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Undergraduate Journal Publishes Mary Wolodkin's Literary Research

The Richard Macksey Journal published Mary Wolodkin's article titled "How the Titular Character in William Dean Howells' 'Editha' Grasps Agency." Wolodkin's research began during Dr. Amy Branam Armiento's ENGL 261: Literature of the United States. After the class ended, she revised the essay for a presentation at the prestigious Richard Macksey National Undergraduate Humanities Research Symposium hosted by Johns Hopkins University and then revised it yet again for inclusion in the conference journal.

[Read the article >](#)

Branam Armiento, English Lit Alums Present Research at CEA Conference

On Saturday, March 29, Dr. Amy Branam Armiento, Milton Dawson, and William O'Boyle presented "Connecting Literature to Local History through Physical Collections: Reflections on Student Experiences in an Undergraduate Literature Course" at the College English Association's 54th annual conference.

Branam Armiento provided an overview of the assignment for English 376: Realism and Naturalism, and Dawson and O'Boyle shared their projects, which were developed in consultation with Yelizaveta Zakharova, the Special Collections Librarian and Archivist for the Dr. David M. Gillespie Special Collections and J. Glenn Beall Archives. Armiento, Dawson, O'Boyle, and Zakharova's work will be featured as a chapter in the edited collection *Students in the Archives* (University Illinois Press, 2026).



PAWS Pantry Community Garden

The PAWS Pantry community garden is officially open for the season! Students, staff, and faculty can rent a plot for \$45!

All necessary supplies, from seeds to tools, will be provided for your gardening needs. To register for a plot, click this [LINK](#) or email the pantry at pawspantry@frostburg.edu for more information!

PAWS Pantry Hours

- Monday: noon to 4:30 p.m. & 6 to 7:30 p.m.
- Tuesday: CLOSED
- Wednesday: noon to 4:30 p.m.
- Thursday: noon to 4:30 p.m.
- Friday: noon to 4:30 p.m.
- Saturdays & Sundays: CLOSED

If the pantry's regular hours do not work for you, please email pawspantry@frostburg.edu to schedule an appointment.

UPDATED INTAKE AND WAIVER: All students (new and returning) utilizing the pantry must complete the Intake and Waiver. You can complete it at the pantry or access it here: <https://portal.frostburg.edu/pantry/>

What if I have been exposed to or tested positive for COVID? Please email pawspantry@frostburg.edu to coordinate having a friend pick up food for you. The

friend will be asked to complete the liability form but does not need to be a current member or actively utilize the pantry in order to pick up your food. Please do not come to the pantry if you are sick or have been exposed.

Legally Blonde The Musical **takes Frostburg by Pink Storm**



FSU's Department of Theatre and Dance will present the energetic and upbeat *Legally Blonde The Musical*, based on the adored film featuring Reese Witherspoon. Directed by Shea-Mikal Green with Music Direction by Michaela Hale and Orchestration by Peter Lewis, performances will take place in the Woodward D. Pealer Performing Arts Center April 25, April 26, May 1, May 2, and May 3 at 7:30 p.m. with a matinee on April 26 at 2 p.m.

Tickets to the award-winning musical can be purchased online at <https://frostburgtix.universitytickets.com>.

Tickets are \$7 FSU students, \$10 youth 14 and older, \$17 senior citizens/FSU employees, and \$20 for the general public.

For additional information, please email Theatre and Dance at theatreanddance@frostburg.edu



Cast members include Casey Allison (Elle), Brian Records (Emmett), Andrew Watkins (Warner), Hayden Shoemaker-Davis (Callahan), Grace Stevenson (Paulette), Gracie Ray (Vivienne), Elena Echeandia (Enid), Shay Fochtman (Brooke), Mia Porter (Margot), Estella Lepore (Serena), and Sydney Martinez (Pilar).

Ensemble members playing multiple roles include Ian Donoway, Caleb Friend, Finley Manocchio, Kyle Wolford, James Norville, Brian Ramos, John Hollingsworth, Sebastián Sainz, Bryce Campbell, TJ Kelly, Brendon McCabe, Grace LaCount, Cassidy Andris, Erica Bennett, Kenzie Pein, Erin Rideout, and Whitney O'Haver with special appearances by Bella

(Bruiser) and Sebastian (Rufus).

The Creative Team includes Shea-Mikal Green (Director), Michaela Hale (Music Director), Kiersten Gasemy (Choreographer), Peter Lewis (Conductor), Cody Gilliam (Scenic Design), Ronald Breittfeller (Costume Design), George Georgeson (Lighting/Sound Design), Nicole Mattis (Properties Design), Mackenzie Guynes (Stage Manager), Elijah Reed (Assistant Stage Manager), Colton Swauger (Assistant Stage Manager), De'Andre Taylor (Assistant Lighting Design), James Cox (Tech), and Aaron Bittner (Scenic Foreman).

Legally Blonde The Musical is produced by special arrangement with Musical Theatre International (mtishows.com).

CES and the Allegany Arts Council present Tibetan Monks of The Mystical Arts of Tibet – Mandala Sand Painting

The Cultural Events Series at Frostburg State University and the Allegany Arts Council will present a five-day residency with Tibetan Monks of The Mystical Arts of Tibet from Drepung Loseling Monastery, Tuesday, April 29 through Saturday, May 3. All events will take place at the Cumberland Masonic Temple, 15 Greene St., and are free and open to the public.

[Read more >](#)



Save the Date for Homecoming & Family Weekend!



Commencement Checklist

1. Complete our application for graduation through the Registrar's Office and make sure all of your PAWS info (address, etc.) is accurate.
2. Once you've been approved to graduate, check your FSU email for an email inviting you to set up a login with FSU's Tassel site. After setting up your login, you can access your Tassel page any time. This is where you can access your tickets and more. **This is REQUIRED to attend the ceremony.**
3. **Order your cap and gown** through the link provided on the Tassel registration page. You can choose to ship to the University Store, Hagerstown

campus, or to your home (for a fee). Full details will be on the cap and gown ordering page.

4. **Continue to check your FSU email** for important updates and further details.
5. Bring your cap & gown to commencement with you on **Thursday, May 22 to line up in the practice gym in PE Center no later than one hour before your ceremony**. Your name card (and gold honors tassel, if applicable) will be given to you upon arrival at the practice gym. You must have this name card to hand to the name reader as you cross the stage.

Questions?

Email commencement@frostburg.edu

Entrepreneurial Open House April 24



You're Invited to an official NETWORKING OPPORTUNITY & OPEN HOUSE
April 24, 2025, 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Join us for an exciting afternoon of networking, exploration, and inspiration!

What to Expect:

- Connect with like-minded entrepreneurs and business leaders
- Tour our newly developed business incubator space
- Learn about resources available to help your business thrive
- Learn about FSU's FOREI & The Maryland SBDC Programs

[Learn more >](#)

FSU's Department of Music Presents Jazz Combo in Concert

Frostburg State University's Department of Music will present its Jazz Combo, directed by Tom Harrison, in concert on Tuesday, April 29, at 7:30 p.m. in the Pealer Recital Hall of FSU's Woodward D. Pealer Performing Arts Center. The

concert is free and open to the public. This event will also be livestreamed; the link will be posted at www.frostburg.edu/concerts.

In addition to Harrison on bass, performers will include Gabe Hick on alto sax, Vincent Hangarter on tenor sax, Sam White on trumpet and piano, Doug Holtz on trombone, vocalist Cat Owens on piano, Matt Alexander on bass and Daniel Hicks on drums.

For more information, contact FSU's Department of Music at 301-687-4109.

Frostburg State University Recognized for Best Online Master's Programs in Maryland for 2025

Frostburg State University has once again been ranked among the Best Online Master's Programs in Maryland for 2025 by Online Masters Colleges (OMC), a prominent, trusted source for students seeking valuable resources in online higher education degree programs.



[Read more >](#)

FSU's Bobcat Giving Day Another Successful Fundraising Event

Held on April 1 and 2, Frostburg State University's fourth annual Bobcat Giving Day, a 24-hour online fundraising event, raised \$206,415 to benefit FSU students, surpassing last year's Giving Day total. The campaign also engaged 1,635 donors who contributed to the FSU fund of their choice.

[Read more >](#)

Celebration Scheduled to Recognize Frostburg Elk's Derby Day as a 2024 Maryland Heritage Award Winner

A celebration to honor the Frostburg Elk's Derby Day, which was recognized as a 2024 Maryland Heritage Award winner, will be held on Thursday, April 24, at the Palace Theatre in Frostburg. Events kick off at 7 p.m. with a screening of short films produced by the Maryland State Arts Council recognizing Maryland Heritage Award winners and Folklife Apprenticeships- including Frostburg awardees. Attendees can stay for a panel discussion on the history of the Frostburg Derby and its enduring legacy in the community.

[Read more >](#)

Bicycle Repair Course in Partnership with FOREI



Local cycling enthusiasts recently completed a 32-hour bicycle repair course under the guidance of bicycle industry experts. The course was held at Western Maryland Works - Allegany College of Maryland's makerspace in LaVale and was made possible through funding provided by the Maryland Department of Commerce Tourism Office and the Economic Development Administration in partnership with the Frostburg Outdoor Recreation Economy Institute (FOREI).

Pictured is FSU Recreation & Parks Management student Tomas Lespada with Jason Yowell, owner of the Allegheny Trail House in Frostburg. Yowell is one of the course instructors.

ADAPT Community Conference Series Coming June 4

Are you an administrative professional looking for a career glow-up? Frostburg State University has everything you need to get where you're going!

Give the gift of professional development this Administrative Professionals Day when tickets to this year's ADAPT Community Conference Series go on sale.

[Read more >](#)



Spring 2025 Leadership Studies Leaders-in-Residence at FSU

The LEAD 101 Introduction to Leadership Studies class is hosting four leaders-in-residence during their class time (2-3:15 p.m.) in 162 Gira CCIT each Thursday as the semester ends. The campus community is welcome to join any session.

- **April 24 at 2 p.m. — [Dr. Judy Stone](#), Infectious diseases physician and author, speaking on health advocacy leadership.** Dr. Judy Stone is the

daughter of Hungarian Holocaust survivors, a physician specializing in infectious diseases, and an author. She is a *Forbes* Pharma and Healthcare contributor, a former columnist for *Scientific American*, and the author of a nationally recognized textbook, *Conducting Clinical Research: A Practical Guide*. Dr. Stone's clinical practice and writings have been shaped by growing up as the child of survivors. Dr. Stone came to Cumberland in 1983, wanting to practice in an underserved area. She had a solo infectious disease practice until 1983 and then, practiced part-time in Pennsylvania until 2020. Her latest book is *Resilience: One Family's Story of Hope and Triumph over Evil*, a study in human contrasts: kindness and callousness, tolerance and hatred, humanity and cruelty.



- **May 1 at 2 p.m.—John Adams (Communication Studies alumnus, 2012), Director of Safety, [KCI Technologies](#), speaking on safety leadership.**

Mr. John Adams graduated from FSU with a Bachelor of Science in Communication Studies, with a focus on Interpersonal and Organizational Communication. After graduating, he entered into the Civil and Environmental Engineering industry utilizing his previous work-related experience of hazardous materials and started working as an Industrial Hygiene Technician in 2014. Mr. Adams has worked for KCI Technologies, Inc. since 2017 and progressed to becoming a Senior Scientist and Project Manager where he consulted on Occupational Safety for his clients, some of which include The Smithsonian Institute, the Army Corps of Engineers, the Maryland Port Administration, The Johns Hopkins Hospital System, and the Architect of the Capitol in Washington DC. In 2024, Mr. Adams stepped away from his role as a consultant for KCI's clients and was appointed as the Director of Safety. In this role, he manages the safety program for KCI's 80+ offices and over 2,700 employees across the country. He is responsible for driving a culture of safety consciousness for his fellow Employee Owners and advising KCI's leadership on trends in occupational safety. Currently, Mr. Adams is an active member of the American Society of Safety Professionals' Chesapeake Chapter and is a Board-Certified Safety Professional (CSP).



- **May 8 at 2 p.m.—Lillia Rose, Legislative Assistant, Delegate Vogel, (Maryland), speaking on political leadership.** Ms. Lillia Rose earned her Bachelor of Arts in Political Science from American University's School of Public Affairs, where she focused on applied political writing, legislative research, and campaign strategy. Her experience spans local, state, and federal government, including serving as a Legislative Assistant and Staff Correspondent in the Maryland General Assembly for Delegate Joe Vogel, and interning in the Office of Congressman David Trone (MD-06). She also served as Digital Specialist for the April Delaney for Congress campaign,

where she managed digital outreach and served as liaison to Garrett County. A passionate advocate for civic engagement and rural Appalachian representation, Ms. Rose is the founder of the Mountain Maryland Young Democrats and a member of the Garrett County Democratic Central Committee. In 2024, she was a Delegate to the Democratic National Convention, representing Western Maryland on the national stage. Ms. Rose also serves on the Board of the Garrett County Historical Society and previously co-coordinated the Autumn Glory Festival and Maryland State Banjo and Fiddle Tournament, while managing media and outreach for the Town of Oakland. In addition to her civilian work, Ms. Rose is a Psychological Operations Sergeant (37F) in the U.S. Army Reserve, currently assigned to the 11th Psychological Operations Battalion. She completed advanced training at the JFK School of Special Warfare and supports her unit as the Public Affairs Representative.



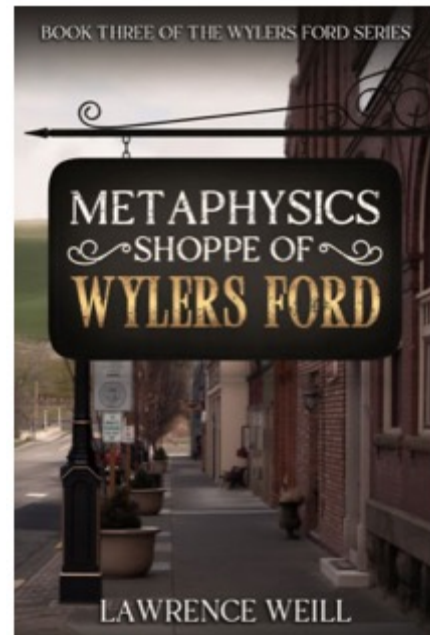
For more information on the Leadership Studies program or these guest speaker visits, please contact Dr. Elesha L. Ruminski, Professor of Strategic Communication and Coordinator of Leadership Studies, at ELRuminski@frostburg.edu.

Dr. Lawrence Weill Pens New Novel

Book Launch Scheduled for April 29 at Ort Library at 4 p.m.

Dr. Lawrence Weill, interim provost and vice president for the Division of Student Success at FSU, is also an award-winning author and. His latest novel is “The Metaphysics Shoppe of Wyler’s Ford.”

While at The Metaphysics Shoppe, you might find a book on the I Ching, learn your future through a laying of the cards, or grab an herbal tea to soothe your spirit. Or find out who you really are. When Rex and Sylvie decide to realize their dream and start a fortune-telling shop in the small town of Kentucky, they discover what it is they are leaving and face dangers from their past. Ultimately, they must learn what they are seeking. And in learning what they seek, they can answer the ontological questions they actually have.



“The Metaphysics Shoppe of Wyler’s Ford” is witty literary fiction with a healthy dose of magical realism and is the third book in the Wyler’s Ford series.

Weill writes novels, short fiction, non-fiction articles and books, creative non-fiction and poetry. He has nine books in print, including his latest novel, “The Metaphysics Shoppe of Wyler’s Ford.” His work has appeared in a wide range of local, regional

and national journals. He is also a visual artist working in graphite, oils, metal and wood. In addition to his life as a writer and visual artist, Weill works in academia, beginning as a professor of philosophy and ethics for nearly 25 years, then as an academic administrator.

When he is not in Maryland, Weill lives in the woods overlooking a beaver pond next to a wildlife preserve. He is also an avid outdoorsman and gardener.

Department of Music Upcoming Events

All Department of Music events are held in the PAC Pealer Recital Hall and are free and open to the public, unless otherwise noted in the article. They are also livestreamed unless otherwise noted; follow the link at www.frostburg.edu/concerts.

- **FSU Guitar Ensemble & Studio Recital** FSU Department of Music presents "String Whispers: An Evening of Intimate Guitar Trios and Solos" performed by the FSU Guitar Ensemble, directed by Mr. Felipe Garibaldi de Almeida, on Thursday, April 24, at 7:30 p.m. The guitar trio consists of Mr. Garibaldi de Almeida, and Music majors Nicholas Mellen, and Raymond Gibson. Raymond Gibson will perform "Andantino" by Matteo Carcassi, and "Etude No. 2" and "Etude No. 1" by Leo Brouwer. Nicholas Mellen will present "Un Día de Noviembre" by Leo Brouwer, and "Allemande, Sarabande, and Bourrée" from *Lute Suite in E Minor, BWV 996* by J.S. Bach. The Guitar Ensemble Trio will perform "Sheep May Safely Graze" from *Cantata BWV 208* by J.S. Bach; "Wayfaring Stranger" a traditional American folk song arranged collectively by the FSU Guitar Ensemble; and "Malagueñas" a traditional Spanish song arranged by Felipe Garibaldi.
- **Riley House Senior Recital** FSU Department of Music presents a *Senior Recital* by pianist Riley House on Saturday, April 26, at 7:30 p.m. He will be joined by Guest Artist Dr. Joseph Yungen for a piano duet. House will perform "Prelude in G minor, Op. 23, No. 5" and "Prelude in G-flat, Op. 23, No. 10" by Rachmaninoff; "Préludes, Livre 2" (*V. Bruyères, VI. Général Lavine*) by Debussy; "Four Pieces for Piano, Op. 119" by Brahms; and "Piano Concerto No. 22 in Eb, K. 482" (*I. Allegro*) by W.A. Mozart, assisted by pianist Dr. Joseph Yungen. House studies piano at FSU with Dr. Jay DeWire; before college he studied with Pam Lego. He has made the Dean's List and been awarded the Talent in the Arts Scholarship and FSU Excellence Scholarship. House will graduate in May with a bachelor's degree in music in the Music Industry Track and plans to form an independent record label. He graduated from Smithsburg High School, Smithsburg, MD, in 2021. He is the son of Tyra Guyton of Smithsburg.
- **Bryce Campbell Senior Recital** FSU Department of Music presents a *Senior Recital* by percussionist Bryce Campbell on Sunday, April 27, at 3:00 p.m. He will be accompanied by Guest Artist Dr. Joseph Yungen on piano. Campbell's program will include "CHOPin" by Jesse Sieff; "Concerto for Percussion and Orchestra" by Darius Milhaud; "Concerto for Marimba" by Ney Rosauero; "Bad Touch" by Casey Cangelosi; and "Concerto for Snare Drum" by Colton Townsend. As a Music Major Campbell studies percussion with Dr. Mackenzie Jacob LaMont. He will graduate this May with a bachelor's degree in music, with Education Option. His life goal is "to make a positive impact on the lives of as many people as possible. I will do this as a music

teacher and later as an administrator." Campbell graduated from Rising Sun High School, Northeast, MD, in 2017.

MCTA Presents Todd Burge

Singer songwriter Todd Burge returns to Mountain City Traditional Arts on Sunday, April 27 at 4:00 p.m. Burge's singular brand of folk-pop storytelling brings together his wry humor, dexterous guitar work and an ear bending vocal range to cover a full range of everyday topics. Each of his songs tells a story, whether drawn from personal experience or a tale of poetically woven fiction. For more information call (301) 687-8040.



Employee of the Quarter

The Office of Human Resources selected Sean Aurigemma as the quarter-two Employee of the Quarter.

Sean is the Assistant Director of Admissions and has been employed by FSU since 2023.



Join Us for PAWS in for Brooke

We invite you to join us Wednesday, April 23, from 11:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. in Gira CCIT 397 for PAWS in for Brooke, a special volunteer event dedicated to giving back in honor of Brooke.

At the event we will be assembling blankets (materials provided) to donate as well as collecting contributions for:

- FSU Career Closet – gently used professional attire
- PAWS Pantry – non-perishable food and essentials
- Animal Shelter – pet supplies and donations



And, of course, we'll treat you to an ice-cream bar to enjoy while we work together!

To help plan accordingly, click [HERE](#) to register.

The Donald Duckson Lecture Series and Sodexho Fund Presents: Leveraging Your Earth Sciences Degree

Bruce Hall '79, forensic mineralogist and retired from the FBI, speaks about unrelated learning, unrealized knowledge and initiative on Tuesday, April 22 from 5-6 p.m. in EHNS 208A. This event is free and open to the public. For more information, contact Dr. Bill Wetherholt at wawetherholt@frostburg.edu or 301-687-4266.



Employee Appreciation Week 2025: April 28-May 2 "Stronger Together"

Employee Appreciation Week is quickly approaching! We are excited about the opportunity to celebrate and recognize our dedicated employees at Frostburg State University. This week will be a great time to join in on some fun and catch up with your fellow Bobcats. There will be no charge for the food events held on April 30 (Sweet Treat Social) and May 2 (Employee Luncheon) – the only thing we ask is that you **RSVP by Friday, April 2**, to allow us to have an approximate headcount for each event. Click [here](#) to RSVP. The schedule for the week is below.

- Monday – Friday: Bookstore sales announced daily
- Tuesday, April 29 (weather permitting): Re-introduce the Bobcat Trail
- Wednesday, April 30: Sweet Treat Social (LUC Atkinson Room 1:30-3 p.m.)
- Friday, May 2: Employee Luncheon (Chesapeake Dining Hall 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.)

3 State Community Media Center Open House



The **3 State Community Media Center** is prepared to launch in the **fall 2025**. You're cordially invited to join us for an Open House. Join us on **Friday, May 16th** from **5pm to 7pm** to tour our facilities and learn more about what the Center will offer to the region.

Use the QR code (or the link in the invitation email) to RSVP. Feel free to share with others!

Explore -- Create -- Connect

You're Invited

When: Friday, May 16 from 5pm to 7pm

Where: 3rd Floor of FSU's Gira Center for Communications and Information Technology (CCIT)

Please RSVP by Friday, May 2nd



A new regional Community Media Center is preparing to launch in the fall 2025. The Center will be housed within the current Department of Communication on campus. An open house event is scheduled for Friday, May 16 from 5-7 p.m. on the 3rd floor of the Gira Center for Communications and Information Technology (CCIT). Light refreshments will be served. This will be an opportunity to tour the facilities, learn more about what the Center plans to offer to the region, to give input and to meet regional partners.

The 3 State Community Media Center is dedicated to empowering individuals and organizations in our region to tell their stories, share their ideas, and enhance their audience engagement through accessible and innovative media technology. It will provide resources, training, and opportunities that cultivate creativity, promote collaboration, and bolster community engagement. By serving as a hub for media content creation and expression, the Center will strive to connect and enrich the region while promoting creativity, media literacy, and a sense of community.

Please RSVP by Friday, May 2.

[RSVP Link](#)

MCTA 15th Annual Spring Arts Walk



The walk will be held on Saturday, April 26 from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. and will feature guest artists and new items!

Frostburg Earns a Top Spot Once Again

Frostburg, Md., has been named one of the Top 10 'Best Small College Towns' in the US by USA Today 10Best!

[Read more >](#)

Focus Frostburg 2025 Returns to Campus April 23

Focus Frostburg 2025 will take place Wednesday, April 23, at Frostburg State University's Lane University Center (LUC). The full day event features films,

The logo for Focus Frostburg features the word "FOCUS" in a large, bold, blue sans-serif font. A green leaf-like graphic is integrated into the letter "O". Below "FOCUS", the word "FROSTBURG" is written in a smaller, blue, sans-serif font.

Patches for Purpose

Higher Education, The Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion,
 The Student Work Alliance, A.I.C. & C.O.P.E. Inc., Campus Ministers,
 The Support Center, Chapter of the Beta Sigma Beta Fraternity, Incorporated,
 The Alpha Phi Omega Chapter of Delta Phi Epsilon Fraternity, Incorporated,
 Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., Phi Kappa Phi Fraternity, Inc.,
 The National Student Leadership Conference, Registered, Periodicals,
 Inc.

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IN RECOGNITION OF SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH, WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN
 OUR VARIOUS STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS AND DEPARTMENT'S AS WE UNITE IN
 SOLIDARITY TO SUPPORT SURVIVORS OF SEXUAL ASSAULT. TOGETHER, WE WILL
 CREATE PATCHWORK CLOTHING ITEMS TO WEAR ON "DENIM DAY," WHICH TAKES
 PLACE ON APRIL 26TH.

WHEN: APRIL 28TH, 2025
 WHERE: MUNICIPAL CENTER
 TIME: 5:00PM - 7:00PM

DENIM DONATIONS WILL BE COLLECTED IN
 THE LANE CENTER FROM APRIL 21ST-APRIL 25TH

PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN T-SHIRT/CLOTHING ITEM TO APPLY PATCHES TO

STUDENTS, FACULTY AND STAFF MAY
 WEAR DENIM TO PROTEST
 INACCUSATIONS AND
 ACTING IN A MANNER RELATED TO
 SEXUAL VIOLENCE

DENIM DAY IS APRIL 26TH

Here are several ways you can get involved:

- **Share** the information on your social media platforms and within your networks.
- **Donate** old jeans or denim pieces for the event. You can drop them off at the Lane Center or email aabenson0@frostburg.edu to arrange a pickup.
- **Attend** the event on April 28.
- **Wear denim** on Denim Day, **April 30** to show your support.

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On Friday, April 25, the PA Program will be on the main campus at the Education and Health Sciences building for a simulation assessment. They are recruiting FSU faculty, staff, or students who are interested in being patient actors for PA students during the simulation. No prior experience is necessary, and participants will be

PA Program On-Campus PAID Opportunity

provided with a brief, virtual training session in advance of Friday's session. Patient actors, called "standardized patients" play a vital role in helping healthcare learners practice their clinical and communication skills in a controlled, supportive environment. The pay is \$25/hour.

Participants will need to be available from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. on April 25, and for virtual training for about one hour, which will be announced once participants have been chosen.

Please reach out to the simulation and laboratory coordinator, Olivia Barton, at orbarton@frostburg.edu with any questions or to express interest.

Town Square

As a reminder, Town Square on the internal faculty and staff portal is a place where faculty and staff can post information and engage in productive dialogue all while giving users the capability to set their individual channel subscription preferences.

There are several channels currently available on Town Square. Subscribe to specific channels to receive email updates based on your preferences. To subscribe to a channel, click the "subscribe" button in the top right-hand corner - the dropdown menu will let users set their preferences to none, instant, daily or weekly.

We encourage all faculty and staff to utilize this space for sharing information. After logging in to the portal, Town Square can be located on one of the tiles available on the main page. You can also search "town square" using the search function in the upper right-hand corner.

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Do you have an information you'd like to include in StateLines? Please email StateLines@frostburg.edu. Please submit your information by Wednesday, April 30 at noon.



Persons with disabilities may request accommodations through the
ADA Compliance Office:
301-687-3035 (VRO 1-800-735-2258).
Frostburg State University is a smoke-free campus.

