



March 2019

Visit the Shepherd University Alumni Association webpage at www.shepherd.edu/suaa!

AROUND CAMPUS

- Shepherd, Penn State Law sign 3+3 agreement. **READ MORE...**
- VP Segar awarded state distinguished service award. **READ MORE...**
- President Hendrix named to Meritus Medical Center board. **READ MORE...**
- Exchange students from Pakistan attend Shepherd. **READ MORE...**
- Affrilachian writer Crystal Wilkinson set to select winners of the W.Va. Fiction Competition. **READ MORE...**

For more Shepherd news:
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BE INVOLVED

Regional Communities:

A Regional Alumni Community is a Shepherd University alumni group within a specific geographical region that promotes personal and professional opportunities for lifelong connections to Shepherd University and to fellow alumni. Communities are led by active volunteers/Alumni Ambassadors who plan and promote activities and services meaningful to their unique community.



COLLEGE NEWS

College of Arts and Humanities:

- Hope Maxwell Snyder named poet-in-residence, launches Society for Creative Writing. **READ MORE...**
- Dr. Hanrahan named finalist for West Virginia Professor of the Year. **READ MORE...**
- English honor society wins national award for poetry festival. **READ MORE...**
- Essay by English major Claudia McCarron published in national journal. **READ MORE...**

Dow Benedict, Dean
www.shepherd.edu/arts-and-humanities

College of Business:

- Business, HPERS students work with Harpers Ferry Bolivar Merchants Association. **READ MORE...**
- Business major Pearson to study abroad at Japanese university. **READ MORE...**

Ben Martz, Dean
www.shepherd.edu/cob

College of Education and Professional Studies:

- Dr. Androzzi promotes little-known game played on ships in

Community activities include social, cultural, and educational events, community service projects, and networking opportunities.

Groups have already formed! Check those out [HERE](#)...contact your area's Ambassador to get involved.

Don't see one in your area? Consider forming a group! Full details [HERE](#), or contact [Kim Hutto](#).

NEW Online Career/Life Video Series...

...volunteers wanted to be featured as experts in various fields and topics.

Each video should be 45 minutes to 1 hour in length and will be filmed by the audio-visual staff on campus. These will be free for viewing for the Shepherd community through the SUAA YouTube channel.

For more information or to volunteer, please contact Kim Hutto by phone (304-876-5157) or [email](#).

Check out our [YouTube](#) channel, or [click here](#) for the Career/Life video series webpage.

MEMBERSHIP



A Sustaining Membership is a level that is gained from an annual gift of \$35 that affords the member an official membership card, a free ticket to the Homecoming game, and a 10-visit punch pass to the Shepherd University Wellness Center.

Memberships run with the university's fiscal year (July 1-June 30).

the early 20th century. **READ MORE...**

Sharon Mailey, Acting Dean
www.shepherd.edu/seps

College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics:

- Dr. Hendrickson leads research effort to map Andean condor genome. **READ MORE...**

Robert Warburton, Acting Dean
www.shepherd.edu/cnsm

College of Social and Behavioral Sciences:

- Department of Sociology and Geography to host criminology video lecture series. **READ MORE...**
- Students get behind-the-scenes look at circuit court through Dinner with Strangers. **READ MORE...**

Ann Marie Legreid, Dean
www.shepherd.edu/csbs

Graduate Studies and Continuing Education:

Richard Stevens, Dean
www.shepherd.edu/graduate-studies

ALUMNI BENEFITS



As a Shepherd University alum, you may be eligible for a special discount on auto insurance from Nationwide.



Shepherd University alumni and

Join Now

supporters get a discount on hotels throughout the country by using HotelStorm.

Get more information on both of these programs [HERE!](#)

Roaming Rams: NEW! Alumni Travel Program



The Shepherd University Alumni Association is starting a NEW alumni travel program with the help of Collette travel.

We are very excited about this new opportunity to engage and interact with our alumni. We have compiled the results of our survey that ran from mid-August until early October, and are ready to announce the destination for our first trip!

DISCOVER SCOTLAND
September 30, 2019--Departure
10 Day Tour
\$3,749 per person double occupancy
(\$4,449 single occupancy)

Join our Director of Alumni Affairs, Kim Hutto, on this exciting journey!

Watch our webpage, www.shepherd.edu/suaa/roaming-rams-alumni-travel-program, and our Facebook and Twitter pages, @ShepherdAlumni, for more on how to sign up for the trip and an itinerary.

SEE BELOW under "Save The Date" for first info session and webinar dates!

If you're ready to book, call Collette at 1-800-581-8942 and refer to booking #929535.

BE RECOGNIZED

GET IN THE MAGAZINE

Have you had a significant event happen in your professional life? Did you recently get engaged, married, or have an addition to your family? We would love to share in your happiness!

Submit information to Katie Gordon at kswayne@shepherd.edu!

Pictures are always welcome; 300 DPI. Please attach any to the same email.

Now taking fall 2019 submissions!

Deadline is Friday, June 7

Are you not receiving your copy? See the bottom of the newsletter on how to update your contact information!

Check it out online at www.shepherd.edu/publications!

ALUMNI HIGHLIGHT



Mia Faire-Williams '05, founder and president of Tanique in Hagerstown, landed her first feature film as the head of the tanning department for the set of the Netflix original movie "Dumplin."

READ MORE of her story!

Read about more amazing Rams!

RAM SPOTLIGHT:
[CLICK HERE!](#)



SPECIAL RECOGNITION PROGRAMS

We are now taking nominations for next year! Please read below and click the link for more details and nomination forms.

Outstanding Alumni of the Year:

The Outstanding Alumni of the Year Award is an opportunity to recognize an alum for his/her dedication and volunteer commitments that have significantly enhanced the goals and mission of Shepherd University and the Shepherd University Alumni Association.

Finest Under 40:

The Finest Under 40 program has been developed to recognize those younger alumni doing great things personally, professionally, and charitably!

Outstanding Alumni of the Year and Finest Under 40 are both honored during Homecoming Weekend of their induction year.

Nominations are taken year-round!

[CLICK HERE](#) to find out more about each of these programs and to see the nomination criteria and forms.

SAVE THE DATE

2nd Lectures & Libations: March 3

5 p.m., Town Run Tap House and Community Pub

To feature Dr. Chiquita Howard-Bostic speaking on "Grow What Your are Given: The Personal is Political," and Laurie Cohen speaking on "Chicago: Futures Markets and Hot Dogs." This event is free and open to the public. More info **HERE**.

SUAA Travel Program Info Webinar: March 5

10 a.m., online--your computer
Discover Scotland 2019! **REGISTRATION LINK HERE!**

Southwest Florida Regional Alumni Gathering: March 10

2 p.m., Duffy's Sports Bar & Grill (21253 Stoneybrook Golf Blvd. Estero, FL 33928)
Contact Pam Wilmer '68 at plwilmer198@comcast.net or 304-671-3614 for more info.

"Boots to Business Reboot"

Workshop: March 12

8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.; SU Martinsburg Center

A two-step Small Business Administration (SBA) entrepreneurship training program that provides an overview of business ownership, an outline and information about the components of a business plan, a practical exercise in recognizing opportunity, and an introduction to available public and private sector resources. Free to veterans, but limited to first 35 registrants. More info **HERE!**

Eastern Shore Regional Alumni Gathering: March 30

9:40 a.m. & 9:50 a.m. golf tee times,
Noon luncheon, Mulligans Pointe (22426 Sussex Pines Rd. Georgetown, DE 19947)

Golf outing, putting contest, luncheon, and possible corn hole contest. Please RSVP to Tom Henderson by March 21 for both golf and luncheon at 302-856-7529. More details **HERE!**

Annual Accounting Club Alumni Dinner: April 26

6-9 p.m.; Student Center Storer Ballroom

ATHLETICS NEWS

- Shepherd student-athletes earn MEC academic honors. **READ MORE...**
- Five players earn NCBWA preseason All-Atlantic Regional honors. **READ MORE...**
- Softball and Baseball picked to win MEC North. **READ MORE Softball... ; READ MORE Baseball...**
- Nominations being accepted for Athletic Hall of Fame. **READ MORE...**
- Lang, Lankford earn Google Cloud Academic All-District Honors. **READ MORE...**
- Shepherd Baseball ranked sixth in NCBWA regional poll. **READ MORE...**
- SUAC sponsors Senior Day prize giveaway and Yeti raffle fundraiser. **READ MORE...**

Ticket Information: **CLICK HERE**

- Purchase tickets **HERE**



Meet current students, hear about what the Accounting Club has been doing, and help us celebrate Professor Roger Hamood in his retirement. Invitations have been mailed. Registration link and more information **HERE!**

For a full schedule of Shepherd events, including music performances, art exhibits, and speaker series:
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Contact either [Kim Hutto](#) or [Katie Gordon](#), Shepherd University Alumni Affairs



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