March 23, 5:30-7 p.m.**

**LARC 245 and Third Floor Atrium**

Library Services is hosting artists Kaja Renkas from Poland and Eric Olivares Lira from Mexico for a poster art and graphic design exhibit in the Media and Gaming Lab, LARC 245. At 6 p.m., a panel discussion focusing on augmented reality in art, graphic design, and Kaja and Eric's experiences as professional artists in their field will be held in the LARC Third Floor Atrium.

[Register](#)

## Feed Your Mind Friday: The Prison to School Pipeline

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

**Online**

Arron Whitt will share his personal experience of incarceration to EdD candidate. Attendees will learn from his experience and reflect on

## Integrative Active Learning in Classroom Teaching

**March 28, 12:30-1:30 p.m.**

**Harmon Hall 117**

In this workshop, we will focus on introducing active learning strategies, which are proved to increase student engagement, peer learning, and cognitive learning outcomes. The content

how they can support students in similar situations.

[Register](#)

will be two fold: theoretical and practical. In the theoretical session, I will share the definition of active and experiential learning concepts, application areas, short literature review about how they impact student learning and engagement, and follow up with a discussion. In the practical session, I will share resources and demonstrate how I use some of the active learning strategies in classroom, including collaborative and noncollaborative options. Examples may include Think-Pair-Share (TPS), Jigsaw, Gallery Walk, Minute Paper, Muddiest Point, Problem, Project-based and Service Learning. Examples come from the business analytics, project management, supply chain management courses but all areas of teaching are welcome to join the interactive workshop. Dr. Gokhan Egilmez is the presenter.

[Register](#)

### **Using Multiple Choice Reading Quizzes to Increase Support and Engagement**

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

**Lindenwood Learning Academy, LARC 009**

This workshop will introduce you to the IF-AT (Immediate Feedback Assessment Technique) "Scratch Off" cards that motivate students to carefully complete readings before class meetings. We will discuss how to write multiple-choice questions that assess deeper levels of understanding and integration of course concepts, and how to use IF-AT and a team-based approach to work toward articulation and application of foundational concepts. This workshop supports the RISE pillars of engagement and support.

[Register](#)

### **Medicare Workshop**

**March 29, 11 a.m.-noon**

**Lindenwood Learning Academy, LARC 009 and Online**

Ken Lanter is a licensed Medicare Advantage Agent with over four decades of experience! Lanter is contracted with United HealthCare to provide education and resources about the different Medicare options available and how they impact you. Please join us for this informational workshop to gain clarity on your Medicare questions!

[Register](#)

## How to Give a Presentation

March 29, 1-2 p.m.

Harmon Hall 104 and Online

Whether you are presenting virtually or in person, this workshop will show you tips to help you make your presentation a success. Leah Rosenmiller and Kyle Sunderland are the session facilitators. **If you have students participating in the Student Academic Showcase this year and they need a little help preparing for their oral presentation, this workshop can help!**

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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