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THIS WEEK

THURSDAY:

UPC Lunch in the Loft Music Series
Student Edition: Tristen, 2 p.m.,
Lane Derezenski Lounge/Loft.
UPC Lecture: C. L. Lindsay, 8 p.m.,
Lane Manicur Hall. (See article.)

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY:

"Thoughts of a Colored Man on a Day
When the Sun Set Too Early," 7:30
p.m., PAC F. Perry Smith Studio
Theatre. An original work by theatre
major Keenan Scott II. Tickets
available by donation at the door
(recommended minimum \$3). Info:
x7462. (See article.)

FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND SUNDAY:

UPC Feature Film: "Quantum of
Solace," 8:30 p.m., Lane Atkinson
Room 201.

SUNDAY:

Recital – Joan DeVee Dixon, Mark
Gallagher and Philip Klickman,
3 p.m., PAC Pealer Recital Hall. The
Department of Music Faculty Artist
Series presents a recital of music for
the piano, clarinet and horn. The
program will include works by
Diemer, Jenner, Wilder and
Rochberg. Free and open to the
public. Info: x4109. (See article.)

FSU Grad to Fly on Next Space Shuttle Mission



Educator Astronaut and FSU graduate **Richard Arnold II** is scheduled to fly on the next NASA space shuttle mission, designated STS-119. This will be Arnold's first journey into orbit, where he will be a mission specialist during the 14-day flight to the International Space Station.

The launch from Cape Canaveral has been delayed from its original date of Feb. 12, with a new launch date anticipated no earlier than **Sunday, Feb. 22**, according to NASA.

Arnold, a 1985 graduate, is a former teacher who taught at several schools in the U.S. and overseas. Arnold has a bachelor's degree in accounting and his teacher certification from FSU, but he also discovered a love of biology

during his undergraduate years that pointed him toward a marine, estuarine and environmental science master's degree from the University of Maryland.

He and his six crewmates are targeted to launch aboard Discovery from NASA's Kennedy Space Center in Florida. During the flight, Arnold will conduct three of the mission's four spacewalks. The shuttle is delivering the space station's fourth and final set of solar array wings, completing the station's backbone, or truss. The arrays will provide the electricity to power science experiments and allow the crew size to increase to six in May.

To follow the mission, visit the FSU Web site at www.frostburg.edu or the NASA Web site at <http://www.nasa.gov/shuttle>.

Staking Our Claim NewPage Corp. Adds New Pledge to FSU Scholarship Program



FSU President **Jonathan Gibraltar** (left) accepts a check from NewPage Corp. Public Relations Manager **Patsy Koontz**, representing part of the additional pledge of \$21,000 NewPage made recently to the FSU Foundation, Inc., in support of the NewPage scholarship program. Joining them is **Bernard J. Davisson II**, FSU vice president for University Advancement and executive director of the FSUF.

With this pledge and other gifts totaling \$22,350, NewPage has committed more than \$43,000 to FSU since the start of the \$15 million comprehensive campaign, Staking Our Claim: The Campaign for Frostburg. The FSUF has embarked on this campaign to raise badly needed funding for higher education in Western Maryland. Donations to the Foundation support student scholarships and programs, academic programs, faculty development and other critical University needs. For more information about supporting FSU, visit <http://foundation.frostburg.edu> or call x4161.



Theatre

CES Presents 'Seussical'

**Family-Friendly Event a Musical Romp
Through Stories of Dr. Seuss**

Enjoy a wild musical romp through some of Dr. Seuss' best-loved stories when FSU's Cultural Events Series

presents a TheatreworksUSA production of "Seussical," with two performances at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. **Sunday, March 8**, in the Pealer Recital Hall of FSU's Performing Arts Center.

"Seussical" unites many of the beloved Dr. Seuss' best-known characters (and some new ones) in a charming yet lively celebration of the powers of imagination and the rewards of daring to dream. As master of ceremonies, the Cat in the Hat helps to weave together the adventures of two original thinkers – Horton, the gentle elephant, and JoJo, youngest inhabitant of Who, the tiniest planet in the universe. The musical centers on Horton's attempts to protect the people of Whoville, who live on a tiny speck of dust. The characters include the Cat in the Hat, Horton, JoJo, Gertrude McFuzz, Mayzie La Bird, Sour Kangaroo, Young Kangaroo, the Mayor of Whoville, Mrs. Mayor, the Grinch, Judge Yertle the Turtle, General Genghis Kahn Schmitz and Marshall of the Court. A fast-paced, whimsical adaptation of the original Broadway version, "Seussical" offers a myriad of musical styles – from Latin to pop,

swing to gospel and R&B – and is recommended for ages four and up.

Tickets for the TheatreworksUSA production of “Seussical” are \$8 for adults and \$6 for young people under 17. Group rate tickets are also available. Tickets may be ordered by calling 1-866-849-9237 or x3137, or by visiting ces.frostburg.edu.

Student’s Play Celebrates Black History Month



Pictured from left, Tony Jarrett, Josh Scurry, Kendall Bradford, Herb Little, Japp Haynes, J.D. Grooms, Jay Stokes and Quino Moreno.

In celebration of Black History Month, FSU will present “Thoughts of a Colored Man on a Day When the Sun Set Too Early,” an original work by theatre major Keenan Scott II **Friday, Feb. 20**, and **Saturday, Feb. 21**, at 7:30 p.m. in the F. Perry Smith Studio Theatre of the Performing Arts Center.

After seeing Ntozake Shange’s play, “For Colored Girls Who Considered Suicide/When the Rainbow Is Enuf,” Scott was inspired to write a play about the lives of young African American men. “The voice of the youth is often overlooked,” Scott believes, and it needs to be heard. “Thoughts of a Colored Man on a Day When the Sun Set Too Early” steps into the minds of young men who explore the complex realities of love, abuse, rape and growing up without a father. “Thoughts of a Colored Man” is a monologue-based play that goes beyond race and gender by incorporating music, film and dance.

The cast includes Kendall Bradford, J.D. Grooms, Japp Haynes, Tony Jarrett, Herb Little, Quino Moreno, Josh Scurry and Jay Stokes. Artwork by David Baker, Adrian Boyer, Trayshina Rogers and Francesca Pehr will be displayed in the PAC lobby.

“Thoughts of a Colored Man When the Sun Set Too Early” is supported by University Theatre, African American Studies, Black Student Alliance and the National Pan-Hellenic Council. Tickets are available by donation at the door (recommended minimum \$3). All proceeds will benefit student scholarships.

For more information, call the theatre box office at x7462.

Artist Rauschenberg Inspiration for Play

University Theatre will present “bobrauschenbergamerica” **Friday, Feb. 27**, and **Saturday, Feb. 28**, as well as **Thursday, March 5**, through **Saturday, March 7**, at 7:30 p.m. with a matinee on Feb. 28 at 2 p.m. in the Drama Theatre of the Performing Arts Center.

“bobrauschenbergamerica” offers a wild road trip through our American landscape as one of America’s greatest artists, Robert Rauschenberg, might have conceived it if he had been a playwright instead of a painter. In the spirit of Rauschenberg, Charles Mee’s unique play paints a collage of people and places and music and dancing by way of love stories, picnics, business schemes, shootings, chicken jokes and golfing. “bobrauschenbergamerica” embodies the sheer exhilaration of living in a country where people make up their lives as they go.

For reservations and information, call the University Theatre box office at x7462 Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 to 4 p.m. Tickets are \$6 for students and \$12 for general admission.

Music

Dixon, Gallagher and Klickman to Present Concert at FSU

FSU music faculty members Joan DeVee Dixon, Mark Gallagher and Philip Klickman will present a recital of music for the piano, clarinet and horn **Sunday, Feb. 22**, at 3 p.m. in Pealer Recital Hall in the Performing Arts Center.

Dixon, a nationally known pianist and organist, is professor of music and chair of Friends of Music. She has conducted extensive concert tours of the U.S., England, France, Germany, Switzerland, Austria, Palestine and Japan. Some of her recent performances include the Temple Church in London; Town Hall in Oxford, England; Washington National Cathedral in Washington, D.C.; Azuchi Concert Hall in Japan; and the International Peace Center in Bethlehem, Palestine. In 2008 she spent six weeks touring the Czech Republic as a featured soloist for the American Spring Festival under the auspices of the International Dvorak Festival.

Gallagher, assistant professor of clarinet and music theory, is an active orchestral and chamber musician. He has performed with the Contemporary Music Forum of Washington, the U.S. Navy Band, Baltimore Chamber Orchestra and New York City Ballet. In addition to performing, Gallagher is an active teacher and clinician, lecturing on occupational health issues and the

Alexander Technique to help musicians improve the quality of the physical movements involved in playing an instrument or singing.

Klickman, director of bands and horn studies, recently completed his doctoral coursework in music education at the University of Illinois in Champaign-Urbana. During his doctoral studies, he supervised student teachers, assisted with conducting three of the six concert bands at the university and was on the instructional staff for the U of I marching band. He was also invited to an international conducting symposium held in Rome, Italy, where he conducted the Italian Army Band. He has previously earned master’s degrees in music education and French horn performance at the University of Illinois.

The program, part of FSU’s Faculty Artist Series, includes works by Diemer, Jenner, Wilder and Rochberg.

The concert is free and open to the public. For more information, call the FSU Department of Music at x4109.

Guitarist Stephen Tunstall to Perform

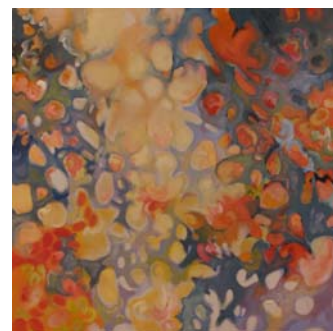
The FSU Department of Music Faculty Artist Series presents guitarist Stephen Tunstall **Tuesday, Feb 24**, at 8 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center Pealer Recital Hall. Tunstall will present a program featuring music of Spain and Latin America spanning two centuries.

The concert is free and open to the public. For more information, call the FSU Department of Music at x4109.



Visual Art

Artists’ Ideas About Life on View



Artwork by Cathy Stephis

The public is invited to enjoy work by two artists who use abstraction, color, geometric shapes and lines to articulate their distinct impressions of the world around them in “Paintings and Prints by Cathy Stephis and Chayo de Chevez.” The exhibition is on view **through Sunday, Feb. 22**, in the Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery.

Stephis depicts different life forms in a spiritual symphony of spiraling swirls of color. “Forms are in constant transition, shifting in and out of existence,” she writes in her artist statement. “It is through observing redundant shapes among various life

objects that I gain a sense of universal connectedness to these forms.”

Chevez creates compositions that reflect a lifetime of living in many cultures over the past 30 years. Combining the grace and exactness of geometry with gestural contours, the imagery in her prints feels futuristic, yet ancient and tribal. Her materials also reflect her respect for history infused with modern meaning.

The Stephanie Ann Roper Gallery has free admission and is open to the public Sunday through Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m. For more information about the exhibition, contact the FSU Department of Visual Arts at x4797.



Speakers

‘From Free Speech to Facebook’ Lecture to Be Presented at FSU



Attorney and legal rights advocate C. L. Lindsay will offer tools for safe and responsible Internet surfing when he presents his

lecture “Campus Computing: From Free Speech to Facebook,” **Thursday, Feb 19**, at 8 p.m. in the Alice R. Manicur Assembly Hall of the Lane University Center.

Lindsay’s lecture will give students the opportunity to learn their legal rights as Internet users, the laws that govern the Internet, what liabilities they assume as a user and the knowledge to protect themselves legally and personally when they log on. This lecture is given to college students around the country.

In 1988, Lindsay left his law practice in New York City to found the Coalition for Student and Academics Rights (Co-Star). Co-Star has been built into a national student rights organization that helps thousands of college students with their legal problems, free of charge each year.

This lecture is free and open to the public. For more information, contact the Lane information desk at x4411.

Lecture on Jefferson’s Virginia to Be Given



George Mason University Professor Cynthia A. Kierner will present a lecture titled “Scandal at Bizarre: Sex, Rhetoric and Reality in Jefferson’s

Virginia” at FSU **Wednesday, Feb. 25**, at 7:30 p.m. in Dunkle Hall, Room 218.

This lecture is presented by the Martha T. and Ralph M. Race Western History Lecture Series, funded through the FSU Foundation and sponsored by the FSU Department of History.

Kierner is a professor of history at George Mason where she teaches courses on early America and women’s history. She is also the author of seven books and is writing a biography of Martha Jefferson Randolph and co-authoring a volume on Virginia women’s history.

The lecture is free and open to the public. For more information, contact Paul Charney at x3120.



Take Note

ACHA-NCHA II Survey to Help FSU Fine-tune Wellness Efforts

Assessment Will Be Sent to Full-time Undergraduates

Attention FSU students: Did you know that trying to win prizes is good for your health? And can even improve your fashion sense?

Take advantage of the chance to win great prizes, such as a \$100 FSU Bookstore certificate, an iPod Shuffle and must-have, coveted FSU fashions like “Let’s CHILL” T-shirts and CHILLVILLE hoodies, when FSU’s “Creating Healthy, Informed Lasting Lifestyles” (CHILL) invites all full-time undergraduates to participate in the American College Health Association’s National College Health Assessment Survey II.

The ACHA-NCHA Survey II was organized as part of CHILL, FSU’s wellness initiative established to promote health practices and education among college students and the local community. CHILL is funded by a \$228,225 contribution from AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP.

The ACHA-NCHA Survey II, one of many activities offered through CHILL this spring, provides questions about important issues such as physical and mental wellness. The survey must be completed by **Sunday, Feb. 22**. FSU’s CHILL committee will use data from ACHA-NCHA Survey II to assess how to better serve students’ wellness needs through campus resources.

For more information about CHILL, contact April Baer, project coordinator for University wellness, at x4311 or by e-mailing apbaer@frostburg.edu. To learn more about FSU, visit www.frostburg.edu. For more information about AstraZeneca, visit www.astrazeneca-us.com.

February Is Black History Month

Stop by the Ort Library to view the display celebrating black history that will be on view during February. The

display highlights our first African American president, Barack Obama. Items include magazine articles and the “Cumberland Times-News” for Jan. 21, the day after the inauguration.

Also included in the exhibit are authors of classic and contemporary black literature, among them Toni Morrison, Alice Walker, Rita Dove, Al Young, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Paul Lawrence Dunbar, Frederick Douglass, Paul Robeson, Marcus Garvey and Sojourner Truth.

Jeff Maehre and MaryJo Price coordinated the materials and design for the display.

FSU to Host MIPS Research Funding Workshops

The Maryland Industrial Partnerships Program will host two free workshops about how faculty and local businesses can participate in the MIPS Program at FSU **Thursday, Feb. 26**, from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in Room 327 of the Compton Science Center and 6:30 to 8 p.m. in Room 224.

MIPS manager Ronnie Gist will give a presentation followed by a question and answer period and one-on-one meetings if desired.

MIPS provides funding – matched by participating companies – for university-based research projects that help companies develop new products. MIPS funding goes directly to faculty for research that benefits the company’s ability to commercialize a product.

MIPS has supported research projects with more than 400 Maryland companies since 1987. MIPS is currently funding a two-year project at FSU with Frostburg-based Instant Access Networks, while both Adventure Sports Inc., a Frostburg company, and Oakland-based Pioneer Conveyor have participated in MIPS projects in the past.

Benefits of MIPS funding for faculty include:

- Research leading directly to new product development
 - Potential for published papers and improved university facilities
 - Valuable experience for students working on commercial technologies
 - Rapid proposal evaluations (MIPS notifies award winners within 60 days of the proposal deadline.)
- Benefits of MIPS funding for Maryland companies include:
- Cost-effective research by collaborating with university faculty
 - Access to expert university faculty, students, state-of-the-art facilities, laboratories and equipment
 - Efficient transfer of technology from universities to companies
 - Opportunity to work with students – potential future hires

MIPS funds an average of 50 projects per year. Applications are due **Friday, May 1**.

Research supported by MIPS may be in engineering, computer science, physical, environmental and life sciences. MIPS also supports projects designed to help a company plan and develop industrial training programs for its employees.

For more information about the MIPS workshop, contact Linda Steele, program specialist at FSU, at x4137 or lstele@frostburg.edu.

Gira Grant Applications Solicited

On Wednesday, Feb, 11, all faculty and staff received an e-mail inviting them to apply for a Gira Campus to Community Grant for summer or fall 2009.

With the decline in market values of endowment assets, the total amount available for grants is somewhat reduced for the 2009-10 academic year, but at least \$3,500 should be available for summer and/or fall awards.

The application may be downloaded from the e-mail attachment; however, those preferring a hard copy may request one from dfell@frostburg.edu. The deadline for applications for summer/fall 2009 awards is **Monday, March 23**. Applications may be submitted by students, student groups, faculty or staff members, or departments. Applications should be submitted to the Office of the Provost. Successful grant applicants will be notified of their awards by mid-April.

2009-10 Scholarship Award Process

The FSU Foundation, Inc., is beginning the process of awarding approximately \$425,000 in FSU Foundation scholarships and awards for the 2009-10 academic year. Department chairs and directors have been notified via e-mail of the guidelines for the upcoming academic year's scholarship process with individual scholarships and recipient selection criteria.

Important dates to remember are **Sunday, March 1** – deadline for students to apply for Foundation scholarships, **Wednesday, April 1** – student rankings in preference order due to Janet Lancaster and **Wednesday, April 15** – target date for informing student recipients of their award with a letter from the Foundation, copied to the department chair.

For questions about this process, contact Angie Hovatter at x4301.

Mo' Money!

Students who will be attending FSU during the 2009-10 academic year are urged to visit <http://www.frostburg.edu/ungrad/faid/institutional.htm> or contact the Financial Aid Office, Pullen Hall, to apply for scholarships and

grants. The deadline for applications is **Sunday, March 1**. All it takes is a few minutes of your time and the rewards could be beyond your wildest dreams!

Spring Semester 2009 Blackboard Help

Student help sessions are now available Wednesdays from 7 to 8 p.m. and Thursdays from 12:30 to 1:20 p.m. in Pullen Room 108.

Get answers concerning e-mail, gradebook, assignments, discussion boards, file share, digital dropbox or any other features. You can also visit the online help guides for students at www.frostburg.edu/blackboard.

For questions or schedule conflicts, contact the Center for Instructional Technologies at cit@frostburg.edu.

Deadline for May 2009 Graduation Exceptions

Are you planning a **May 2009** graduation? If your official degree progress report indicates you have not completed all requirements and you have a basis to request an exception, submit your written appeal letter and supporting letters and documentation to the Academic Standards Subcommittee, Office of the Provost, Hitchins 213, by 4 p.m. the following Thursdays: **March 12** for the March meeting or **April 16** for the April meeting (**last chance** for graduation exceptions and inclusion in the Commencement Booklet). For questions or concerns, call the Provost's Office at x4212.

Attention All Education Students!

The application deadline for students entering Phase I, Phase II or Phase III of the Teacher Education Program for the fall 2009 semester is **Friday, March 13**.

All applications should be returned to the Office of Unit Assessment, Framptom Hall, Room 203-3, on or before the deadline date.

Application forms may be picked up in Framptom Room 203-3. For questions, contact Barbara Bluebaugh at x7953 or bbluebaugh@frostburg.edu.

FSU Invites Entries for Environmental Photography Contest

The Environmental Planning and Land Management Institute at FSU invites photographers to submit photographs to its sixth annual Environmental Photography Contest. The institute, a joint venture between FSU's Department of Geography and the Maryland Bureau of Mines,

Maryland Department of the Environment, will accept entries until the deadline at 4 p.m. **Friday, April 10**.

Photographs should be 8 by 10 inches and matted and can be in black and white or color.

Entry forms may be obtained from the FSU Department of Geography/Bureau of Mines Lab or from the Institute's Web site at www.frostburg.edu/dept/geog/einstitute. Participants may submit no more than three photographs.

For additional information, call Gale Yutzy at x4369 or MaryLynn Pegg at x4721 or visit the Institute's Web site at www.frostburg.edu/dept/geog/einstitute. Entries can be delivered to Gunter Hall, Room 201, or Dunkle Hall, Room 307, on the FSU campus.

RLO Launches Satisfaction Survey

To all residential students, the Residence Life Office is seeking your input! Each year, the RLO facilitates a campus-wide survey about student satisfaction in the halls. Starting this year, students will be able to complete the survey online.

The survey starts **Wednesday, Feb. 18**, and will conclude **Wednesday, March 4**. The RLO will reward the residence hall with the highest completion rate as well as other individual incentives for completing the survey. Residential students will receive an e-mail soon at their FSU address with detailed instructions.

Graduating Seniors - Win an iPod!

May 2009 graduating seniors need to have their pictures taken for the FSU Yearbook. Stop in Lane Center 203-04 **Tuesday, Feb. 17**, or **Wednesday, Feb. 18**, between 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. No appointment is necessary.

Each senior having his or her picture taken will automatically be entered in the drawing for a free iPod!

News for Grad Students

Interested in Graduate Programs at FSU?

Now is the time to apply for graduate programs for summer and fall 2009. For more information, call to schedule an advising session with the director of Graduate Services, Vickie Mazer, at x4595 or e-mail ymmazer@frostburg.edu.

Master of Arts in Teaching – Elementary & Secondary, K-12 Program

The deadlines for application for the MAT programs are fast approaching. The deadline for MAT-Elementary Summer 2009 cohort applications is

Friday, May 1. The MAT-E Summer 2009 applicant admissions interviews will be scheduled an evening in April. The deadline for MAT-Secondary, K-12 Art Ed Summer 2009 cohort applications is **Wednesday, April 1.** For information, call the Graduate Services Office at x7053 or register by e-mailing gradservices@frostburg.edu.

Graduate Scholarships for 2009-10

David Sanford Graduate Scholarship

The recipient must be enrolled full time or part time as a graduate student, have previously been an undergraduate at FSU and have received a varsity sport participation letter. An FSU overall grade point average of 3.0 or better is required. Applications are available online or at the Office of Graduate Services, 141 Pullen Hall, or by calling x7053. The deadline is **Sunday, March 1.**

F. Perry Smith Jr. Graduate Scholarship

The recipient must have completed high school or the equivalency in Allegany or Garrett County and be enrolled at FSU with an overall grade point average of 3.0 or better. The recipient must demonstrate financial need (complete and submit the FAFSA form). Applications are currently available online or at the Office of Graduate Services, 141 Pullen Hall, or by calling x7053. The deadline is **Sunday, March 1.**

Assistantships/International Fellowships

Applications for positions for the academic year beginning with the fall 2009 semester are currently available. The positions offer paid tuition (up to 30 hours/year) and a \$5,000 cash stipend per year in exchange for 20 hours of service each week. These positions represent an academic honor, and require 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. Applications are available at the Office of Graduate Services, 141 Pullen Hall, x7053, or on the Web at www.frostburg.edu/grad/forms.htm. The deadline for completed applications is **Sunday, March 15.**

May 2009 Commencement

Students who plan to graduate in May 2009 need to complete the "Application for Graduation" as soon as possible. The forms are available online at www.frostburg.edu/grad/forms.htm or at the Office of Graduate Services, 141 Pullen Hall, or by calling x7053. Tickets will be required for entrance into the May commencement ceremony. See www.frostburg.edu/events/commencement/ for more details.



Get Involved

RecycleMania Is Here!

Each day, FSU students use tons of paper, plastic bottles and cans. Would you like to help make FSU a cleaner

and greener campus? Does your organization need extra community service hours? Would you like to win a prize for yourself and FSU? FSU and the Learning Green and Living Green Initiative are bringing back the nationally recognized program, RecycleMania.

What is RecycleMania?

RecycleMania is a friendly competition and benchmarking tool for college and university recycling programs to promote waste reduction activities in their campus communities. RecycleMania is a good way for students to get involved on campus and earn community service hours for helping make FSU greener.

How do I participate?

RecycleMania runs through **Saturday, March 28.** Over a 10-week period, schools report recycling and trash data that are ranked against other schools competing in RecycleMania. The competition is judged by the largest amount of recyclables per capita, the largest amount of total recyclables, the least amount of trash per capita and the highest recycling rate. Each week, the numbers are totaled and the official Web site (www.recyclemania.org) keeps a running tally of the scores. Participating schools are allowed to monitor the progress of their school with the other competing schools.

Therefore, the more FSU students get involved, the better the chance FSU has to win this nationally recognized program! Continuing its successful efforts in going green would only showcase the talent that each student brings to this campus. Each and every student can affect recycling through RecycleMania.

All students are welcome to participate, and all recognized student organizations receive recognition for participating.

RecycleMania is a great program designed for students to engage in recycling and saving the environment. For more information, contact Monica Urbanski at lglq@frostburg.edu.

Upcoming VDAY Event

Help end violence against women. Take Back the Night March, Rally and Open Mic Night will be **Tuesday, Feb. 17,** on the Upper Quad at 7 p.m.

United Campus Ministry

True North Meeting – Movies as Parables: True North, a gathering of FSU students and other young adults (18-35), meets each Sunday evening. This week's movie, "The Seeker: The Dark Rising," **Feb. 22,** at 7 p.m. in Sand Spring Hall, concerns "Holy Conflict" and the concepts of free will and destiny. Free dinner for students; others can make a donation for the cost of dinner.

Agape Latte Study Breaks –

Starting **Feb 16,** at 3 and 7 p.m. in the Lane Center near Java City. The group meets every Monday.

Christian Meditation and Contemplative Prayers – Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 12:10 to 12:45 p.m. and/or 5:10 to 5:50 p.m. in Sand Spring Hall, Room 114. Open to faculty, staff and students.



Points of Pride



Amit Shah (left), professor of management in FSU's College of Business, and **Michael Monahan**, an assistant professor of management at FSU, were recognized with a 2008 "Best Paper Award" from AIMS (the Association of Indian Management Scholars) International for their work titled "The Leadership Styles in Academia: Four Faces of University Presidents."



Jobs, Jobs, Jobs

Summer Positions Available

The Office of Student and Educational Services is looking for students (preview guides) to mentor and guide students during Preview FSU, the summer orientation program. Interested students can pick up an application from the Office of Student and Educational Services (116 Hitchins) or the Lane information desk after **Monday, Feb. 23.** For consideration, all applications must be returned by **Friday, March 13.**

Preview guides are expected to commit both days and evenings to the position from **Tuesday, June 16,** to **Wednesday, July 1.** Students will be compensated \$950, including room and board. Given the time constraints, students will not be able to take summer school classes or hold other employment.

Upward Bound Seeks Tutors/Counselors

Upward Bound is seeking tutors/counselors for its summer residential program on FSU's campus. Upward Bound is a federally funded program that encourages qualified Allegany County high school students to seek education beyond secondary school. The summer residence program provides the main focus and aims to

provide students with a sample of the college experience. Tentative dates are **Sunday, June 7, to Friday, July 24** (includes five days of training).

Tutor/counselor salary is \$2,000. Room and board are provided. Applicant review will begin immediately and the application deadline is **Friday, March 27**. For more information, contact the Upward Bound Office at x4994 or visit the Upward Bound Web site at www.frostburg.edu/clife/ubp.



Feb. 16-20 Schedule

Monday:

- 3 & 6 p.m. NASA Connect: The "A" Train Express
- 3:30 & 6:30 p.m. Learning Math: Patterns, Functions & Algebra: Algebraic Structure
- 4 & 7 p.m. Human Geography: People, Places & Change: A Migrant's Heart
- 4:30 & 7:30 p.m. Bridging World History: Connections Across Water
- 5 & 8 p.m. American Cinema: The Film School Generation
- 9 p.m. FSU Men's Soccer vs. Penn State-Behrend 10/18/2008
- 10:43 p.m. Insights Featuring Dr. Gregory Wood
- 11 p.m. FSU Women's Soccer vs. Penn State-Behrend 10/18/2008

Tuesday:

- 3 & 6 p.m. Going Green With Dr. G: Episode 3, Fall 2008
- 3:30 & 6:30 p.m. LEAD-TV Fall 2008: Episode 3
- 4 & 7 p.m. Think Talk: Blank Page: David Kidder/National Book Festival
- 4:30 & 7:30 p.m. FSU Women's Basketball vs. Hilbert College
- 9 p.m. FSU Men's Soccer vs. Penn State-Behrend 10/18/2008
- 11 p.m. FSU Women's Volleyball vs. Hilbert College 9/30/2006

Wednesday:

- 3 & 6 p.m. SciFiles: The Case of the Physical Fitness Challenge
- 4 & 7 p.m. Social Studies in Action: California Missions
- 4:30 & 7:30 p.m. The Habitable Planet: Water Resources
- 5 & 8 p.m. Essential Science: Extending the Particle Model of Matter
- 9 p.m. FSU Football vs. Moravian College 11/12/2005
- 11:30 p.m. Going Green With Dr. G: Episode 3, Fall 2008

Thursday:

- 3 & 6 p.m. LEAD-TV Fall 2008: Episode 3
- 3:30 & 6:30 p.m. Going Green With Dr. G: Episode 1, Fall 2008
- 4 & 7 p.m. Think Talk: Blank Page: David Kidder/National Book Festival
- 4:30 & 7:30 p.m. FSU Men's Basketball vs. Hilbert College
- 9:30 p.m. FSU Men's Basketball vs. La Roche College 1/8/2005

- 11 p.m. FSU Women's Basketball vs. Penn State-Behrend 12/2/2006

Friday:

- 3 p.m. NASA: Destination Tomorrow, Program 11
- 3:30 p.m. Learning Math: Numbers & Operations: Fractions, Percents & Ratios
- 4 p.m. Earth Revealed: Earthquakes
- 4:30 p.m. Connecting With the Arts: Teaching Practices Library 6-8: Folk Tales Transformed
- 5 p.m. Frostburg City Council (Meeting held 2/17/2009)
- 9 p.m. FSU Women's Basketball vs. Pitt-Bradford 2/9/2008
- 10:30 p.m. FSU Women's Volleyball vs. Marymount 9/29/2005



Considering Study Abroad?

Visit the Center for International Education in the Fuller House to check out the many opportunities available. Some programs allow students to pay FSU tuition for universities in Ireland, England, Japan and many other countries. The CIE office number is x4714. Don't delay! The deadline for summer and fall 2009 applications is **Friday, Feb. 27**.



FSU Students Offer Free Tax Prep

Free help with basic 2008 federal and Maryland income tax returns will be offered through early April by FSU's College of Business students who have been trained and approved by the IRS. Faculty members will oversee these student preparers.

The IRS-sponsored Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program offers this assistance to taxpayers filing Form 1040EZ, Form 1040A or a **basic** Form 1040 federal tax return. Electronic filing will also be available.

Appointments must be made in advance by calling Dr. Joyce Middleton, VITA site co-coordinator, at x4154. Students will work Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in FSU's Framptom Hall (except for **March 14** and **March 21**). A drop-off service will also be available throughout the week.

Taxpayers should bring any tax packages mailed by the IRS and the state, W-2s from all employers, all Form 1099s, a copy of last year's returns, if available, and other relevant information. Taxpayer and dependent Social Security numbers must be verified with proof of ID. Taxpayers should also know the amount of any federal Economic Stimulus Payment received in 2008.



- TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17**
- *RHA General Assembly..... 5 p.m. Dunkle 218
 - *Office of Leadership & Civic Engagement: Take Back the Night March & Rally..... 7 p.m. Upper Quad
 - *UPC International Film: "Egypt"..... 7 p.m. Lane 201

- WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18**
- *Women's Basketball: Mt. Aloysius..... 6 p.m. Home
 - *BSA General Body Meeting..... 7 p.m. Lane Manicur Hall
 - *Men's Basketball: Mt. Aloysius..... 8 p.m. Home

- THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19**
- *Sierra Student Coalition Blackout Day..... noon-1 p.m..... Campus-wide
 - *UPC Lunch in the Loft Music Series Student Edition: Tristen..... 2 p.m. Lane Derezenski Lounge/Loft
 - *SGA Meeting..... 7:30 p.m..... Lane 201
 - *UPC Lecture: C. L. Lindsay..... 8 p.m. Lane Manicur Hall

- FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20**
- *UPC Feature Film: "Quantum of Solace"..... 8:30 p.m..... Lane 201

- SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21**
- *Enrollment Management Open House..... 8:30 a.m..... Lane University Center
 - *Women's Basketball: La Roche..... 1 p.m. Away
 - *Men's Basketball: La Roche..... 4 p.m. Away
 - *UPC Feature Film: "Quantum of Solace"..... 8:30 p.m..... Lane 201

- SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22**
- *CCM Mass..... noon & 8 p.m..... Cook Chapel
 - *Planetarium: Tropical Skies..... 4 & 7 p.m..... Tawes Hall
 - *UPC Feature Film: "Quantum of Solace"..... 8:30 p.m..... Lane 201

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