# **COLA Monthly**

October 2021

#### Message from the Dean

October? Already? The semester is flying by.

The COLA Reorg Committee has been meeting weekly and making good progress. Many, many thanks to the members of the committee for their diligence and thoughtfulness. Once the committee has a recommendation there will be opportunities for feedback from the COLA community.

Once again this year the college has received funding from the state legislature to support COLA internships. If you have students who could use a financial helping hand to enable them to undertake an internship, please contact Wayne Stark at <a href="mailto:wayne.stark@wright.edu">wayne.stark@wright.edu</a>.



Don't forget there are two opportunities for project funding through the Dean's Fund. One pool of money is for interdisciplinary projects in support of the university's Diversity, Equity and Inclusion goals, and the second is to encourage faculty to develop new experiential learning courses. Both grants have a rolling deadline. More information can be found here in **Grant Guidelines** on the Policies, Forms, and Funding tab of the Information for Faculty and Staff section of our **About** page.

Enjoy the fall weather.

Linda Caron, Dean

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#### **CLASS Programs and Events**

How to be a Career Fair TOP Performer Wednesday, October 6, 10:30 am - 11:15 am

How to be a Career Fair TOP Performer Friday, October 8, 11:00 am - 11:45 am

Show Them What YOU Got - Successful Interviewing Skills and Strategies

Wednesday, October 20, 3:30 pm - 4:15 pm

Is LAW SCHOOL in your FUTURE? Tuesday, October 26, Noon - 12:45 pm

NOTE: Workshops are virtual via WebEx unless otherwise noted: https://wright.webex.com/meet/wayne.stark



## SAVE-THE-DATE: "An Evening with NASIC"

Tuesday, Nov. 9th, 5:30pm - 7:30pm

Join the College of Liberal Arts and the Center for Liberal Arts Student Success as we host representatives from the <u>National Air and Space Intelligence Center</u>. The evening will feature a presentation, a panel of NASIC recruiters and employees, followed by a networking session.

At this time, this event is scheduled to be in person, masked, and socially distanced. If necessary, we will make accommodations to switch to a virtual format based on COVID-19 exigencies.

For more information, contact Wayne Stark, CoLA Director of Workforce Development, at <a href="mailto:wayne.stark@wright.edu">wayne.stark@wright.edu</a>



A fabulous evening

Wright State University <u>Art & Art History</u>, <u>Music</u>, and <u>Theatre</u>, <u>Dance</u>, <u>and Motion</u>

<u>Pictures</u> departments joined together onstage for *Wright State Arts Live! A Celebration of Fine and Performing Arts* on Sept. 16, at the <u>Levitt Pavilion Dayton</u>.

Wright State Arts Live was sponsored by <a href="ArtsGala">ArtsGala</a>, which takes place April 9, 2022, in the Creative Arts Center.

Read more and see a video clip of the event...



Dr. Sharon Lynette publishes book on civil rights activist, Angela Davis

Sharon Lynette Jones, Ph.D., professor in the English Language & Literatures department and the African & African American Studies and Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies programs at WSU, visited archives around the country to research "Conversations with Angela Davis".

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Wright State Theatre, Dance and Motion Pictures announce 2021–22 schedule

Wright State's Theatre, Dance, and Motion Pictures department plans to return with a full season of in-person productions, starting with "Lend Me a Tenor" by Ken Ludwig.

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#### Where are they now? Model U.N.

We tracked down former members of one of Wright State's most prestigious and award-winning legacies, the **Model UN program**, to reflect on their experience and how it has shaped who they are today.

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## Wright State theatre grad Joey Monda wins second Tony Award

Wright State University Musical Theatre graduate Joey Monda won his second Tony Award as a producer of "The Inheritance," which was named Best Play at the 74th annual Tony Awards Sept. 26.

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#### Where do we go from here?

The COVID-19 pandemic has changed the way students learn and work, shaken up the supply chain, stifled small businesses and altered the way entertainment is delivered and consumed. The question now is how permanent these changes will be.

Experts at Wright State tapped into their reservoir of knowledge and did a little crystal-ball gazing to predict what the business, health, education, and entertainment landscapes will look like as the nation emerges from the pandemic.

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