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Faculty urged to consider service learning workshop Feb. 6

A last call has gone out to register for the spring Service Learning Workshop and Course Design to be held Friday, Feb. 6, at the Ritter Park Rose Garden in the Room with a View. A Panera lunch for current and interested service learning faculty and community partners will be from noon to 1 p.m.

The interactive workshop, focusing on course construction for those new to service learning or for faculty who want to reorient themselves to service learning will take place from 1 to 4:30 p.m. If you have a specific course in mind, bring all course materials such as syllabi, assignments, with you or come to generate ideas for a future course. Registration can be completed by contacting Dr. Kristi Fondren, service learning director, at fondren@marshall.edu, or by calling the Service Learning office at ext. 6-6018.

Dr. Marie Archambault, associate professor of accounting said, “Adding a service learning component to my course has made me more aware of the community and needs within the community. I have also presented a research paper based on the service learning component of my course. From a student benefit perspective, I have had students get jobs with the entities that they have partnered with as well as get jobs through the network that their supervisors provided. One student has become a very successful member of a local CPA firm based on the recommendation provided to the partner of that firm from his supervisor at his service learning placement. Another student is the CFO for the nonprofit entity that he was partnered with. At least five others have taken jobs, at least for some time, with their partners. I believe that this is the biggest benefit that I have gotten from service learning, opening doors for myself and my students within the community.”
The Marshall Recreation Center will celebrate its 6th anniversary Thursday, Feb. 5. A variety of activities will take place and prizes will be given out, and a membership special will also be offered.

Since opening in 2009, the Marshall Recreation Center has aided many students, employees and members of the community on their journey to a more healthful lifestyle.

Anyone who wishes to join the Recreation Center that day can do so and receive their first month free with a 12-month membership commitment.

Potential new members are eligible to join the Recreation Center if they have an affiliation with Marshall University such as alumni status, or memberships in campus groups such as Big Green.

Members who attend the celebration and participate in at least one fitness class listed below will receive water bottles and other goodies.

A special reception, which is open to the public, will be held in the Rec Center lobby at 12:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

Informational sessions will be available for Marshall employees at 12:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. about joining and learning all the benefits of the Marshall Health Fitness program. Interested employees must have PEIA insurance to participate.

All fitness classes are free and open the entire day of the anniversary.

A full list of the class schedule is listed below. Campus Recreation also will be raffling off a one-year membership along with other great prizes. The raffle will be held at the Welcome Desk and patrons and guests are encouraged to enter to win as they come in the building.

The Rec Center is encouraging members to document the celebration on social media using the hashtag #6YearsStrong.

**Fitness Schedule:**
Cross Training Under Thirty Minutes – 12:15 to 12:45 p.m.
Express Cycle – 5:15 to 5:45 p.m.
Water Training Workshop – 6 to 7 p.m.
Cycle 60 – 6 to 7 p.m.
Buti Yoga – 6:30 to 7:15 p.m.
High Intensity Interval Training –7:30 to 8 p.m.
Hard Core – 8:15 to 8:45 p.m.
Reminder: President, cabinet to hold open houses starting today

Beginning today, Wednesday, Feb. 4, Interim President Gary White and members of the university’s senior management team will be hosting informal monthly open houses for members of the Marshall University community.

The open houses will be held from 3-4 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month in the reception area of the Office of University Communications, 213 Old Main.

“We want to give students, faculty and staff an opportunity to ‘drop in’ and discuss an idea or suggestion, or to ask a question in a relaxed environment,” said Ginny Painter, senior vice president for communications and marketing. “With the legislature in session, the beginning of the presidential search and the kick-off of the Marshall 2020 implementation phase, we know people have questions and concerns, so we want to be sure we are as accessible and transparent as possible. I hope folks will mark their calendars to stop by for a few minutes each month, have some refreshments and chat.”

For more information, call Painter at 304-696-4621.

Turtles available for Valentine’s Day; quantities are limited

For that special gift for Valentine’s Day, Marshall University Women’s Studies is selling Valentine’s Day turtles in limited quantities. Each turtle is handmade with a felt heart on its back, which can be embroidered with initials to your specifications. Proceeds benefit Branches Domestic Violence Shelter. The turtles are ten dollars each. To order, contact Jill Treftz (treftz@marshall.edu or ext. 66699) by Friday, Feb. 6.
Internationally recognized kidney specialist and sodium pump researcher to speak as part of MIIR lecture series

One of the world’s leading kidney authorities and researchers will be speaking next week at Marshall University.

Dr. Anita Aperia, professor of pediatrics at Karolinska Institutet in Stockholm and a former member of the Nobel Assembly, is widely recognized for her groundbreaking research contributions to medicine’s understanding of how the kidneys function in health and disease.

Her talk titled “The Physiological Function of Na+/K+-ATPase” will begin at 1 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 12, in Room 101 of the Robert C. Byrd Biotechnology Science Center.

The free event is part of a series of public lectures hosted by the Marshall Institute for Interdisciplinary Research.

Research at MIIR is focused on Na+/K+-ATPase—a protein often referred to as the “sodium potassium pump” because it directs many cellular processes in the heart, kidney and other tissues. By studying how this cellular signaling occurs, the institute’s researchers are working to develop new treatments for cancer, heart and kidney disease.

A native of Sweden, Aperia graduated from the Karolinska Institutet medical school and received her Ph.D. training at Yale University. She has been at the Karolinska Institutet since 1976, and as chairman of the department of pediatrics from 1987-99, was the founder and project leader for Astrid Lindgren Children’s Hospital, the largest children’s hospital in Northern Europe.

In 1987, she was appointed to the Nobel Assembly for Physiology or Medicine in Stockholm, where she served as a member until 2003. From 1991-96, she was a member of the Nobel Committee and in 2001 she was the first woman to chair the Nobel Assembly.
She has served as a council member of the International Society of Nephrology, the International Pediatric Society of Nephrology and the European Society of Nephrology and has been the recipient of numerous prestigious awards.

A dedicated teacher, Aperia has trained numerous undergraduate students and pediatric residents, and has supervised nearly 50 Ph.D. students and 30 postdoctoral fellows. She also has published approximately 300 original papers, 40 review articles and 10 textbook chapters.

In addition to the public lecture, Aperia will present Grand Rounds in the Department of Pediatrics at Cabell Huntington Hospital at 8 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 13. Her topic will be “How being a pediatric nephrologist has influenced my scientific work and vice versa.”

MIIR is Marshall’s key vehicle to advancing regional economic development through entrepreneurship and commercialization of scientific discoveries. Scientists at the institute are developing an intensive program of biotechnology research dedicated to producing patentable scientific breakthroughs and creating new businesses based on those discoveries.

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**Valentine’s edition of Kids’ Night Out set for Friday, Feb. 13, at Rec Center**

Parents who would like to have their own special night out can drop off their kids at the Recreation Center for a special Valentine’s Day Edition of Kids’ Night Out from 5 to 9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 13.

Children ages 4-12 are welcome and will be entertained in a fun, safe environment. They will experience climbing on the Rec Center’s rock wall, swimming in the indoor pool, playing basketball on the courts and having a pizza party. Each child must be potty trained.

The cost for members is $15 ($10 for each additional sibling), and the cost for non-members is $20 ($15 for each additional sibling). Cash, credit cards or checks made out to the Campus Rec Club will be accepted.

Forms and waivers for this event can be found on [www.marshallcampusrec.com](http://www.marshallcampusrec.com). Parents are asked to return the forms to the Recreation Center Welcome Desk or mail them to: Marshall Recreation Center, Attn: Dan Belcher.

Kids’ Night Out will be occurring throughout the 2015 spring season. Dates for each night out are:

**Upcoming Kids’ Night Out Dates:**

- Friday, March 6, from 5 to 9 p.m.
- Friday, April 3, from 5 to 9 p.m.
- Friday, May 8, from 5 to 9 p.m.

For more information, call Dan Belcher, Facility Operations Coordinator, at ext.6-4651.
Three investigators join Marshall Institute for Interdisciplinary Research

Three investigators have joined the Marshall Institute for Interdisciplinary Research.

Research at the institute is focused on a protein, Na/K-ATPase, that directs many cellular processes in the heart, kidney and other tissues. By studying how this cellular signaling occurs, MIIR researchers are working to develop new treatments for cancer, heart and kidney disease.

Dr. Jinsong Hao, an assistant professor of pharmaceutical sciences and research at the School of Pharmacy since 2013, has been named adjunct assistant investigator at MIIR. An expert in drug formulation and drug delivery to the nail, eye and inner ear, Hao obtained her bachelor of engineering degree and Ph.D., both in pharmaceutics, from Shenyang Pharmaceutical University in China. Before joining Marshall, she held various academic and research appointments at the School of Pharmacy of the National University of Singapore, the College of Pharmacy of Nova Southeastern University in Florida and the College of Pharmacy at the University of Cincinnati. She has more than 40 publications in peer-reviewed journals and has published several book chapters.

Dr. Jiang Liu, an associate professor in the Department of Pharmacology, Physiology and Toxicology at the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, has been named MIIR associate investigator. He holds an M.D. from Peking University School of Medicine and a Ph.D. from the Chinese Academy of Preventive Medicine. Before joining Marshall in 2012, he was an assistant professor in the Department of Medicine at the University of Toledo. Liu’s research at MIIR focuses on how endogenous cardiotonic steroids stimulate Na/K-ATPase signaling and its role in renal pathophysiology.

Dr. M. Isabel Larre Perez has been named assistant investigator in residence. She obtained her bachelor’s degree in experimental biology from the Metropolitan Autonomous University of Mexico and earned a master’s degree and a Ph.D. in cellular and molecular physiology, both from the Center for Research and Advanced Studies of National Polytechnic Institute (CINVESTAV) in Mexico. In 2012, she secured a postdoctoral fellowship from the Institute of Science and Technology, Rosalind Franklin, at CINVESTAV in Mexico City. She most recently was on the faculty of CINVESTAV, where she had served since 2013 as a visiting professor in the Department of Neurosciences, Biophysics and Cell Physiology. Her research at MIIR focuses on receptor pathway in the regulation of epithelial cell physiology.

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For more information, visit www.marshall.edu/miir.
Mountain Stage to celebrate Mardi Gras at the Keith-Albee Performing Arts Center Feb. 15

West Virginia’s own live radio program, Mountain Stage with Larry Groce, is returning to Huntington with a Mardi Gras-themed party just in time for Fat Tuesday. This live show, featuring famed New Orleans pianist, Allen Toussaint, jazz guitar great John Pizzarelli and Americana songstress Caroline Rose will be at the Keith-Albee Performing Arts Center Sunday, Feb. 15, at 7 p.m.

Founded in 1983 in Charleston, Mountain Stage has transformed public radio with live performances for over 30 years. Each show is recorded in front of a live audience with 3 to 5 guest artists and broadcast to more than 150 National Public Radio stations nationwide and internationally via the Voice of America radio. Mountain Stage records 26 shows per year. Most take place at the Culture Center Theatre in Charleston.

Legendary pianist and composer Allen Toussaint hails from New Orleans, the original birthplace of jazz. He will bring precise technical skill and his honey-toned singing voice to this Mardi Gras celebration. Toussaint is a renowned songwriter and producer, who’s celebrated for his distinctively deft and funky feel on the piano and he is still active after more than 50 years in the business. Toussaint is a member of the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and has written songs for Glen Campbell, Ringo Starr and Paul McCartney, to name a few.

John Pizzarelli, the world-renowned jazz guitarist and singer, was called “hip with a wink” by Town & Country, “madly creative” by the Los Angeles Times and “the genial genius of the guitar” by The Toronto Star. When he has performed with his wife, singer/actress Jessica Molaskey, and his father, guitar legend Bucky Pizzarelli, they were labeled “the First Family of Cool” by the San Francisco Chronicle and “the von Trapps on martinis” by The New Yorker

Pizzarelli has played with legends like Les Paul, Slam Stewart, and Benny Goodman. This will be his fifth appearance on Mountain Stage since 1999, bringing his quartet for a special extended set that will make up the show’s second hour. Pizzarelli has appeared on America’s most popular television shows including “The Tonight Show with Jay Leno,” “Late Night with Jimmy Fallon,” “The Late Show with David Letterman,” “Conan” and many more.
Young Caroline Rose will bring a traveler’s sensibility and rockabilly tunes flavored with country and blues to the stage. Rose captured much attention with her debut album “I Will Not Be Afraid.” She describes the 11 songs on the album as “postcards I’ve picked up from along the road,” literally as she tours the country in the van that she also lives in. With what has been described as her “peaches and molasses voice,” she sings songs of storm clouds and open skies inside the American heart.

Rose said, “So many people are held back by fear. They wish they could do something else with their lives, and they just can’t take the first step. I grew up questioning everything and learned that I needed to be on my own. I needed freedom and I needed to create on my own terms and to keep moving forward without fear, wherever I go.”

The live Mardi Gras celebration will be aired on NPR stations at a later date.

Tickets for Mountain Stage are available at the Marshall Artists Series box office, located in the Joan C. Edwards Performing Arts Center, Box office hours are Monday-Friday from noon to 5 p.m.

Mountain stage is sponsored by Reger Funeral Home, Triffecta Productions, the Office of Multicultural Affairs, KEE 100, Oldies 97.1, WSAZ, the Herald-Dispatch and Marshall University.

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Crum joins the Marshall University Alumni Association after more than six years as the media and public
relations manager for the International Hot Rod Association (IHRA) in Norwalk, Ohio, where he oversaw the daily media and PR functions for one of the largest motorsports sanctioning bodies in the United States.

Prior to that, from 2004 to 2009, Crum worked as sports editor at Ohio Valley Publishing, which included newspapers in Gallipolis, Ohio, Pomeroy, Ohio, and Point Pleasant. Crum is a native of Point Pleasant.

“I am thrilled to have this wonderful opportunity to return home and give back to Marshall University. Marshall has been a big part of my life and I look forward to supporting the many wonderful programs, events and opportunities that the Marshall University Alumni Association affords to Herd alumni around the globe,” Crum said. “Right now is a very exciting time to be here and I truly look forward to working with the university, students and MU alumni in promoting this great institution.”

Matt Hayes, executive director of Alumni Relations, said Crum is a tremendous addition to the alumni relations team.

“His extensive experience in the area of event planning and execution will provide our organization with both fresh perspective and the ability to continue our tradition of creating memorable experiences for all alumni and friends of Marshall University,” Hayes said.

Crum plans to use social media to grow the alumni membership. While working with the IHRA, he generated record growth utilizing social media campaigns, live event coverage, unique fan interaction and contests using Twitter, Facebook, Instagram and YouTube.

“We are very fortunate to attract and add Larry Crum to our alumni relations staff,” said Dr. Ron Area, chief executive officer of the Marshall Foundation Inc. “His career experiences and expertise in multiple areas of marketing and social media complement the new avenues we are pursuing in alumni relations.”

Crum’s wife, Amanda, graduated from Marshall with a business degree in 2008. They are the parents of Peyton, who is 3 years old.

“There are a lot of big things coming around,” Crum said. “There’s a lot of potential here. I just want to help in any little way I can.”
Marshall biomechanics expert to conduct medical testing on 300-plus collegiate athletes at NFL Combine

Dr. Suzanne Konz of the College of Health Professions, is heading to next month’s NFL Combine to assist in the medical evaluation of more than 300 professional football hopefuls.

Konz, director of the biomechanics laboratory and an associate professor in the college, said this is her seventh year attending the combine to conduct isokinetic testing on collegiate athletes from across the U.S.

“Isokinetic testing is a speed-based test which measures the strength and endurance of a muscle. This type of testing is necessary to determine the stability of the knee and possible longevity of these athletes,” Konz said. “To be invited back for the seventh year in a row gives me the opportunity to build upon my knowledge of these testing devices, which benefits our own athletes here at Marshall University.”

Konz said isokinetic testing was performed on members of the Marshall football, basketball, soccer and baseball teams this past year. Brandi Anders, assistant athletic trainer for the Marshall women’s basketball and tennis teams, said the information provided by the isokinetic testing helps show if the players were at risk for injury or already had an injury, which may need to be addressed further.

“We conducted the test twice: once at the beginning of the semester and again following their pre-season. We compared results to see if the athletes had improved their muscle balance between the hamstring and quadriceps. Additionally, we will conduct testing following the season and going into their off-season workouts,” Anders said. “Dr. K does an excellent job of explaining the benefits of this testing to the athlete and the gains it can help him or her achieve athletically. By providing these numbers, the athletes can focus more on ways to improve their body and decrease risk of injury moving forward.”
Dr. Gary McIlvain, chair of the School of Kinesiology and associate dean for the college, said many people do not know the benefits of studying biomechanics and how the university has its own expert here on the Huntington campus.

“Dr. Konz and her expertise in isokinetic testing is a valuable resource for the School of Kinesiology programs, our students and campus athletes. Her experience in testing Olympic, collegiate and professional athletes is a resource students seek out when learning to administer and interpret isokinetic testing,” McIlvain said. “There is nothing that brings the classroom to life more than real-life experience and that is exactly what Suzanne Konz brings to those studying biomechanics here at Marshall University.”

Konz will travel to Lucas Oil Field in Indianapolis Feb. 16-20 for the 2015 NFL Combine. Media are invited to attend an isokinetic testing demonstration at 2 p.m. today, Wednesday, Feb. 4, in the Athletic Training Laboratory located in Gullickson Hall room 209.

Noted Lincoln scholar to speak at next Amicus Curiae Lecture

The Amicus Curiae lecture series, sponsored by the Simon Perry Center for Constitutional Democracy at Marshall University, will mark the 150th anniversary of Abraham Lincoln's celebrated Second Inaugural Address with Dr. Lucas Morel, professor of ethics and politics and head of the politics department at Washington and Lee as the featured speaker.

The lecture will take place at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 19, in the Marshall University Foundation Hall, Home of the Erickson Alumni Center, on the Huntington campus.

Morel, a noted Lincoln scholar, is the author of Lincoln’s Sacred Effort: Defining Religion’s Role in American Self-Government (2000) and is the editor of Ralph Ellison and the Raft of Hope: A Political

Morel earned his B.A. *cum laude* from the Claremont Graduate University and his M.A. and Ph.D. from the Claremont Graduate University.

Abraham Lincoln’s Second Inaugural Address is known most famously for its closing exhortation, “With malice toward none, with charity for all,” but the bulk of his 700-word speech was devoted not to the president’s plans for the future but to a recollection of the past. Lincoln offered an interpretation of the war and slavery as a way to reunite the divided nation. The war’s devastation, Lincoln supposed, was God’s punishment for the national sin of slavery, and the eradication of the country’s slavery, and not simply the preservation of the Union, was a just outcome of the conflict. Only with a common memory of the nation’s greatest trial could Americans have any hope that Reconstruction would succeed. The refusal to accept Lincoln’s reading of the war postponed Americans’ “new birth of freedom” for almost a century.

The lecture, which is free and open to the public, is supported by a grant from the West Virginia Humanities Council.

**CSX makes $25,000 gift to Rahall Appalachian Transportation Institute**

CSX Corporation presented a gift of $25,000 to the Rahall Appalachian Transportation Institute, a National University Transportation Center based at Marshall, in a ceremony Jan. 16. The gift increased the total amount of donations from CSX to Marshall to more than $814,000 since 1984, according to Dr. Ron Area, CEO of the Marshall University Foundation Inc.

Randy Cheetham, regional vice president for CSX, presented the check to Frank Betz, RTI’s executive director and CEO.
“The Rahall Transportation Institute has become a great partner with CSX,” Cheetham said. “We’ve worked with them on several research projects, and we’ve found them to be a tremendous resource. We’re very fortunate to have them right here in our own backyard.”

Betz called CSX “a great company” that has been partnering with RTI in rail research for a long time. “We appreciate this latest donation,” he said.

Betz said this donation is going towards future advancements in technology and research at RTI.

Cheetham added, “We have a long history with Marshall University and we are very proud of that partnership. We want to continue to keep it strong and to keep it going.”

CSX Corporation, based in Jacksonville, Fla., is one of the nation’s leading transportation companies, providing rail, intermodal and rail-to-truck transload services. The company’s transportation network spans approximately 21,000 miles, with service to 23 eastern states and the District of Columbia, and connects to more than 70 ocean, river and lake ports.

RTI is a leader in multimodal transportation and economic development. It is recognized by the U.S. Department of Transportation for transportation excellence focused on applied technology, research, education, outreach and training.

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*Photo: From left, Lance West, MU’s vice president for development; Frank Betz, executive director and CEO of the Rahall Appalachian Transportation Institute; Randy Cheetham, regional vice president with CSX; Gary White, interim president; Michael Sellards, chairman of the Marshall board of governors, and Dr. Ron Area, CEO of the Marshall Foundation Inc., pose with a check for $25,000 presented from CSX to RTI. Photo by Rick Haye.*
Women Connect’s blanket drive underway; deadline is Feb. 27

Women Connect is sponsoring a blanket drive/contest for Mission WV for school-age children in foster care. All handmade blankets from quilts to fleece-tie blankets are welcome. Individuals and organizations may enter to vie for two $100 prizes—one for most artistic and one for greatest quantity.

Blankets may be taken to the Women’s Center in Prichard Hall 143. The deadline is Friday, Feb. 27.

“We did this project last year and it was a huge success, and the blankets were donated locally,” said Amy Saunders, director of student health education programs. “MU Women Connect members focus their efforts on issues that affect women and children, especially in our local area. This year our focus has been on the incarceration of women and its effects on the women and children.”
Faculty Achievement: Dr. Jason Morrissette

Dr. Jason Morrissette, associate professor of political science and director of the international affairs program, recently had research published in the Marine Corps University Journal, titled “Beyond 2014: Afghanistan’s Agricultural Revival, Water Scarcity, and Regional Security.” He co-authored it with Douglas A. Borer from the Naval Postgraduate School.

In a summary, the article was described as examining efforts underway in Afghanistan to shift away from poppy cultivation and revive the country’s “legitimate” agricultural sector. These initiatives have the potential to both promote economic development as well as disrupt the funding that the Taliban receives from the illicit opium trade. Afghanistan’s agricultural revival has broader regional consequences, specifically, that the expansion of agricultural productivity into new crops requires additional fresh water. This article examines how Afghanistan’s growing need for freshwater resources, estimated to increase by as much as 20 percent in the years ahead, is likely to generate competition and perhaps even conflict with its neighboring states in Central Asia. In turn, the authors argue that what is best for Afghanistan — that is, expanding the country’s capacity to grow traditional crops — may have negative consequences for regional security in Central Asia as a whole. They propose that a measured approach accounting for broader regional concerns is imperative for the United States and other international actors who are assisting in Afghanistan’s recovery. The article appeared in the Fall 2014 issue of the Marine Corps University Journal, which is available for free download at http://www.mcu.usmc.mil/mcu_press/Pages/JournalCat.aspx).

Faculty Achievement: Dr. Jeffrey Powell

Dr. Jeffrey Powell, professor of philosophy and a John Deaver Drisko Fellow, gave an invited talk at DePaul University Friday, Jan. 30. The title of his talk was “Historical Materialism: Benjamin and Heidegger.”

In addition, he recently received notice that Indiana University Press is anticipating a publication date of December 2015, for his translation (with Will McNeill of DePaul University) of Martin Heidegger’s Die Geschichte des Seyns. The English title is The History of Beyng.

Faculty Achievement: John Sammons


It has been adopted for classroom use in schools across the United States as well as Italy and Croatia, and has also been translated into Korean.
Career Services announces spring event schedule

Marshall University Career Services has scheduled a number of career-related events for students this semester. Events scheduled to date are as follows:

**Main Events:**

*March 3, Spring Etiquette Dinner*
- All current students, with preference to juniors, seniors and graduate students

*March 10, Educator Expo*
- All education students and alumni, others with interest in teaching

*March 25, Spring Job-a-Palooza*
- Part-time employment and internship event in student center lobby

*April 8, Spring Career Expo*
- Full time employment, part-time employment and internship opportunities – over 85 tables are expected.

**Information Sessions:**

*Feb. 19, IBM at 5 p.m., MSC Room 2W22*
- Learn about careers with IBM – everyone welcome

*April 15, Target at 4 p.m., Career Services Office*
- Learn about internship and management careers with Target

**Interview Opportunities on the Huntington campus**

Students can apply for interviews through their Jobtrax accounts. They sign in through MyMU, click the JobTrax logo on the Launch Pad.

*Feb. 9-10, The AroundCampus Group, Career Services Office*
- Interview for sales and marketing internship
Feb. 10, Papa John’s Pizza, Memorial Student Center
- Open interviews for various positions

Feb. 11, WV Power Baseball, Career Services Office
- Interview for food service, hospitality, and general internships

Feb. 18, CVS Health, Career Services Office
- Interview for leadership management program

Feb. 20, IBM Global Business Services, Career Services Offices
- Interview for entry level application development specialist

April 22, Target Corporation Career Services Office
- Interview for executive team leader and executive internship

For more information on any of these events contact MU Career Services at ext. 6-2370.

Marshall’s tuba ensemble plays at US Army Band Workshop
The Marshall University tuba/euphonium ensemble performed at the United States Army Band’s annual Tuba-Euphonium Workshop for the first time. Their performance took place last weekend in Fort Myer, Virginia.

Sgt. Maj. Donald “Don” J. Palmire Jr., group leader of the army band’s tuba-euphonium workshop, said Marshall’s ensemble, selected as one of the best based on knowledge of the group’s director, gained exposure.

Their performance at the workshop allowed hundreds of amateurs and professionals alike to enjoy their music, Palmire said.

Conductor Dr. George Palton, adjunct professor of tuba and euphonium at Marshall, said the Marshall students and Huntington community members, who number nearly 20, were highlighted during their exclusive concert. “It’s a very good opportunity for our students,” Palton said.

The ensemble traveled with the support of the College of Arts and Media, Student Government Association and the university’s chapter of the International Tuba/Euphonium Association via a travel grant.

The next issue of *We Are...Marshall* will be distributed Feb. 11, 2015. Please send any materials for consideration to Pat Dickson by 5 p.m. Monday, Feb. 9.