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News and Events

It's Getting Hot in Here...

Heating and air conditioning will be unavailable in the Faculty Office Center (G-wing) from 10 p.m. on Thursday, July 23 through 6 p.m. on Friday, July 24. The chilled and hot water pipes serving the FOC air conditioning and heating systems will be turned off in order to make necessary tie-ins for the new labs on the lower level. All heating and air conditioning systems will be back in service Friday evening.

Contact Facilities at ext. 4515 with concerns or questions.

ITS Maintenance on Friday

All Governors State Jenzabar products, including CX (Cars), MyGSU, Student View, Faculty View, will be unavailable on Friday, July 24, from approximately 7:30 am to noon, while ITS performs software maintenance. During this time, staff/faculty will not be able to work in CX, and students/faculty will not be able to access any of the self-service web applications. All issues or concerns may be directed to the ITS Helpdesk at ext. 4357.

For Kicks

The GSU Soccer Club is currently playing weekly games and is looking for new members. Men and women are welcome to join, regardless of skill.

Weekly games take place on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 4:45 p.m. The club also participates in soccer tournaments and trips to Chicago Fire and international games.

Members of the Soccer Club enjoy camaraderie and a unique chance to interact with individuals from a variety of cultures and backgrounds. Plus, playing soccer is a great cardiovascular workout. Alumni are also invited to join the club. There is no cost to join. For more information, contact Jose Reyes at 708.534.4494.

Art for the Masses

The Visual Arts Gallery will present a group exhibition of four graduating students from July 27 through August 17. A public reception will be held on Friday, July 31, from 6 to 9 p.m. The exhibit will feature the work of Jennifer Lesch-Benedick, Kathleen Rush, Rhiannon Sallas, and Kristina Schmitt.

The GSU Visual Arts Gallery is free and open to the public. The gallery is open Monday through Thursday, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, call 708.534.4021.

Enrichment Seminar – Interdisciplinary Studies

An Enrichment Seminar on GSU's Interdisciplinary Studies program will be held on August 5, from 3:30 to 5 p.m., in the Hall of Honors. Lana Bilyk, Student Services Coordinator, and Jennifer Finn, Assistant Director of Admission, will lead the discussion.

The Enrichment Seminar series focuses on different GSU degree programs and the related careers and opportunities open to graduates. Students learn from professionals who work in the field, gain knowledge of the GSU program, and discover grant and scholarship opportunities available to current and new students. Current and prospective students as well as those interested in careers in Computer Science are welcome.

Future seminar topics include Criminal Justice, Elementary Education, Accounting and Business Administration, Communications, Psychology, Social Work, and Biology.

The series is sponsored by the Title V Cooperative Grant and the Latino Center for Excellence. For more information, contact 708.235.7609.

Training Initiative Interrupted

The Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) series of online training modules used by faculty, staff, and students conducting research involving living humans as subjects will be unusable for five days beginning at on August 3, at 7 a.m. A major system upgrade will take place during that period.

Alumni Spotlight

GSU alum H. Frank Cervone was recently appointed Vice Chancellor for Information Systems at Purdue University Calumet. His background includes 15 years of experience and leadership as Director of Library, Information, and Media Studies at Chicago State University; Assistant University Librarian/Chief Technology Officer for the Northwestern University Library System and University Press; and library administrative positions at DePaul University.

In addition, he has held positions as a chief systems engineer and systems programming director in the private sector. Mr. Cervone offers an extensive list of published works, presentations, and professional and service activities and affiliations.

Cervone holds a baccalaureate degree from GSU; master's degrees from DePaul, California State University East Bay and Northcentral University; and a Ph.D. from Northcentral.

