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Teachers Grow Careers the "Wright" Way

Unlike the majority of Idaho's teachers, Shawn Tieg entered the profession with a bachelor's degree in mathematics – not education. But with his December graduation from the University of Idaho, he's solidified his path to continued teaching success. Tieg, a full-time math and science teacher at Nezperce High School, earned a Master of Education from the College of Education. [Read more.](#)

Incorrect Blue Cross and CVS ID Cards

A new Blue Cross of Idaho identification card that references ESI (Express Scripts, Inc.) as the pharmacy benefit manager for your pharmacy benefits was recently sent to you in error. Blue Cross of Idaho is sending a replacement card, to be mailed the week of Jan. 7, 2013. [Read more.](#)

Regulations and Emergency Information to be Aware of "As the Semester Begins"

As the semester begins, it is important that faculty, staff and students review several essential regulations and be aware of emergency contact information. This information can be viewed at: www.uidaho.edu/facultysecretary/assemesterbegins.

Outlook for the New Year

Get a new outlook on the new year by registering for spotlight training from Professional Development and Learning -- Microsoft Outlook: Advanced Features and Functions. Other training sessions include: New Employee Welcome, Benefits Orientation and Creating a Career Development Plan. Register for [upcoming classes](#).

Foltz Named U-Idaho College of Agricultural and Life Sciences Interim Dean

The University of Idaho has named John Foltz as the interim dean of the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences. "John has a broad understanding of the college, its people and its mission, which will be vital in making the transition to a new dean," said M. Duane Nellis, president of the University of Idaho. [Read more](#).

Dig-ing Her Education at Home and Abroad

Whether it's on the intramural court or in the classroom, Chantel Wilkes is a competitive force when it comes to her passions: international studies and volleyball. She's in the first University of Idaho class to graduate with a minor in Asian studies, and she's got a mean spike. After three and a half years studying international studies, including a semester abroad in Japan, the Rathdrum native is looking for her next step after graduation, hopefully on the international scene. [Read more](#).

Annual Award for Excellence in Outreach and Engagement - Call for Nominations

Applications are being sought for the fifteenth annual Excellence in Outreach and Engagement Award. The award recognizes and encourages outstanding accomplishments in outreach and engagement with clientele. Award recipients will receive an honorarium of up to \$5,000, recognition at a formal ceremony and a plaque. Application packets must be complete with the appropriate number of support letters from colleagues and practitioners and submitted to the selection committee by Jan. 22, 2013. Application information is available on the U-Idaho Extension website at www.extension.uidaho.edu/awards/.

17th Student Employee of the Year Is Going Paperless

The nomination form for the Student Employee of the Year Award is now completely electronic and no paper forms are necessary. To nominate your student for SEOY please visit www.uidaho.edu/human-resources/managers/employee-recognition/student-employee-of-the-year/nomination-form. The nomination deadline is Feb. 4, 2013. [Read more](#).

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