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Instagram, Here We Come!

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Nominations Requested for Baysore Award

The Dr. Gerald C. Baysore Award is presented to the GSU employee who most fully demonstrates the following four qualities so consistently and fully embodied by Dr. Baysore during his eighteen-year service to the university: absolute integrity; total competence; generous dedication; and unfailing civility.

The Baysore Award will be presented by President Maimon during Convocation on Friday, August 21 (please see the accompanying Convocation article below).

This award is given only when a candidate meets the strict qualifications as listed above. Nominators are encouraged to devote special time and attention to their written nominations. The length of the nomination is not as important as the quality, but enough information should be included so that the committee can make an informed decision.

You can submit your written nominations via email to pperdue@govst.edu.

The deadline for nominations is Monday, August 17, at 5 p.m.

One Last ROAR for Incoming Freshmen
Wednesday, July 29 is the final Freshman Orientation Day, so if you are on campus, please welcome the new students and their parents. The day, now called ROAR–Resources, Orientation, Advising and Registration, will start at 9 a.m. with welcome and introductions from the ROAR leaders and interns. Once again, sophomore ROAR Leader Brittany Smith will take over the GSU Facebook and Twitter accounts for the day and keep everyone apprised with posts on ROAR events.

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Register Now for Fall Classes

Registration is now open for all admitted students (except freshmen, who register at freshman orientation). Use your Student Study Plan to assist you in selecting classes from the online schedule. Your acceptance letter included your GSU username, password and new student email account information. Please use this information to log in to your myGSU portal for registration and other online services. A registration tutorial is also available. Contact your academic advisor if you have not yet received your study plan or if you have any questions about registering for classes.

BUZZ

RSVP for Convocation August 21
Please join us Friday, August 21 at 3 p.m. in the Center for Performing Arts for Convocation 2015. Convocation is the official kickoff to the 2015-16 school year and you won't want to miss it!

This year, all students who come to Convocation will receive a beautiful magnetic Convocation Pin that can be worn during Commencement. This is the ONLY chance you will have to get this pin. Be sure to RSVP today!

The three Excellence Award recipients will be announced, followed by the presentation of the Baysore Award, the highest honor bestowed upon a GSU employee.

For the second year at Convocation, one high school teacher and one community college teacher who were nominated by incoming GSU undergraduate students will be presented with the Educators Legacy Award in recognition for their outstanding work.

GSU's traditional ice cream social will follow immediately after.

Here is a look back at the 2014 Convocation, a day that included the dedication of Prairie Place.

**It's that time of year again! Employee Picnic Fun!**

"Hot Fun in the Summertime" is the theme for this year's Employee Picnic, Friday August 7 from 11a.m.-3 p.m.

There will be a photo booth sponsored by Civil Service Senate, and two new Foodie Attractions: Arise, GSU's new food vendor, and Zarlengo's Italian Ice. But get there early! Food will only be served until 2 p.m.
There will be an egg relay and bag team events, and a DJ who will have some games as well.

Be sure to wear bright, festive colors like lime green and yellow or your GSU Jaguar apparel!

Don't forget to print and sign your risk waiver and bring along with your tickets otherwise you will have to sign one that day.

**Bookstore Summer Clearance**

The GSU Bookstore is having a Summer Clearance Event from July 27-August 30. Take an additional 40 percent off already reduced items while supplies last. The offer is not valid on food items, Starbucks products, or graduation items, and cannot be combined with any other offer. See store for details.

**Summer Hours Ending July 31**

The last day of the Friday Summer Hours Program for employees will be Friday, July 31, 2015. Regular work hours will resume on August 3, 2015.

**Make Bookstore Purchases with Financial Aid through FA Link**

Students can purchase school supplies, text books, and more at the GSU Bookstore using Financial Aid. FA Link is available now through September 12. Completion of the financial aid process and other conditions must be met before students can use FA Link.

**EVENTS**

**Do You Conduct Research Involving Human Subjects?**

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Office for Human Resource Protections will present a Research Community Forum: "Human Subjects Research: Current Challenges in the Modern Research World" at GSU Tuesday, July 28. Registration is from 7–8 a.m. in the Center for Performing Arts. Elizabeth Buchanan, Ph.D., Endowed Chair in Ethics and Director of the Center for Applied Ethics at the University of Wisconsin-Stout, will give the keynote speech, "A New Internet Research Ethics Program." Additional information can be found at: [http://www.ohrpjuly15.illinoisstate.edu/](http://www.ohrpjuly15.illinoisstate.edu/).

**ADA Resource Fair, Thursday, July 30**
GSU will celebrate the 25th anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act with an Alternative Accommodations Resource Fair, Thursday, July 30 from 11 a.m.–4 p.m. in the Hall of Governors.

Please note this is the correct date and time for this event. An earlier published date was incorrect.

Learn about the services and programs that local, regional, and state agencies provide for our special needs community. The fair will feature speakers, presentations, and other valuable information about the ADA.

The event is free, and everyone is welcome. Vendor tables are also free. For information or to reserve a vendor table, contact rsweeney@govst.edu or 708.235.3968.

Conference on Adverse Childhood Experience

The Southland Education and Health Initiative through a GSU Teacher Quality Partnership grant, is sponsoring a conference on Adverse Childhood Experience (ACE). The one-day conference, "ACEs: An inter-professional approach to creating a trauma-informed environment in our schools," will be held Thursday, July 30, from 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m. in the Hall of Honors.

All who work with children from the education and healthcare communities are invited to attend. "This will be an informative and interactive day with opportunities for teams to work together to plan for implementing at least one principle that is designed specifically to address the consequences of Adverse Childhood Experiences and to facilitate healing," GSU Professor Emerita Karen Peterson said.

The conference will introduce attendees to the research around ACEs, building resiliency, and how to build a trauma-informed school environment. Children who are suffering from trauma after exposure to ACEs often have a variety of issues that disrupt their learning and hamper their ability to develop the
Call for Latino Heritage Month Programs

Friday, August 21 is the deadline to submit programs for Latino Heritage Month. Celebrated September 15-October 15, Latino Heritage Month recognizes the history, culture, and contributions of Latinos in our global society past, present, and future. The day of September 15 is significant because it is the anniversary of independence for Latin American countries Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua. In addition, Mexico and Chile celebrate their independence days on September 16 and September 18, respectively.

Please submit your program, including title, description, program date, and type (lecture, service, social, visual arts, performing arts) online at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LatinoHeritageMonth. For more information or questions, email diversity@govst.edu or call x4551.

SAVE THE DATE

Master of Occupational Therapy

The Department of Occupational Therapy will host an information session for its entry level Master of Occupational Therapy degree program Wednesday, August 5, from 5–6:30 p.m., in room G-157.

For additional information, contact janderson13@govst.edu or pkalvelage@govst.edu

Creating a Culture of Employee Ownership

Phil Moeller

The School of Extended Learning will present a workshop called "Creating a Culture of Employee Ownership," Thursday, August 6, from 9 a.m.—4 p.m. The workshop will be presented by Phil Moeller, past president of Holland Company. The fee for the workshop is $150 and includes a copy of Moeller's book, "Employees Becoming Owners."
Friends of the Library Book Sale

Looking for a place to donate some of your new or gently used books, CD's, DVD's, and artwork? Look no more! The GSU Friends of the Library are planning for the next book sale on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 25 and 26.

Bring items that you would like to donate to the Library during regular business hours. The Friends of the GSU Library table is on the library balcony. You can place your items for donation in one or more of the Green bags, and leave them on the table; and

1. Fill out the Donations/Gifts to GSU Library Form that is on the table. Please be sure to note whether you would like a letter of acknowledgement.
2. Place the Donations/Gifts to GSU Library form in one of the books where it can be found.

If you have any questions, please send them to friendsofgsulibrary@gmail.com.

Students–Are you Looking for Employment?

Students, if you are looking for employment, the Office of Career Services is hosting a Student Employment Job Fair, Wednesday, August 26, from 3 - 6 p.m. in the Hall of Governors.

Need a resume refresher before the fair? Be prepared: Attend the OPEN RESUME LAB on Thursday, August 20 from 3-5 p.m. in room D2430C, for direct assistance with updating your document.

For more information, contact Cynthia Staples in Career Services by August 19, or call 708.235.3974.

Sports

Jaguar Men's Basketball Signs Guard from St. Anne
The Jaguars men's basketball team signed Dae'Vontae Paino for the 2015-16 season. Dae'Vontae is a 5'11" guard from St. Anne Community High School, where he played basketball and ran track. Dae'Vontae also performed well academically in high school, an important factor for GSU Coach Anthony Bates.

Facebook Posts of the Week

👍 Response to our post reminding everyone to register for our Fall 2015 classes:
Jackie Greene Tart Done

👍 There were 205 LIKES to our photo showing GSU's Joan Johns Maloney and Joe Maloney with the Stanley Cup!
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Dr. Lesley Di Mare, President of Colorado State University–Pueblo, noted that the presentation gave an important insight to the challenges leaders face in guiding their universities through substantive changes. “President Maimon is a powerful speaker and her speech was very well written and drilled down to give us important facts and strategies that those of us who are in these situations can use as takeaways,” she said.

President Di Mare went on to describe how the speech was received:

“The more questions you have after a presentation ends is a good indication of how interested people are in what you had to say. President Maimon went over on time because of the number of people who wanted to ask her questions. And almost every question was prefaced with ‘First, let me thank you for an outstanding presentation.’ It took her a long time to get out of the venue because people wanted to talk to her,”

The NCCI is a non-profit organization that provides change leaders in higher education with a collaborative professional network to engage in sharing best practices. Its members are the leading innovators in both the academic and administrative areas at colleges and universities and are at the forefront of strategic planning and organizational development in higher education. This year’s conference was attended by 200 influential leaders from across the U.S. and abroad.

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Beginning with Wednesday’s ROAR Freshman Orientation event, be sure to look for our Instagram expert, sophomore Lauriel Butler, as she searches for unique and interesting shots that will be shared on Instagram.
Lauriel, who is working with the Marketing Department, likes taking pictures of people, and believes GSU has a great story to tell on Instagram. “GSU is a people-friendly place. I want to let people know through Instagram about all the great students and faculty at GSU, and about all the unique activities and events that are happening here,” she said.

So don’t be surprised when you see Lauriel with her camera. She just might find something interesting to ask you!

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Parents and guests will join them on campus for a full day of sessions, including what to expect during their student’s first year, a financial aid session, a campus tour, and an Academic Programs Fair.