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Late Spring Photos



In this issue's [photo gallery](#), love of sunsets and alma mater knows no season as alumni reminisce, inspiring speakers capture the spirit of Torchlight and Commencement, employees earn recognition for long service, and wildlife encounters half a world apart fascinate. If you would like to submit photos of timely activities for future issues, email pictures with a brief caption to proffice@oswego.edu.

Michel appointed education dean

President Deborah F. Stanley has named Pamela Michel dean of the School of Education. [Read more >](#)

Partnership helps teachers teach English learners

As more of their students struggle with English, Syracuse teachers are going back to school. Fifteen elementary and secondary teachers are building their expertise to teach students with limited English proficiency through a new partnership with SUNY Oswego and the New York State Education Department. [Read more >](#)

Kay co-edits book on home economics evolution

The field once known as home economics is alive, well and informing many other branches of knowledge, according to a new book co-edited by history professor and Honors Program Director Gwen Kay. [Read more >](#)



College expands opportunity with branch campus in Syracuse

With the official designation of the SUNY Oswego Metro Center as a branch campus, people residing or working in the greater Syracuse area will be able to complete in-demand degree and certificate programs at the Syracuse location in Clinton Square.

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People in Action



In this issue, read about recent Leadership Oswego County graduates, small grants to faculty, a champion equestrian, faculty and student publications in astrophysics and statistics, staff participation in federal projects and presentations on social media and printing services, an honored animated film and a jazz performance prize. [Read more >](#)

Academic advisement award honors three

The SUNY Oswego President's Award for Excellence in Academic Advisement for 2015 will honor biological sciences staff member Lisa Brancato, Mary Rodgers of the finance faculty in the School of Business and Karen Wolford, professor of psychology. The honorees will be recognized at the college's annual Teaching and Learning Awards Ceremony this fall. [Read more >](#)

Spotlight



Meet Patti Burnett of the Registrar's Office, whose problem-solving work in student records engages and challenges her — in this issue's [Spotlight](#).

Announcements

- [Daylight Hour: College to turn off lights at lunchtime Friday](#)
- [Online MBA program earns top 25 national ranking](#)
- [College honored for advancement, communications projects](#)
- [Alumni art showcased at Oswego Civic Arts Center](#)
- [Noted authors of young adults', children's books to speak](#)
- [WRVO collaborating with other stations on Upstate Insight](#)
- [Oswego recognized as 'College of Distinction'](#)
- [Wednesday Walk blends fitness, exploration in Syracuse](#)
- [Upstate continues partnership with SUNY Oswego](#)
- [PR student named alumni association outstanding senior](#)
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Thursday, June 18

- [GENIUS Olympiad award ceremony](#)

Saturday, June 20

- [Rice Creek Ramble](#)

Sunday, June 21

- [Planetarium show: "The Stars of Summer"](#)

Saturday, June 27

- [Rice Creek Reflection: "Exploring Special Habitat"](#)

Sunday, June 28

- [Planetarium show: "The Stars of Summer"](#)

Monday, July 6

- [Third summer session begins](#)

Saturday, July 11

- [Rice Creek Ramble](#)

Friday, July 17

- [Summer Open House](#)

Saturday, July 18

- [Rice Creek Ramble](#)

Saturday, July 25

- [Rice Creek Ramble](#)

Monday, July 27

- [Fourth summer session begins](#)
- [Sheldon Institute begins](#)



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