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School of Medicine welcomes Class of 2023 with White Coat Ceremony

The Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine welcomed its newest class of students with the annual White Coat Ceremony July 26, at the Keith-Albee Performing Arts Center.

The Class of 2023 includes students from a variety of backgrounds, including an attorney, a national champion baton twirler, a former coal miner and numerous college athletes. The class includes alumni from Georgetown University, The Ohio State University, University of Kentucky, Washington and Lee University, West Virginia University and many others, as well as eight legacy students, meaning one or both parents are Marshall School of Medicine alumni. Other interesting statistics include the following:

- 79% are West Virginia residents
- 56% are males; 44% are females
- 88% were science majors
- The average age is 24 years old

The White Coat Ceremony, during which incoming students receive their first white coats, stethoscopes and medical instruments, was first introduced at Marshall in 1996. It is considered a rite of passage for first-year students and is designed to instill the values of professionalism, humanism and compassionate care.
The ceremony’s keynote address was delivered by Nadim Bou Zgheib, M.D., associate professor in the department of obstetrics and gynecology at the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine and a board-certified gynecologist and director of gynecologic oncology for Marshall Health and Edwards Comprehensive Cancer Center. Bou Zgheib is the 2018 recipient of the Arnold P. Gold Foundation’s Leonard Tow Award, which recognizes faculty members who demonstrate clinical excellence and outstanding compassion in the delivery of medical care and who show respect for patients, their families and health care colleagues.

Other speakers included John Castillo, president of the Class of 2022; Bobby L. Miller, M.D., vice dean for medical student education; and Wesley Wright, a fourth-year medical student and president of the Gold Humanism in Medicine Honor Society.

Since 2006, the Touma family, including Joseph B. Touma, M.D., a retired ear, nose and throat specialist and former chair of the Marshall University Board of Governors, and his wife, Omayma T. Touma, M.D., retired medical director of the Cabell-Huntington Health Department, have generously donated funds to provide each student with a stethoscope. Their son, B. Joseph Touma, M.D., presented the gifts during the ceremony. More than 115 School of Medicine alumni, family and friends sponsored the white coats and medical instruments for the Class of 2023.

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RCBI, LIGHTS team up to offer free small business workshops

The Robert C. Byrd Institute (RCBI) is partnering with Ohio University's LIGHTS Regional Innovation Network to offer two free workshops to help small business owners and entrepreneurs understand how to use value proposition and business models to develop their ideas, products and services.

The Small Business IDEAation Workshop will take place Wednesday, Aug. 21, from 1 to 4 p.m. Instructors from the LIGHTS Network will provide a hands-on introduction to the Strategyzer Value Proposition Canvas. Participants will learn how to use the canvas to help them clearly explain their ideas, critically assess how their ideas create value for their customers and assess their competition. Participants may register for this workshop at www.rcbi.org/go/IDEAation.

The following week, on Wednesday, Aug. 28, from 1 to 4 p.m., the Small Business VALIDation Workshop will walk participants through the Strategyzer Business Model Canvas. The instructor will help participants take the information they learned from the previous week’s value proposition workshop and develop a strategy to deliver their products or services. The workshop will help participants map out their ideas, uncover opportunities and differentiate themselves from their competition. Participants may register for this workshop at www.rcbi.org/go/VALIDation.

Both workshops will be at RCBI Huntington (1050 Fourth Avenue). Lunch will be provided.
PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION

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HOW COULD RESTORATIVE JUSTICE BENEFIT KIDS IN WV?

PRESENTED BY DR. KENNETH LANG, PH.D.

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ROOM 117

PLEASE RSVP TO KEIGAN AABEL-BROWN
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You are invited to join the Marshall Recreation Center for the premier event of the year Saturday, Aug. 24, from noon to 3 p.m. RecFest is an opportunity to showcase your business or organization not only to Marshall students, but to the entire Marshall community.

RecFest is the perfect place to connect and collaborate with Huntington and to expose your brand to thousands of incoming Marshall students. We hope you can join us, as we anticipate this to be the largest and greatest RecFest yet. There are new and exciting plans already in place for this year’s event.

**New for 2019:** Take on the 90s and decorate your booth to match the theme! Whether it be a blast from the past or funky clothes, we know you can rock it! There will be two prize categories with one winner in each (MU Department/Organization and Non-Affiliate Business/Organization). Judging will take place at 11:30 a.m. on the day of RecFest.

**Important Dates to remember:** Registration closes Wednesday, Aug. 21; exhibitor set-up takes place Friday, Aug. 23, from 5-7 p.m. and Saturday, Aug. 24, from 9-11:30 a.m. RecFest takes place from noon to 3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 24, at the Rec.

**Booth Space:** As a vendor, you will receive a 6’ x 2.5’ table in an 8’ x 10’ space. In addition, the space will be accompanied by two chairs.

We look forward to having you as a vendor at the 2019 RecFest event; reserve your space today! Contact Kayla Dodd by e-mail at dodd18@marshall.edu for registration questions. Download the vendor prospectus booklet for the full details and registration packet. To download just the application, click **HERE**.

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Rec Center’s Fall Swim School begins Aug. 26

The Marshall Rec Center is kicking off its Fall 2019 Swim School, offering three sessions of classes, each with lessons for nearly every age range.

The sessions are as follows:

Session 1: Aug. 26 through Sept. 28

Session 2: Sept. 30 through Nov. 2

Session 3: Nov. 4 through Dec. 7

Classes are offered at multiple age and skill levels. Swim Tots, for children ages 2-3, is a parent and child course focused on making children comfortable in and around the water. Preschool 1, 2, and 3 are for children ages 3-4 and focus on the children gaining independence in the water. Swim School Levels 1-5 are for children ages 5-13, and focus on developing specific skills in the water.

Each session of classes is priced at $40 for members and $55 for non-members. For full details and the times of the classes, view the full schedule online. Group Lessons can be registered for in person at the Pro Shop in the Marshall Recreation Center or they can be registered for online at https://www.marshall.edu/campusrec/programs/aquatics/.

For more information contact Eric Becker, the coordinator of aquatics and safety, by e-mail at beckere@marshall.edu, or by phone at 304-696-3653.
# Marshall Rec

## Swim School

**Fees adjusted for classes on 9/2, 11/25, 11/26 & 11/30.**

*MEMBER | $32
*NON-MEMBER | $44

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**MEMBER $40**  
**NON-MEMBER $55**

Register at the Pro Shop  
or visit us online  
www.marshall.edu/campusrec

Contact Eric Becker for more info.  
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The Marshall University Board of Governors
and
President Jerome A. Gilbert

request the honor of your presence
at the dedication of

Stephen J. Kopp Hall
School of Pharmacy Academic Building

Corner of Charleston Avenue and Hal Greer Boulevard
Huntington, West Virginia

Friday, September 13, 2019 • 3 p.m.

Reception and tours to follow. Parking available in adjacent university lots.
The Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, Marshall Health and Mountain Health Network medical and dental staff welcome Jason Mader, D.O., to their team of cardiologists. Mader has been named an assistant professor in the department of cardiovascular services at the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine. He specializes in both invasive and noninvasive cardiology. The invasive branch of cardiology uses open or minimally invasive procedures to identify or treat abnormalities within the heart and vascular structures. These include coronary angiograms, peripheral angiograms, pacemakers and implantable defibrillators. Noninvasive includes echocardiography, stress testing, vascular ultrasound and medical care.

He earned his medical degree from the West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine in Lewisburg, West Virginia, followed by a general surgery residency at Charleston Area Medical Center in Charleston, West Virginia. Mader came to Marshall University in 2013 to complete his internal medicine residency, followed by a cardiology fellowship, also at Marshall University.

Mader is accepting new patients and referrals at Marshall Cardiology, an outpatient department of Cabell Huntington Hospital, located in the Erma Ora Byrd Clinical Center at 1249 15th Street in Huntington. For appointments and referrals, call 304-691-8500.

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Faculty Achievement: Dr. Thomas Wilson

Dr. Thomas E. Wilson, professor of physics, presented a contributed paper at the Nonlinear Optics Meeting of the Optical Society of America, held July 15-19 at Waikoloa Beach, Hawai‘i. His talk was given within the session Terahertz Emission and Propagation, and was titled “Evidence for a Terahertz Acoustic Phonon Phase-Conjugate Oscillator with Distributed Feedback.” Such an oscillator shares many of the characteristics of a Saser (sound amplification by the stimulated emission of radiation), but unlike the two other Sasers reported to date, produces no waste heat. He acknowledged generous support from an WV Science and Technology Opportunity (HEPC) Grant and a Quinlan award.

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For more information, contact Jennifer Brown at 304-696-2370 or career@marshall.edu
Career Planning & Internship Program
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By hosting an international intern, not only will you provide them opportunities to gain valuable skills and knowledge, your office will also benefit from their unique educational and professional backgrounds which provide fresh perspectives on a range of tasks and projects.
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Program Partner Benefits
- International language support
- Cultural liaisons and diverse perspectives
- Engage with potential future employees

Contact Anastasia Artayet Shepherd at 304-696-2368 or artayet@marshall.edu to sign up or for more information.
School of Kinesiology faculty recognized for advocacy, service

The West Virginia Athletic Training Association (WVATA) received the Dan Campbell Legislative Award from the National Athletic Training Association (NATA) during its Clinical Symposium and AT Expo earlier this month. The award recognizes WVATA’s successful campaign to pass 2019 Senate Bill 60, a bill requiring board licensure for all practicing athletic trainers in West Virginia. Marshall faculty members Dr. Zach Garrett and Dr. Suzanne Konz, and Tom Belmaggio, director of the Marshall University Sports Medicine Institute, were all commended for their advocacy for the legislation.

NATA, the professional membership association for certified athletic trainers, holds the expo to unite athletic training professionals, provide continuing education opportunities and create a forum for students and faculty to discuss research findings.

Garrett, president-elect of the WVATA, said that “winning the Dan Campbell Award was a great achievement, as it recognizes our state association’s countless efforts in passing licensure for athletic trainers in the state of West Virginia. The passing of licensure for athletic trainers is a huge step forward in assuring qualified health care professionals are providing health care to student-athletes and patients across the state.”

Marshall University faculty also contributed research, received awards and provided service to the athletic training during the expo.

Garrett, program director of the athletic training program at Marshall, was invited by NATA to speak during an educational session titled “Don’t Bet Your Career: Understanding the Issues of Sports Gambling and How It May Affect the Athletic Trainer.”

Konz, associate professor of biomechanics, and Dr. Mark Timmons, associate professor of post-certification athletic training, served as moderators for presentations during the expo.

Former program director and Marshall alumnus Dr. Joseph Beckett received the NATA Most Distinguished Athletic Trainer Award.

For more information about the Marshall University athletic training program, contact Dr. Gary McIlvain, chair of the School of Kinesiology, at mcilvain2@marshall.edu or 304-696-6490.
In Memoriam: Dr. Joe Roberts

Posted on July 31, 2019

Dr. Joe Roberts, professor emeritus of chemistry who lived in Amity, Georgia, and Huntington, passed away Jan. 14.

He was a professor of chemistry at Marshall for 31 years and shared his love of science with generations of Marshall students. He also taught at the Huntington Fire Department, combining his professional interest in chemistry with his personal interest in firefighting and safety. He also had both a professional and personal interest in computers dating back to his graduate school days. After his retirement in 1997, he and his wife, June, spent time in both Huntington and in her hometown of Amity.

He was born and raised in Atlanta and graduated from Brown High School and Oglethorpe University in Atlanta, then went on to the University of South Dakota and the University of Cincinnati where he received his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in chemistry.

Music was one of his lifelong passions. He played bass in the Atlanta Symphony and in amateur orchestras and jazz bands, and played guitar and sang in country bands and with family and friends.

He was Scoutmaster of Boy Scout Troop 700 in Huntington for many years and led countless camping trips, canoe trips, hikes and other outings over the years. Some of the same boys were also on the baseball teams he coached.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Marshall Department of Chemistry, 450 Science Building, 1 John Marshall Drive, Huntington, WV 25755.

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Is your department budget a little tight?

Save money on your office supplies!

We have gently used and new office supplies which have been collected from various areas on campus who no longer need/use them.

What do we have? Things such as:
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- Binders of all sizes
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- File trays
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If you have any questions, just let me know.
Cathy Lawson Email: lawsonc@marshall.edu

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Marshall Dentistry offers teeth whitening discount for employees

Marshall Dentistry and Oral Surgery is offering 30% off its in-chair whitening services for Marshall Health, Marshall University and Cabell Huntington Hospital employees now through Aug. 31, 2019. Tooth discoloration or staining can be caused by food and drink, bad habits, medications, genetics, advancing age and/or trauma. Professional whitening is a fast, easy way to enhance your smile. Our dental team uses Opalescence® Boost whitening gel to remove years of discoloration in one visit. This service is performed in our office without the use of lights or lasers. To schedule an appointment, call 304-691-1247.

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