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## Top Stories



### Pair of FHSU programs receive No. 1 rankings

07/28/16  
Fort Hays State University's Department of Applied Business Studies has recently received two No. 1 rankings in the nation in online education. The Tourism and Hospitality Management program was ranked first in the nation for best value by ONLINEU, while "Best Degree Programs" ranked FHSU No. 1 for best online Bachelor's of Marketing program in 2016. [More](#)



### FHSU's Pratt happy he said yes to musical

07/28/16  
Karl Pratt had been asked a couple times before to be music director for a Hays Community Theatre production. New on the job at the Fort Hays State University Alumni Association, Pratt wanted to concentrate on that.

Asked again this spring, Pratt agreed to be music director for the Hays Community Theatre's production of "Shrek the Musical." [More](#)



### Donors recognized for investment in entrepreneurship at Fort Hays State University

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A \$3.5 million donation from the foundation of a northwest Kansas philanthropist made possible the construction of the Dane G. Hansen Scholarship Hall at Fort Hays State University. [More](#)

## Features



### FHSU alum honors her educational journey, supports alma mater's entrepreneurship program

07/28/16  
Everyone has a story about how Fort Hays State University became his or her destination of choice for post-secondary education.

For Coleen Ellis, it was her parents' love for the university that inspired her, although they barely ever set foot on campus. [More](#)



### Ivanka trumps everything for FHSU student

07/25/16  
It was a whirlwind week for Kansas' youngest representative at the Republican National Convention.

Tanner Tempel, a Garden City senior agriculture business major at Fort Hays State University, was an alternate delegate for Texas Sen. Ted Cruz. [More](#)

## Accomplishments and Happenings



### FHSU graduate student selected as first representative on advisory board

07/27/16  
Mackenzie Orchard, a 2016 graduate of Fort Hays State University, has been selected as the FHSU ambassador for the high school and college advisory board with ICT S.O.S., an organization in Wichita that seeks to end domestic sex trafficking of minors in Wichita. [More](#)



### KWEC to host 4th annual meteor shower party

07/27/16  
The Kansas Wetlands Education Center will host its fourth annual Perseid Meteor Shower Viewing Party -- a free, fun-filled family evening of crafts, games, snacks and stargazing -- at 9 p.m. Friday, Aug. 12, at the Kansas Wetlands Education Center. [More](#)



### Students learn about global education in England

07/25/16  
Dr. Elodie Jones, assistant professor of teacher education at Fort Hays State University, recently took four students to England to visit Sheffield Hallam University, Sheffield.

Students met with county council members to discuss current issues in education and toured London, Peak District National Park and the Derbyshire County countryside. [More](#)



### Docking poll shows congressional race too close to call

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Fort Hays State University's Docking Institute of Public Affairs on Sunday released the results of a political poll which measured Kansans' candidate and policy preferences on key issues. [More](#)



### Hoxie, Liberal golf tournaments to raise funds for scholarships

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The Fort Hays State University Alumni Association will host golf tournaments on Friday, July 29, in Hoxie, and Saturday, July 30, in Liberal. Area alumni and friends are invited to participate. [More](#)



### Garden City golf tournament to raise funds for scholarships

07/25/16  
The Fort Hays State University Alumni Association invites area alumni and friends to participate in the 2016 Garden City Tiger Golf Tournament on Friday, Aug. 5. [More](#)



### Community Connection: Joel Dugan

07/21/16 HaysPost/EagleTV  
Three new murals are hanging inside the Memorial Union on the campus of Fort Hays State University. Mike Cooper visits with Joel Dugan to find out what they represent. [WATCH](#)

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