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Friday, February 08, 2013

SPECIAL NOTICES:

TRAINING SESSIONS ON PRIVACY ISSUES: To ensure that Eastern and its faculty and staff are in compliance with all legal and regulatory requirements related to privacy issues, a new training session has been developed by the Office of Business and Finance. The privacy training, which is mandatory for all faculty and staff, is offered on several different dates in an effort to accommodate schedules, and will also be offered in an online format. Faculty and staff can attend either kind of session. Below are the upcoming sessions:

- **Tuesday, Feb. 12,** 2:30 - 3:30 p.m., Halle Auditorium
- **Friday, Feb. 15,** 10 - 11 a.m., Halle Auditorium
- **Monday, Feb. 18,** 1 - 2 p.m., Halle Auditorium
- **Wednesday, Feb. 27,** 11 a.m. - Noon, Halle Auditorium
- **Thursday, Feb. 28,** 2 - 3 p.m., Halle Auditorium

Based on these sessions, a program will be developed for the on-line HR system called Success Factors, which will be available once developed. If you would like to arrange a training session for your department, please contact Margaret Tsilis at 487-3328. Participation is mandatory to attend one of the training sessions or complete on-line (once developed). No pre-registration is required. Additional dates will be announced. If you have any questions regarding privacy training, please contact Steve LaChance at 487-1490, or Andrea Jaeckel at 487-3328.

AFTERNOON TEA WITH THE PROVOST: Enjoy afternoon tea with Provost Kim Schatzel on **Monday, Feb. 11,** 3:30 - 4:30 p.m., in Room 330 in the Student Center. The event is free and open to all. Enjoy tea and light fare. Sponsored by Residential Services, Dining Services and Phi Beta Delta. For questions, please contact Brian Fitzgerald at 487-8082 or email bfitzgera@emich.edu.

FLETCHER SCHOOL CLOSED ON SATURDAY: The Department of Public Safety will be conducting a joint training with Ypsilanti Police Department inside Fletcher School on **Saturday, Feb. 9,** from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Due to the training, the building is closed to all students, faculty and staff during this time period. Any questions, please contact Bob Heighes AT 487-0892 or e-mail rheighes@emich.edu.

NEED SOMETHING SWEET FOR YOUR VALENTINE?: The Eastern Eateries will bake you a homemade treat! For just \$9, choose between a 9" heart-shaped yellow cake with white frosting or a chocolate chip cookie and personalize your gift with a special message. Gluten-free items are available. To place an order, go to The Eateries. Orders must be paid in advance and placed by **Sunday, Feb. 10**. Pick-up your cake between Feb. 12-14 at Sunset Strips. For more information, visit us on facebook.com/emichdining or call 487-0444.

SAFETY AWARENESS & HAZARD COMMUNICATION TRAINING: The EMU Environmental Health and Safety (EHS) will be conducting a Safety Awareness & Hazard Communication Training on **Friday, Feb. 8**, from 1 - 2:30 p.m., in Room 302, in Halle. This is a required training for all EMU employees who have not yet taken this training and those who may need a refresher. It is open to all employees and student employees and provides information on the safety systems, practices and expectations to maintain a safe campus community. To register, call 487-0794 or send an email to environmental_health_safety@emich.edu.

FREE GRE AND MCAT MOCK EXAMS: The Creative Scientific Inquiry Experience (CSIE) program will be partnering with the Princeton Review to give FREE full length mock exams for both the GRE & MCAT. The exams will be given on **Saturday, Feb. 23**, at 10 a.m., in Room G07A and G07B the Halle Library. Space is limited so please tell your students to reserve their seats today. RSVP by Friday, February 22 to aa_csie@emich.edu.

FACULTY AND STAFF ACADEMIC ADVISOR DEVELOPMENT SESSION: The University Advising & Career Development Center will have Module 3 - Academic College Session, **today, Feb. 8**, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., in Room 310, Porter. The program is designed for faculty and staff that provide undergraduate advising to EMU students. Space is limited, so please RSVP by contacting Molly Weir at 487-2171 or email at molly.weir@emich.edu.

SESI ENTREPRENEURSHIP CONFERENCE: The Center for Entrepreneurship, in the College of Business is proud to present the Sesi Entrepreneurship Conference, **today, Feb. 8**, in the Student Center. The Collegiate Entrepreneurs' Organization of EMU is hosting the event and students and faculty are invited to listen to entrepreneurs as they share their successes and failures. The Skandalaris Business Plan Competition will also be held the conference which includes a continental breakfast and a sit-down lunch. Registration is now closed but a limited amount of walk-ins will be allowed at the door. To read more about the conference, go to [Sesi Entrepreneurship Conference homepage](#) or contact Jessica Smith of CEO for more details via email at jsmit204@emich.edu.

WOMEN'S TENNIS VS. LOUISVILLE: The EMU Women's tennis team will take on Louisville, **today, Feb. 8**, at 1 p.m., at Chippewa Club. For the complete schedule, go to [2013 Women's Tennis schedule](#) or click on [Women's Tennis homepage](#) for more information.

PAPER CUTTING WORKSHOP: The campus community is invited to celebrate the Chinese New Year and learn to make decorations using the traditional Chinese method of paper cutting in a workshop, **today, Feb. 8**, 3 - 4:30 p.m., Room 330 in the Student Center. Co-sponsored by MeiHua (American Chinese) Student Association, Department of World Languages, and the CAS Office of International Initiatives. For questions, contact Wendy Want at 487-0130 or email at wwang@emich.edu.

PLANETARIUM FEATURES THE MOVIE "STARS": The EMU planetarium will show the movie "*Stars*," **tonight, Feb. 8**, at 7 p.m., in the planetarium in Mark Jefferson Science Complex. New stars are created every day, born of vast clouds of gas and dust. Through every phase of their existence, stars release the energy that lights the Universe. Journey to the furthest reaches of our galaxy and experience both the awesome beauty and destructive power of stars. Following the movie, participants will get to enjoy a live demonstration of the current night sky locally. Space is limited. Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased online at [EMU Tickets](#). Contact Norbert Vance at nvance@emich.edu or Tom Kasper at tkasper@emich.edu for further details.

SUBMISSIONS TO EMU TODAY: Please note, **EMU TODAY** is a internal daily e-blast sent to faculty and staff only. To submit an announcement or post an event, please forward your entry electronically to emu_today@emich.edu. Please be sure to format your entry with a title and include a description of the event, where the event will be held (room and building), the date and time, and a contact name, phone number and/or e-mail address. For questions, contact Debra Johnson at 487-2484.

NOTE: An asterisk denotes a new item.

Lectures and Meetings

LEADING HOLOCAUST EXPERT TO SPEAK AT EMU: Sascha Feuchert, a leading expert on Holocaust literature, will present "*When the Holocaust Did Not Have a Name: Early German Texts on the Camps 1945-1949*," **Sunday, Feb. 10**, at 7 p.m., at the Student Center Auditorium. Feuchert is co-founder and director of the Research Unit for Holocaust Literature at Justus-Liebig University (JLU) in Giessen, Germany, and Honorary Professor of German at Eastern Michigan University.

Fauchert will also speak on "*The Ghetto Chronicle of Lodz/Litzmannstadt: News Bulletins from a Horrible Life*," **Wednesday, Feb. 13**, at 7 p.m. at the Holocaust Memorial Center Zekelman Family Campus, 28123 Orchard Lake Rd. in Farmington Hills. The events are free and open to the public and are sponsored by the EMU Jewish Studies Program in collaboration with the Holocaust Memorial Center Zekelman Family Campus. For more information, contact the Jewish Studies Program at jewish.studies@emich.edu.

MCNAIR SCHOLARS PROGRAM IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS: The McNair Scholars Program is accepting applications until Friday, February 15. Engage in challenging research with a faculty mentor and receive a \$2,500 stipend to conduct the research and gain valuable assistance in applying to graduate programs. Applicants must have a minimum 2.85 GPA, low-income and first-generation, or members of an underrepresented group. RSVP to Cindy Rodrigues at cindy.rodrigues@emich.edu or call 487-8240. To learn more, give us a call or come to one of the group information meetings listed below:

- **Monday, Feb. 11**, 8:30 p.m., Wise Hall, 1st Floor

* STUDENTS FOR LIFE MEETING: The Students for Life will meet on **Monday, Feb. 11** at 6:30 p.m. in Room 104 in the Student Center. They will discuss plans for leading break-out sessions at the March 9 young adult prolife conference at Christ the King Catholic Church in Ann Arbor, "Using Calm, Cool Logic to Dismantle Pro-Choice Views." Students, faculty, and staff are welcome to attend. For more information, contact emustudentsforlife@gmail.com.

PHILOSOPHY SPEAKER SERIES: EMU welcomes Kristie Dotson, professor of Philosophy at Michigan State, as she talks about *"Making Sense: Identifying Black Feminist Theories of Knowledge,"* on **Thursday, Mar. 14**, 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m., Room 216, in Pray-Harrold. Dotson will argue that three concepts from Black feminist theory (jeopardy, interstices, and intersectionality) are complementary rather than competing metaphors for making sense of Black women's oppression. This event is free and open to the public. It is approved for LBC credit. For additional information, contact Peter Higgins at 487-0419 or email at phiggin1@emich.edu.

GRADUATE COUNCIL MEETINGS: Graduate Council meetings will be held during the following dates from 2:15 - 4 p.m., in Room 203, Marshall. Contact Susan Anderson at 487-0042 or email at sanderson1@emich.edu with questions.

- **Friday, Feb. 15**
- **Friday, Mar. 15**
- **Friday, Apr. 12**

EMU FOUNDATION BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING: The Eastern Michigan University Foundation Board of Trustees will meet **Friday, Feb. 15**, at 1:00 p.m., in Room 310AB, in the Student Center. The public is welcome to attend. For information, call Maria Cyars, 481-2304 or email at mcyars@emich.edu.

BOARD OF REGENTS MEETING: The EMU Board of Regents will hold its February meeting **Tuesday, Feb. 19**, at 1:30 p.m., in Room 201, Welch Hall. Below is the schedule for the committee meetings. All meetings are in Welch Hall.

- Educational Policies - 8:30 - 9:15 a.m., Room 205
- Athletic Affairs - 8:30 - 9:15 a.m., Room 201
- Faculty Affairs - 9:30 - 10:15 a.m., Room 205
- Student Affairs - 10:30 - 11:15 a.m., Room 201
- Finance, Audit and Investment - 11:30 - 12:15 p.m., Room 201

For additional information, go to the [Board of Regents homepage](#) or contact Vicki Reaume at 487-2410 or email vicki.reaume@emich.edu.

SHOULD WE BE WORRIED ABOUT THE EARTH'S SOIL?: Campus Life is pleased to welcome David Montgomery to EMU to speak about "*Dirt: The Erosion of Civilization*," on **Tuesday, Feb. 19**, at 7 p.m., in the Student Center Auditorium. Montgomery is the author of 'Dirt: The Erosion of Civilizations,' which makes the case that we are using up Earth's soil. Once bare of protective vegetation and exposed to wind and rain through agriculture, cultivated soils erode bit by bit, faster than they can be naturally replenished. The erosion is slow enough to be ignored in a single lifetime but fast enough over centuries to limit the lifespan of civilizations. In this engaging lecture, Montgomery traces the role of soil use and abuse in the history of societies, from Mesopotamia to European colonialism and the American push westward. He explores how soil has shaped us and we have shaped soil. This is a free event and is open to the public, no tickets required.

For more information contact Campus Life at 487-3045, ext. 22033, campuslife@emich.edu, visit campuslife.emich.edu, find us on Facebook at fb.me/EMUcampuslife and check out our Twitter @EMUcampuslife.

* **STAR LECTURE SERIES:** The Honors College invites the university and broader community to the fifth Star Lecture for the year on **Tuesday, Feb. 19**, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., in Ballroom B of the Student Center. This year's series have dealt with various ethical issues. Dr. Flora Hoodin of the Psychology Department will provide an interactive lecture entitled "*Professional Ethics and Psychology: Just Because We 'Should,' Why Should We?*" This activity is approved for LBC credit. For more information, contact Rebecca Sipe at rebecca.sipe@emich.edu.

* **EMU WELCOMES ART CRITIC VINCE CARDUCCI:** The campus community is invited to hear Vince Carducci, Dean of Undergraduate Studies at the College for Creative Studies in Detroit talk on "*Envisioning Real Utopias in Detroit*," on **Wednesday, Mar. 20**, 6:30 p.m., in Room 310 A&D in the Student Center. For more information, contact Greg Tom at gtom@emich.edu or Julie Myers at jmyers@emich.edu.

THE DONALD BUCKEYE LECTURE SERIES: EMU welcomes Dr. Jeffrey Wanko from Miami University who will talk on "*Logic Puzzles that Build Spatial Reasoning*," **Tuesday, Mar. 12**, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m., in Room 219, Pray-Harrold. Dr. Wanko is a national leader in mathematics education, serving on the Association of Mathematics Teacher Educator's Board of Directors. In 2012, he published the book "Spatial Reasoning Puzzles That Make Kids Think!" For more information, contact Stephanie Casey at 487-1444 or email scasey1@emich.edu.

Seminars and Workshops

CONNECT: COLLABORATE, COMMUNICATE & CREATE: Join the Faculty Development Center (FDC) on **Thursday, Feb. 14**, from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., in Halle Library for a series of technology workshops, food, fun, and giveaways. Our 2nd annual FDC Open House event will be packed full of demonstrations (iPads, Panopto, iClickers, and more), a ribbon cutting ceremony for the new Collaboratory Room, the sharing of teaching and learning strategies, and yummy food. You can drop in for one session or stay for the day. End your day from 3 - 4 p.m. with (H)Appy Hour by sharing your favorite apps and snacking on light refreshments. All faculty members and full/part-time lecturers are invited. For more information, contact Bethany Fort at aavp_fdc@emich.edu.

FACULTY AND STAFF ACADEMIC ADVISOR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM: The University Advising & Career Development Center is offering a Faculty & Staff Academic Advisor Development Program again this winter semester. The program is designed for faculty and staff that provide undergraduate advising to EMU students. You can sign up for all of the sessions, or sign up for certain modules. The class is scheduled from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., in Room 310, Porter as follows:

Module 4 - Academic College Sessions - **Friday, Feb. 15**

Module 5 - Transfer Student Advising - **Friday, Feb. 22**

Space is limited, so please RSVP by contacting Molly Weir at 487-2171 or email at molly.weir@emich.edu.

Activities and Events

CELEBRATE THE CHINESE NEW YEAR: The campus community is invited to celebrate the Chinese New Year and join in the annual campus-wide fun and festivities. Below is the schedule of events. All events are free.

- *New Year Dinner Party: **Sunday, Feb. 10**, 4 - 7:30 p.m., at the Lake House. Celebrate the beginning of the Chinese New Year with great company and food. There will be traditional Chinese music and a raffle.*
- *Kungfu Class: **Tuesday, Feb. 12**, 3 - 5 p.m., in Room 212, in the REC/IM. Mario Aguirre, EMU's resident Laoshi will lead a 2-hour class in traditional Shaolin Temple boxing. Anyone interested in fitness, health, martial arts or traditional Chinese culture will love this event. All attendees should be dressed appropriately and please arrive on time and be prepared to workout and have fun.*
- *Dumpling Dinner: Making Your Own, **Wednesday, Feb. 13**, 4 - 7 p.m., in the ground level of Snow Health Center. A dumpling dinner for those who are interested in learning how to make Chinese dumplings from scratch.*

The annual celebration is co-sponsored by MeiHua (American Chinese) Student Association, Department of World Languages, and the CAS Office of International Initiatives. For questions, contact Wendy Wang at 487-0130 or email at wwang@emich.edu.

* DINE TO DONATE TO SUPPORT YOUTH AGING OUT OF FOSTER CARE: EMU's Social Work 350 students will host a *Dine to Donate* event on **Monday, Feb. 11**, from 5 - 10 p.m., at the Tower Inn Cafe. The goal is raise enough money to help foster care youth get on their feet and reach their full potential in life. Currently there are 50+ youths that are aging out of foster care who need your help. Must bring our flyer & 20% of your bill will go towards helping the Youth Aging Out Project. Go to [Facebook Dine and Donate Flyer](#) to print flyer. For questions, contact Devin Wojcik at dwojcik@emich.edu.

RETIREMENT RECEPTION FOR CAROLE MORELLO: Please join the Management Department as we bid farewell to Carole Morello who is retiring after 20 years of service to EMU. A retirement reception will be held on **Wednesday, Feb. 13**, from 1 - 2:30 p.m., in Room 101A at the College of Business. Carole has provided the Management Department, and the COB, with many years of commitment, loyalty and dedication. Please stop by to wish her a wonderful retirement and show your appreciation for her years of service to EMU.

DIVERSITY CAREER FAIR: Eastern's Annual Diversity Career Fair will take place on **Wednesday, Feb. 13, 12 - 3 p.m.**, in the Student Center Ballroom. This is an excellent opportunity for students to meet with recruiters from various companies that promote diversity both inside and outside their organizations. This career fair is open to any student seeking an internship or entry-level career opportunity. Registration is strongly encouraged and can be done online at emiversitycareerfair2013.eventbrite.com/. For additional information, you may contact Ebony Jones in the University Advising & Career Development Center at 487-0400 or ejones49@emich.edu.

GAMERS FOR GIVING 2013: The interactive entertainment industry will focus on Eastern Michigan University as video game enthusiasts from across the country convene to participate in one of the Midwest's premier gaming events, Gamers for Giving 2013, **Saturday, Feb. 16 and Sunday, Feb. 17**, in the Student Center grand ballroom. Information and registration for this year's event can be found at [Gamers for Giving](http://GamersforGiving.com). A live stream will broadcast at twitch.tv/LANFest.

Founded in 2008 by current EMU student Zach Wigal, Gamers for Giving is a non-profit competitive gaming tournament & LAN party that helps raise money for the charity initiatives of Gamers Outreach Foundation. The organization, a 501(c)(3) non-profit within the video game industry, facilitates activities such as building portable gaming carts for children's hospitals (dubbed "GO Karts") and sending video game care packages to troops overseas.

In partnership with companies such as Astro Gaming and the Intel LANFest series, Gamers for Giving features tournaments with cash prizes for the hardcore enthusiast, as well as casual activities for those who enjoy the light-spirited side of gaming. Headline activities include a Halo 4 tournament, a Call of Duty Black Ops 2 tournament, a League of Legends tournament, a StarCraft 2 tournament, and a BYOC (bring your own computer) LAN Party. Entry fees from the event directly support Gamers Outreach programs. Sponsored by EMU Student Government. Contact Zach Wigal at zwigal@emich.edu for more information.

"HUSTLE YOUR HEART OUT" FUNDRAISER: The Center for Multicultural Affairs at Eastern will host its 2nd Annual *"Hustle Your Heart Out"* fundraiser to benefit the American Heart Association, on **Monday, Feb. 18**, 7 - 11 p.m., in the Student Center Ballroom A&B.

The entire campus community is invited to participate. The event is free but a donation is suggested at the door. Last year, over 300 students, faculty, staff and members of the community danced the night away to support the American Heart Association. There will be a DJ playing the latest hustle songs with well-known dance instructors Mr. Smooth from Detroit, Teddy Jam from EzGlide and Sherry Hawkins from Dance with Elegance who will teach the crowd the hustle and lead the night. The American Heart Association will have a booth and be registering individuals who are interested in participating in the Heart Walk in May. Appetizers and beverages will be provided. For more information, Zara Northover at znorthov@emich.edu. Check out our [Facebook Fanpage](#).

PLANETARIUM FEATURES THE MOVIE "STARS": Every star has a story. Some are as old as time, faint and almost forgotten. Others burn bright and end their lives in powerful explosions. The EMU planetarium will feature the movie *"Stars,"* **Friday, Feb. 22**, at 7 p.m., in the Mark Jefferson Science Complex. New stars are created every day, born of vast clouds of gas and dust. Through every phase of their existence, stars release the energy that lights the Universe. Journey to the furthest reaches of our galaxy and experience both the awesome beauty and destructive power of stars.

"Stars," narrated by actor Mark Hamill, is the Sudekum Planetarium's first original full-dome, digital production. Adventure Science Center collaborated with the National Space Centre in Leicester, England, to create this stunning 26-minute show exploring the powerhouses of the universe and our relationship with the night sky throughout history. For more on the show, go to [Stars Movie](#). Recommended age for the movie is 13 years and older. Following the movie, participants will get to enjoy a live demonstration of the current night sky locally. Space is limited. Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased online at [EMU Tickets](#). Additional movie screenings will be shown on the following dates:

- Friday, Mar. 15
- Friday, Apr. 12 & 26

Contact Norbert Vance at nvance@emich.edu or Tom Kasper at tkasper@emich.edu for further details about the planetarium.

GIRL DEVELOPERS' SUMMIT EVENT AT EMU: Children living with autism need the same opportunities as their typically developing peers. This is especially true for girls who are diagnosed with autism, according to Amy Sanderson, who will be a panelist at this year's Girl Developers' Summit on **Saturday, Feb. 23**, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., at the Student Center. The Summit is sponsored by Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan.

Sanderson, associate director of Family and Community Services at the Autism Collaborative Center at EMU, and her fellow panel members will discuss the effects of autism on girls and how they may be successfully integrated into group activities such as Girl Scout troops. The cost is \$45 for the general public, \$35 for registered Girl Scout Adults and \$20 for college students. The registration fees will increase by \$5 after February 1, 2013. For more information about the Summit, visit the [Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan homepage](#) or to register for the event, go to [Registration](#) or call 1-800-497-2688.

* ART GALLERY EXHIBIT RECEPTION: All are welcome to attend a reception on **Wednesday, Mar. 20**, 4 - 7 p.m., in the EMU University Gallery to celebrate the opening of the exhibit "*Subverting Modernism: Cass Corridor Revisited 1966-1980*." The event is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served. For more information, contact Greg Tom at gtom@emich.edu or Julie Myers at jmyers@emich.edu.

Arts and Entertainment

BRASS ROOTS TRIO CONCERT AT PEASE AUDITORIUM: The EMU Department of Music and Dance welcomes *Brass Roots Trio* on **Wednesday, Feb. 13**, at 7 p.m. in Pease Auditorium. Three world-class musicians redefine the chamber music genre with the fusion of classical, jazz, Americana and Latin styles. The trio displays an amazing mix of individual and ensemble musicianship.

Now in its 10th season of concerts, the Brass Roots Trio has performed in every corner of the US, UK and in Canada with performances at Oxford University, St. James Piccadilly in London, the Chicago Brass Festival, and on Community Concert Series, Chamber Music Series and NPR. In 2009 the trio was honored to perform at the White House. To learn more, go to the [Department of Music and Dance homepage](#) or call 487-4380.

VALENTINE'S DAY BENEFIT CONCERT FEATURING "*MEASURE FOR MEASURE*:" Join the EMU Foundation for Valentine's Day and enjoy the men's choir "*Measure for Measure*," **Thursday, Feb. 14**, at 7:30 p.m., in the Student Center Ballroom. Tickets are \$25. The concert benefits the scholarship fund in memory of Measure for Measure's founding director and longtime EMU choir director, Dr. Leonard L. Riccinto.

In a break from their normal full-ensemble performances, not only will the entire group perform, but they will also highlight their individual talents with small group and soloist performances. Before the performance, indulge in sweets with your sweetheart starting at 7:30 p.m. The concert begins at 8 p.m. For more information or to RSVP, go to [Valentine's Day Concert RSVP](#) or contact Natalie LaDow at 487-2320 or email at emu_foundationevents@emich.edu.

URINETOWN: THE MUSICAL COMES TO QUIRK THEATRE: EMU Theatre is ready to warm up your winter with the award-winning musical comedy, "*Urinetown: The Musical*." Directed by Pirooz Aghssa, with musical direction by Howard Cass, *Urinetown: The Musical* will run **Feb. 15-17** and **Feb. 21-24**, in Quirk Theatre. Ticket prices are \$15 regular admission, \$12 for students and seniors, \$9 for MAINSTAGE patrons, and \$7 for children ages 10-12 (not recommended for younger audiences), no further discounts apply. Tickets are available by phone at 487-2282 or in person at the Convocation Center, the Student Center ticket office or the Quirk Box Office. To purchase tickets online visit: emutix.com. Please note that there is an additional processing fee for tickets purchased by phone or online. For more information about EMU Theatre, our season or directions to our theatres, visit [EMU Theatre](#) or, fan us on Facebook: Eastern Michigan University Theatre or follow us on Twitter: [emutheatre](https://twitter.com/emutheatre).

TIESTO: CLUB LIFE COLLEGE INVASION TOUR BRINGS DJ TO CONVOCATION CENTER: Tiesto: Club Life College Invasion Tour brings the world's biggest DJ for a return engagement to the EMU Convocation Center, **Wednesday, Feb. 27**. Tickets can be purchased online at emutix.com or call 487-2282. Tickets are \$40 for the Main Floor and \$30 for the Lower Bowl. Students can purchase the lower bowl tickets at a student rate of \$20 in person at any EMU ticket office. For more information go to the [convocation website](#) or visit the [convocation center facebook page](#).

* NEW EXHIBIT TO OPEN AT THE UNIVERSITY GALLERY: A new exhibit "*Subverting Modernism: Cass Corridor Revisited 1966-1980*" will premier **Monday, Mar. 11** and run through **Sunday, April 28**, at the EMU University Gallery, located in the Student Center. Go to [Cass Corridor Event](#) to read more.

With a 1960s revolutionary spirit, the Cass Corridor artists, who worked in a run down area near Wayne State University, overthrew Modernism and ushered in Post-Modernism, exploring such themes as industrial and post-industrial Detroit, existential vulnerability, the human need for shelter, the persistence of the life force, and the presence or absence of order in nature. Gallery hours are Mon. and Thu. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., Tue. and Wed. 10 a.m. - 7 p.m., Fri. and Sat. 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Go to [Upcoming Gallery Events](#), to see more events. For more information, contact Greg Tom at gtom@emich.edu or Julie Myers at jmyers@emich.edu.

* MOVIE - "IMAGES FROM DETROIT'S CASS CORRIDOR": In this film, artists share their personal visions by being in geographical proximity to one another, making works that mark an era in Detroit's history that is now regarded as being highly significant. Directed by Shaun Bangert and Kathryn Brackett Luchs, the movie "*Images from Detroit's Cass Corridor*," will be shown on **Wednesday, Mar. 27**, at 5:30 p.m., in the Halle Library Auditorium. During the late 1960s and through the 1970s, some artists living in Detroit explored alternative, inventive and personal approaches to making art. The film is a tense visual montage combining original silent footage with new information and bringing to light the mood and art of the time. Artists presented in the movie include John Egner, Steve Foust, Michael Luchs, Nancy Mitchnick, Gordon Newton, Ellen Phelan, Paul Schwarz and Robert Sestok. Original music by Mick Vranich accompanies this illuminating documentary. For more information, contact Greg Tom at gtom@emich.edu or Julie Myers at jmyers@emich.edu.

Athletics

Visit the [EMU Athletics homepage](#) for information about all Eagles athletic games, schedules, rosters and much more. For ticket information, go to [EMU Tickets](#) or call the ticket office at 487-2282.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TAKES ON OHIO: The EMU women's basketball team will play against Ohio, on **Saturday, Feb. 9**, at 12 p.m., at the Convocation Center. The game will be televised on ALL-ACCESS and can also be heard on 89.1, WEMU. The next home game will be against Buffalo on Saturday, Feb. 16, at 2 p.m. For the complete basketball schedule, go to [2013 Women's Basketball schedule](#) or click on [Women's Basketball homepage](#) for more information. For information on tickets, go to [EMU Tickets](#) or call the EMU ticket office at 487-2282.

WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS VS. BALL STATE: The EMU Women's gymnastics team will face Ball State, **Saturday, Feb. 9**, at 7 p.m. at Bowen Field House. The next home meet will be the Eagle Invitational on Saturday, Mar. 9. For the complete schedule, go to [2013 Women's Gymnastics schedule](#) or click on [Women's Gymnastics homepage](#) for more information.

MEN'S BASKETBALL WILL TAKE ON AKRON: The EMU men's basketball team will play against Akron, Ohio, **Wednesday, Feb. 13**, at 7 p.m., at the Convocation Center. The game will be televised on MAC-ACCESS and can also be heard on 89.1, WEMU. The next home game will be against Bracketbuster on Saturday, Feb. 23, at 4:30 p.m. For the complete basketball schedule, go to [2013 Men's Basketball schedule](#) or click on [Men's Basketball homepage](#) for more information. For information on tickets, go to [EMU Tickets](#) or call the EMU ticket office at 487-2282.

MEN'S TRACK INVITATIONAL: Show your support for the Men's track team at the Silverston Invitational on **Saturday, Feb. 16**, in Ann Arbor. The next home track meet will be the MAC Championships at Bob Parks Track Friday, February, 22 and Saturday, Feb. 23. For additional track meets, go to [Men's Track & Field schedule](#) or click on the [Men's Track homepage](#) for more information.

MEN'S WRESTLING VS. IOWA STATE: The Men's wrestling team will take on Iowa State, **Sunday, Feb. 17**, at 1 p.m., at Bowen Field House. For upcoming meets, go to [2013 Men's Wrestling schedule](#) or click on [Wrestling homepage](#) for more information.

WOMEN'S TRACK MAC CHAMPIONSHIPS: EMU will host the MAC Championships **Friday, Feb. 22 - Saturday, Feb. 23**, at Bob Parks Track. For upcoming track meets, go to [Women's Track schedule](#) or click on the [Women's Track & Field homepage](#) for more information.

WOMEN'S TENNIS VS. DAYTON: The EMU Women's tennis team will take on Dayton, **Saturday, Feb. 23**, at 1 p.m., and against Oakland at 8:30 p.m., at Chippewa Club. Their next home game will be Saturday, Mar.30, at 1 p.m. against Toledo. For the complete schedule, go to [2013 Women's Tennis schedule](#) or click on [Women's Tennis homepage](#) for more information.

MEN'S SWIM & DIVE TEAM: For upcoming meets, go to [2013 Swim & Dive schedule](#) or click on [Swim & Dive homepage](#) for more information.

Reminders

I AM P.I.N.K. ANNUAL PROM DRESS DRIVE: I am P.I.N.K. presents its 2nd annual prom dress donation drive to benefit Detroit high school students now through **Sunday, Mar. 31**. P.I.N.K Detroit is an organization of young women who have ties to Detroit and are striving to rebuild & uplift their community in every shape, form, and fashion. The chapter of P.I.N.K, a registered organization at EMU is hosting the prom dress drive. They seek donations of prom, homecoming, ball or formal dresses/gowns to help send a young lady to prom this year! Dresses can be dropped off at the Women's Resource Center located on the third floor of the EMU Student Center. They are also looking for volunteers to provide hair & makeup for the young ladies on their prom day as well. If you are interested in helping, please call 313-242-PINK or email BrittniLBrown@gmail.com.

ENTER TO WIN A NEW 2011 GMC TERRAIN: Purchase a ticket to a home football game or to a men's or women's basketball game for ONLY \$5 each and enter to win a new 2011 GMC Terrain compliments of LaFontaine Automotive Group, Eastern Michigan University and Pakmode Media + Marketing. Go to [EMU Tickets](#) and enter promo code "wincar." The giveaway will take place at the **Saturday, Feb. 23** Men's Basketball game. For a complete list of all the Rules and Regulations, click on [Enter to Win at GMC Terrain](#) for more information. Contact Ted Coutilish at 487-6981 or email at tcoutili@emich.edu if you have questions.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY FOR LGBT EQUALITY ISSUES: The Center for the Study of Equality and Human Rights (CSEHR) announces a Faculty Fellows program focused on the design and development for academic work focused on LGBT Equality and Human Rights. The final outcome of participation in the program will be a finished and implementable proposal for an applied academic research project, a curriculum innovation project (K-12 or post-secondary), or a community action, advocacy, and/or improvement project. Six faculty members will be selected to participate in the Fall 2013 CSEHR Faculty Fellows Program. For more information and applications, go to [Faculty Fellows Programs](#).

2013-2014 RESEARCH AWARDS AND SPEAKER SERIES: The Center for the Study of Equality and Human Rights (CSEHR) at EMU is seeking proposals for participation in its Research Awards and Speaker Series Program. The goal of the Research Awards program is to stimulate LGBT public policy oriented academic research in the Social Sciences, Communication and Media Arts, Human Services, Education, and Arts disciplines. Faculty members working at U.S. post-secondary institutions and doctoral students in these disciplines are eligible for and encouraged to submit proposals. Email Michael Tew at mtew@emich.edu or go to [Research Awards](#) for more information.

CSEHR ANNOUNCES SUPPORT FOR STUDENT LGBT RESEARCH: The Center for the Study of Equality and Human Rights (CSEHR) is accepting proposals for LGBT student research. The Center will award a \$500.00 scholarship to one graduate student and one undergraduate student. Qualifying research must focus on equality oriented public policy associated with LGBT communities. Selected research projects will be submitted by the student and Center for possible inclusion in EMU's Undergraduate Research Symposium or the Graduate Research Fair in the Winter 2014 semester, and, will be published in the Center's *Equality Research Monograph*. For more information and applications, go to [Research Awards](#).

DEPARTMENT DIRECTORY UPDATES: If your Department Directory listing is not accurate, please send the updated information to: dept_directory@emich.edu. For questions, contact Debra Burke at 487-6895 or by e-mail at dburke15@emich.edu. Please note that personal directory listings are populated by Banner and you will need to contact Academic HR or Staff HR to update personal listings.

POST AN EVENT TO THE EVENTS CALENDAR: To submit a new event, click on [Submit an Event](#), or go to the EMU website, click "calendars," then click the green button labeled "Submit an Event" (located on the bottom left) and enter your event information. If you need help or have questions, please contact Debra Johnson at djohn144@emich.edu or call 487-2484. All events are subject to approval.

Scholarships

SEARCH SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES: To find out about current scholarship opportunities, go to [search scholarships](#).

On this day...

On this day in 1936 - The first National Football League draft was held. Jay Berwanger was the first to be selected. He went to the Philadelphia Eagles.

Quote:

"Let the beauty you love be what you do. There are a thousand ways to kneel and kiss the earth."
- [Rumi](#)

Fact:

The [Big Ten Conference](#), formerly **Western Conference** and **Big Nine Conference**, is the oldest Division I college athletic conference in the U.S. formed by representatives of Midwestern universities. Initiated and led by Purdue University president James Smart, along with the presidents of the University of Chicago, University of Illinois, University of Minnesota, University of Wisconsin, Northwestern University, Purdue University and Lake Forest College met in Chicago on January 11, 1895 to discuss the regulation and control of intercollegiate athletics. The eligibility of student-athletes was one of the main topics of discussion. The Intercollegiate Conference of Faculty Representatives was founded at a second meeting on February 8, 1896.