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Harrington Explores Coverage of Race and Racial Issues

Walt Harrington, former staff writer for The Washington Post Magazine and now University of Illinois professor, will speak Monday night, March 22, at the Poynter Auditorium on race and racial issues in news coverage.

The Department of Journalism and Media Studies invites the USF faculty, staff, and administration to the reception at 5:30 pm in Poynter's "Great Hall" and the lecture at 7 in the auditorium. Please RSVP to Bridget Nickens at 553-4850 or (mnickens@stpt.usf.edu). For part of the talk, Harrington will draw on his book Crossings: A White Man's Journey Into Black America.

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Faculty and Staff Annual Campaign Update

Message from the Regional Chancellor

The University of South Florida St. Petersburg is an institution on the move. Our enrollment increased more than 9% last year, and we now serve more than 4,600 students. We strive to create a positive climate where learning and achievement thrive. Many of our students balance academic endeavors with the multiple demands of family and work and encounter significant financial challenges.

I hope that you will choose to contribute to one of the USFSP Funds at the University of South Florida Foundation and assist our students in attaining their educational goals. Your financial support is an investment in quality and excellence for our students.

Below are six funds that provide direct support to students; additional links to other campus funds are provided as well. I hope you will consider making a donation to one of them and help to shape the future of USFSP.

Karen A. White, Regional Chancellor

campaign website: https://giving.usf.edu/asp/facultystaff_area.asp?a=st%

Final Friday Features Twilight Jazz by the Bay

This month, chill out on Harborside Lawn with colleagues and community members for Final Friday, March 26 at 5 pm. This month's Final Friday features a faculty quartet from the USF School of Music.

This month's Final Friday is hosted by Regional Chancellor Karen A. White, DMA, and Associate Vice President for Finance Abdul Nasser. This month's event is free and open to the public. For more information, please call 727-553-4455.

Special for USF St. Petersburg Faculty and Staff

USF President's Trio at the Palladium Offers USFSP Special Ticket Rate

USF faculty, staff and students will receive a special offer of two tickets for the price of one when the USF President's Trio appears at the Palladium Theater, Encore Chamber Music Series, Thursday, March 18.

A reception begins at 6:30 pm with the performance at 7:30. Simply present a valid USF ID to claim the special offer. Ticket prices are $15 for adults, $12 for seniors and $10 for students.
The presentation will review the development of testing of accountability in Florida, and will offer a critique of the contradictions in this approach to accountability in the context of the rhetoric of equal educational opportunity.

Spring Open House For New Students
Wednesday, March 31
6-8 p.m. Campus Activities Center. Please call or email John Vassel if you wish to reserve a table for this event. About 1,800 invitations have been sent to prospective students. Please arrive to the event no later than 5:45.

CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Are you new to USF - St. Petersburg?
Are you interested in an introduction to FAST – our financial accounting system? Learn how to access budget information for your department.

Please contact Betty Keistler at 3-4106 for an appointment.

Faculty/Staff Awards Luncheon
Friday April 2 Noon, Campus Activities Center. RSVP: 3-4490 by Monday March 29 for a free luncheon ticket.

Parking Lot #4 is open for faculty, staff and students with green hangtags. The lot offers more than 100 new parking spaces and is located between Sixth and Seventh Avenues and Second and Third Streets. There is an entrance on Sixth Avenue and another on Seventh Avenue via the alley.

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Calendar of Events

News, Events & Announcements

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USF St. Petersburg Cares

Beach Cleanup

Part of the National Great American Cleanup, Saturday March 20, our campus will be cleaning the Tierra Verde Beach from 9 to 11 am. Families invited! Contact Barry McDowell, mcdowell@stpt.usf.edu if interested.

Shop For A Cause

Burdines-macy's Fundraiser Benefit For The Oasis Program

The Oasis Program is designed to serve children who are at a high risk for dropping out. Most have average or above ability but have records of significant underachievement.

Oasis is their last chance attempt at the 8th grade level to alter their academic decline, to rebuild their self-esteem, and restore within themselves a love for learning.

Faculty/Staff Upcoming Events

Monday, March 22
Walt Harrington, on race and racial issues in news coverage. Poynter Auditorium 7pm

Friday, March 26
Final Friday by the Bay
Sponsored by RC Karen White and AVP Abdul Nasser School of Music Faculty Quartet

Thursday, April 1
Tomorrow’s Leaders Symposium - deadline for submission of student proposals

Thursday, April 1
Campus Safety Initiative
Davis Hall 103
Personal safety, noon; Bicycle safety & theft prevention, 1:30pm; Auto theft & carjacking prevention, 2pm

Friday, April 2 - Friday, April 30
Exhibit commemorating National Sexual Violence Awareness Month - produced by Florida Craftsman, Inc. and Family Service Centers, Inc. Regular Library hours Nelson Poynter Library

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Saturday, April 3
SAPL Book Fair
Produced by the Society for the Advancement of Poynter Library 9:00am - Noon Davis Hall, Room 130

Saturday, April 3
MarineQuest X
10am - 4pm Florida Marine Research Institute 100 8 Avenue SE (next to USF's Knight Oceanographic Research Center)

Wednesday, April 7
Pep Rally to Take Over BayWalk
Rally starts at 12:30 pm at BayWalk

Tuesday, April 20
Tomorrow’s Leaders Symposium
11am - 1pm Davis Hall, Room 130

For more information on these and other events, please call Holly Kickliter at 553-4455 or Sudsy Tschiderer at 553-4842

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