



A WEEKLY ROUNDUP OF GOOD NEWS ABOUT THE TIGER FAMILY

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## knowledge & scholarship



### **ENTOMOLOGY BEYOND RESEARCH AND EDUCATION: 2022 STUDENT DEBATES**

05/01/23

Sarah Elzay, assistant professor of biological sciences, coauthored an article in the Journal of Insect Science that provides a detailed overview of student debates at the 2022 Entomological Society of America's (ESO) annual meeting.



### **STUDENT AGENCY AND THE UNGRADED CLASSROOM**

11/13/23

Dr. Janet Stramel, professor and Edna Shutts Williams Endowed chair, COE, Dr. Linda Feldstein, associate professor COE, and Robyn Hartman, information and literacy librarian, Forsyth Library, presented at the London International Conference on Education at Oxford University. Their research concerns the ways ungraded evaluation structures influence students' sense of agency for learning.



### **GREAT COLLEGE TEACHING: WHERE IT HAPPENS AND HOW TO FOSTER IT EVERYWHERE**

12/24/23

Scott Gregory, assistant professor of teacher education, published an article in the Community College Journal of Research and Practice.



## **MORE THAN 600 HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS COMPETE IN FHSU MATH RELAYS**

12/01/23

Fort Hays State University's Math and Computer Science departments hosted the 43rd annual Math Relays on Nov. 9 in the Memorial Union.



## **in the news**



## **IMPROVEMENTS ARE ON THE WAY FOR THE 2024-25 FAFSA PROCESS**

11/01/23

Some key changes include replacing Expected Family Contribution (EFC) with Student Aid Index (SAI) calculation to determine eligibility for need-based funding. Rather than importing their tax information using the IRS Data Retrieval Tool, applicants will consent to provide their Federal Tax Information (FTI) via a direct data share with the IRS. Having an FSA ID (account username and password) is the only way for students and parents to access or correct information online.



## **FHSU DECEMBER COMMENCEMENT PLANS UNDERWAY**

11/29/23

Fort Hays State University will recognize approximately 1,157 graduates during its fifth annual fall commencement ceremonies on Friday, Dec. 15 (in person) and Saturday, Dec. 16 (virtual).



## **FHSU ANNOUNCES THE SELECTION OF PETER LAIPSON TO LEAD AFFILIATION INITIATIVE IMPLEMENTATION**

12/01/23

Dr. Peter Laipson, a higher education executive with more than two decades of senior higher education leadership experience, was chosen from a nationwide pool of candidates to lead Fort Hays State University, North Central Kansas Technical College (NCK Tech), and Northwest Kansas Technical College's (Northwest Tech) strategic affiliation initiative.



## **global engagement**



### **KANSAS WETLANDS EDUCATION CENTER'S HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE**

11/20/23

Join the Kansas Wetlands Education Center staff in celebrating the Christmas season with a Holiday Open House from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday, Dec. 2.



### **FHSU'S ANNUAL TOY BUILDING EVENT SET FOR SATURDAY, DEC. 2**

11/27/23

As the 2023 holiday season commences, Fort Hays State University's annual toy-building event is approaching quickly. The 34th Annual Fred Ruda's Teaming up for Tots event is set to take place on Saturday, Dec. 2, at the Center for Applied Technology at Fort Hays State University.



### **KANSAS WETLANDS EDUCATION CENTER OFFERS TAXIDERMISTRY WORKSHOP FOR YOUTH**

11/28/23

For those who would like to learn about preserving animals for study or display, the Kansas Wetlands Education Center is hosting a workshop in December. Participants aged 12-18 can learn and practice this art on Thursday, Dec. 28, from 8 a.m.-5 p.m.



### **CAMBODIA-BASED TEAM WINS FHSU ENTREPRENEURIAL CHALLENGE COMPETITION**

11/30/23

A three-member team of students from the American University of Phnom Penh (AUPP) took home first-place honors and a \$2,500 top prize in the 10th annual FHSU Entrepreneurial Challenge event at Fort Hays State University. Students Chanratnak Mong, Seth Tharo Hour, and Techngoun Leang's business plan titled "Watt Wise" offered an innovative solution to a pressing sustainability issue in Cambodia.



### **CABINET AGENDA AND SUMMARY NOTES**

10/05/23

The Cabinet agenda and summary notes are posted here:

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President Tisa Mason



## **REFLECTIONS ON THE 2023 TIGER ATHLETICS HALL OF FAME CELEBRATION, PART 1**

11/27/23

One of my favorite campus events is our annual Hall of Fame induction ceremony. The Tiger Sports Hall of Fame was established in 1986 to honor former Fort Hays State University athletes, coaches, administrators, and community members who have made an extraordinary contribution to Tiger athletics.

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