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SCHOOL OF BUSINESS, INFORMATION, AND PUBLIC SERVICE – *Ann Theis, Dean*

Ms. Theis, Libby King, Chair, Business Technologies, Teri Pratt, Professor, Office Administration and Brenda Ludwig, Associate Professor, Office Administration met with Tracey Lawton, Director, Fostoria Learning Center to discuss possible collaborative training opportunities. The visit included a tour of the facilities.

John Molnar, Chief, Education and Testing, Division of Emergency Medical Services and Kris Miller, Education Coordinator, Ohio Emergency Medical Services with the Ohio Department of Public Safety, visited the Center for Emergency Preparedness with Ms. Theis and Matt Phillips, Chair, Emergency Services Technology, to discuss expectations and resources available to successfully offer Emergency Services Technology and Paramedic programs.

The Toledo Chapter of the American Payroll Association held their monthly luncheon meeting on April 19. Janine Rosenthal, Associate Professor, Accounting demonstrated classroom approaches for teaching payroll. Also in attendance were accounting students, Rama Kannan, Associate Professor, Accounting, and Holly-Lynn Palmer-Write, Adjunct Instructor and Tutor.

The Owens Culinary Arts and Hospitality student organization under the leadership of Chef Edward Gozdowski, prepared a six-course dinner with pairings for the Chaîne des Rôtisseurs on April 14, as a fund raiser for the student organization.

Chef William Powell was the lead facilitator for a corporate team building dinner program for Schindler Elevator Corporation on April 23. Participants prepared dinner while being faced with “real-world” situations that affect team work; not enough resources, transfer of staff, change in goals, etc.

SCHOOL OF LIBERAL ARTS – *Michael Sander, Dean*

Mr. Sander with Nanette Honsberger, Secretary School of Liberal Arts; Denise Grupp-Verbon, School of Liberal Arts Internship Manager; Andreanna Rivera-Perez, Advisor for Fine and Performing Arts; and Dr. Catherine Pratt, Associate Professor of Communication/Humanities; organized and presented the third annual Creative Expressions: An Evening With the Arts on April 7, which raised \$5,933 in scholarship funds for the Artistic Endowment Fund.

The Owens Student Media Center participated in celebrating Vinylthon, through the College Broadcasters Inc., in conjunction with National Record Store Day on April 21. Owens Community College Radio (OCCR) engaged the community with a live remote from Culture Clash Records, where Robert Thomas, Adjunct Faculty, Broadcast Media and Herbey Atkinson, Adjunct Faculty, Fine Performing Arts, played vinyl and interviewed guests. They spent the afternoon in the Owens OutComm Student Media Center opening the studio up to faculty, staff and student to spin their favorite vinyl live on air. College support in attendance was Steve Robinson, President; Denise Smith, Provost; Eric Wallack, Professor Fine and Performing Arts; Dr. Catherine Pratt, Associate Professor of Communication/Humanities and Mr. Sander.

An open house was held for advisory board members, college community and interested students on April 25, to view the new television studio on campus. The event showcased Broadcast Media students in the studio with Robert Ticherich, Assistant Professor, Music Recording; Robert Thomas, Adjunct Faculty, Broadcast Media Technology; Dominic Gerome, Adjunct Faculty, Broadcast Media Technology.

Fine and Performing Arts presented the Spring 2018 Student Musical Production, *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown* April 5–8. The production included current Owens students and alumnus. The production was directed by Jeremy Meier, Professor, Theatre and featured instrumentation by Mr. Sander and Aaron Ziegler, Adjunct Faculty. Richard Clever, Theatre Technical Director, supervised the set construction and created the lighting and sound designs. Nichole Newman, Costume Shop Manager, created the costuming design and Bianca Marcia, Costume Shop Assistant, designed makeup and headed the properties designs.

Fine and Performing Arts presented the annual Student Art Exhibition opening reception in the Walter E. Terhune Art Gallery on April 6. Student works included the areas of Photography, Fine Arts and Commercial Art. Ruth Foote, Professor, Photography; Carey Marten, Professor, Commercial Art; Kevin Schroeder, Professor, Fine Art; and Daniel McInnis, Interim Chair, presented awards to students in each area, including the David Cantor Award in memory of Mr. Cantor who served as the Manager, Photography.

Fine and Performing Arts presented the ongoing series, Melodic Expressions: faculty-led music performances by students. Janet Ziegler, Adjunct Faculty, led a recital of her studio students in the Mainstage Theatre on April 12. Jo-Anne Chrysochoos, Adjunct Faculty, led the Choir in the Owens Voices Concert, in the rotunda of the Center for Fine and Performing Arts on April 12 and the Mainstage Theatre on April 19. Professor Wallack led the Pop Ensemble in a performance in the Rotunda, and then also led the Owens Jazz Express performance on April 26. Concert Band, including music students, was led by William (Fred) Dais, Adjunct Faculty, on April 29 in the Mainstage Theatre.

Nine Fine and Performing Arts Interns gave their final presentations on April 27. Music Business Technology students were placed with Cedar Creek Church, IMIJ Sound and Lighting, Jamiesons' Sound, Owens Concert Band, Reverend Guitars and Stone Soup Recording Studios. Commercial Art Technology students were placed with Crazy Cow Graphics, Cuttlefish Graphics and Imagination Station.

Leonard Kress, Professor, Communications/Humanities, helped the Toledo-Lucas County Public Library celebrate National Poetry Month in April by conducting a four-week workshop beginning April 5 at the King Road Branch Library. *The workshop focused on form and style and was entitled Poetic All Sorts.*

Dr. Kathy Danko-McGhee, Chair, Teacher Education and Human Services, was interviewed by Wall Street Journal Editor, Poyla Lesova, about her research on the aesthetic preference of infants. The article was featured in the April 24 online edition of the Wall Street Journal.

Psi Beta, national honor society in psychology for community and junior colleges, and Gamma Theta Upsilon, international honor society in geography, held a joint induction ceremony on April 19. The invited speaker for this year's induction ceremony was Kristin Price, Associate Professor, Psychology. Faculty advisors, L. Scott Deaner, Associate Professor, Geography and Steven Ross, Associate Professor, Psychology, inducted 12 new members.

SCHOOL OF NURSING AND HEALTH PROFESSIONS – *Cathy Ford, Dean*

Student nursing members of Alpha Delta Nu Honor Society partnered with the American Red Cross to host a blood drive April 3 on the Toledo Campus. The blood drive surpassed its goal by 161 percent, including seven new blood donors.

Beth Tronolone, Chair, Dental Hygiene Department, hosted Dr. Daniel Ward who lectured on “Let’s Be Direct: Techniques for Perfecting Tooth Colored Restoration Placement”. This was a hands on lecture and the professional participants were able to utilize the newly renovated Dental Materials Lab. Jennifer Fehnrich, Executive Director, Owens Foundation, also welcomed dentists and dental hygienists and provided information on the Owens Foundation.

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICS (STEM) – *Glenn Rettig, Dean*

Between April 17-27, Nicholas Kazmaier, Corporate Programs Specialist, made several presentations on career and educational pathways for transportation technologies fields to approximately 145 students from Woodward High School, Start High School, Vanguard-Sentinel Career and Technology Centers, Technician for a Day Millstream Career Center and Whitmer High School.

Mathematics faculty discussed proposed statewide changes to the learning outcomes for Calculus I and II, significant revisions to the learning outcomes for Business Statistics, and the Guaranteed Transfer Pathways in Mathematics (BA and BS). Participating in the discussion were Baher Hanna, Professor; Jamal Salahat, Professor; Pamela Krompak, Professor; Elizabeth Condon, Professor; and Matthew Seikel, Associate Professor. The faculty endorsed the proposed changes and shared comments with the Ohio Department of Higher Education on April 30.

WORKFORCE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES – *Robert Kraus, Executive Director*

In April, WCS provided 37 contract training programs serving 462 participants. Companies served included: Dana Corporation, Great Lakes Construction Alliance, Zepf Center, Cincinnati Plumbers & Pipefitters, Akron Plumbers & Pipefitters, Richfield Operating Engineers, Ohio Logistics, GSW Manufacturing, Toledo IronWorkers, Great Lakes Construction Alliance, Harbor Career Connections, Tireman, General Motors, Principle Business Enterprises, Schindler Elevator.

WCS also delivered 31 open enrollment, non-credit classes in April serving 197 students. Highlights for the months included Real Estate, Adobe InDesign, Concealed Weapons, Online Selling, Stained Glass Butterfly, Microsoft Excel, and Truck Driving.

In April, WCS completed delivery of two modules of a life skills class called Thinking Strategies for 15 participants in the Life Connections Program at the Milan Federal Correctional Facility, which is part of an ongoing contract.

Motorcycle training classes began for the season the first week of April servicing 55 students.

Events that took place at the Center for Emergency Preparedness: Davis Besse partnered up with C&W Tank for Rope Rescue training using the Indoor Tower for High Angle Rescue; Ohio Fire Academy for their Rope Rescue L1 4-day class; General Motors held their annual Haz-Mat Refresher training for 16 employees; Toledo Fire conducted a Haz-Mat Drill used the Mock City and also conducted Flashover training for their new cadets; Black Swamp K-9 rescue and search team utilized the training grounds for a two-day training seminar.

During the week of April 23– 26, Jennifer Feehan, Apprenticeship Training Coordinator, participated in the 2018 Ohio State Pipe Trades Apprentice Contest, which includes rigorous skills and written tests

in five categories of Heating Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC), Pipe Fitter, Plumber, Welder and Sprinkler Fitter. There were 14 unions in the competition, which include 9 unions with articulated/bilateral agreements with Owens. An evening banquet was held for all of the apprentices, coordinators, business managers, agents and families. Mr. Kraus, and Ms. Feehan emceed the awards presentation. Only the top three finishers in each category were announced, and in four categories (HVAC, Pipefitter, Plumber and Welders), all top three finishers were Owens students! Local 50 in Toledo had a first place, second place and third place finishers (all were Owens students). The next steps for the first place winners is to head to regionals in Charleston, West Virginia; then nationals should they advance.

Heath Huber, Manager, Aspire Program, attended St. Lucas Resource Fair to distribute high school equivalency class information. St. Lucas is the site of several grass roots service agencies in the South Toledo area and will be a site for Owens HSE classes. Mr. Huber also attended the following events: Lucas Metropolitan Housing Authority partners meeting; two Ohio Means Jobs partners meetings; the Toledo and NW Ohio Cornucopia Assistance and Resource Fair at to distribute class information. Mr. Huber also became part of the Youth Planning Committee for Ohio Means Jobs 2018 In-Demand Jobs Week programming.

Carl Dettmer, Director, Program Development, attended the following community meetings in April: Wood County Safety Council; Waterville Economic Development Council Workforce Roundtable; Fostoria Learning Center Director – discuss STNA training; managed applicant computer kiosk for attendees of the City of Toledo Summer Youth Job Fair; TMACOG/State of the Region Conference in Perrysburg; met with Health Profession Opportunities Grant team about development of non-credit coursework related to Social Service and Mental Health Service Aides; Lucas County Workforce Development board; Ohio Means Jobs Lucas County Partners meeting.

The Law Enforcement Police Consortium held many classes for the month of April, Self-Aid/Partner-Aid, BMV Title Fraud, Statement Analysis, ARIDE and Intoxilyzer 8000 with 80 officers attending.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

SCHOOL OF NURSING AND HEALTH PROFESSIONS

The Toledo Campus Student Nurses Association traveled to Nashville, TN for the 66 Annual Convention: Nursing: Get Hooked Insight, Inspiration, and Ingenuity April 3-7. The advisors, Deborah Sullivan, MSN, RN, Nursing faculty and Cecilia Tolson, MSN, RN, Nursing faculty, attended many faculty workshops sponsored by Johnson & Johnson, National Council of State Boards of Nursing, Vanderbilt University and more. Topics discussed included: Climate and Nursing, Incorporating Environmental Health into the Nursing Curriculum, Eight Step Approach to Teaching Clinical Nursing, Maximizing your memory, How to Teach Technology, and a guide to getting published.

Amy Crofts, Chair, Medical Imaging Department, Christine Smith, Professor, Susan Welling, Professor, and nine Radiography students attended the annual meeting of the Ohio Society of Radiologic Technologists in Cincinnati, Ohio. While there, seven of the students had the opportunity to take a mock registry to help prepare them for the national credentialing exam. In addition, a group of four students competed in the quiz bowl competition April 4-7.

On April 17, Janet Pinkelman, MSN, RN, Nursing faculty, and Julie Lohse, MSN, RN, Nursing faculty attended the 43 Annual Perinatal conference. Topics discussed included: Diabetes Mellitus in pregnancy, pediatric/fetal cardiology, Electronic Fetal Monitor tracings, and obstetrical emergencies.

On April 18, Susan Wannemacher, Dental Hygiene Professor and Janice Darah , Dental Hygiene Professor attended the Toledo Dental Society Spring Clinic continuing education course presented by Dr. Brian Nový, “The Potty Mouth Predicament” and “How to Eat Candy”.

On April 19, Eileen Alexander, MSN, RN, Nursing Lab Faculty attended a conference titled Addressing Maternal Health: Best practices in Screening, Identification and Referral. This conference was held in Bowling Green at the Education Center.

On April 19, Irene Jones, MSN, RN, Chair, Nursing Department, Julie McLaughlin, MSN, RN, Assistant Chair Clinical Operations, and Michelle Shephard, MSN, RN, Assistant Chair, Lab Operations, attended the Ohio Council of Associate Degree Nurse Education Administrators Program Administrators meeting. Topics included updates from the Ohio Board of Nursing, the Ohio Action Coalition, and a roundtable discussion on updates from other associate degree nursing programs in the state.

On April 20, Nursing Faculty members, Beverly Baney, MSN, RN, Laurie Erford, MSN, RN, Lynda Glanz, MSN, RN, Anne Helm, MSN, RN, Kim Holman, MSN, RN, Julie Lohse, MSN, RN, Diane McDougale, MSN, RN, Janet Pinkelman, MSN, RN, Luann Snyder, MSN, RN, and Cecilia Tolson, MSN, RN attended the combined Organization for Associate Degree Nursing and Ohio Council of Associate Degree Nurse Education Administrators conference on Test Development and Item Writing for NCLEX Success in Columbus.

On April 21, Barbara Seguine, Chair of Therapeutic Department was an invited speaker at the American Occupational Therapy Association Annual Conference in Salt Lake City. Ms. Seguine co-presented a short course titled, Implementing Evidence into Practice for Occupational Therapy Assistants, with Melissa Tilton, Genesis Rehab, Saugus, Massachusetts, and Dr. Ben Cichocki, Human Services Research Institute in Cambridge, Massachusetts. She also participated in the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education meeting and currently serves on the executive council as the treasurer.

On April 27, Cecilia Tolson, MSN, RN, Nursing faculty, and Diane McDougale, MSN, RN, Nursing faculty attended the ProMedica Cardiovascular conference.

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICS (STEM)

Dr. James Perry, Professor, Mathematics, presented at the 2018 Annual Conference of the Higher Learning Commission, April 7, Chicago. Dr. Perry was one of four co-presenters who serve as peer reviewers. Their presentation, entitled *Transforming AQIP Pathway Processes: Peer Reviewers Share Fatal Mistakes Institutions Make*, detailed eight “flaws that impact institutions’ abilities to function on the AQIP Pathway”. On April 6, Dr. Perry received recognition for 10 years of service as a Peer Corps member at the Peer Corps Luncheon and Service Recognition Program.

Michael Sprowls, Professor, Mathematics, and Michelle Younker, Chair, Mathematics, attended the Ohio Mathematics Association of Two-Year Colleges Spring Conference at Mohican State Park, April 13-14. Ms. Younker joined faculty from three other Ohio community colleges to plan and facilitate a pre-conference workshop focusing on implementing and assessing the learning outcomes for quantitative reasoning.

Ms. Younker served as a panelist in the first City University of New York (CUNY) Math Summit on April 20 in New York City. She joined panelists from the Charles A. Dana Center at the University of Texas at Austin and Germanna Community College in Virginia in a session entitled *Mathematics*

Remediation Reform – A National Perspective. She provided information about efforts of the Ohio Mathematics Initiative to revise post-secondary mathematics in Ohio. Ms. Younker also served as a moderator for a panel presentation called *Implementing Co-requisite Instruction: The CUNY Experience* that highlighted to work already occurring within the CUNY System.

Ms. Younker, Chair, Mathematics, attended the Ohio Chairs and Leads Network meeting on April 27 at The Ohio State University. She serves as co-lead for the Communication, Outreach and Engagement Subcommittee of the group. Topics of discussion included: co-requisite courses, Strong Start to Finish, the Ohio Guaranteed Transfer Pathways Initiative, open source textbooks for mathematics, revisions to learning outcomes for transfer module mathematics courses, and re-sequencing calculus content.

Tracy Campbell, Chair, Applied Engineering and Industrial Technology, participated in the Skills USA State Competition, as a Judge for Collision, Refinishing and Estimating, held in Columbus April 24-25. Thousands of students participate in over 109 Career Technical contest including leadership, masonry, carpentry, culinary etc. Top students will be attending the National contest in Louisville, Kentucky in June.

Jeff Ganues
Vice President, Business Affairs
Chief Financial Officer/Treasurer

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CAMPUS PLANNING AND SERVICES – *Danielle Tracy, Director*

Workforce Training Equipment

A Controlling Board request was approved for \$108,500 for the purchase of electrical trainers.

Transportation Technologies Expansion

The construction team met with the architects to close out the Transportation Technologies Expansion project.

Vending

The College's vending providers, BSVI and AVI, began the process of replacement for credit card readers on the vending machines to better serve students and staff.

FACILITIES SERVICE – *David Halsey, Director*

College Hall Phase I Renovations

The Phase I renovations are completed. Window installation in the student lounge will be completed in May. Main entrance doors will be replaced in June.

Administration Hall Renovation

The materials for replacement windows, exterior cladding and interior colors have all been selected and approved.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES – *Laurie Orzechowski, Chief Information Officer*

Wireless Upgrade Complete

Completed an upgrade to the oldest portion of the campus wireless network to eliminate unsupported hardware and add additional capacity. The upgrade accounted for 37 percent of the overall wireless system and affected the Toledo and Findlay Campuses and Downtown Learning Center.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

NIST Advisory Committee Meeting Tim Stuart, Director of Systems and Security, and Curt Mezger, Application Specialist, attended the NIST Advisory Committee meeting on April 12 held at the College. Discussion topics included enrollment numbers, faculty report, student reports, accreditation, equipment/facilities, industry/employer needs, and program/curriculum enhancements.

IST Advisory Committee Meeting Ms. Orzechowski attended the IST Advisory Committee meeting on April 26 held at the College. The meeting discussed various topics including the enrollment numbers, faculty report, program/curriculum enhancements, accreditation changes, and industry/employer needs.

Technology Infrastructure Committee Meeting Mr. Stuart attended the monthly Technology Infrastructure Committee meeting on April 27 held at the Alliance/Chamber of Commerce in Findlay, Ohio. Discussion topics included regional fiber initiatives, cyber security (State OC3 initiative), intelligent communities, and the annual Information Assurance Forum hosted in Findlay.

Amy Giordano
Vice President, Enrollment Management
& Student Services

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ADMISSIONS & K-12 PARTNERSHIPS – *Meghan Schmidbauer, Assistant Dean*

Ms. Schmidbauer attended the general education meeting at Columbus State Community College on April 2. On April 16, she provided the closing remarks at the Tech Prep Stakeholders meeting. She continues to be the Steering Committee chair for the Northwest Ohio region.

Adult and Community Outreach

Erin Kramer, Admissions Representative, visited seven GED classrooms and spoke to approximately 50 students who were nearing the completion of the GED program. Chris Pejoro, Admissions Representative, visited two GED classrooms. Gary Walkowiak, Admissions Representative, Transfer and Visiting, presented at the Going Home to Stay program, as well as visited GED classrooms, presenting to approximately 85 students. Mr. Walkowiak also visited Harbor Career Connections on April 30.

High School Recruitment

Owens Admissions Representatives traveled throughout northwest Ohio, speaking with potential students regarding the enrollment process. Representatives visited Anthony Wayne High School, Penta Career Center, McComb High School, Miller City High School, Carey High School, Patrick Henry High School, Leipsic High School, and Whitmer High School.

The School of Liberal Arts hosted the Whitmer Broadcasting students. With assistance from Ms. Kramer, students toured the Student Media Center, television studio, and several recording classrooms and also spoke with faculty and current students in the programs.

Owens participated in college/career fairs or financial aid events at Sandusky County Expo Fair, Cardinal Stritch High School and Rogers High School.

On-Campus Events & Communication

Finance 101 was hosted on the Toledo campus. Approximately 150 students from area high schools participated in the event, which is coordinated by area credit unions. Students were provided information about Owens programs, as well as scholarship opportunities.

Campus visit sessions were held for 20 prospective students and their families and individual assistance was provided to several who sought admissions requirements for specific health programs on the Toledo Campus.

Admissions hosted tours for two groups – Penta Career Center and the Ohio Virtual Academy.

New Student Orientation was available to students on the Toledo and Findlay Campuses, as well as online. 72 students participated in these events.

Communications were sent via email regarding Summer and Fall enrollment to 5,020 prospective students. Recruitment materials were sent to 1,283 students.

ATHLETICS – *John-David Ettore, Director*

Women's basketball player, Dai'Shona Washington-Polk was named a National Junior Community College Association (NJCAA) Division-II Second Team All-American for her efforts during the 2017-18 season.

The Athletic Department held its end of the year celebration on campus, April 2, and the following awards were given:

- 2017-18 Men's Basketball Most Valuable Player – Mar'Quevious Wilson
- 2017-18 Men's Basketball Most Improved – Julian Egbo
- 2017-18 Men's Basketball Coaches Award – Jamiri Bennett

- 2017 Volleyball Most Valuable Player – Erika Angstmann
- 2017 Volleyball Most Improved – Olivia Hermiller
- 2017 Volleyball Coaches Award – Carrigan Gray

- 2017-18 Women's Basketball Most Valuable Player – Dai'Shona Washington-Polk
- 2017-18 Women's Basketball Most Improved – Daichele Hatcher
- 2017-18 Women's Basketball Mark Henry Award – Quaondra Nichols

FINANCIAL AID – *Andrea Morrow, Director*

As of May 1, a total of 11,522 applications for financial aid have been received for the 2017-2018 academic year. As a result, a total of \$33,380,439 in grants, loans, and scholarships has been disbursed for the 2017-2018 academic year. For Spring 2018, 30.34 percent of eligible students enrolled received financial aid.

The Office of Financial Aid has been packaging for the 2018-2019 academic year since October 1, 2017. A total of 5,827 applications for financial aid have been received for the 2018-2019 academic year.

On May 8, the Office of Financial Aid and Workforce and Community Services had a site visit from the Ohio Treasurer of State Office regarding the Truck Driving Revolving Loan Program. Mr. Michael Fracassa provided very positive feedback during the meeting consisting of a few comments noted. He stated, "Owens is very organized and had everything that was required." Following with, "The Office of Financial Aid's thoroughness and quick notification to the State when an issue arose was evident."

STUDENT LIFE AND TITLE IX– *Danielle Filipchuk, Director*

As part of Sexual Assault Awareness Month, the week of April 2-6, Student Life, in partnership with the YWCA of Northwest Ohio and Open Arms Domestic Violence & Rape Crisis Services in Findlay, displayed the Clothesline Project on the Toledo and Findlay Campuses. The Clothesline Project is a means for survivors of sexual violence to express their emotions and voices by decorating and displaying a t-shirt. It promotes awareness and empathy, while documenting violent crimes against women.

In recognition of Earth Day, Student Activities hosted Electronics Recycling Events on the Findlay and Toledo Campuses on April 24 and 25 respectively.

Findlay Campus

On April 19, Student Activities hosted Spring Fling & Transfer Event. The event celebrated the impending arrival of a bee colony on campus, with a honey-themed lunch and information about bees, pollination, and honey. Along with the traditional food, music and interactive tables, the event also featured a Transfer Fair coordinated by Terri Brown-Joyce, Advisor and a Dress for Success fashion show facilitated by Career and Transfer Services. Thirteen area colleges attended the event, and it was a great opportunity for students to speak with multiple colleges in a single setting. Approximately 70 students spoke with the colleges and gathered information about transfer.

Toledo Campus

On April 3, the Student Activities office hosted a Pop-In Activity: Stress Relief. Those who participated were able to make a stress ball to help them release the stress of their final exams.

Advisor to the Student Nursing Association on the Toledo campus, Cecilia Tolson, traveled with three students to Nashville, Tennessee to the 66th Annual NSNA Convention from April 3-7.

Two staff and eleven students from the Tomorrow's Imagers Student Organization traveled to the Ohio Society of Radiologic Technologists Annual Meeting in Cincinnati from April 5-7.

Faculty member, Shelby Henderson, and seven students from the Sound Professionals Student Organization attended the Edelmen Seminar in Pittsburgh from April 5-8.

On April 10, Student Activities hosted a Lunch and Learn with the topic of Resume Building and partnered with TRIO Student Support Services and Cardinal Staffing, who presented on what employers look for in a resume.

On April 11, Student Activities and TRIO Student Support Services hosted the final workshop in a 3-part Leadership Workshop Series. Building upon the previous two workshops, the session led by Erica Parish, Director, TRIO Student Support Services, explored how students can use the skills they developed to lead others and help their organizations. Fourteen students attended, eleven of whom participated in all three sessions and were recognized with a Certificate of Achievement.

On April 17, Student Activities hosted the last event of the semester: Spring Fling. This is an end of the year celebration that featured a BBQ lunch buffet, music, games, prizes, and a t-shirt tie-dye station. Even with the last minute change in location due to weather, approximately 500 people attended this celebration this year!

STUDENT SERVICES – *David Shaffer, Executive Director*

Advising

On April 23, registration reminders were emailed to students to encourage them to register for summer and fall courses or to schedule an appointment with their academic advisor. During the month of April, Ashley Thomas, Student Services Information Systems Administrator, and Mr. Shaffer worked with IT staff to implement the use of Google Analytics. Google Analytics will assist with determining the effectiveness of the reminders, increasing the efficiencies of advising reports, and re-developing the continuing student communication plan.

On April 8, Andreanna Rivera-Perez, Advisor, Fine and Performing Arts, facilitated an interactive arts table at the University of Findlay Mazza Museum. The event was sponsored by Fifth Third Bank and is a collaboration of community partners to promote literacy and arts to children and families in the Findlay area. Nearly 600 participants were in attendance.

On April 20, Angie McGinnis, Manager, Advising, and Justin Hardman, Admissions Representative, visited Leipsic High School to talk with students about attending Owens and the College Credit Plus (CCP) program. About 20 Leipsic students took the Accuplacer placement test that day.

Oserve - Ashley Foster, Director

On April 9, Oserve Advocates started working on the Current Term Balance of \$200 or Less phone outreach. The list included 94 students from Spring 2018 who were reported to have an outstanding balance due of \$200 or less. This outreach provides an opportunity to remind the student of the balance due and discuss payment arrangements.

STUDENT SERVICES - Dr. Verne Walker, Assistant Dean

On April 4, Denise Smith, Vice President, Academic Affairs and Provost and Dr. Walker met with Michelle Simmons from BGSU's Provost Office to discuss articulation agreements. Owens and BGSU continue to create, monitor and develop strategic transfer partnerships.

On April 6, Libby King, Chair, Business Technologies, Dr. Reti Shutina, Internship Manager, School of Business, Information, and Public Service, and Dr. Walker met to discuss the idea of an Insurance Studies Career Panel and possible Business Programs expo. A future meeting to continue discussion with Admissions has been set.

On April 10, the College hosted the Spring 2018 Job Fair. (The last general Job Fair was in 2015.) This spring, 80 employers and approximately 70 job seekers participated. The College also plans to host a Fall Job Fair.

On April 10, Leanne Huckaby, Advisor, Career/Transfer, Elisa Rodriguez, Administrative Coordinator, Student Services, and Dr. Walker met with several four-year institution transfer partners to discuss ideas for shared programming. The transfer partners who share space in the Student Service Center (College Hall 130) and Heritage Hall agreed to meet on a monthly basis to share curriculum updates, institution updates, and more.

On April 18, Dan McInnis, Interim Chair, Fine and Performing Arts (FPA), Andreanna Rivera-Perez, Advisor, FPA, and Dr. Walker met to discuss transfer from Owens to BGSU. Owens leadership for Fine and Performing Arts will explore the idea of an articulation agreement with the Visual Communication Technology program at BGSU.

Career and Transfer Services

On April 4, Suzanne Zampino, Career/Undecided Advisor, held a Job Fair Informational Prep table in Heritage Hall and assisted eight students.

On April 5, Briana Reithmeier, Career/Undecided Advisor, presented to Anita Madison's CRJU class about what it means to be "undecided", career resources for students on Ozone, and what services the Career/Undecided Advisors provide.

On April 12, Kristy Watkins, Advisor, Career/Undecided Advisor and Ms. Zampino, gave an Interview Presentation to 95 nursing students hosted by instructor Julie Lohse.

On April 16, Ms. Zampino gave a Resume Building and Interview Presentation to seven students in Susan Deutschman's HIT234 course.

On April 25, Ms. Zampino attended the Business Technologies Advisory Board Meeting including the Business Management, Entrepreneurship, Insurance Studies, Logistics/Supply chain and Marketing & Sales meeting with a strong emphasis on Co-ops and Internship opportunities.

During April, the Career Services Team reviewed 22 student and alumni resumes.

Counseling Services - *Adrian Baney, Director*

On April 3, Counseling Services collaborated with the office of Student Life and provided a stress relief activity for students. On April 10, Counseling Services was able to participate in the campus job fair by helping students register and answering questions.

On April 5, Counseling Services hosted a meeting to discuss House Bill 28 and how to continue to serve the campus community with information about mental health and suicide prevention and awareness. As a result, summer meetings were scheduled to begin the planning process for events and mental health campaigns that will begin in the Fall of the 2018-2019 academic year.

On April 26, Adrian Baney, Director, Counseling Services, attended the Owens-sponsored school violence forum, led by ABC13 News and filmed live in Veterans Hall. This forum provided a platform for community members to ask questions and make suggestions regarding the topic of school violence to a panel of experts. The panel included experts from law enforcement, school administration, psychiatry, and more.

In April, Counseling Services provided ongoing assessment, treatment, and crisis services to approximately 60 students. Many are seen on a weekly basis, some students received a first time assessment (which takes approximately 2 hours to complete), and others came in during a mental health crisis. Counseling Services staff regularly consults with faculty and staff regarding concerning behavior, potential mental health crises, and referral resources. It is worth noting that in April of 2017, Counseling Services was serving 40 students weekly. Counseling Services has seen a significant increase in services rendered over the last year in other months as well.

Disability Services - *Kurtis Soltman, Director*

On April 11, Chris Hendricks, Representative, Disability Services, attended The Regional Transition Council. This group is comprised of members of the local higher education institutions, K-12 special education leadership, and members from agencies who work with individuals with disabilities. The purpose of this council is to facilitate the transition of students with disabilities from high school to college and/or the world of employment.

On April 20, Mr. Hendricks visited Vanguard-Sentinel Career and Technology Center. He presented to a group of high school seniors interested in college as well as met one-on-one with a student who has already committed to Owens for the Fall 2018 semester.

Throughout the month of April, Patty Humbert, Representative, Disability Services, has been working with Penta Career Center and our Fire Science department. Seven students with disability accommodations will be taking the Fire Science 1 certification exam. Ms. Humbert worked with the department, Penta instructors and special education staff in order to set up these accommodations with the state certification agency.

During the Spring 2018 semester, the Disability Resource Center worked with 380 students who were enrolled in a total of 1,418 courses.

International Student Services - Annette Swanson, Manager

International Student Services is proud to announce that Phuc Lam from Vietnam received First Place for Commercial Art as well as an Honorable Mention for a second entry, in the 2018 Juried Student Visual Art Show.

As part of the proposed office contingency plan, a third Designated School Official will be added to the list of Student and Exchange Visitor Program (SEVP) school officials, to provide support in the event of unexpected situations or vacations.

Testing Center - Jessica Ruffner, Manager

In April, Testing Services proctored tests for 1,071 students, a 7.2 percent increase from April of 2017. Testing Services travels to high schools to proctor the placement test, ACCUPLACER, to potential College Credit Plus students. This helps move students along the enrollment process. Testing saw a 44.4 percent increase in offsite placement testing at area high schools from April of 2017.

Veterans Services - Sean McConnell, Manager

On May 4, 18 Student Veterans graduated, with 12 of those receiving degrees with honors. These 12 were recognized at the Academic Recognition Program.

The promotional flyer for The Veterans Car Show being held on June 17 has been completed. Veterans Services has started to distribute the flyer on and off campus. Veterans Services secured a food truck vendor who is also a Veteran for the show.

The Veterans Services office continues to work with other departments and was proud to assist the Transportation Technology department with the Caterpillar Graduation Luncheon by taking photos of the event held in Veterans Hall.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Briana Reithmeier, Career/Undecided Advisor, attended the National Academic Advisor Association (NACADA) Region 5 Conference in Columbus, on April 11-13, where she learned about new advising techniques, approaches, and about how to incorporate career and academic advising more cohesively during student appointments.

David Shaffer, Executive Director of Student Services and Registrar, attended the Higher Learning Commission annual conference in Chicago, Illinois on April 8-10. The conference included sessions on strategies for increasing student retention and tips for successful completion of reaccreditation.

On April 10, Angie McGinnis, Manager of Advising, attended a webinar hosted by the Association for Student Conduct Administration on the topic of minors on campus. The webinar covered risks and considerations when dealing with minors on campus.

Cindy Charlton, Associate Registrar, attended the Ellucian Live conference in San Diego, California April 9-11. The conference included sessions on implementation of Banner 9 and the new self-service applications. These updated applications will increase the student experience.

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FOUNDATION – Jennifer Fehnrich, Executive Director

Fundraising – Donations recently received include:

- \$12,500 for the Toledo Automobile Dealers Association Scholarship
- \$4,370 for the Regina & Harry Silletti Scholarship
- \$4,000 for the John Deere Scholarship
- \$3,475 for the Artistic Endowed Scholarship (*Creative Expressions event*)
- \$2,750 from Perrysburg Rotary for the Trauma Informed Care Conference
- \$1,500 from Board of Trustee Members
- \$1,000 from Foundation Board Members

Foundation –The Finance, Audit and Investments Committee is completing the request for proposals process for an investment manager. A recommendation for an investment firm will be presented to the full Foundation board meeting, May 16, 2018.

2018 Annual Giving Campaign – The 2018 Annual Giving Campaign continues forward progress. As of April 30, the campaign is at 77 percent of the \$300,000 goal with \$231,675 raised. The campaign has reached 100 percent participation from all three leadership boards again this year including the Board of Trustees, the Foundation and Alumni Boards. We also have 100 percent participation from the president, vice presidents and director reports to the president and 100 percent from the deans. Ms. Fehnrich continues to make presentations across campus to faculty and staff about the Foundation and more specifically, the annual giving campaign.

Cultivation & Community Outreach – Ms. Fehnrich and President Robinson held cultivation meetings with some of the College’s business partners. The meetings serve as an opportunity to introduce our new president; discuss the work of the Owens Foundation; and ask for financial support. Ms. Fehnrich attended several program advisory committee meetings since the last board meeting.

Scholarships – The scholarship selection process is nearing completion for the 2018/2019 academic year. As of today, the Foundation has awarded more than \$150,000 to 114 students, an average of \$1,315 per student. Approximately \$40,000 in additional scholarships are yet to be awarded.

Claudia Losek, Development Coordinator, has been leading a small group of internal stakeholders who are working on the contract and implementation plan for AcademicWorks – a scholarship managing software that is compatible with our fundraising software, The Raiser’s Edge. The - project was presented to IT Governance on May 8, 2018. Pending any significant barriers, January 1, 2019 is the targeted go-live date.

ALUMNI RELATIONS – *Bridget Shea, Manager*

Alumni Membership – The Alumni Association has a paid membership of 346 and a complimentary membership of 545. Ms. Shea met with five alum during the month of April.

Alumni Association Events and Discounts - New/renewed discounts became available in April

- Workforce and Community Services Classes of \$100 or less with special FB discounts
- Detroit Tigers
- Cedar Point
- Toledo Zoo (discount started in March)

Events

- The Alumni Association hosted its first event at the Toledo Museum of Art on April 22. Forty-eight people attended the docent lead tours of the Mummies, from *Egypt to Toledo* exhibit.
- On April 27, 120 people attended the Outstanding Service Awards ceremony. We honored 17 awardees.

Upcoming Events –

- Mud Hens Night - June 9, 2018
- Golf Classic – September 17, 2018
 - The 2018 Golf Classic Event sponsor will be *Hylant*, the Drone Golf Ball Drop sponsor is *Rudolph Libbe Group*, the Drone sponsor is *Toledo Aerial Media* and the Print sponsor is *Metzgers*.

FINDLAY CAMPUS – *Julie Baker, Executive Director*

In April, Ms. Baker had several meetings with Laurie Zydonik, Executive Director, Raise the Bar, to further discuss implementing the FAME (Federation for Advanced Manufacturing Education) program in Findlay/Hancock County. She also presented the information to President Robinson and the Vice Presidents at the April 5 executive meeting.

Ms. Baker attended the Honors Symposium on the Toledo campus. She also attended Findlay Campus events including the monthly all campus meeting, Spring Fling, and artist's reception in the Library.

Ms. Baker also represented Owens at the Findlay Rotary, Transportation Coalition of Hancock County, Camp Fire of Northwest Ohio Board and Executive Board meetings.

MARKETING AND COMMUNICATIONS – *Jason Griffin, Director*

Utilizing strategic data from Institutional Research on all digital targeted advertising to key demographics: the commercials, as of May 14, have been viewed on YouTube 419,667 times.

Marketing is currently working with HART to produce additional digital spots of under :15 seconds targeted at direct from high school students through Snapchat and Instagram.

For the digital marketing campaign, Marketing is targeting education intenders, people with an interest in education, education segments through Contextual Targeting, ages 18-30, all residing in northwest Ohio zip codes (Toledo DMA and Hancock County). Digital ads included the 15-second commercial,

College branded ads and 16 academic programs from the data-specific Jobs on the Rise flier that was created in collaboration with the Office of Admissions and Office of Academic Services.

For the second straight year, Marketing partnered with the Toledo Mud Hens for the 2018 season to sponsor every fireworks display (25 games in all). Fans will have the opportunity to enter for free on game days at customer service on the main concourse for a chance to “Graduate Their View” for the fireworks show. Up to four lucky fans will be selected at random and will be escorted on to the field after the game (with pomp and circumstance music playing) where they will enjoy the fireworks while sitting on Owens Adirondack chairs, and they will also receive an Owens goodie bag. This promotion will achieve 250,000 impressions (25 games x 10,000 fans per game).

Additionally, the June 19 game at Fifth Third Field will be the annual Owens Veterans Night at the Mud Hens (over 400 tickets will be distributed to Owens Veteran students). The same evening, the Owens Alumni Association will have a large group outing of over 500 members. The Marketing department was also able to secure an Owens student to sing the National Anthem, and an Owens representative will throw out the ceremonial first pitch.

The Marketing department reports that the Owens Social Media audience (Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, and Instagram) has grown to 64,261 followers and is growing by over 250 new followers per week.

In the combined months of January and February, 72 unique Owens Facebook posts achieved 573,432 impressions. Twitter produced 97,091 impressions during the same time frame with 97 unique tweets. Between Facebook and Twitter; the College is averaging 465,492 impressions per month since December 1, 2015.