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## FSU Responds to Katrina Donation Drives

A Hurricane Katrina donation site has been established at the Lane University Center Information Desk at FSU. All who would like to donate to the relief efforts for the victims of Hurricane Katrina may do so weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. All donations will be given to the American Red Cross for the victims of Hurricane Katrina.

In addition, America's Second Harvest & Western MD Food Bank's Hurricane Katrina Relief Drive is now accepting the following items: bottled water, hand held snacks (granola & energy bars), canned meals (pasta, soups & stews), peanut butter, diapers (all sizes) and monetary donations.

These are the only items that can be sent at this time. Any other donations received will remain local.

Drop your donation off at: FSU - The Braddock House, Midlothian Road, or Western Maryland Food Bank, 816 Frederick St., Cumberland (301-722-2797).

Donations will be accepted through Sept. 30, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

## Education for Hurricane Victims

Opportunities still exist at FSU for college students whose academic studies have been disrupted by the devastation of Hurricane Katrina. Affected students may take classes online through FSU's partnership with the Sloan Consortium.

The University has agreed to waive tuition and other normal fees for these students. Special online courses will begin on Monday, Oct. 10.

For more information on study options, visit online [www.frostburg.edu/katrina/](http://www.frostburg.edu/katrina/).

## THIS WEEK ON CAMPUS

### Chancellor to Discuss Presidential Search

Chancellor William E. Kirwan and his Chief of Staff, Katie Ryan, will visit the campus on Tuesday, Sept. 20, to discuss the search procedure that will be used to find President Catherine Gira's successor. Their schedule for the day is as follows:



**William Kirwan**

1:15 p.m.: Vice Presidents.  
2 p.m.: Meeting with Dr. Gira.  
2:45 p.m.: Administrators and Staff Open Meeting – Lane 142.  
3:30 p.m.: Students Open Meeting – Lane 142.  
4 p.m.: Faculty Assembly – Lane 142.

Noon: Lunch with representatives of the Board of Visitors, the Foundation Board, the Alumni Governing Board, and the Cumberland and Frostburg business communities

### CAST Presents 'Much Ado About Nothing'

The Cambridge University American Stage Tour returns to FSU to perform Shakespeare's comedy "Much Ado About Nothing" on Wednesday, Sept. 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center's F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre.

From Cambridge University, England, CAST productions cross over to the states and feature the best of Cambridge's theatre talent. The show has been 11 months in the making with a full cast and crew working to create a thoroughly professional production.

"Much Ado About Nothing" is set in rural Britain. The scenes on stage will be of Monet-like impressionism, creating an image of heightened realism. The passion of the piece will be echoed in the warm colors of the stage with cool jazz to connect the characters with the audience.

CAST aims to make theatre available to the modern audience and wants to ensure that even those audience members who are not familiar with

Shakespearean text will still be able to enjoy the production. This is accomplished by using innovative and ambitious methods and interpretations.

Tickets are \$10 for the general public and \$5 for students. For ticket information, call the FSU Box Office at x4145.

The appearance of CAST is sponsored by the FSU Department of English, with support from the FSU College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and the FSU Office of the Provost.

### Poet Carolyne Wright to Read Sept. 19

The Frostburg Center for Creative Writing and English Department at FSU is proud to welcome poet Carolyne Wright for a reading Monday, Sept. 19, at 7:30 p.m. in Lane University Center 142.

Wright's collection of poetry, *Seasons of Mangoes and Brainfire*, was awarded the Blue Lynx Prize, American Book Award from the Before Columbus Foundation, and Oklahoma Book Award in Poetry. Wright has achieved international recognition from her work *The Road*



**Carolyne Wright**

to *Isla Negra*, which received the PEN/Jerard Fund Award and the Crossing Boundaries Award from International Quarterly and is based on her experiences in Chile on a Fulbright Study Grant. Wright spent four years in Calcutta and Dhaka, Bangladesh, where she collected and translated material for her forthcoming anthology *Majestic Nights: Love Poems by Bengali Women*.

Wright is the first in what is expected to be a fine fall reading line up, which also features fiction writer Charles Baxter on Oct. 10 and poet and nonfiction writer Cynthia Huntington Nov. 3.

The reading, sponsored by the Office of Student and Community Involvement and Main Street Books, is free and open to the public and will be followed by a book signing and reception. For more information, contact FSU's Department

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of English at x4221 or the Center for Creative Writing at x4024 or visit the Center's Web site at [www.frostburg.edu/dept/engl/nightsun](http://www.frostburg.edu/dept/engl/nightsun).

## Film



### Int'l Film Series Presents 'Born into Brothels'

FSU's 2005-2006 International Film Series begins with "Born into Brothels" on Tuesday, Sept. 20, at 7 p.m. in the Lane University Center Atkinson Room 201. The series is sponsored by FSU Center Stage.

A tribute to the resiliency of childhood and the power of art, "Born Into Brothels" is a portrait of several unforgettable children who live in the red light district of Calcutta where their mothers work as prostitutes. Zana Briski, a New York-based photographer, gives each of these youngsters a camera and teaches them to look at their world with new eyes. Together with Ross Kauffman, Briski captures the magical way in which beauty can be found in the most unlikely of places and how a bright and promising future becomes a possibility for children who previously had no future at all.

Other international films scheduled for this semester include: "Les Choristes," Oct. 11; "A Tout De Suite," Nov. 15; and "The Event," Nov. 29. All film showings are free and open to the public. For more information, contact the Lane University Center Information Desk at x4411.



## Speakers

### American Chemical Society Head to Speak

American Chemical Society President William Carroll will visit Western Maryland and present two talks on Wednesday, Sept. 21. At 3 p.m., he will discuss "Vinyl Chloride, Cancer and Technology" in FSU's Compton Science Center, room 358. A second discussion will be held on "Recycling: The Critical Steps" at Gehauf's restaurant in LaVale. Dinner will begin at 6 p.m. and the discussion at 7:15 p.m. The public is invited to all events.

Carroll is a member of the ACS Budget and Finance Committee and past chair of its International Activities Committee. Carroll has served on expert groups commissioned by the United Nations Environmental Program, the state of Florida and the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality. He has received the Vinyl Institute's Roy T. Gottesman Leadership Award for Lifetime Achievement and has been an active member of various committees for a number of organizations such as chemistry, plastics, fire protection and recycling. Carroll acquired two patents and possesses over 40 publications in the fields of organic electrochemistry,

polymer chemistry, combustion chemistry and more.

His presentation at FSU will review the history of vinyl chloride toxicology, events of cancer cases in workers between 1974 and 1975, and how this event became one of the landmark events in the history of industrial hygiene. The second presentation will be on the four critical steps in recycling, collection, separation, reprocessing and remanufacture and how they relate to plastics.

Sponsors for the event include FSU's Student Affiliates of the American Chemical Society and the Western Maryland Section of the American Chemical Society. For more information on the talks or if you wish to attend the dinner, please contact Dr. J. David Stickler at 301-784-5256 or Dr. Don B. Weser at x4157.

### 'Science and Religion: Understanding Evolution'

Dr. Richard Raesly, professor of biology at FSU, and Rev. Bill Pinches, pastor of the Frostburg Presbyterian Church, will explore the controversial subject "Science and Religion: Understanding Evolution" on Wednesday, Sept. 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the Compton Science Center, room 226.

Raesly has taught biology at FSU since 1989. His expertise consists of aquatic ecology and systematics of fishes. Raesly's research has been funded by several granting agencies, such as the Environmental Protection Agency, National Park Service, The Nature Conservancy, Maryland Department of Natural Resources, Soviet Academy of Sciences and National Geographic Society. His work has also been published in many peer-reviewed journals that include Transactions of the American Fisheries Society, American Midland Naturalist and others. Raesly received his B.S. in biology from Albright College, Master of Wildlife Biology from FSU and Ph.D. in Ecology from Penn State University.

Pinches has been pastor of the Frostburg Presbyterian Church for two years and is chair of the Committee on Preparation for the Ministry of Baltimore Presbytery. He also serves as a member of the FSU United Campus Ministry Board of Directors. He received his B.A. in religion from Bates College in Lewiston, Maine and both his Master of Divinity and Master of Theology from Princeton Theological Seminary.

Sponsors for the event include FSU's United Campus Ministry and the FSU Department of Biology. For more information, contact x7490.

### Upper Quad Site of 'Stop the Hate' Vigil

FSU will hold its annual "Stop the Hate" Vigil on Monday, Sept. 26, at 7:30 p.m. in the campus upper quad, outside of the Compton Science Center. Rain site will be FSU's Lane University Center Manicur Assembly Hall.

Speakers for this year's event include Jennifer Davis and Preetmohan Singh of

The Interfaith Alliance (TIA), a nonpartisan, national advocacy voice of the interfaith movement from Washington, D.C.

Davis, deputy field director of TIA, has widespread knowledge in field and event organizing, political activism and educational campaigns. She is currently attending Johns Hopkins University to obtain a Masters in Government, with a law and justice concentration. She holds bachelor's degrees in journalism and Spanish from the University of Maryland, College Park. Her previous work experience includes the Political Leadership Development Program at the American Israel Public Affairs Committee, the Broadcast Advertising Department at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts and the Public Affairs Department at APCO World Wide Public Relations Firm.

Singh, senior policy analyst for TIA, has served as the national director of the Sikh American Legal Defense and Education Fund. Singh is a magna cum laude graduate from Georgetown University in Washington, D.C. and also studied at Oxford University in England. He conducted many congressional briefings on civil right issues and has addressed audiences about Sikhism, the Sikh American community, civil rights and civil liberties at local and national forums. Singh has also participated in discussions at colleges and universities across the U.S., including Bowdoin, Colombia, Georgetown, Harvard and others.

Sponsors for the "Stop the Hate" event include the United Campus Ministry and Catholic Campus Ministry, along with many other social-minded campus organizations. For more information, contact United Campus Ministry at x7490.

### 'Zen: Responding to a Ravaged Planet'

FSU will host a lecture entitled "Zen: Responding to a Ravaged Planet" on Friday, Oct. 7, at 7:30 p.m. in the P.E. Center's Leake Room. An orientation to Zazen meditation will also be held as part of the two-day cultural program on Saturday, Oct. 8, from 9 a.m. until noon in the P.E. Center's Leake Room.

Newly ordained Zen Priest Rev. Teshin, an FSU alumnus of the class of 1995, will be assisting Zen Sense, Sunya Kjoleda, co director of the Windhorse Zen Community with the meditation workshop.



Yuriko Ikematsu, a new Japanese instructor who joined our FSU faculty from Japan this September, will display Japanese culture with a flower arrangement demonstration on Friday, Oct. 7, from 2 until 4 p.m. in FSU's Lane Center, room 201. Cecil Uyehara, the former president of the Sumi-E Society of America, Inc., will also present a calligraphy demonstration workshop Saturday, Oct. 8, from 2 until 4 p.m. in FSU's Lane Center, room 201.

The two-day cultural program of Zen

in Japanese culture is free and open to the public. Those who decide to participate in the meditation workshop Saturday morning are asked to wear loose clothing (no shorts) and to bring two blankets and two firm non-bed pillows for sitting on the floor for fifteen minutes in motionless meditation.

The program is sponsored by the FSU Center for International Education, the FSU Faculty Development and Sabbatical Subcommittee and the Allegany Arts Council. For further information, call program director Dr. Paul La Chance, at x4225 or x4221.

## Hadra Forum: Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa

The free weekly James Hadra forums continue each Monday at noon in Ort Library room 237. The 50-minute programs are free and open to the public. Attendees are encouraged to bring lunch; coffee and tea will be provided.

Upcoming programs are as follows:

- Sept. 19, James Saku, "Ethnic Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa."
- Sept. 26, Jenny Davis, Deputy Field Director, and Preetmohan Singh, Senior Policy Analyst, Interfaith Alliance, "Hate as an American Value."
- Oct. 3, Kara Rogers-Thomas, "Mining the Folklore of Maryland's Mountains."

The forum is sponsored by Catholic Campus Ministries, United Campus Ministries and Hillel. For information, contact the Rev. Larry Neumark at x7490.

## Risqué Business

The BURG Peer Education Network has created a high energy, interactive program, Risqué Business, that is funny but very informative! It's happening at 8 p.m. on Sept. 27 in Lane University Center 201! Students will learn how high risk drinking and sex can be a risqué combination.

## Music

### Faculty to Perform for Emmanuel Series

FSU faculty will perform in concert at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 16 Washington St. in Cumberland, at 4 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 25. The concert will inaugurate the Emmanuel Episcopal's Fall Concert Series.

FSU faculty include Dr. Mary Mumper, soprano (Chemistry), Dr. Karen Soderberg-Sarnaker, mezzo-soprano, Dr. Mark Gallagher, clarinet, and Betty Jane Phillips, piano (Music).

Selections include three Bach arias for Mezzo-soprano, clarinet and piano; Gorecki's "O Domina Nostra" for mezzo-soprano and organ; John Cages' "Litany for The Whale", for two voices. Gallagher will perform the "Sonata for Clarinet Alone" by Miklos Rozsa and "Concerto in A major" by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart.

The concert is free and open to the public.

## Roots Music Series – Orrin Star

The Roots Music Series, a new programming initiative spearheaded by the Allegany Arts Council, WFWM Radio and Dr. Ken Roberts, kicks off with an afternoon workshop and evening performance by award-winning guitarist and entertainer, Orrin Star, on Saturday Oct. 29.

Star is a nationally recognized folk and bluegrass performer and teacher who combines hot picking, cool singing and good humor. Once described as "Arlo Guthrie-meets-Doc Watson," he was the 1976 National Flat-picking Champion, has appeared on "A Prairie Home Companion," and boasts a repertoire that ranges from bluegrass standards to little-known folk gems, and Celtic fiddle tunes to finger-style blues.

Star's Bluegrass Rhythm Guitar Workshop will be held at FSU from 3 to 5 p.m., and will be limited to 15 people. The cost is \$25 per person. Advance registration is required and may be secured by calling the Allegany Arts Council at 301-777-ARTS (2787).

The evening performance is open to the general public, and will be held at 8 p.m. at the Palace Theatre in Frostburg. Tickets may be purchased at the door for \$8 per person (\$5 for FSU students and members of the Allegany Arts Council). Please visit [www.alleganyartscouncil.org](http://www.alleganyartscouncil.org) for additional details.

## Art



### Political Posters to be Exhibited at Roper

Ort Library will display a select number of posters and memorabilia from its George A. Meyers Collections in the Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery from Sept. 30 through Oct. 22. The Collections include nearly 15,000 items on Marxism, Leninism, Communism, Socialism, labor unions, Women's Rights and U.S. Civil Rights.

Posters were selected to represent a cross section of the Collections. Memorabilia displayed includes membership cards in the Communist Party USA, international political buttons and pins and personal items of George A. Meyers, a labor union organizer and chair of the Labor Committee of the CPUSA for more than 40 years. Also featured are supporting items from the Victor Perlo (Socialist author) Collection at the Ort Library.

Opening day is Friday, Sept. 30, with a 6 p.m. reception.

For more information, call the FSU Department of Visual Arts at x4797.

### Creative Couples Come Together for Exhibition

FSU Department of Visual Arts presents the exhibition "Birds of a Feather" through Sept. 25 in the Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery in the campus Fine Arts Building.

"Birds of a Feather" brings together

the works of area couples who are artists. The featured couples include Ann Bristow and Kenny Braitman, Judy Dehart Davis and Dustin Davis, Suzanne Donazetti and Kenneth Payne, Carolyn and James Groves, Penny Knobel-Besa and Hilmar Gottesthal, Deborah and Jim Odgers, Margaret and Dave Romero and Colleen and Chuck Stump. The exhibition will showcase photography, paintings, sculptures and other mediums.

The gallery hours are Sunday through Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m. For information, call Visual Arts at x4797.

## Theatre



### UT opens with 'Annie Get Your Gun'

University Theatre will open the 2005-2006 season with the Irving Berlin musical, "Annie Get Your Gun." Performances are on Oct. 7, 8, 13, 14 and 15 at 8 p.m. and on Oct 8 and 15 at 2 p.m.

First produced in 1946 with Ethel Merman in the title role, "Annie Get Your Gun" has enjoyed several Broadway revivals. Although there are many reasons for the continuing popularity of this show, Irving Berlin's enduring score, which is packed with audience favorites, is the most significant. Songs include "There's No Business Like Show Business," "You Can't Get A Man With A Gun," "They Say It's Wonderful," "Anything You Can Do (I Can Do Better)," "I Got The Sun In The Morning," and "Doin' What Comes Natur'ly."

Season Discount Flex Cards are available for purchase until Oct. 15. For \$30, receive four main stage tickets – a \$10 savings. Cardholders can spread tickets throughout the Main Stage season, or use any number of tickets for one show. Individual ticket prices are \$5 for students and \$10 for non-students. Call x7462 to order season tickets.



## Take Note

### President Gira to be Honored by Chamber

The Allegany County Chamber of Commerce will honor President Catherine Gira as its Person of the Year at the Chamber's 18th Annual Outstanding Business Recognition Dinner on Thursday, Oct. 6, at the Ali Ghan Shrine Club. Dinner is at 7 p.m., preceded by a reception with cash bar beginning at 6 p.m.

Anyone interested in attending the dinner should contact Sandy in the President's Office, x4112. To make a reservation, send a check to the President's Office in Hitchens, made payable to the Allegany County Chamber of Commerce, for \$45 per person or \$360 for a table of eight. Include the number of reservations requested, your FSU affiliation, the names of those attending and whether each person would prefer the 8 oz. filet or orange roughly entree.

Reservations must be made by Thursday, Sept. 29.

## Ethnobotanical Studies Symposium at Rocky Gap

The Appalachian Center for Ethnobotanical Studies will conduct a symposium at Rocky Gap Lodge and Resort Oct. 13 and 14 to look at the study of ethnobotany, which integrates bio-science with herbal medicine practices, wildlife habitats, conservation, cottage industries and economic development for Central Appalachia.

The symposium will bring together people from a variety of disciplines and include discussion on topics such as the economic impact of ethnobotany, folklore and alternative medicines, as well as panel discussions on research the Center has already undertaken and on creating a community of growers for medicinal plants.

This symposium would be useful to anyone interested in any aspect of herbal medicine, from growing and harvesting herbs to its practice, teaching and science. It is also an opportunity for the community to learn about the activities of this new Appalachian Center for Ethnobotanical Studies and possible future initiatives and economic development opportunities.

The Appalachian Center for Ethnobotanical Studies is a collaborative program of FSU, West Virginia University and the University of Maryland Biotechnology Institute. The Center is devoted to the study and conservation of native medicinal plants, as well as the preservation of the Appalachian culture of harvesting plants for herbal medicines. Among the goals of the Center are education, outreach and economic development, both from cultivating the medicinal plants currently found in the Appalachian wilds and from companies that choose to locate in the area to take advantage of this resource.

The symposium registration fee is \$52, which includes Thursday breakfast and lunch and Friday breakfast. For an additional \$25, participants may attend dinner on Thursday evening, with keynote speaker Dr. Ilya Raskin, professor of plant science from Rutgers University. To register or for more information, visit the Web site at [www.frostburg.edu/ethnobotany](http://www.frostburg.edu/ethnobotany) or contact Linda Steele at x4137 or [lsteel@frostburg.edu](mailto:lsteel@frostburg.edu).

## December 2005 Commencement

Graduate students who plan to graduate in December 2005 need to complete the "Application for Graduation" as soon as possible. The forms are available at the Office of Graduate Services 141 Pullen Hall, or by calling x7053.

## MAT – Elementary (Hagerstown)

FSU will present an information meetings for prospective applicants for its Master of Arts in Teaching – Elementary program on Wednesday, Sept. 28, at

6:30 p.m. at the University System of Maryland — Hagerstown (USM-H), 32 W. Washington St. A second meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, Nov. 18.

Dr. Kim Rotruck, MAT-E graduate program coordinator will speak to prospective applicants for the group beginning studies in summer 2006. The deadline for summer 2006 cohort applications is May 1, 2006.

The summer 2006 applicant fall admissions interviews will be scheduled for the evening of Thursday, Nov. 17, at USM-H Center. To interview, students must have filed a Graduate Application Form and have a completed portfolio, and preferably successfully completed the Praxis I examination.

For information, please call Dr. Rotruck at (240) 527-2736 or the Graduate Services Office at x7053.

## MAT– Secondary, K-12 (Main Campus)

FSU will present an information meetings for prospective applicants for its Master of Arts in Teaching programs for secondary and K-12 education on Tuesday, Oct. 11, at 7 p.m. in Framptom Hall room 117. A second meeting is scheduled for Monday, Nov. 7.

MAT–Secondary Program Coordinator Dr. William Childs will speak to prospective applicants for the group beginning studies in summer 2006. The deadline for summer 2006 cohort applications is April 1, 2006.

For more information, call the FSU Graduate Services Office at x7053 or Childs at x3087.

## Spring '06 MBA Applicants

For Master of Business Administration Applicants for Spring 2006, the MBA program requires that all students entering the MBA Program complete the GMAT (Graduate Management Admissions Test). Testing registration information is available through the Educational Testing Services Web site at [www.ets.org](http://www.ets.org) or by calling the FSU Computer-Based Testing Center, at x7990. The test will only be available at FSU until approximately Dec. 21 as a computer-based examination, which is given on the FSU main campus (Monday and Friday from 8 a.m. noon, and Tuesday and Thursday from 1 to 5 p.m.). After December, the FSU ETS Testing Center will no longer offer this service. For information regarding the GMAT please review the Web site at [www.gmac.com/gmac](http://www.gmac.com/gmac).

## International Fellowships for Spring

Applications for an International Fellowship position beginning with the Spring 2006 semester are currently available. The position will offer paid tuition (up to 30 hours year) and a \$6,650 cash stipend per year (fall and spring semesters), in exchange for 20 hours of service each week. This posi-

tion represents an academic honor for an international student, and thus requires the applicant to have been accepted to a graduate program in good academic standing and remain in good academic standing for the duration of the award. The application is available at the Office of Graduate Services, 141 Pullen Hall (x7053) or on the Web at [www.frostburg.edu/grad/forms.htm](http://www.frostburg.edu/grad/forms.htm). The deadline for completed applications is Oct. 15.



## Deadlines

### Attention Teacher Education Candidates

Applications for Phase I, II and II for the spring semester are due in the Office of Unit Assessment (Framptom 203-3) by Friday, Oct. 14.

For information, stop by the office of call x7953.

## Volunteers



### Read to Succeed and Mathletics Need You

Read to Succeed and Mathletics are accepting applications for new tutors. Everyone is welcome. This is a great opportunity for Education and Social Work students to earn service hours.

Read to Succeed provides two hours a week of free literacy support to children in grades K-8. Mathletics is the math component of the program and is offered to students in grades K-5.

#### Literacy Tutoring:

FSU Ort Library - Tuesdays or Thursdays, 5-7 p.m.

St. Michael's School - Tuesdays, 2:45-4:45 p.m.

#### Math Tutoring:

FSU Ort Library - Mondays or Wednesdays, 5-7 p.m.

St. Michael's School - Wednesdays, 2:45-4:45 p.m.

Route 40 Elem. - Wednesdays, 6-8 p.m.

Training workshops will be offered in early September. For more information, please contact Erin Shank, Read to Succeed Coordinator, at x7615.

## Get Involved



### We've Got Spirit ... How About You?

Show your school spirit by joining this new and exciting group on campus!

The Spirit Committee was developed to join together organizations and individuals who have "caught" the Bobcat Spirit.

What does the committee do? It's responsible for developing new and innovative ways to spread the Bobcat Spirit here on campus and in the FSU community.

Interested? We are meeting on the following Tuesday evenings: Sept. 27, Oct. 11, Oct. 18, Nov. 8 and Dec. 6. The meetings are at 5 p.m. in the President's Conference Room, Hitchins Building. Bring your spirit; support and food will be provided!

If you wish to be on the committee, call Dina Rephann at x7588 or e-mail [drephann@frostburg.edu](mailto:drephann@frostburg.edu).

## United Campus Ministry

Day of Caring and Sharing, Frostburg, will be Saturday, Sept. 24, from 8:30 a.m. to noon. Free T-shirt and lunch for workers.

## Catholic Campus Ministry

On Wednesday, Sept. 21, at 7:30 p.m., CCM will hold a peer-centered discussion on how to deal with stress as the new semester begins. The program, "Campus Adjustment and Stress," will be held in the Osborne Newman Center.

## Baptist Student Ministry

At 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 19, the BSM invites everyone to a praise and worship fellowship called BASIC, held at the BSM Center just behind Cumberland Hall. All students, staff and faculty of the FSU community are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served. For more information call (301) 689-2588 or visit <http://goliath.frostburg.edu/bsm>.

## Internships



## Federal Gov't Intern, Career Meeting

Students: Interested in an internship or career in the federal government? Come hear a panel discussion with representatives (two are FSU grads!) from four federal agencies who need you: Department of State, Transportation Security Administration, Department of Transportation, and the Bureau of Prisons on Tuesday, Sept. 27, at 6 p.m. in Lane University Center 140-141. The speakers will present an overview of, and opportunities with, their agencies for all majors, followed by a question-and-answer period. Please plan to attend and bring your questions. Sponsored by the Office of Career Services. For information, contact Elaine Barry at x4403.

## Spring 2006 POSC Internship Meeting

There will be an important meeting of all students who are planning to intern in the Political Science Department in the spring of 2006 on Tuesday, Sept. 27, at 3:30 p.m. in OM104.

It is vital that you attend this meeting if you want to participate in a Political Science/ Justice Studies/Law and Society internship during spring 2006. If you are unable to attend this meeting, please get in touch with John Bambacus as soon as possible at

[jbambacus@frostburg.edu](mailto:jbambacus@frostburg.edu).

Of special interest is the Maryland General Assembly Intern Program. Applicants must be either juniors or seniors and have a GPA of 3.0 or higher. A stipend is awarded for participation. The deadline is Monday, Oct. 31. Please see Bambacus or the department secretary for further information and an application.

## Jobs, Jobs, Jobs

## Tutor Position Openings!

Programs for Academic Support and Studies (PASS) has paid positions for the following tutor areas: math, geography, accounting, Cosmic Concepts, biology, economics, chemistry, sociology, physics and psychology.

If you are interested in getting paid to help others, please drop by Pullen Hall 150.

## Community



## County Offers Electronics Recycling

Allegany County will host an e-Cycling event for Allegany County residential and non-residential participants (commercial, institutional or industrial) on Saturday, Oct. 8, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Allegany County Office Complex on 701 Kelly Road in Cumberland. Out-of-county participation is not allowed. The event is sponsored by the Allegany County Commissioners and the Allegany County Solid Waste Management Board.

The following list of acceptable items and fees for County residential participants only. Residents are not required to pre-register.

- Floor model TV (maximum 3 per vehicle) or copier (floor model), \$3 each.
- Complete computer system (CPU, keyboard, mouse, monitor), television with remote control or any size microwave oven, \$2 each.
- Table top copier, computer components (modems, circuit boards, hard drives, fans), monitor or laptop, fax machine, transparency maker or scanner, calculator or adding machine, medical electronic testing equipment, tape player, camcorder, disc player or VCR, printer or duplicator, stereo electronics (except speakers) or radio, telephone or answering machine, electric typewriter or word processor, uninterruptible power supply, cell phone or pager, \$1 each.

Allegany County non-residential participants (County commercial, institutional or industrial businesses) MUST register in advance by phoning 301-777-5933 (ext. 210) by Sept. 23. A separate fee schedule will apply and be discussed at the time of registration.

For more information, contact Terry Bennett at (301) 777-5933, x210, or [terry.bennett@allconet.org](mailto:terry.bennett@allconet.org).

## Mel Blount to Speak on Behalf of Salem Trust

On Saturday, Sept. 24, in the Lane University Center, Pittsburgh Steelers great Mel Blount will speak at OutSpokin' for Kids, an event benefiting The Maryland Salem Children's Trust.

A silent auction will be held at 5 p.m., with autographs available from 5 to 6 p.m. Dinner is at 6.

Tickets are \$25 to support children who have been abused, neglected and abandoned. For more information, contact Suzanne at The Maryland Salem Children's Trust at (301) 689-8176.

## International



## Study Abroad Programs

The Center for International Education offers a variety of ways for FSU students to see the world. In many cases, students register at FSU during a semester abroad and can take all financial aid with them and transfer credit back to FSU. For information on programs or scholarships, contact Dr. Amy Simes at the CIE in the Fuller House on Braddock Road, x3091, [asimes@frostburg.edu](mailto:asimes@frostburg.edu) or visit the CIE Web page at [www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm](http://www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie/cie.htm).

### Apply Now For Winter, Spring 2006

The CIE is currently accepting applications for study abroad programs during the winter session (Ecuador, Quebec, Madagascar), and the spring semester (Ireland, the UK, Australia/New Zealand, and more). Hundreds of programs are available through our affiliates, including the American Institute of Foreign Study ([www.aifsabroad.com](http://www.aifsabroad.com)), AustraLearn ([www.australearn.org](http://www.australearn.org)), the School for International Training ([www.sit.edu/studyabroad/index.html](http://www.sit.edu/studyabroad/index.html)), the International Student Exchange Program ([www.isep.org](http://www.isep.org)), and our newest affiliate, Cultural Experiences Abroad ([www.gowithcea.com](http://www.gowithcea.com)). Application and scholarship deadlines are early October. For more information, visit the CIE Web site ([www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie](http://www.frostburg.edu/admin/cie)) or contact the CIE.

### New Affiliate: Cultural Experiences Abroad

This summer FSU signed a new partnership agreement with Cultural Experiences Abroad ([www.gowithcea.com](http://www.gowithcea.com)), an independent study abroad program provider that sends U.S. students to locations in Europe, Australia and Latin America. CEA is headquartered in Tempe, Ariz., and has been providing quality study abroad experiences to North American students since 1996. With CEA as a new affiliate, FSU students will be able to take advantage of all their FSU financial aid along with special scholarship opportunities provided by CEA. For more information, contact the CIE.

### Intersession in Madagascar - Bio Credit

Students who are interested in spending three weeks exploring the flora, fauna, and indigenous cultures of

Madagascar are invited to apply for FSU's intersession program which runs from Jan. 3 to 26, 2006. Students will register for BIOL 490 "Rainforest Ecology of Madagascar" (2 credits). The course will be taught by Dr. Linda Lyon in the Biology Dept. (x4213), with additional project supervision by Dr. Fred Senese, Dept. of Chemistry (x4153) and Lori Senese, Institute for Service Learning (x7599). There will be an exploration of the ecology of the southern region of the island with a specific emphasis on the delicate balance between human needs and nature conservation/resource management. Students will also explore kinship and gender practices of various ethnic groups, cultural taboos and beliefs, and the use of plants for medicinal and ceremonial purposes. Peace Corps volunteers will teach an introductory course in Malagasy. Students and faculty from Hartwick College will also join the FSU group. For further information and an application, contact the CIE. Deadline for applications and scholarship applications is Oct. 14.

# FSU Events Calendar



## MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

- \* Hadra Lecture, James Saku, "Ethnic Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa"
  - Noon ..... Library 237
- \* SGA Event Funding Seminar ..... 7:00 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room
- \* Women's Volleyball: Catholic University ..... 7:00 p.m. .... Away
- \* English Dept. Poetry Reading: Carlyne Wright ..... 7:30 p.m. .... Lane 142

## TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

- \* Golf: LaRoche College ..... Noon ..... Away
- \* Greek Council ..... 4:00 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room
- \* Faculty Assembly ..... 4:00 p.m. .... Lane 142
- \* International Film: "Born Into Brothels" ..... 7:00 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room

## WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

- \* Women's Field Hockey: Seton Hill University ..... 4:00 p.m. .... Home
- \* UCM, Bill Pinches, Presbyterian Minister and Richard Raesly, Biology Dept., "Science & Religion: Understanding Evolution" ..... 7:30 p.m. .... Compton 226
- \* Women's Soccer: Carnegie Mellon University ..... 7:30 p.m. .... Away
- \* Black Student Alliance General Body Meeting ..... 8:00 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room

## THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

- \* Golf: Penn State Behrend College ..... Noon ..... Away
- \* Men's Soccer: Bethany College (WV) ..... 4:00 p.m. .... Home
- \* Women's Tennis: Bethany College (WV) ..... 4:00 p.m. .... Away
- \* SGA Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room

## FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

- \* Women's Volleyball: Waynesburg Tournament ..... T.B.A. .... Away
- \* UPC Trip to the Baltimore Orioles College Night ..... 4:00 p.m.

## SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

- \* Cross Country: George Washington University Invitational, Centreville, VA ..... Away
- \* Women's Volleyball: Waynesburg Tournament ..... T.B.A. .... Away
- \* Women's Tennis: Penn State Behrend ..... 10:00 a.m. .... Home
- \* Football: SUNY Brockport ..... 1:00 p.m. .... Away
- \* UPC/Fine Arts Department Museum Trip to Washington, DC ..... 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
- \* Day of Caring & Sharing ..... 8 a.m.-5 p.m. ... St. Michael's Church
- \* Women's Soccer: Pitt-Bradford ..... 1:00 p.m. .... Home
- \* Women's Field Hockey: St. Mary's College of MD .. 2:00 p.m. .... Home
- \* Men's Soccer: University of Pittsburgh-Bradford ..... 3:00 p.m. .... Home
- \* UPC Sexual Jeopardy ..... 8:00 p.m. .... Lane Atkinson Room

## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

- \* Women's Field Hockey: Virginia Wesleyan ..... 1:00 p.m. .... Home
- \* CCM Mass ..... Noon & 8:00 p.m. .... Cook Chapel
- \* Planetarium: "Earth—Now & Future" ..... 4:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. .... Tawes Hall

**\* Open to the public – Questions? Call 301-687-4411. All information subject to change**  
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## Safety Message

### Survey Your Electrical Panels for Clear Access

The National Electrical Code requires a clear path of access to all electrical panels. Access to the electrical panel in your immediate area is a serious issue. During an emergency, access to the panel to shut off the electricity can mean the difference between preventing an injury or having an employee seriously injured. It is your responsibility as an employee, a supervisor, a lead worker, a department chair/head and a working foreman to remove any obstruction from the front of electrical panels in your area. Process a Work Performance Request to the Physical Plant for help to remove the material. We have discussed this issue for many times now it is to take action. The Safety Office Staff will be inspecting electrical panels in all campus facilities. If you observe an electrical panel that is not accessible, report it to the Safety Office at x4897. Remember, safety is every employee's responsibility.

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