

Chancellor's Council Announcements

December 2010

Student Affairs

Counseling, Disability Support, and Student Wellness

- Disability Support Services is arranging accommodations for Spring 2011 so that a returning student who is quadriplegic, a transfer student who is also quadriplegic, and a new student who is deaf and needing interpretive services have equal access to curriculum and classrooms.
- In response to requests from student groups, programs on Talking Turkey (Anticipating and Resolving Conflict With Parents When Returning Home for the Holidays), Time Management, and Stress Management are being provided by counseling staff.
- **2010-2011 Most Miners Campaign Materials:** *Most Miners* is an **on-going** health awareness campaign conducted by Student Wellness to inform the campus community that S&T students make healthy, responsible choices. The campaign aims to correct misperceptions about S&T students by providing accurate information taken from annual student health behavior surveys. Look for posters around campus. More information about the campaign and example posters can be found at <http://studentwellness.mst.edu>.

Leadership and Cultural Programs

- December 1, Speak UP Speak OUT will feature a panel discussion on Religion and Spirituality. Presentation will be 6 PM-8:30 PM in Missouri/Ozark Room
- December 2, All Student Affairs Directors are invited to attend the Winter Student Leadership Reception at 6:30 PM in the Havener Center. We have received over 15 nominations this year and Blue Key will be joining LCP to present some of their awards as well.
- Received 70 Chancellor Leadership Academy (CLA) applications for 2011 class.

Undergraduate Studies

Externship Program Applications for Spring Break, <http://ugs.mst.edu/externship.html>

Student opportunities to gain leadership development experience in a corporate setting for 1-5 days during Spring Break 2011 (March 28-April 1). Corporate sponsors will provide students with a general introduction to the company and an overview of how their corporation practices the types of corporate responsibility and accountability described in the Global Sullivan Principles. This opportunity is targeted at students in their second year and beyond. The priority deadline is December 15, 2010.

Scholarship Applications <http://www.act.org/goldwater/apply/index.html>

The Barry Goldwater scholarship is for juniors and seniors who have outstanding potential and intend to pursue careers in mathematics, the natural sciences, or engineering. This scholarship award will cover eligible expenses up to a maximum of \$7,500 per year. S&T has set an internal deadline for application materials of **January 12, 2011**. For more information please contact Lucretia Eaton at eatonla@mst.edu.

South Central RPDC, <http://rpdcmst.edu/>

RPDC is actively involved in a state level initiative to provide training to school district personnel regarding the effective use of data to drive both continuous system improvement as well as to inform instruction at the classroom level. This research based school improvement initiative was developed by Doug Reeves and Associates at the Leadership and Learning Center, and is currently supported as the Missouri model for the effective use of data. The training provides schools with a structured protocol to effectively use assessment data in a collaborative, data team process that improves the quality of instructional decisions and results in increases in student learning and performance. South Central RPDC currently has four trainers certified by the Leadership and Learning Center, and has already provided the full two day training for approximately 100 educators in the region. Additional regional two day training opportunities are scheduled in December, as well as on-site trainings that will be provided in school districts. An additional 300 educators have attended awareness level training. The RPDC is also providing on-site support and consultation to districts that are actively implementing the process.

Student Design and Experiential Learning Center, <http://design.mst.edu/>

Over 250 students completed a basic safety training program this semester. Also, the SDELC is coordinating CPR and First Aid classes for students as well as advanced safety training. They are also working towards offering basic OSHA certified safety training in construction and light industry (10hr and 30hr courses). The new building is on schedule.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Undergraduate Research Day at the Capitol, <http://ugs.mst.edu/ugrdc.html>

March 3, 2011, The Missouri State Capitol in Jefferson City. Nominations for Student Ambassadors are due by December 15, 2010.

7th Annual Undergraduate Research Conference, <http://ugs.mst.edu/uqrc.html>

April 6, 2011, S&T Havener Center.