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# WE ARE... MARSHALL®

The Newsletter for Marshall University

September 20, 2017

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## Annual health and wellness fair to be held Sept. 26

Marshall University will sponsor its annual Health and Wellness Fair from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Tuesday, September 26, on the Memorial Student Center plaza. The event is free and open to the public with free health screenings provided by the following:

- Blood pressure screenings by Marshall University School of Nursing and the Cabell Huntington Health Department
- Blood glucose screenings by Marshall Health – Chertow Diabetes Center
- Pulmonary function screenings by Marshall University School of Respiratory Care
- Functional movement screenings by Marshall University School of Physical Therapy
- Skinfolds for body composition, grip strength tests and body mass index (BMI) screenings from Marshall University Department of Exercise Science
- Oral cancer screenings from Marshall Health Dentistry and Oral Surgery
- Vision screenings by Marshall Health Pediatrics
- Flu shots by Marshall Health Family Medicine (insurance card required)
- Free chair massages by students at Triad Tech

The annual health fair is one way the university can promote a healthy lifestyle for everyone in the tri-state area, according to Amy Saunders, director of the university's Student Health Education Programs.

“We will provide free health screenings for our faculty, staff, students and community members, and offer access to various Marshall Health and university departments that rarely get a chance to interact with our campus community,” said Saunders.

Other participants for the health and wellness fair include:

- Marshall University Brain Injury Group
- Marshall University Campus Recreation Center
- Marshall University Counseling Center
- Marshall University Department of Health Science
- Marshall University Department of Social Work
- Marshall University School of Pharmacy

- Marshall University ROTC
- Marshall University Student Association of Nutrition and Dietetics
- Marshall Health Dermatology
- Marshall Health OB/GYN
- Marshall Health Orthopedics
- Marshall Health Medical Home
- DKMS – Bone Marrow Registry
- Phil Cline Family YMCA
- Oasis Behavioral Health

To learn more about the event, contact Megan Archer at 304-696-3916 or email [archer15@marshall.edu](mailto:archer15@marshall.edu).

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## GET HEALTHY AT THE HEALTH & WELLNESS FAIR!

**Tuesday, September 26 • 10:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. • MSC Plaza/BE-5**

### Activities

- Blood Pressure Screenings
- Blood Sugar Screenings
- BMI (Body Mass Index)
- Flu Shots (must present insurance card or a copy)
- Functional Movement Tests
- Pulmonary Function Tests
- Grip Strength Tests
- Body Fat/Skin Fold Tests
- Oral Cancer Screenings
- Free Chair Massages
- Yoga Demonstrations

### Vendors

- Sodexo Catering
- Marshall Health
- Marshall Rec Center
- Oasis Behavioral Health
- Triad Tech Massage
- WMUL Radio Station

### And More!

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## Academic honesty to be topic of tomorrow's Third Thursday presentation series

As part of its Third Thursday Presentation series, the Center for Teaching and Learning will sponsor *Academic Honesty: Opening Up the Discussion around Plagiarism*. Presented by Siham El Ougli, an ESL instructor with the INTO program, the workshop will address plagiarism as it continues to present a major issue in higher education. Students, especially international, continue to struggle with the concept of academic dishonesty. In this session, the presenter will share her experience running a semester-long “How-to-avoid-plagiarism” workshop for 145

international graduate students from across various disciplines. The workshop will also discuss key instructor responsibilities and roles pertaining to plagiarism as well as address important strategies aimed at containing academic dishonesty.

The presentation will take place **Thursday, Sept. 21**, from **4 to 5 p.m.** in **Drinko Library 402** (refreshments following). Two other Third Thursday presentations will be offered during the Fall 2017 semester. Look for CTL announcements with details to come!

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## Annual Constitution Week activities kick off next week

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Marshall University's annual Constitution Week celebration kicks off Monday, Sept. 11, and runs through Tuesday, Sept. 26.

Constitution Week at Marshall is an observance to commemorate the adoption of the U.S.

Constitution and to memorialize Chief Justice John Marshall, who is credited with helping define the Constitution and for whom the university is named.

The John Deaver Drinko Academy sponsors the event. According to the academy's director, Dr. Alan Gould, Constitution Week was started by the late U.S. Senator Robert C. Byrd to draw attention to the importance of the document upon which the country's system of government is based.

Gould added, "Included within federal legislation passed in 2004 was a provision requiring educational institutions that receive federal funds to set some time aside on or near the September 17 anniversary of the document's signing to study the United States Constitution."

Highlighting the events planned during this year's observance at Marshall is the popular quits tournament. Quits, a ring-toss game similar to horseshoes, was John Marshall's favorite sport.

On Monday, Sept. 11, faculty, staff and students are encouraged to stop by Buskirk Field between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. to sign up and practice for the annual Quits Open Tournament, which will be played Sept. 12-14. Tournament participants will receive gifts, along with a chance to win bragging rights and a trophy, and the opportunity to advance to the President's Invitational Quits Tournament on Sept. 15 and the President's Media Quits Challenge on Sept. 26. For information, please contact the Drinko Academy at [drinko@marshall.edu](mailto:drinko@marshall.edu).

At 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 26, just before the President's Media Quoits Challenge begins, Marshall President Jerome A. Gilbert will cut the cake at the annual John Marshall Birthday Cake Ceremony on Buskirk Field. In addition to cake, kettle corn and punch will be served free of charge to the university community. The John Marshall Fife and Drum Corps will provide music.

Gilbert also will be the guest speaker at the Robert C. Byrd Forum on Civic Responsibility. The forum, which is free and open to the public, will be held on Sept. 14 beginning at 2:30 p.m. in the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse. A reception will follow in the lobby of the playhouse.

Here is a complete schedule of Constitution Week events:

- 11, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. – Quoits sign-ups, Buskirk Field
- 12–14 – Quoits Open Tournament (times will vary)
- 14, 2:30 p.m. – Robert C. Byrd Forum on Civic Responsibility featuring guest speaker Marshall University President Jerome A. Gilbert, Joan C. Edwards Playhouse
- 15, 4 p.m. – President's Invitational Quoits Tournament, Buskirk Field
- 26, 11 a.m. – John Marshall Birthday Cake Ceremony, Buskirk Field
- 26, 11:30 a.m. – President's Invitational Quoits Challenge, Buskirk Field

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## Title IX training available for university community

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The Office of Equity Programs has created an online form for university community members to request training on Title IX, sexual assault, bystander intervention and responsible employees. The form can be found at <http://www.marshall.edu/eoaa/training-request-form/>.

Before completing the form, determine the duration and location of your requested training session as well as the number of employees that will need to complete the training. The training will be arranged by Title IX Coordinator Debra Hart.

“We want everyone at Marshall University to be well versed in the policies and procedures that help keep our campus community safe,” Hart said. “The majority of the training sessions will last a minimum of three hours, so we ask our university offices to plan accordingly.”

To learn more about Title IX procedures at Marshall University, visit [www.marshall.edu/title-ix](http://www.marshall.edu/title-ix).

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## Marshall Health names new director of pharmacy services

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Jeffrey A. Fenerty, R.Ph., has been named the director of pharmacy services for Marshall Health effective today, Monday, Sept. 18.

Fenerty, who graduated with a degree in pharmacy from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science, will be responsible for the overall retail pharmacy program at Marshall Health including mail-order, online prescription refills, tele-pharmacy, medication therapy management and meds to beds, a program that delivers medications to patients

before they leave Cabell Huntington Hospital or Marshall Health clinics at the medical center. Fenerty will also oversee the pharmacy residency program.

He has 25 years of experience as a pharmacist and pharmacy manager including serving as an assistant director of pharmacy at Cabell Huntington Hospital and most recently as a project manager for cGMP Validation L.L.C., in Huntersville, N.C.

“We are very pleased that Mr. Fenerty is joining us,” said Beth L. Hammers, executive director of Marshall Health. “He is an outstanding leader and brings significant knowledge ranging from retail and hospital experience to corporate pharmacy operations which will help advance quality patient care here at Marshall Health.”

Fenerty replaces Brian Gallagher, R. Ph., J.D., who was named interim dean of the Marshall University School of Pharmacy following the retirement of inaugural dean Kevin Yingling, R. Ph., M.D.

Marshall Pharmacy opened in 2014 at the medical center as a partnership among Marshall Health, the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, the Marshall

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## Marshall to celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with presentation by Pilar Melero, Mexican-born writer, researcher

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Marshall has invited Dr. Pilar Melero (left) to speak on ethnic heritage and identity in celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month in September. She will give a presentation titled “Chicanxs/Latin@s/Hispanos: The Many Faces of American Latinidad” at 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 21, in Room 402 of Drinko Library on Marshall’s Huntington campus.

Melero is a Mexican-born professor, researcher, writer and journalist. She has received a grant to develop a collection of short stories titled “Mujer Libre” and is working on a novel on gender and violence during the Mexican war on drugs. She also has written a play and three other books and has had other works widely published.

Melero has a bachelor’s degree in journalism from the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, and worked as a journalist in Wisconsin and Texas. She earned a master’s degree in Spanish from the University of Texas at El Paso and a Ph.D. in Contemporary Latin American Literature from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. She now works as a professor at the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, teaching Spanish language, culture and literature as well as Chicanx and U.S. Latinx literature. She also serves as coordinator of Race and Ethnic Studies.

The event is sponsored by Marshall’s Department of Modern Languages in the College of Liberal Arts, and Libraries and Online Learning. All are welcome. For more information, contact Dr. Cristina Burgueño at [burgueno@marshall.edu](mailto:burgueno@marshall.edu) or 304-696-2746.

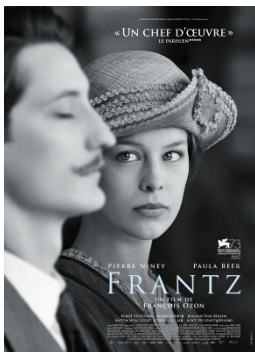
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## Fall International Film Festival to begin Sept. 21

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The Fall International Film Festival is taking place at the Keith-Albee Performing Arts Center Sept. 21 through 24, bringing Oscar-winning and other critically acclaimed foreign films to the city of Huntington. With each film being from a different country, festival goers are able to experience six different cultures from the comfort of their chairs.

**Frantz (France/Germany)** kicks off the film festival with its tale of sorrow, redemption, love, and discovery. After World War I, Anna, whose fiancé was killed during trench warfare, is intrigued by a French soldier named Adrian who lays flowers on Frantz’s grave. While the town is still reeling from Germany’s defeat and is not comfortable with Adrian’s presence, Anna grows



closer to him and learns of his deep friendship with Frantz. Directed by **François Ozon**, this movie has been awarded the César Award for Best Cinematography (2017) as well as the Director's Choice Award for Best Foreign Film (2017) at the Sedona International Film Festival. *(This film is presented in French/German with English subtitles; 1 hr., 54 minutes).*

**Frantz** shows on Thursday, Sept. 21, at 5:30 p.m. and on Saturday, Sept. 23, at 7:45 p.m.



**Their Finest (UK)** tells the heartwarming tale of Catrin Cole's journey as a scriptwriter. She is originally hired in order to bring "a woman's touch" to the morale-boosting propaganda in World War II; however her flair gets her noticed by a movie producer, Buckley. The pair work together to make a film to warm the hearts of the nation. While Catrin's artist husband looks down on her job, she discovers the beauty of camaraderie, laughter and passion on screen *and* behind the camera. Directed by Lone Scherfig, *Their Finest* received the Audience Award for Best Feature Film (2017) at the Göteborg Film Festival. *(This film is presented in English; 1 hr., 56 min).*

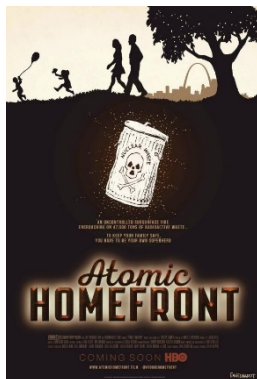
**Their Finest** shows on Thursday, Sept. 21, at 7:45 p.m. and Saturday, Sept. 23, at 5:30 p.m.



**The Salesman (Iran)** is a drama/thriller about a teacher, his wife and their new apartment. When Emad and Rana's flat is damaged, they move to a new apartment. All seems well until Rana is assaulted in their new home, which shakes the couple to their core. Emad makes it his mission to find the perpetrator despite his wife's wishes. Directed by Asghar Farhad, *The Salesman* won an Oscar for Best Foreign Film (2017) and Best Screenplay (2016) at the Cannes Film Festival.

Shahab Hosseini won Best Actor (2016) at the Cannes Film Festival for his portrayal of Emad. *(The film is presented in Persian with English subtitles, 2 hrs., 4 min).*

**The Salesman** shows on Friday, Sept. 22, at 7:35 p.m. and Sunday, Sept. 24, at 2:45 p.m.



**Atomic Homefront (USA)** is a thrilling documentary exposing government and corporate negligence after the Manhattan Project. St. Louis, Missouri, once housed a uranium processing center for atomic bombs. After the uranium and other poisonous substances were illegally dumped throughout neighborhoods, the residents of St. Louis began suffering from high rates of rare cancers, birth defects and autoimmune disorders. Concerned citizens try to halt a catastrophe and approach government agencies, but they realize they may be running out of time to save their lives. Director Rebecca Cammisa works alongside St. Louis natives Dawn Chapman, Karen Nickel and Janell Wright to bring St.

Louis' atomic past to light. (*This film is presented in English; 1 hr., 36 min.*)

**Atomic Homefront** shows on Saturday, Sept. 23, at 2:45 p.m. and on Sunday, Sept. 24, at 7:35 p.m.



**Land of Mine (Denmark)** is inspired by real events after World War II. The war is over and the Danish Army forces a group of German POWs, boys rather than men, to defuse and clear landmines from the Danish coastline. They are under the watch of a Danish sergeant who at first shows them no pity. Slowly, though, he begins to appreciate the boys' plight. Directed by Martin Zandvliet, *Land of Mine* has won many awards for its depiction of brotherhood, struggle and postwar life for many German POWs in Denmark. The film

received Bodil Awards Best Film (2016) while **Roland Møller** received Best Actor (2016) and Louis Hofmann received Best Supporting Actor (2016). (*This film is presented in German/Dutch; 1 hr., 48 min.*)

**Land of Mine** shows on Friday, Sept. 22, at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday, Sept. 24, at 5:30 p.m.



**Fire at Sea (Italy)** is an Oscar-winning documentary that takes place in Lampedusa, the first port of call for African and Middle Eastern refugees hoping to make a new life in Europe. Director Gianfranco Rosi spent months living on the island to capture the history, culture and lives of the hundreds of migrants who make their way to the island each week. *Fire At Sea* focuses on 12-year-old Samuele as he explores the land and attempts to gain mastery of the sea. *Fire At Sea* received the Golden Bear Award at the 66<sup>th</sup> Berlin International Festival. (*This film is presented in Italian/English with English subtitles; 1 hr., 54 min.*)

*Fire At Sea* shows on Saturday, Sept. 23, at 12:30 p.m. and Sunday, Sept. 24, at 12:30 p.m.

Tickets for the Fall International Film Festival are \$10 per film, \$5.00 for part-time students, and free to full-time Marshall students with a valid student ID. Tickets may be purchased at the Keith-Albee Performing Arts Center; advance tickets are not necessary. Tickets go on sale 15 minutes prior to each film. For more information call 304-696-6656. To view movie trailers and to download a film schedule visit [www.marshallartistsseries.org](http://www.marshallartistsseries.org)

The 2017 Fall International Film Festival is sponsored by Cabell Huntington Convention & Visitors Bureau, KEE 100, B97, WVHU, WAMX, WSAZ, The Herald Dispatch, Marshall University, and the Marshall Artists Series.

## Dates and Show Times

Thursday, Sept. 21	Friday, Sept. 22	Saturday, Sept. 23	Sunday, Sept. 24
		12:30 p.m.	12:30 p.m.
		Fire At Sea (Italy)	Fire At Sea (Italy)
		2:45 p.m.	2:45 p.m.
		Atomic Homefront (USA)	The Salesman (Iran)
5:30 p.m.		5:30 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Frantz (France/Germany)	Land of Mine	Their Finest (UK)	Land of Mine (Denmark)
7:45 p.m.	7:45 p.m.	7:45 p.m.	7:35 p.m.
Their Finest (UK)	The Salesman	Frantz (France/Germany)	Atomic Homefront (USA)

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## Science and health writer Kathleen McAuliffe to give Da Vinci Lecture at Marshall



Kathleen McAuliffe, author of *This is Your Brain on Parasites*, *How Tiny Creatures Manipulate Our Behavior and Shape Society*, will give the 8<sup>th</sup> annual Da Vinci Lecture on the Huntington campus Thursday, Sept. 21. The lecture will take place at 7 p.m. in the Don Morris Room in the Memorial Student Center, and is free and open to the public.

McAuliffe, a science and health writer, has been featured in magazines and newspapers such as Discover, The New York Times, U.S. News and World Report, Smithsonian, the Atlantic and others. In addition to being a feature writer, McAuliffe was a health columnist for More Magazine from 1999 to 2006. In 2011, McAuliffe was part of a segment on the National Public Radio program “All Things Considered,” where her article, “The Incredible Shrinking Brain,” was featured.

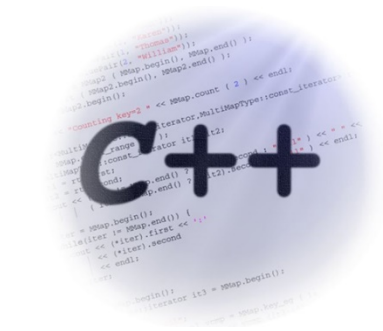
McAuliffe's article, "Are We Evolving?", was featured in the Best American Science Writing 2010. She was educated at Trinity College Dublin, in Ireland, where she obtained a M.A. in natural science after graduating with first-class honors.

The lecture is sponsored by Marshall's Honors College and the Office of Provost, with support from the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi. For further information, contact the Honors College by e-mail to [mccomas105@marshall.edu](mailto:mccomas105@marshall.edu).

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## Continuing Education to offer coding instruction beginning Sept. 25



The Center for Continuing Education will offer instruction for adults who wish to begin to learn coding beginning Monday, Sept. 25, from 1 to 3 p.m. in Prichard Hall 200 on Marshall's Huntington campus.

Participants will learn to code in the C++ language. The instruction will be geared toward community members who want to learn a new skill or would like a refresher on this specific coding language.

Cameron Asbury, a Marshall student and tutor to other students, will serve as instructor.

Sessions will continue Mondays and Wednesdays, 1 to 3 p.m., up to and including Wednesday, Oct. 25. Cost of the program is \$75. To register online, visit

<http://epay.wvsto.com/MarshallContinuingEducation/Basic-Coding-for-C-September-25th-P58.aspx>.

For further information, contact Emily McCallister

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## Second session of Unified Communications Workshop to take place Sept. 27



**UNIFIED COMMUNICATIONS WORKSHOP**  
Tues, Sept 19 & Wed, Sept 27  
11 a.m. | Drinko Library 402

This workshop will review current features and highlight upcoming software releases including an improved phone interface update coming October 1.

RSVP at: [www.marshall.edu/human-resources/training/](http://www.marshall.edu/human-resources/training/)

For more information, contact [crystal.stewart@marshall.edu](mailto:crystal.stewart@marshall.edu)

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Information Technology will be hosting the second session of a workshop on unified communications for faculty and staff Wednesday, Sept. 27, at 11 a.m. in Drinko Library 402, highlighting an improved phone interface that will be updated Oct. 1.

Attendees will learn how Skype for Business (SFB) integrates all of our communication needs by combining desk

phones, Microsoft Outlook, instant messaging and videoconferencing for collaboration both on and off-campus.

This workshop will focus on reviewing current features and highlighting upcoming software releases for the Polycom VVX 600 phones, Skype for Business and the SFB Mobile App, as well as how to utilize all of the Unified Communication solutions to increase productivity and improve connectivity and collaboration.

Online Skype for Business training is also available through Lynda.com.

To register, visit [www.marshall.edu/human-resources/training/training-schedule/it-unified-communications-training/](http://www.marshall.edu/human-resources/training/training-schedule/it-unified-communications-training/).

For more information, contact [crystal.stewart@marshall.edu](mailto:crystal.stewart@marshall.edu).

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**Mental Health First Aid**  
Join the movement.

**Friday, September 15**  
8:00am – 5:00pm  
Marshall University Memorial Student Center, 2W22  
Register for the Sept 15th course: [goo.gl/8NacwT](http://goo.gl/8NacwT)

**Friday, September 29**  
8:00am – 5:00pm  
Marshall University Drinko Library, Room 402  
Register for the Sept 29th course: [goo.gl/ZEVtTK](http://goo.gl/ZEVtTK)

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## Marshall University School of Journalism and Mass Communications Hall of Fame ceremony set for Sept. 29

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Five graduates of Marshall University's W. Page Pitt School of Journalism and Mass Communications (SOJMC) are being inducted into the school's Hall of Fame later this month.

Sean Callebs, John Hackworth, Susan Lavenski, Chris Stadelman and Dave Wellman officially will be inducted during a Friday, Sept. 29, ceremony.

"The five alumni being honored each have left their own unique marks on mass communications," said Chris Dickerson, president of the SOJMC Alumni Advisory Board, which handled the nomination process. "All of them are proud alumni of Marshall University, and they all are the types of alums the school and the university should be proud to call our own. They all are quite deserving of this honor."

The Hall of Fame was established in the 1970s and currently has 53 people enshrined. Last year, Dr. Charles Bailey, Mike Cherry, Jody Jividen, Chad Pennington and Peter Ruest were inducted during a ceremony that drew more than 200 guests.

"Taking time to reflect on the successes of our graduates is a highlight of the year," said Janet Dooley, associate dean of the College of Arts and Media and SOJMC director. "It's rewarding to note how many have achieved national prominence and to recognize those who have achieved distinction in this region. They have made worthy contributions to the field of journalism and mass communications, and we are indeed fortunate to count this year's induction class among our alums."

Callebs, a 1983 SOJMC graduate, has traveled the world doing documentaries and working as a CNN correspondent and anchor. An Emmy winner, he also served as a U.S. diplomat in Afghanistan in 2011. Callebs' current position is at CGTN America.

Hackworth, a 1971 SOJMC graduate, won a Pulitzer Prize in 2016 for editorial writing. Working for the Sun newspapers in Charlotte County, Florida, he won the Pulitzer for a series of editorials about the beating death of an inmate at Charlotte Correctional Institution. Hackworth previously worked at The Sun News in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, and at The Ashland Daily Independent in Kentucky.

Lavenski, a 1992 SOJMC graduate who earned a master's degree from the school in 1994, is CEO and co-owner of Charles Ryan Associates, one of the largest communications firms in the region. In her two decades with the company, Lavenski has worked with everything from Fortune 500 companies and local public figures. Her work has garnered results and numerous awards.

Stadelman, a 1992 SOJMC graduate, is owner of Stadelman Consulting, a research and public affairs company. Before that, he served as chief of staff for former West Virginia Gov. Earl Ray Tomblin and previously was his communications director. Stadelman also was publisher of the

Standard newspapers, editor and publisher of The Parsons Advocate and managing editor of the Charleston Daily Mail.

Wellman, a 1975 SOJMC graduate, has been Marshall University's Director of Communications since 2001. He started that job after a 25-year career as a writer and editor at The Herald-Dispatch in Huntington. In addition to numerous awards and honors during his time at The H-D, Wellman also co-authored some books about Marshall University's football program.

Inductees need to have a connection to the SOJMC, such as being a graduate or a faculty member, and should meet at least one of two major criteria to be nominated:

- A graduate of Marshall's JMC program who has contributed to Journalism and Mass Communications as a profession. The nominee has made a contribution to the profession of journalism or has made a positive impact upon the profession.
  - Contribution(s) to Marshall University's SOJMC. The nominee, either through talent, treasure or activity, has made an outstanding impact upon the school.
- The public is invited to attend. Tickets to the ceremony, which includes a dinner and a pre-event reception, are \$50 per person or \$350 for a table of 10. Those interested can register at [sojmc2017.rsvpify.com](http://sojmc2017.rsvpify.com).

For more information or questions about the SOJMC Hall of Fame, please contact the school at [sojmc@marshall.edu](mailto:sojmc@marshall.edu).

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## Fellowship-trained cardiologists join Marshall School of Medicine faculty



Affan Irfan, M.D., and Paul Okhumale, M.D., recently joined [Marshall University](#) Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine and [Marshall Health](#) as cardiologists.

“We continue to see more and more patients in our region suffering from heart disease and related illnesses,” said Mark A. Studeny, M.D., chair of the department of cardiovascular services at the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine. “The addition of these two highly skilled physicians to our team of cardiologists further enhances our abilities to provide advanced

cardiac care.”

Irfan, a fellowship-trained, board-certified cardiologist, has been named an assistant professor in the department of cardiovascular services at the School of Medicine. After earning his medical

degree from Aga Khan University in Karachi, Pakistan, Irfan completed an internal medicine residency at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, in Champaign, Illinois, followed by a general cardiology fellowship at the University of Louisville in Louisville, Kentucky. He is also currently completing a Ph.D. in physiology from the University of Louisville. Irfan specializes in non-invasive cardiology and is certified by the American Board of Internal Medicine.

Okhumale, a fellowship-trained, board-certified electrophysiologist, has been named assistant professor of cardiovascular services at the school of medicine. He earned his medical degree from Windsor University in St. Kitts. He completed his residency in internal medicine at East Carolina University/Pitt County Memorial Hospital in Greenville, North Carolina, followed by fellowships in cardiology at Marshall University and electrophysiology at Advocate Illinois Masonic Hospital in Chicago, Illinois. He is certified by the American Board of Internal Medicine.

Okhumale specializes in cardiac electrophysiology, which means he tests, diagnoses and treats patients with abnormal heart rhythms and conditions such as atrial fibrillation, bradycardia, tachycardia and more.

Irfan and Okhumale join nine other cardiologists within the Marshall Health academic health system. They are accepting new patients and referrals at Marshall Cardiology, an outpatient department of Cabell Huntington Hospital, at 1249 15th Street, Huntington. For appointments, call 304-691-8500.

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## Grant to boost number of behavioral health experts in the region

Marshall has been awarded \$854,272 from the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) for the Behavioral Health Workforce Education and Training Program (BHWET). The university will receive \$213,568 each year for the next four years with the aim of increasing the number of behavioral health providers serving underserved populations and people in rural areas.

According to Dr. Marianna Footo-Linz, principal investigator of the grant and chair of Marshall's psychology department, the program will help fund clinical internships and placements for students in the following behavioral health programs: Master's in Psychology with Clinical and School emphases, the Master's in Counseling, and the Psychiatry residency program administered through the university's Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine. The program will provide opportunities to train students in an integrated health care model.

"I talk to many primary care providers who understand the pressing need to screen for substance-use problems but are hesitant to do so when they have nowhere to send people who need



treatment,” Footo-Linz said. “We need to build this capacity in our region if we are to impact the crisis at hand.”

“This program will help us provide crucial treatment to individuals who are in need of mental health and addiction services, but who cannot access services due to barriers and gaps in the current system,” said Amy Saunders, director of Marshall’s Wellness Center and a co-principal investigator for the grant. “We know that integrated behavioral health care in primary care is an important, effective model to deliver mental health services in rural areas. Providing funding to enhance behavioral health workforce capacity is a worthwhile investment.”

Students in this program will attend interdisciplinary seminars on various topics, including responding to substance use disorders in primary care, models of integrated behavioral health care in primary care, trauma-informed care and trauma-focused interventions, and Appalachian culture and the unique service needs of individuals in rural and underserved communities.

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## More than 90 employers expected to attend Fall Career Expo



Marshall’s Office of Career Education will conduct its annual Fall Career Expo from 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 3, in the Memorial Student Center’s Don Morris Room on the university’s Huntington campus. The expo is open to all Marshall students, faculty and alumni. Employers will be sharing information about part-time, full-time and internship positions.

More than 90 employers are expected to have recruiters at the event representing business, IT/computer science, health care, education, corrections and many other fields. A complete list of employers planning to attend the Career Expo is available at [www.marshall.edu/career-services/career-expo](http://www.marshall.edu/career-services/career-expo).

Denise Hogsett, director of the Office of Career Education, said students are encouraged to dress professionally and come prepared with multiple copies of their resumes. Hogsett said even if students are not looking for a job, attending the expo presents an excellent networking opportunity.

In preparation for the event, students may visit Career Services or watch for information tables in the student center lobby for assistance with building a professional resume, tips on talking to recruiters and networking effectively, and how to introduce themselves to recruiters using their “elevator speech” or “30 second commercial.”

For more information about the event, please contact Debby Stoler by phone at 304-696-6679 or by e-mail at [stolerd@marshall.edu](mailto:stolerd@marshall.edu) or the Career Services front desk at 304-696-2370 or [career-services@marshall.edu](mailto:career-services@marshall.edu).

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## Design Challenge to offer cash prizes at WV Makes Festival



The Robert C. Byrd Institute (RCBI) is seeking entries for the Design Challenge at the West Virginia Makes Festival, a celebration of

ingenuity and creativity that's being presented Friday, Oct. 6, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the Memorial Student Center Plaza on the Huntington campus. The challenge will award cash prizes to makers of all ages who demonstrate their new ideas and skills by presenting their projects and creations to a panel of judges. Entering the challenge is free and ensures eligibility for cash prizes. Winners of the challenge will be introduced during an afternoon presentation.

The free festival, scheduled to coincide with National Manufacturing Day, is open to everyone and will feature special exhibits and attractions, live music and technology, including 3D printers and laser cutters.

This year's fourth-annual festival is being staged to inspire engineers, artists, hackers, makers and students. Educators and teachers are encouraged to bring their students so they can engage and interact with makers, inventors and entrepreneurs. Buses and vans will have a special parking area after they drop off passengers at the 5th Avenue entrance to the Student Center. The 2017 sponsors of RCBI's festival include Bernzomatic, Edward Tucker Architects, Marshall University Research Corp., Sterling Supply Company and the West Virginia Manufacturers Association.

For the latest information, including required registration links to participate in the Design Challenge, go to [www.rcbi.org/go/wvmakes](http://www.rcbi.org/go/wvmakes). Phone 304-781-1675 for more information or assistance in registering.

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## Yousef selected as Fellow of the Month

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George M. Yousef, M.D., has been selected as the September Fellow of the Month at the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, announced Paulette S. Wehner, M.D., vice dean for graduate medical education.

Yousef, a second-year cardiovascular fellow, was recently honored during a ceremony and commended for his care of an elderly patient.

“Dr. Yousef’s display of empathy for his elderly patient was admirable,” Wehner said. “He personally devoted several hours to address his patient’s concerns and anxieties so she would consent to a life-saving procedure.”

Haytham Aljouadi, M.D., a senior cardiology fellow nominated Dr. Yousef and wrote, “Dr. Yousef quickly realized how critical the situation was for his elderly patient and the urgency to deal with the situation so she would consent to surgery. Through communications and multiple calls to the highest administrative levels, Dr. Yousef was able to solve the problem which alleviated the patient’s anxiety so she would agree to have the life-saving treatment.”

Ellen Thompson, M.D., program director for cardiovascular services, said Yousef rose to the occasion in a critical situation.

“It is easy for us to focus on the technical part of our job — the imaging, the stress testing, the cath, the MRI, the CT and not concentrate on the non-medical reasons a patient is anxious,” Thompson said. “Dr. Yousef ministered to not only to his patient’s physical needs, but to her emotional needs as well. We are pleased that he is being honored for his humanistic approach.”

Prior to completing a three-year internal medicine residency at the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, Yousef received his medical degree from Ains Shams University in Egypt.

After completing the three-year cardiovascular fellowship, Yousef will spend another year as an interventional cardiology fellow at Marshall. As part of his recognition as the September Fellow of the Month, Yousef received items including a plaque and a designated parking spot.

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*Photo:* George M. Yousef, M.D. (right), a second-year cardiovascular fellow at the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, is the September Fellow of the Month. He is pictured with Ellen Thompson, M.D., program director for cardiovascular services.

## Marshall to host 6th Cyber Safety Summit for middle-school students and local community

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The Marshall University Digital Forensics and Information Assurance program will host the 6th annual Cyber Safety Summit for middle-school students and the local community Oct. 23-24 in Huntington.

This year's event will have two sessions. The first will be tailored for middle-school students and will take place from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday, Oct. 23, at the Big Sandy Superstore Arena. A session for parents and adults will be from 6 to 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 24, at Huntington East Middle School. Participants can learn how to prevent cyber bullying, keep themselves and their families safe online, handle the dangers of social media, keep their information and computers safe, and identify scams. They can also find out how and why criminals target them and more.

"We recognize the need for this type of education," said John Sammons, director of the Digital Forensics and Information Assurance program at Marshall University. "Technology is a huge part of most children's lives, particularly from middle school going forward. It's only smart and prudent to give them the awareness and skills to keep themselves safe online."

"Parents are often far behind the kids when it comes to technology," Sammons said. "We would like to provide them with as much information as we can to help them protect their children."

This event is attended by hundreds of students from the Tri-State region each year. It is sponsored by the Digital Forensics and Information Assurance program, the Huntington Police Department, the FBI and the Appalachian Institute of Digital Evidence.

Teachers can register their classes for a field trip to the summit. Reserve seats before Oct. 19 by contacting Sammons at [sammons17@marshall.edu](mailto:sammons17@marshall.edu) or by calling 304-696-7241.

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## Simpson named director of BB&T Center for the Advancement of American Capitalism

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Bob Simpson, former interim dean of the Lewis College of Business, has been named the new director of the BB&T Center for the Advancement of American Capitalism.

The major emphasis of the center is for the promotion of entrepreneurship and entrepreneurship education, according to Dr. Avinandan Mukherjee, dean of the college.

“I’m delighted Bob Simpson has returned to the Lewis College of Business as the next director of the BB&T Center for the Advancement of American Capitalism. Bob’s connections with the West Virginia business community and his passion for economic development make him an ideal choice for this important role in external engagement.”

The BB&T Center for the Advancement of American Capitalism was established in 2008 and sponsors a lecture series and an upper-division course in capitalism for business students, among other activities. Simpson said the center makes it possible for the university to grow and prosper.

“The BB&T Center plays an important role in the economic advancement of the region providing educational opportunities for our students and serving as a bridge between the university and the business community,” Simpson said. “Because of this, I feel tremendous pride and honor to serve in this new role. I look forward to continued growth and development for the center and ultimately, the Lewis College of Business.”

To learn how you can contribute to student success through the BB&T Center for the Advancement of American Capitalism, contact the Marshall University Foundation at [area@marshall.edu](mailto:area@marshall.edu) or call 304-696-2826. For more information on the center, visit [marshall.edu/cob](http://marshall.edu/cob).

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## Marshall School of Medicine student receives fellowship to study in the Republic of the Congo



Matthew Jeremiah Matson, an M.D./Ph.D. student at the Marshall University Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, has been named a 2017 recipient of the Benjamin H. Kean Travel Fellowship in Tropical Medicine by the [American Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene \(ASTMH\)](#).

Matson will travel to the Republic of the Congo in November for a one-month fellowship to pursue his submitted project, “Arboviruses in the Republic of the Congo: Host Ecology and Epidemiology.” The fellowship is the only medical student award dedicated to nurturing a career path for physician-scientists in tropical medicine.

“The society congratulates this year’s ASTMH Kean Fellows,” said ASTMH President Patricia F. Walker, M.D. “As a society, our goal is to guide these future leaders toward fulfilling careers that help improve the lives of the millions of people who suffer needlessly from tropical diseases.

The ASTMH Kean Travel Fellowship helps make overseas training possible and works to build the ranks of physician-scientists focused on diseases that particularly impact those living in low-income countries.”

According to ASTMH, [21 fellows from 14 medical schools](#) were selected through a highly competitive process.

Matson is a native of Charleston, West Virginia, and did his undergraduate work at Cedarville University in Cedarville, Ohio. He also completed a bachelor’s degree in theology from Moore College in Sydney, Australia.

“I am very honored, encouraged and thankful to receive the Kean Fellowship,” Matson said. “As a student, it’s far too easy to compartmentalize training and career, and thus miss out on all sorts of opportunities for growth because of an instinctual adherence to this false dichotomy. The Kean Fellowship and other similar programs help break these barriers.”

After completing his second year of medical school at Marshall this past spring, Matson began working on his dissertation research through the National Institutes of Health at the [NIH/NIAID Rocky Mountain Laboratories](#) in Hamilton, Montana.

His mentor at Marshall, Hongwei Yu, Ph.D., a professor in the department of biomedical sciences, says he’s very excited that Matson has been recognized for his work.

“Jeremiah works very hard in the laboratory and is a well-thought-of medical student,” Yu said. “This fellowship will enable him to gain the firsthand experiences of how an infectious disease

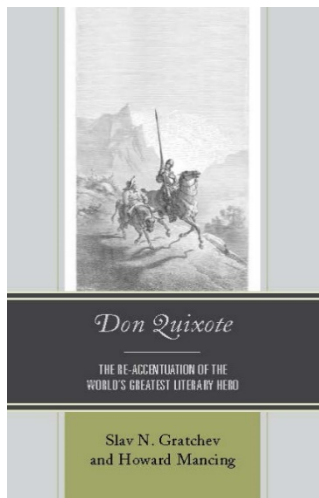
starts its cycle, from its native ecology, environment to the first human contact. This will also motivate a future physician-scientist like him to dedicate his career to fight the infectious disease which impacts all of us in the long run.”

The fellowship is named to honor Benjamin H. Kean, MD, (1912-1993), an internationally acclaimed tropical medicine expert and personal mentor to many of today’s world-renowned tropical medicine experts who were inspired by him as his students in medical school. Kean is also credited with discovering the causes of several diseases, including turista or traveler’s diarrhea.

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## Faculty Achievement: Dr. Slav Gratchev



Dr. Slav N. Gratchev, associate professor of Spanish, has published an edited volume of *Don Quixote* with Bucknell University Press.

This book is a unique scholarly attempt to examine Don Quixote from multiple angles to see how the re-accentuation of the world’s greatest literary hero takes place in film, theatre, and literature.

To accomplish this task, nineteen scholars from the U.S., Canada, Spain and Great Britain have come together, and each of them has brought his/her unique perspective to the subject. For the first time, *Don Quixote* will be discussed from the point of re-accentuation, i.e. having in mind one of the most famous Bakhtinian concepts that will serve them as a theoretical framework.

A primary objective was therefore to articulate, relying on the concept of re-accentuation, that the history of the novel has benefited enormously from the re-accentuation of Don Quixote helping us to shape countless iconic novels from the eighteenth century; to see how Cervantes’s title character has been reinterpreted to suit the needs of a variety of cultures across time and space; and to examine why the theatrical interpretations of Cervantes’s novel were so popular all over the world, including China and the Soviet Union.

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# Drinko Library & Information Center Building Hours

**1ST FLOOR:**

Learning Commons: 1 PM Sunday - 6 PM Friday (24 hours)  
Saturday 10 AM - 6 PM

Study Center: Open 24hrs from Monday, August 21st until Friday, December 15th 2017 with the exception of Fall Break.

**2ND - 4TH FLOOR:**

Sunday 1pm to 11:00pm  
Monday to Thursday 7:30am to 11:00pm  
Friday 7:30am to 6pm  
Saturday 10am to 6pm

For daily hours, visit [www.marshall.edu/library/hours](http://www.marshall.edu/library/hours).



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### **1st Floor: Learning Commons:**

1 p.m. Sunday – 6 p.m. Friday (24 hours)  
Saturday, 10 p.m. – 6 p.m.

### **Study Center:**

Open 24 hours until Friday, Dec. 15 with the exception of Fall Break

### **2nd – 4th Floors:**

Sunday, 1 to 11 p.m.  
Monday to Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 11 p.m.  
Friday 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.  
Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

### **Circulation:**

Sunday, 1 to 11 p.m.  
Monday to Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 11 p.m.  
Friday 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.  
Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

\*Limited circulation services are available overnight (11 p.m. – 7:30 a.m. Sun. – Thurs.)

### **Reference:**

Sunday, 2 to 6 p.m.



Monday to Thursday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.  
Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**Writing Center:**

Monday to Friday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Campus ID Office:**

Monday to Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**IT Service Desk:**

1 p.m. Sunday to 6 p.m. Friday (24 hours),  
Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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