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College of Education Receives National Accreditation from NCATE

The University of Idaho College of Education received accreditation through Spring 2019 through the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE). The educator preparation programs were reviewed as meeting or exceeding all accreditation standards and had only one recommendation for improvement — increasing the diversity of K-12 students with which candidates interact. [Read more.](#)

Staben Ready to Lead Idaho

Building his career block by block, Chuck Staben has found his capstone as the recently named 18th president of the University of Idaho. “I love what the University of Idaho has to offer, and I am extremely excited to serve the students, faculty, and staff and see where we can go together,” says Staben. “I love the mountains; I love the West; I feel like this is home.” [Read more.](#)

Chuck Staben Named President of the University of Idaho

The Idaho State Board of Education voted today to appoint Dr. Chuck Staben as President of the University of Idaho. Staben, current Provost at the University of South Dakota, accepted the Board’s offer to serve as the University’s new president after a unanimous vote of the Board in a meeting held via teleconference from the University of Idaho campus in Moscow. [Read more.](#)

UI Weaves History and Culture Together for Native American Heritage Month

The University of Idaho will celebrate Native American Heritage Month with events Nov. 20 and 22. The UI is an enthusiastic participant of Native American

Heritage Month, which encourages Native American students to share cultural traditions and beliefs with the university community. [Read more.](#)

Wheat Team Revs Up Research

More than 20,000 individual test plots of winter wheat are seeded in northern Idaho fields and greenhouses, one sign that University of Idaho research on the valuable crop is up to speed. The plots will help plant breeder Jack Brown assess wheat varieties already released and develop new ones, said Donn Thill, Idaho Agricultural Experiment Station director at Moscow. [Read more.](#)

UI students contribute research, designs to NASA's latest moon mission

The Lunar Atmosphere and Dust Environment Explorer swung into orbit around the moon in October – and University of Idaho students helped it get there. Multiple students in the UI College of Engineering worked on the robotic explorer, known as [LADEE](#), while interning at the NASA Ames Research Center through the [NASA Idaho Space Grant Consortium](#). [Read more.](#)

UI Presidential Search

University of Idaho Board of Regents and the Idaho State Board of Education will hold a special board meeting about the University of Idaho Presidential Search on Monday, Nov. 18, 2013 at 10:30 a.m. in the University Auditorium, Moscow. Live stream is available at uidaho.edu/live. Dedicated viewing locations are available in Boise: Water Center 248, Idaho Falls: 1/Tingey Administration Building 350, Twin Falls: Research and Extension Center B66 and Coeur d'Alene: Harbor Center 128. A university and community reception, contingent upon the outcome of the board of regents meeting, on Monday, Nov. 18, 2013 from 3–4:30 p.m. (program at 4 p.m.) in the ASUI Kibbie Dome, main floor level. RSVP to uipresrsvp@uidaho.edu.

Transgender 101 Training Registration Open

Registration is now open for Transgender 101, put on by the LGBTQA Office and the Office of Human Rights, Access, and Inclusion. The training for staff and faculty will be on Tuesday, Nov. 19 from 1-3 p.m. in the Crest Room (4th floor of the Commons). The training will provide an introduction to transgender identities and best tips and practices for creating an inclusive campus environment for transgender and gender non-conforming students, staff and faculty. To RSVP, please email lgbtoffice@uidaho.edu.

Register for Tobacco Cessation Workshop

Register now for "Quit Tips & Kits", a one-hour tobacco cessation workshop designed to provide tips, tools and individualized Quit Plans for participants. The workshop, on Wednesday, Nov. 20, is located in the Aurora Room (4th Floor Commons) and there are two time slots available 11:30 a.m. or 12:30 p.m. Smokers, chewers and supporters are welcome. RSVP at

vandalhealth@uidaho.edu or 208.885.4146. For more information on tobacco cessation resources, visit: <http://www.uidaho.edu/studentaffairs/health-education/tobacco-dependence>

Campus Mail Holiday Hours

Campus mail will be closed for Fall Break on Thursday, Nov. 27 and Friday, Nov. 28. Winter break hours are: Dec. 23 – 30, closed; Dec. 27, open from noon – 2 p.m. for mail pick up only, no outgoing mail will be processed; Dec. 31 - Jan. 1, closed. Campus mail will reopen with normal schedule on Thursday, Jan. 2, 2014. You must show your University ID to pick up mail for your department. We will not hand out mail to anyone without a valid university ID. So that we may serve you better, please let us know before the break begins if you will be picking up mail for your department. campusmail@uidaho.edu

Parking Lot Enforcement During Fall Break

During fall break, Monday, Nov. 25, through Friday, Nov. 29, parking permits will not be required in Red, Blue, Purple or Silver parking lots; visitors may be directed to these areas. However, Gold lots, Green lots, meters, pay station lots and any specially marked spaces require valid permits/payment at all times, including during fall break. Regular academic year enforcement of all parking lots will resume on Monday, Dec. 2, at 2 a.m.

No Vandal Access Shuttle Service During Academic Breaks

The Vandal Access Shuttle service on campus is not available during academic breaks. There will be no service from Monday, Nov. 25, through Friday, Nov. 29. Regular service will resume on Monday, Dec. 2. Route information and the shuttle schedule can be found online at uidaho.edu/parking.

No Overnight Parking on Campus Streets During Fall Break

There is no overnight parking allowed on campus streets during fall break, Monday Nov. 25, through Friday, Nov. 29. This includes Purple and Silver on-street parking areas. Areas where vehicles may park overnight during the break are shown on the Academic Break Vehicle Storage Map at www.uidaho.edu/parking/maps. Keeping cars off of the streets will allow for effective snow removal and the streets will be plowed clear when students arrive back to campus. Vehicles that are parked overnight on campus streets may be cited and towed.

Healthy Holiday Challenge

Join the Campus Recreation Holiday Fitness Challenge Nov. 24 - Jan. 4 and keep the holiday weight gain and stress at bay this year. The goal is to help everyone stay consistent with workouts during a very busy and calorie filled time of year. The challenge is free and open to all university faculty and staff. You do not have to have a membership to the SRC or Wellness Program, all are

welcome to participate. Prizes will be awarded to the top three teams. Register your team today at uidaho.edu/wellness. For more information please visit our website at uidaho.edu/wellness or email pegh@uidaho.edu.

Staff Survey Results Available

Results from Staff Affairs' survey are in. The top five priorities identified are: compensation, job security/retention, work load/adequate staffing, influence on UI governance, and equity, respect and civility. There will be an open forum discussing the survey from 10-11:30 a.m. PST in the Idaho Commons, Whitewater/Clearwater. Staff located off-campus have the opportunity to participate in the forum from specific locations: • Coeur d'Alene – Room 128 • Boise – IWC 448 • Twin Falls – TF B66 • Idaho Falls – IF 1 (TAB350A). Staff unable to attend the forum at one of the above locations can watch the live stream at: www.its2.uidaho.edu/webcast/staffsurvey.htm. The forum will also be recorded and the link posted on the Staff Affairs [website](#) as soon as it's available.

Call for Nominations: Jean'ne M. Shreeve Research Excellence Award

Idaho Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (EPSCoR) is calling for nominations for the third Jean'ne M. Shreeve Research Excellence Award from now through Feb. 7. Nominees must be tenured associate or full professors at the University of Idaho, Boise State University, Idaho State University or other eligible institutions at the time the award is made. [Read more.](#)

Nominations Sought

Members of the university community are invited to submit nominations for the Teaching, Hoffman, and Advising Excellence Awards before the Dec. 13, 2013 deadline. Please send the name of an outstanding teacher or adviser and a short paragraph on why they deserve to be recognized to excellence@uidaho.edu. The nominees will then be notified and given instructions on what materials will need to be submitted (in pdf format) to excellence@uidaho.edu by Jan. 31, 2014. [Read more.](#)

Registration Open Now For “Cyber Security and You - Securing the Human”

Registration is now open for “Cyber Security and You - Securing the Human,” an online opportunity for employees in Moscow as well as the extended campus community. For more details, see the Professional Development and Learning training portal at http://www.uidaho.edu/pdl_portal/calendar. Other training opportunities include “New Employee Welcome” and “Benefits Orientation” on Monday after the break.

Fallahi Receives Lifetime Achievement Award

Esmail "Essie" Fallahi, professor and director of the pomology and viticulture program received a Lifetime Achievement Award for his outstanding lifetime

contribution to the science of pomology and viticulture from the Idaho State Horticultural Society (ISHS). Fallahi was honored with this prestigious award at the 119th Annual Conference of ISHS where John Foltz, dean of the University of Idaho College of Agricultural and Life Sciences, many Idaho and Pacific Northwest fruit growers and several world renowned pomologists were invited.

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