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DID YOU KNOW?

Lindenwood University is the third-oldest university west of the Mississippi. Saint Louis University is the oldest, founded in 1818 followed by Centenary College of Louisiana, founded in 1825.

STUDENT SPOTLIGHT: Lauren Roberts

"Hi, my name is Lauren Roberts! I'm a sophomore at Lindenwood majoring in Environmental Science with a minor in chemistry and a certificate in GIS. Some of the things I'm involved here on campus are Tri Sigma as Vice President of New Memeber Education, Sophomore Year Council, Order of Omega, and Self Care Care Club! Over summer I also had the amazing privilege to be a Lion Leader helping welcome all of our new students! My favorite part of being here is my job at Campus Activities Board (CAB) planning events like Late Night Breakfast and Floral Fridays. It's given me a great way to be involved and stay active during my four years here!"

-Lauren Roberts

ORGANIZATION SPOTLIGHT: Psychology Interest Club

"Psychology Interest Club focuses on building community and connections that last a lifetime. We welcome all majors and minors. We participate in various campus events like Homecoming week and Dark Carnival. Additionally, we hold biweekly meetings/events and do lots of volunteer work. At the beginning of the academic year, we participated in the Suicide Prevention Walk and later in the year we held a donation drive for St. Patrick Homeless Shelter. In this organization, serving the community is a priority. We work closely with faculty and other student organizations to host events to promote the field of psychology. Psychology Interest Club is a great opportunity for all students to find a welcoming environment to meet new people and build everlasting connections. This year, we were lucky enough to receive Most Supportive Student Organization and Organization of the Year at the Black and Gold Awards. We are excited to see what next year brings!"

Psychology Interest Club President, Mandy Galli

Black and Gold Leadership Awards Spring 2024

The Black and Gold Leadership Awards were on April 11, 2024. This was a time of recognition for students, professors, and organizations for their hard work and achievements during the year. At the conclusion of the ceremony, the 2024-2025 Lindenwood Student Government Executive Board was inducted.
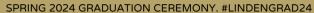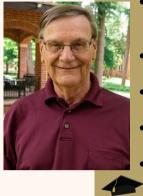
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"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams."
— Eleanor Roosevelt

SPRING 2024 GRADUATION CEREMONY. #LINDENGRAD24

- Commencement ceremonies begin Thursday, May 2, at 7 p.m. with graduate students from the College of Arts and Humanities, Plaster College of Business and Entrepreneurship, and the College of Science, Technology, and Health.
- The Plaster College of Business and Entrepreneurship undergraduate ceremony will be held Friday, May 3, at 7 p.m.
- The College of Science, Technology, and Health undergraduate ceremony will be held Saturday, May 4, at 10 a.m.
- The College of Arts and Humanities undergraduate ceremony will be held Saturday, May 4, at 2 p.m.
- The College of Education and Human Services undergraduate, graduate, specialist, and doctoral ceremony will be held Saturday, May 4, at 6 p.m.

PROFESSOR SPOTLIGHT: David Arns

David H. Arns is an associate professor of marketing in the School of Business and Entrepreneurship at Lindenwood University in St. Charles, Missouri. Professor Arns teaches Principles of Marketing, Public Relations: Communication strategies, and serves as faculty advisor for both undergraduate and graduate students. He also serves as the University's Faculty Athletics Representative. Outside of teaching, Professor Arns serves as a chair of the Tax Increment Financing Committee for the Streets of St. Charles project; is a member of the St. Charles County Parks and Recreation Advisory Board; a member of the St. Charles Lewis & Clark Bicentennial Commission; volunteer for the Lewis & Clark Fife and Drum Corps; member of the board of directors and board president for Youth In Need, a social service agency serving young people age 10 to 21; and volunteer key market coordinator for the Partnership for a Drug-Free America.

THINGS TO DO DURING SUMMER BREAK!

- Travel to new places and explore different cultures.
- Learn a new hobby or skill, such as painting, cooking, or playing a musical instrument.
- Volunteer for a cause that you are passionate about.
- Spend quality time with family and friends, organizing picnics or barbecues.
- Relax and recharge by taking some time for self-care and practicing mindfulness.

STORIES FROM THE ARCHIVES

"Did you know that during World War II the women of Lindenwood raised enough money through the purchase of war bonds and stamps to have a Victory ship and a fighter plane named after the college? Enough money was also raised to supply a ship with a library for the crew."

-Paul Huffman

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