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In Case You Missed It ...



RECORD ENROLLMENT: FHSU spring 2016 enrollment sets record, defies national trend of declining university enrollments

3/11/16
Fort Hays State University, which has been setting records regularly since the turn of the century, has set another all-time record for enrollment in a spring semester. The official 20th-day enrollment for spring 2016 is 12,338, which surpasses the enrollment of 11,889 from spring 2015 by 449 students. That is an increase of 3.8 percent. [More](#)



FHSU graduate returns to alma mater as Kansas Teacher of the Year 2016

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By Diane Gasper-O'Brien
University Relations and Marketing
It's not uncommon for students to change their majors a time or two, or even more, over the course of their college careers. The same holds true in the real world. [More](#)

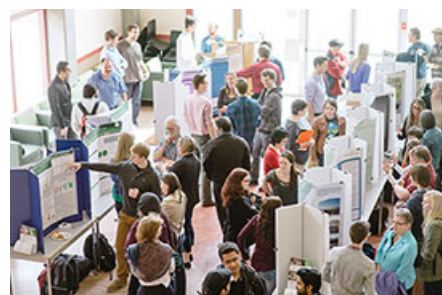
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FHSU programs help student see the world

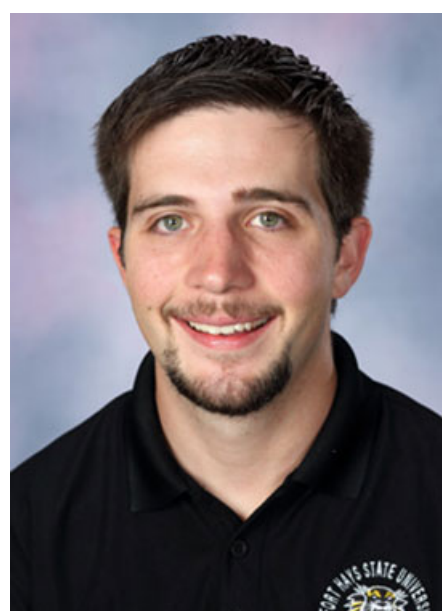
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By Randy Gonzales
University Relations and Marketing
It's Ecuador this week, then Finland for a year, Alaska and Canada last year. Travel opportunities offered by Fort Hays State University have made a world of difference for Lecompton junior Julie Clement. [More](#)

Accomplishments and Happenings



FHSU students address hunger issues, food system strategies

3/10/16
Several Fort Hays State University students went to the University of Missouri-Columbia recently for the 11th annual summit of the Universities Fighting World Hunger alliance, titled: "From Poverty to Promise." [More](#)



FHSU student earns ACPA award

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Jacob Patrick, Elizabeth, Colo., a second-year master's student at Fort Hays State University, received an Outstanding Graduate Student Award from the American College Personnel Association's College Student Educators International. [More](#)



Student Government Association seeking projects for BIG Event

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The Student Government Association at Fort Hays State University is seeking projects for the annual BIG Event, on Saturday, April 30, an SGA initiative to give back to the community by performing services for people who need them. [More](#)



FHSU family, local community invited to send-offs for 3 Tiger teams headed to NCAA D-2 tournaments

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FHSU men face rival Nebraska-Kearney in NCAA Tournament opener Saturday

3/8/16 via FHSU Sports Information
Fort Hays State Men's Basketball opens NCAA Tournament play on Saturday (Mar. 12) when it faces long-time rival Nebraska-Kearney. Game time is set for 8 pm from the Sanford Pentagon in Sioux Falls, S.D. The Tigers are the No. 5 seed in the regional, while the Lopers are the No. 4 seed. [More](#)



FHSU Women Play Winona State Friday to Open NCAA Tournament

3/8/16 via FHSU Sports Information
Fort Hays State Women's Basketball opens NCAA Tournament play on Friday (Mar. 11) against Winona State. Game time is set for 12 pm from John Lance Arena in Pittsburg, Kan. The Tigers are the No. 5 seed in the regional, while the Warriors are the No. 4 seed. [More](#)

FHSU Experts Speak



Deadly 'Dixie Alley' focus of new tornado-chasing campaign

2/29/16 via USA TODAY (Dr. P. Grady Dixon)
Two decades after helping inspire the movie Twister, a vast operation to chase, observe and study tornadoes in the USA is getting a reboot.

Starting Tuesday, 40 scientists from up to 20 different government, research and academic organizations will fan out across the Southeast, focusing for the first time on the so-called Dixie Alley, a region frequently hit by deadly, destructive tornadoes. [More](#)



6 ways to bridge the gap between faculty and IT

3/8/16 via CampusTechnology.com (Dr. Andrew Feldstein)
The relationship between academia and technology is notoriously complicated. Faculty often view IT staffers as gadget-mongers eager to roll out new tech regardless of its value to teaching and learning, while technology specialists are certain they could make life easier for those on the other side — if they'd only listen! [More](#)

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