The Monthly Good News  
December, 2021

**Accreditation**

**Awards and Honors**

*School of Human Sciences*
Heather Tillewein has been re-elected as Communications Chair of the LGBTQ Health Caucus for the American Public Health Association (APHA).

Celena Slowick was one of four recipients for the Helen P. Cleary Scholarship for the April 2022 CHES examination.

*School of Psychological and Behavioral Sciences*

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**Books/Book Chapters**

*School of Health Sciences*


**Events**

*School of Aviation*

The Organization of Black Aerospace Professionals (OBAP) took a trip to Nashville to tour Nissan’s corporate flight department where they toured the Bombardier Challenger 600 series aircraft, learned about the professional life of a corporate pilot, and met with the Chief Pilot for Nissan USA, Paul Marciniak.

The OBAP visited the Smyrna/Rutherford County Airport to meet with the Executive and Deputy Directors. The students heard first-hand what it is like to be an airport administrator at a smaller airport and tour the facility.

The OBAP toured the operations center of United Airlines at Nashville International Airport, where they had the chance to get to know two pilots for United Airlines, one of which was conducting their very first trip as a United Airlines’ First Officer.

*School of Health Sciences*

Our CARE 590: Trauma course webinar on Generation to Generation: Healing Racialized Trauma was attended by 25 people from across the country, from New Zealand and from SIU...
The students leading the webinar were Drew Lucas, Jorge Bahena, Alanah Rosas, Jaydeshia Lee, and Jeffrey Payne.

School of Human Sciences
An Interprofessional virtual training event on November 17th brought together 89 participants from our College of Health and Human Sciences (Social Work, Public Health, Rehabilitation Counseling) and School of Medicine (Medical Residents, Lincoln Scholars and Physician Assistants) for a half day. Thanks to faculty members who coordinated the event - Elaine Jurkowski (Social Work), Sharon Smaga & Haley Barke (School of Medicine) - who helped students from various health and helping disciplines learn about each other's roles through a problem-solving experiential case discussion, and guided lectures.

School of Justice and Public Safety
On Thursday, November 4, the School of Justice and Public Safety’s Criminology and Criminal Justice program hosted Piper Kerman, author of Orange is the New Black, at Shryock Auditorium as part of the Elmer H. Johnson Criminology and Criminal Justice Lecture Series.

Grants (submitted and funded)

School of Health Sciences
Illinois Department of Human Services
- Total Funding: $985,640
- Role: Jane Nichols (PI), Katharine Juul, Jeffrey Franklin, etc. (Co-PIs)
- Status: Funded

School of Justice and Public Safety
American Psychology-Law Society (APA Division 41)
- Total Funding: ECP Grant-in-Aid, $5,000
- Title: Peeking through the looking glass: A qualitative exploration of rural residents’ beliefs regarding marginalized criminal justice populations and scientists involved in criminal justice reform
- Role: Tamara Kang: Principal Investigator
- Status: Funded

Patents

Presentations (presented)

School of Health Sciences

School of Human Sciences


School of Justice and Public Safety


**School of Psychological and Behavioral Sciences**


**Press Releases**

*School of Justice and Public Safety*

Criminology and Criminal Justice Associate Professor Raymund Narag’s path to jail reformer was featured on the website *Gulf News*. [https://gulfnews.com/world/from-filipino-prisoner-to-us-professor-story-of-grit-1.1637669787410](https://gulfnews.com/world/from-filipino-prisoner-to-us-professor-story-of-grit-1.1637669787410)

**Publications (in-press and accepted)**

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