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## Top Stories



### Wichita Area Technical College, Fort Hays State form partnership in transfer agreement

06/30/16  
All Associate of Applied Science graduates of Wichita Area Technical College now have a fully articulated Bachelor of Science in Technology Leadership program available from Fort Hays State University. [More](#)



### What FHSU's Munsch says about recognition as one of the 50 Kansans You Should Know

06/30/16  
The word grew fast on Tuesday as the Kansas City business publication Ingram's published a list titled "50 Kansans You Should Know" that included Fort Hays State University's Kris Munsch. [More](#)



### Grant to expand FHSU Sternberg Museum of Natural History's paleontology collection

06/27/16  
A \$116,000 grant from the National Science Foundation will expand the reach of paleontology studies at Fort Hays State University's Sternberg Museum of Natural History, 3000 Sternberg Drive.

"The grant will allow the Sternberg Museum to hire FHSU graduate and undergraduate students to work in the paleontology collection and to purchase imaging equipment," said Dr. Laura Wilson, curator of paleontology and assistant professor of geosciences. [More](#)

## Features



### SMEI camps help FHSU students make career choices

06/30/16  
Do I want to be a teacher? Some undergraduate students at Fort Hays State University can find out first hand if they want to become math or science teachers through a grant received from the Robert Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program. [More](#)



### Chapman can't brush off attention; FHSU Foundation unveils portrait of retiring president, CEO

06/28/16  
Tim Chapman isn't accustomed to being on this side of the canvas, and he admits it felt a bit strange.

So when entrepreneur/philanthropist Steve Shields from Manhattan finally convinced Chapman to commission his portrait, Chapman said it was so humbling." Now, Chapman calls it an extreme honor. [More](#)



### HCI ends with tears, laughter and memories

06/27/16  
There were hugs and tearful goodbyes. There was also a time to laugh and for final pictures to be taken for the participants, and a video was shown to remember their four days on Fort Hays State University's campus. [More](#)



### 'Hispanic Stars' tell their stories at HCI

06/24/16  
Oscar Rodriguez, who was an all-conference safety for the Tiger football team more than a decade ago, wanted to make sure he was part of Fort Hays State University's inaugural Hispanic College Institute. That's why he was one of 14 "Hispanic Stars" who volunteered to share their success stories with almost 90 campers in small groups on Thursday. [More](#)



### From Fort Hays State to Mars

06/24/16  
Joe Erdman looked at the group of teenagers in the audience and smiled. Then he proceeded to tell them they could be the next Joe Erdman.

Erdman, a 1985 graduate of Fort Hays State University, was the featured speaker at Friday's Hispanic College Institute at his alma mater. [More](#)

## Accomplishments and Happenings



### Elementary teachers of USD 259 get a two-week lesson in Earth science from FHSU professors

06/30/16  
Fourth- and fifth-grade teachers from Wichita USD 259 participated in a two-week workshop led by Fort Hays State University's Dr. Eric Deyo, assistant professor of physics, and Dr. Janet Stramel, associate professor of teacher education. [More](#)



### Shenyang FHSU students get a taste of the FHSU culture

06/29/16  
Seventeen students from Shenyang Normal University, Shenyang, China, visited Fort Hays State University's campus for cultural and academic experience.

The students arrived in the United States on June 19 and stayed a day in Los Angeles before coming to Hays on June 20. [More](#)



### Five new members join FHSU Alumni Association Board of Directors

06/29/16  
The Fort Hays State University Alumni Association Board of Directors has announced the addition of five new board members.

They were introduced June 17 at the board's summer meeting in Hays. New to the board are Emily Brandt, student, Beloit; Dr. Jennifer Brantley, Halstead; Treva "Betty" Johnson, Lawrence; Richard "Dick" Selensky, Shawnee Mission; and Lance Tilton, Chapman. [More](#)



### Volunteer, chapter of the year awards announced at annual FHSU alumni meeting

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Chapter Volunteer of the Year and Chapter of the Year awards were announced at the recent annual meeting of the Fort Hays State University Alumni Association Board of Directors. [More](#)



### Community Connection: Curtis Hammeke

06/27/16  
Mike Cooper visits with Fort Hays State University athletic director, Curtis Hammeke on the progress of the new track and field complex. [WATCH](#)



### SMEI hosts week-long engineering camp

06/24/16  
Fort Hays State University's Summer and Mathematics Education Institute has completed its fifth camp of the summer, "Super Science Heroes Save the World."

Students entering second through fifth grade spent the week exploring different aspects of engineering and built go-karts, potato chip can generators and marshmallow shooters. [More](#)

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