NAC&U to Host Events at AAC&U Annual Meeting This Month

NAC&U will present the 7th annual Ernest L. Boyer Award, honor author William Sullivan, and participate in panel discussions at the upcoming AAC&U Annual Meeting from January 25-28, 2017, at the Grand Hyatt Hotel in San Francisco, CA.

NAC&U's chief academic officers and provosts will also hold their semi-annual meeting before the AAC&U Annual Meeting commences on Wednesday, January 25.

Read more.

NAC&U Student Excellence Award: Submissions Due February 15

NAC&U has announced its inaugural Prize for Student Excellence in which it will recognize up to three undergraduate seniors at its member campuses for their knowledge and experience in liberal arts, professional studies and/or civic engagement.

Each member campus is invited to submit one compelling artifact that represents an undergraduate student's work as it pertains to:

- Their knowledge and experience in the liberal arts, or
- Their knowledge and experience in professional programs or experiential learning (study abroad, fieldwork, or other related experiences), or
- Their knowledge and experiences in civic engagement.

For more details and submission instructions, please go here.
Upcoming Meetings

NAC&U Board Meeting
(Following CIC Presidents' Institute)
Saturday, January 7, 12:30 - 7:00 p.m.

CAO/Provost Meeting
In conjunction with AAC&U Meeting in San Francisco
Wednesday, January 25, 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.

CFO/Enrollment Management Officers Meeting
March 12-14
Ohio Northern University
Registration information will be sent via email.

Ohio Northern Names New Provost/Vice President for Academic Affairs

Maria Cronley has been named provost/vice president for academic affairs (VPAA) at Ohio Northern University. She will begin her duties Jan. 12, 2017. Cronley is currently associate provost and associate vice president for academic affairs at Miami University in Ohio. Read more.

Member News

Civic Engagement
‘Pivot the Hustle’ Program Launched by Roger Williams University and Department of Corrections Concludes First Year with Graduations

Research and Grants
Manhattan College to Receive U.S. Department of Energy Grant to Work on Reducing Energy Consumption

"Unearthing America's Rural History": an interdisciplinary, collaborative research project from Jeff Will, professor of electrical and computer engineering, and Liz Wuerffel, associate professor of art, at Valparaiso University

Appointments
University of La Verne President Devorah Lieberman Named Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities Vice President

Awards & Honors
The White House Initiative on HBCUs Awards Hampton U President Dr. William R. Harvey

U of Evansville Professor Phil Plisky Receives United Methodist Exemplary Teacher Award

Pacific Lutheran U Alumna Earns Montana Teacher of the Year Recognition, Receives Presidential Award for Excellence

Widener Alumnus and Student Recognized by National Civil Engineering Society

Campus News
Hamline Unveils Wesley and Lorene Artz Cognitive Neuroscience Research Center
Nazareth's I-SPAN Program Sees Autism Through New Lens
Wagner Awards First Nursing Doctorates
California Lutheran Seminary's New Location will Foster Improved Community Engagement
U of Scranton Receives $1.4 Million Gift from Estate of William and Mary Scranton
Austin Marathon and St. Edward's University Broaden Partnership
North Central College Launches New Website Design
Drury to Launch Law Enforcement Academy

Faculty News
Samford Pharmacy Researchers Help Small Patients Who Need Bosentan
U of New Haven Professor's Analysis Featured in 'Time' Magazine

Students & Alumni
Westminster's Debbie Samaniego Named College's First-Ever Marshall Scholar
Belmont's Chinese Exchange Students Reflect on Life as Bruins
University of La Verne Earns Silver Medal at iGEM Biology Competition

The New American Colleges & Universities
Arcadia University   Belmont University
California Lutheran University   Drury University
Hamline University   Hampton University
John Carroll University   Manhattan College   Nazareth College
North Central College   Ohio Northern University
Pacific Lutheran University   Roger Williams University
St. Edward's University   Samford University   The Sage Colleges
The University of Scranton   University of Evansville
University of La Verne   University of New Haven
Valparaiso University   Wagner College
Westminster College   Widener University

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