Associate dean to lead national anti-hazing webcast

By Jeffery Seay
EDITOR IN CHIEF

On April 10, Associate Dean of Students Adam Goldstein will lead a national audience through a hazing prevention webcast made available by Academic Impressions. The webcast, “Hazing Prevention: Initiating a Campuswide Culture Change,” will identify best practices in college and university hazing education, prevention and incident response programs. Participants will explore how the prevention framework has been adapted for higher education settings and will use the Florida State University’s award-winning hazing prevention initiatives as a case study for prevention-principles in practice.

“This webcast is an opportunity for community leaders to receive a concise summary of the prevention framework, exploring why and how this approach has changed the way colleges and universities are addressing hazing in the community,” Goldstein said.

Prevention uses a socio-ecological framework to examine contributing factors that feed into incidents, and outlines an approach for implementing strategies and tactics that treat the factors and reduce the likelihood of harm. When it comes to hazing prevention, Florida State is widely recognized as a national leader for its cohesive message and comprehensive approach to hazing prevention.

“Over the past six years, we’ve studied the prevention framework and learned how to better coordinate our educational messages, interventions targeting high-risk populations and incident response,” Goldstein said. “The approach led us

New online community to open soon for employees

By Megan Del Debbio
UNIVERSITY COMMUNICATIONS

Coming soon, a new Web-based portal will deliver a customized online community to faculty and staff at Florida State University. The site, myFSU portal (my.fsu.edu), will serve as a one-stop-shop for managing important, job-related functions, providing users with a single point of access to existing university information systems.

The portal’s employee community is scheduled to open in the coming months, bringing with it a level of customization not previously available.

Upon logging on, the site will recognize employees by name and display a personalized dashboard of their university profile. At-a-glance apps, or portlets, within the system will display employee-specific content, such as paycheck information and personal leave balances. From here, employees will be able to easily access and manage additional human resources and personal information. Faculty will have added functionality in the system with course management tools and dashboards.

Using single sign-on technology, the site is designed to bring together important, password-protected online tools in one, “at-your-fingertips” location. More so, the portal is customizable to the user’s preferences. Acting as a gateway into online tools, such as Blackboard and OMNI, the portal will allow for targeted content and special messaging and alerts.

A variety of “communities” will be available to portal users, depending on their roles. A student portal community opened March 4. Through the myFSU portal, students can now manage personal information, access quick links to important university sites and connect

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Employees surpass United Way campaign goal

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The Council on Research and Creativity has granted Committee on Faculty Research Support (COFRS) awards for 2012-2013. The COFRS award provides $14,000 toward summer salary support and/or other CRC-approved expenses. Of the 51 proposals received, 30 were funded for a total of $420,000.

Alphabetically, the faculty members and their proposals are:

- Paolo Aluffi (Mathematics), “Algebraic Geometry of Potts Models”;
- Anjali Austin (Dance), “Where Are the Black Ballet Dancers in America? … Youthful Voices”;
- Alexander Avina (History), “Before the Cocaine Cartels: Marijuana, Opium Poppies and the Historical Roots of the Mexican Drug War”;
- Cassandra Cole (Risk Management/Insurance, Real Estate and Legal Studies), “Do Health Insurers Use Affiliation to Diversify?”;
- Wu-Min Deng (Biological Science), “Drosophila Snr1 and Human Malignant Rhabdoid Tumor”;
- Laurel Fulkerson (Classics), “A Scholarly Commentary on Tibullus, Book 3”;
- Paul Fyfe (English), “Networking the Victorians”;
- Carolina Gonzalez (Modern Languages and Linguistics), “Pronunciation Instruction in a Spanish Grammar Course: Effect on Pronunciation, Perception and Grammar Attainment”;
- Barbara Hamby (English), “Back Road Odes”;
- Carrie Ann Jones-Baade (Art), “Through the Parallax: An Exhibition of Surreal Oil Painters”;
- Reiner Leushuis (Modern Languages and Linguistics), “Speaking of Love: The Poetics of the Amorous Dialogue in Italian and French Renaissance Literature”;
- Don Levitan (Biological Science), “The Evolution of Gamete Recognition Proteins in an Ecological Context”;
- James O’Rourke (English), “Exceptional States and Casual Slaughters: Politics and Violence in Shakespeare”;
- Chiwoo Park (Industrial and Manufacturing Engineering), “Data-Driven Characterization of Nanoparticle Self-Assembly Processes”;
- Chris Patrick (Psychology), “Neuroimaging Analysis of Dispositions Toward Mental Disorders”;
- Kathleen Petersen (Mathematics), “Geometric Structures on Knot Complements”;
- Pamela Ryan (Music), “The Capricious Composer: 250 Years of Virtuoso Violists”;
- Krzysztof Salata (Theatre), “Poesis: Grotowski’s Theatre in the New Millennium”;
- Qing-Xiang Sang (Molecular Biophysics), “Converting Fat Cells to Stem Cells for Regenerative Medicine”;
- Mark Souva (Political Science), “Power Changes, Arms Races and War”;
- Mary Stewart (Art), “Discovery Center Glass Mural”;
- M. Elizabeth Stroupe (Biological Science), “Multiple Models of the C Complex Spliceosome from Tomographic Reconstructions”;
- Denise Von Glahn (Music), “Picking the Winners: The Early Years of the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Music Awards”;
- David Whalley (Computer Science), “Portable Loop Acceleration Through an Efficient Accelerator Unit (PLATEAU)”;
- Peng Xiong (Physics), “Superconductivity in Ultrathin Films and Nanowires”;
- Irene Zanini-Cordi (Modern Languages and Linguistics), “Arachne’s Web: Weaving the Italian Salons Social Network.”
Promotions, tenure granted to 67 for fall 2013

Sally McRorie, vice president for Faculty Development and Advancement, announced that President Eric J. Barron approved the following faculty members to receive promotions and/or tenure, effective August 2013.

Barron’s decisions affirm the recommendations made by the University Promotion and Tenure Committee, and Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs Garnett S. Stokes.

Achieving this status indicates that these faculty members have met criteria adopted by the faculty, as judged by their peers. The criteria include having recognized standing in their academic disciplines and outstanding performance in the areas of teaching, research or creative activity, and service. Promotion and awarding of tenure recognize the important contributions that these faculty members have made to the university.

TO ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR: Debra Osborn (Educational Psychology and Learning Systems) and John Peloza (Marketing).

TO ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR AND FOR TENURE: Adrian Barbucci (Statistics), Allen Blay (Accounting), Denise Bookwalter (Art), Corinne Stillwell Bowman (Music), Michael Carrasco (Art History), Juliann Cortese (School of Communication), Christopher Coutts (Urban and Regional Planning), Matthew Day (Religion), Michael Giardina (Sport Management), Samuel Grant (Chemical and Biomedical Engineering) Akash Gunjan (Biomedical Sciences), Lynn Jones (Art History), Carrie Jones-Baade (Art), Jeong-Su Kim (Nutrition, Food and Exercise Sciences), Young-Suk Kim (School of Teacher Education), Yu-Kyoum Kim (Sport Management), Tao Liu (Industrial and Manufacturing Engineering), Marcia Mardis (School of Library and Information Studies), Paul McKee (Music), David Okerlund (Music), Victor Sampson (School of Teacher Education), Michael Shatruk (Chemistry), Daniel Tope (Sociology), Stephen Tripodi (Social Work), Jeannine Turner (Educational Psychology and Learning Systems), Jeanne Wanzek (School of Teacher Education), Heidi Williams (Music), Yanyun Yang (Educational Psychology and Learning Systems), Jinfeng Zhang (Statistics), Zhonghao Zhang (Computer Science) and Ting Ting Zhao (Geography).

TO PROFESSOR: Todd Adams (Physics), Anne Barrett (Sociology), Kevin Beaver (Criminology and Criminal Justice), Mark Bourassa (Earth, Ocean and Atmospheric Science), Charles Brewer (Music), Timothy Chapin (Urban and Regional Planning), Cassandra Cole (Risk Management/Insurance, Real Estate and Legal Studies), Linda DeBrunner (Electrical and Computer Engineering), Martin Fennema (Accounting), Laura Fulkerson (Classics), Brian Gaber (Music), David Gussak (Art Education), Carter Hay (Criminology and Criminal Justice), Mark Horner (Geography), Alex Jimenez (Music), Ithel Jones (School of Teacher Education), Mohamed Kabbaj (Biomedical Sciences), Hui Li (Electrical and Computer Engineering), Cherie Maestas (Political Science), Dan Markel (Law), Kathleen McCullough (Risk Management/Insurance, Real Estate and Legal Studies), Tyler McQuade (Chemistry and Biochemistry), Okenwa Okoli (Industrial and Manufacturing Engineering), Giray Okten (Mathematics), Andrew Opel (School of Communication), William Peterson (Music), John Sobanjo (Civil and Chemical Engineering), Branko Stefanovic (Biomedical Sciences), Jeanette Taylor (Psychology), Michael Uzendoski (Modern Languages and Linguistics), Kimberly VanWeelen (Music) and Xiaojun Yang (Geography).

TO PROFESSOR AND FOR TENURE: Thomasz Plewa (Scientific Computing).

FOR TENURE ONLY: Krzysztof “Kris” Salata (School of Theatre).
Three professors elected to inaugural class of fellows

Three Florida State emeritus professors of mathematics — John L. Bryant, Robert Gilmer and De Witt Sumners — were elected to the inaugural class of fellows of the American Mathematical Society.

“John Bryant, Robert Gilmer and De Witt Sumners have had outstanding careers as mathematicians, all three leaving significant footprints on the discipline,” said Sam Huckaba, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences. “In addition, they were anchors of the mathematics department during the '70s, '80s, and '90s.”

The three professors provided important input that built the present-day mathematics department and made substantial contributions to its undergraduate and graduate programs, according to Huckaba.

“I am very pleased to see that the significant contributions of our three distinguished colleagues in mathematics have been recognized,” said Xiaoming Wang, chairman of the Department of Mathematics. “This is great news for our department and for Florida State.”

Being elected during the first year of the program is especially prestigious. Currently, the AMS has about 30,000 members, and it offered fellowship status to about 800 members for the first year of the program, according to a fellowship proposal on the society’s website. During subsequent years, the AMS plans to add about 75 new fellows each year until the fellowship ranks number about 1,500 people, or roughly 5 percent of the total membership.

Bryant, who taught from 1966 to 2003, was named Florida State’s Orville G. Harrold Professor of Mathematics in 2000 and a Distinguished Research Professor in 1994-1995.

Gilmer, who taught from 1963 to 2003, was named the university’s Robert O. Lawton Distinguished Professor in 1981-1982.

By Casey Dunphy  
CAMPUS RECREATION

To help faculty and staff members with their New Year’s resolutions of getting back in shape, Campus Recreation is offering Small Group Training classes in the Fitness and Movement Clinic of the new Health and Wellness Center. Four different classes, which are capped at eight people per class, are available at $10 per class or at a discount when purchased as part of a package. Classes are offered Monday through Friday in the mornings, during lunch hour and in the early evenings. In addition, employees can register up to a month in advance.

“The recently launched program is designed to positively affect your well-being, not negatively affect your wallet,” said Kellie Gerbers, marketing representative for Campus Recreation. “In addition to improved physical fitness, the benefits of exercise are well known and proven, and include an elevated mood, enhanced productivity and more collaborative and tolerant behavior.”

The highly qualified personal trainers who lead Small Group Training assist employees in developing a workout routine that meets their goals, regardless of their skill levels.

The four classes are TRX/GTS Fusion, TRX Circuit, GTS Pilates and Semi Private Personal Training.

“Even if you’ve never even heard of any of those acronyms, you can still enjoy their benefits,” Gerbers said. “Experience is not necessary. These gravity-resistance and suspension-training programs are rapidly gaining popularity in commercial gyms across the country due to their versatility and ease of use. Campus Recreation invites any employee to sign up for a class and find out how easy it is to learn multiple ways to properly use this professional equipment.”

Two perks of Small Group Training classes are personal attention and an enjoyable atmosphere geared specifically for employees, according to Katie Skolits, a Florida State student and Small Group Training instructor.

“Small Group Training provides a great atmosphere for varied levels,” Skolits said. “These classes are capped at eight people, and the small environment builds relationships between participants to really stimulate a fun and educational environment. I enjoy teaching Small Group Training because it is easier to assess people in the class and really give them that one-on-one attention to correct form and give pointers.”

The Fitness and Wellness Center offers Small Group Training to both members and non-members, unlike many gyms that require contracts and memberships to take classes.

To learn more, visit campusrec.fsu.edu/fitness.
to evaluate myriad contributing factors from institutional systems and policies right down to the values of individual students.”

In 2006, the Division of Student Affairs launched www.hazing.fsu.edu, Florida State’s central portal for hazing information, resources and reporting.

“The website is the visual embodiment of our prevention framework,” Goldstein said. “We have seen many changes since the introduction of the website, some more surprising than others. For example, the number of hazing incidents reported actually increased after the launch of the website.”

Goldstein sees this as a sign of progress on the issue.

“Because of our efforts, more people know hazing when they see it, know where to report it and have confidence that reporting it is the right thing to do, and that someone will follow-up when the report is made,” he said. “We view the reports as a very positive thing. Each report represents increased communication and number of opportunities to respond, support and prevent future occurrences.”

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VICE PRESIDENT FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS

In 2010, the university won HazingPrevention.org’s inaugural Zeta Tau Alpha Award for Innovation in Campus Hazing Prevention and Education, which came with a $10,000 prize to support hazing prevention initiatives. Since then, Florida State’s hazing prevention programs have been held up as the gold standard and Goldstein has been recognized as a leader in the national conversation on the topic. He has been a member of the faculty of HazingPrevention.org’s Novak Institute for Hazing Prevention for five years, 2008-2012. What’s more, FSU students and staff have attended the institute in delegations of five or more throughout that time. As a result, Florida State’s student affairs staff and students regularly have had opportunities to share the tools they have developed to combat hazing, including the university’s hazing-prevention website.

“For our Florida State community, this webcast is a wonderful affirmation that other campuses across the nation are looking to us to help them get started on their own hazing prevention efforts,” said Mary Coburn, vice president for Student Affairs.

Goldstein, who has worked in student affairs administration for 18 years, has been FSU’s associate dean of students since 2004, and supports many areas of campus life including student conduct, Greek life, withdrawal services and students and families experiencing medical/mental health crises.
TRAINING AND ORGANIZATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Instructor-led and online training opportunities are available to Florida State faculty and staff members. To view a schedule of classes and registration information, visit www.hr.fsu.edu/train. To register for classes, log in to www.omni.fsu.edu and click in sequence: “Human Resources 9.1,” “Self Service,” “Learning and Development,” “Request Training Enrollment” and “Search by Date, Course Code or Course Name.” From there, click on “View Available Sessions” and choose a session number. Follow the prompts to submit a request. To view a course description, click on the icon.

More information: (850) 644-8724.

>>NEW EMPLOYEE ORIENTATION AVAILABLE ONLINE: Each participant must verify his or her completion of online NEO by submitting the electronic “Certification of Completion and Evaluation of Orientation” form located on the NEO page. The link to online new-employee presentations, materials and the certification form can be found at www.hr.fsu.edu under “New Employee Information.”

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>>BE FEATURED ON ‘NEO’ WEB PAGE: Employees interested in being featured on the redesigned New Employee Orientation Web page should email a recent headshot, a one- or two-sentence statement of why Florida State is a great place to work, their department name and their number of years at the university to Megan Darris at mld08j@admin.fsu.edu. There is no deadline because the information will be solicited throughout the year.

>>GARNET AND GOLD TOASTMASTERS: This organization provides a mutually supportive and positive learning environment in which each member has the opportunity to develop oral communication and leadership skills. Open to faculty, staff and students. Guests are welcome. Meetings take place Tuesdays (with the exception of those that follow a university “Monday” holiday) from 11 a.m. to noon at the Human Resources Training Center, 493 Stadium Place. To view a map, by visit www.hr.fsu.edu.

BENEFITS

>>DOUBLE DEDUCTIONS FOR BENEFITS: All nine- and 10-month faculty members and seasonal employees enrolled in state health, life and supplemental benefits will have double deductions taken from their paychecks beginning with the Feb. 8 paycheck. The deductions will end on the May 3 check. These additional deductions are taken out to prepay premiums for the months of June, July, August and September. Regular deductions for these employees will resume on the first paycheck in September. Employees should review their paychecks during the double deduction period to ensure that the deductions are correct.

More information: (850) 644-4015 or insben@fsu.edu.

>>RETIREMENT PLANNING SEMINAR: The Benefits Office will present a retirement planning seminar on Wednesday, March 27, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the College of Medicine Auditorium. Because the seminar is a university-sponsored training program, attendance may be considered time worked with supervisory approval.

More information: Leasa Howard, (850) 644-4016 or retirement@fsu.edu.

>>ELECTIVE RETIREMENT CONTRIBUTION LIMITS FOR 2013: The Internal Revenue Service has announced cost-of-living adjustments for elective contributions to retirement accounts, including FSU-sponsored tax-selered annuity plans [403(b)], post-tax Roth 403(b) and state of Florida-sponsored deferred compensation (457) plans. For the 2013 calendar year, the annual contribution limit for 403(b) plans will be set at $17,500. The contribution limit for the 457 deferred compensation plan also will be set at $17,500. At any point in the 2013 calendar year, employees who are age 50 and above are eligible to contribute an additional $5,500 to a 403(b) and/or a 457 retirement plan.

More information: Michael Horgan, (850) 644-4017 or retirement@fsu.edu.

>>NEW-HIRE BENEFITS HELP SESSIONS: The Benefits Office will conduct biweekly help sessions for new employees Tuesday, March 12, and Tuesday, March 26, from 9 to 10 a.m. in the Human Resources Training Room, A6244 University Center. All new employees are urged to view the online New Employee Orientation before attending the help sessions.

More information: (850) 644-4015 or insben@fsu.edu.

>>NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2012 RETIREEs: Doris Abood, Nutrition, Food and Exercise Sciences; Mandavi Birbahadur, Strozier Library; Roger Blankenship, Facilities Maintenance; William Bullock, Information Technology Services; Ferdinand Cornetta, Ringling Center for the Arts; Patricia Coryell, Oglesby Union Administration; Lydia Davis, Building Services; Maggie Dillard, Building Services; Sandra Harrison, Facilities Financial Services; Richard Hopkins, Controller; Raybeth Kuyper, Thagard Student Health Center; Elizabeth Laurienzo, Enterprise Resource Planning; Kathy Lee, Medicine Clinical Sciences; Renae Mapstone, Controller; Gail Robbins, Panama City Campus, Office of Advancement; Beverly Roberts, Financial Aid; Thomas Roberts, Biological Science; Charles Robinson, University Business Administrators; Mary Rossoni, University Housing; Gail Rubini, Art; Kay Sauers, University Business Administrators; Melissa Smith, Mathematics; Anne Thistle, Biological Science; James Valentine, Physics; Laura Waltke, Risk Management/Insurance, Real Estate and Legal Studies; Bonnie Webb, Financial Aid; Li-Hsiang Wu, Enterprise Resource Planning; and Glen Yaege, Thagard Student Health Center.
RECOGNITIONS

Paul D. Cottle, Ph.D., and Per Arne Rikvold, Ph.D. (Physics), were named among 142 Outstanding Referees for 2013 of the journals Physical Review and Physical Review Letters by the American Physical Society. The American Physical Society initiated the Outstanding Referee Program in 2008 to express appreciation for the essential work that anonymous peer reviewers do on behalf of its journals. Each year, about 150 of the roughly 60,000 currently active referees are chosen for the distinction.

Volker Credé, Ph.D. (Physics), has been recognized for Excellence in Peer Review by Elsevier and the editors of the journal Physics Letters B. Credé was cited for his “dedication, attention to detail and professionalism” in providing a vital contribution as a reviewer to the progression of science.

Elizabeth Goldsmith, Ph.D. (Human Sciences), was featured in the February-March 2013 issue of Tallahassee Woman magazine for her participation as a member of the Leon County Commission on the Status of Women and Girls, a panel focused on the welfare and well being of the county’s female residents. Goldsmith is Florida State’s only representative on the commission. The magazine’s circulation is 26,000.

Marcia Mardis, Ph.D. (School of Library and Information Studies), was featured on UpNext, the official blog of the Institute of Museum and Library Studies, in her role as principal investigator of the Digital Libraries to School Libraries (DL2SL) project. The project offers solutions for school librarians, who are pressed to provide high-quality, exciting, curriculum-linked materials to students and teachers during challenging economic times.

Sue Semrau (Athletics; Women’s Basketball) is featured as the subject of the cover story of the March-April 2013 issue of FCA magazine, the publication of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. The story is part of a special coaching-themed issue.

“Cdc45-ssDNA Interaction is Important for Stalling the Helicase during Replication Stress,” a paper by Volker Credé and Elizabeth Goldsmith, was featured in the Progress of the American Physical Society (March 4).

BYLINES

Pradeep Bhide, Ph.D. (Biomedical Sciences), co-wrote a paper, “Structural, Genetic and Functional Signatures of Disordered Neuro-Immunological Development in Autism Spectrum Disorder,” with members of his laboratory group, published in the journal PLOS ONE.

Daniel Kaplan, Ph.D. (Biomedical Sciences), made a presentation, “Cdc45-ssDNA Interaction is Important for Stalling the Helicase during Replication Stress,” at a Keystone Symposium on Molecular and Cellular Biology, Alberta, Canada, March. In addition, Kaplan and Irina Bruck (Biomedical Sciences) co-wrote a paper, “Cdc45-ssDNA Interaction is Important for Stalling the Helicase during Replication Stress,” which is scheduled to be published in the Journal of Biological Chemistry, April.


Jerzy Krzystek, Ph.D. (National High Magnetic Field Laboratory), co-wrote a paper, “Diradical Intermediate within the Context of Tryptophan Tryptophylquinate Biosynthesis,” with colleagues from the University of Minnesota, Georgia State University and the University of Central Florida, published in the journal PNAS (Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences), March 4.

Hong Li (Institute of Molecular Biology and Biochemistry), co-wrote a paper, “Structure of the Cmr2-Cmr3 Subcomplex of the CmrRNA Silencing Complex,” with Florida State post-doctoral researcher Yaming Shao, Florida State students Alexis Cocozaiki and Nancy F. Ramia, and Rebecca M. Terns and Michael P. Terns of the University of Georgia, published in the March 5, 2013, issue of the journal Structure.

Lisa C. Lyons, Ph.D. (Biological Science; Program in Neuroscience), co-wrote a paper, “Protein Phosphatase-Dependent Circadian Regulation of Intermediate-Term Associative Memory,” with former post-doctoral researcher Maximilian Michiel, former lab technician Charity Green, former student and lab technician Jacob Gardner and former student Chelsea Organ, published in the Journal of Neuroscience, March 6.

PRESENTATIONS

George Blakely (Art) curated and narrated “The Gun: a Trigger for Art,” an online gallery that presented famous and not-so-famous examples of the gun as image for the PBS NewsHour website. The piece was done in conjunction with PBS’s week-long “After Newtown” programming that began Monday, Feb. 18.

Myrna Hoover, M.S. (Career Center), co-presented a webinar, “Career Development Courses: Please see CIA, 12
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Tried, True and New Formulas for Success," with Ray Rogers of Rollins College, February. Hoover and Rogers presented the same information as a program at the 2012 annual conference of the Florida Career Professionals Association. That presentation was the highest rated program at the conference, so they were asked to present it again as a webinar for any career professionals who didn’t see it at the conference.

GRANTS

Eric Garland, Ph.D. (Social Work), and co-principal investigator Amber Kelly were awarded $14,900 from the Mind & Life Institute in partnership with the 1440 Foundation for their proposal, “Trauma-Informed Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction to Promote Intra- and Interpersonal Flourishing Among Survivors of Traumatic Violence.”

Tomi Gomory, Ph.D. (Social Work), was awarded a $72,000 seed grant from the Beatitude Foundation, a Tallahassee-based foundation, to engage in research relating to the development of a community-based service delivery model for homeless citizens. This study is a multifaceted project centering at the Renaissance Community Center. The grant will include the support of several College of Social Work doctoral and master’s students.

Correction: In the previous issue, Julianna Baggott, Ph.D. (Motion Picture Arts), was incorrectly listed as belonging to the Department of English.

>>STRUCTURAL BIOLOGY SYMPOSIUM: Scientists from southeastern universities, industry and government laboratories will visit campus to attend the Tenth Annual SER-CAT (Southeast Regional Collaborative Access Team) Meeting and Structural Biology Symposium on Friday, March 15, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the auditorium of the Chemical Sciences Laboratory Building, 102 Varsity Way.

Researchers will present and discuss their rapidly growing knowledge of the three-dimensional structures of biomolecules and the emerging techniques that produce related structural information. The symposium also will showcase the cutting-edge structural biology facilities associated with Florida State’s Biological Science Imaging Resource facility and the National High Magnetic Field Laboratory.

The symposium is co-sponsored by Florida State’s Institute of Molecular Biophysics, the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, the Office of Research and the National High Magnetic Field Laboratory, along with SER-CAT, Bruker, Genscript and Rigaku.

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