

Teaching and Learning

Papers Due? Need Help? Find the Writing Lab Now

SUBMITTED BY **KATHRYN SWANSON, PROFESSOR, ENGLISH**

Get help finishing those papers! Writing Lab tutors are ready to make your lives easier and better, but you must visit them. The Writing Lab is located on the street level of Lindell Library, just left of the circulation desk. No appointments are taken/needed; just show up with a hard copy of your work. This is a busy time for everyone so please come early (and often). Here are the regular hours:

Monday: 11:10 a.m.-1:40 p.m.; 6:30-9:30 p.m.
Tuesday: 12:30-3:00 p.m.; 3:30-6:00 p.m.; 7:30-10 p.m.
Wednesday: 3:30-6:00 p.m.; 6:30-9 p.m.
Thursday: 12:30-3:00 p.m.; 3:30-6:00 p.m.; 7:30-10 p.m.
Friday: 4:30-7:00 p.m.
Sunday: 5:00-8:00 p.m.

Questions? Contact K. Swanson, ext. 1010.

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General Announcements

Going on Now - Faculty/Staff Appreciation Sale

SUBMITTED BY **JOSH SCHWEITZER, BOOKSTORE MANAGER, BOOKSTORE**

It's that time of year again; we would like to say THANK YOU for all that you do! Mark your calendars for December 4th, 5th, and 6th for our faculty/staff appreciation sale. Have you been looking at our new ugly Christmas sweaters? Need some Christmas gifts? Now is the time to stock up!

To receive your discount, you must show your faculty/staff Augsburg ID card at the time of purchase.

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Steps Challenge

SUBMITTED BY **CAROL AENKE, HPE INSTRUCTOR, HEALTH-PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

Thanks to the faculty/staff that participated in the 8 week Steps Challenge. As a group we logged 17,313,131 steps.

Thanks to Human Resources for sponsoring this event.

Prize winners are:

\$10 Einstein's gift cards - Kevin Cheatham, James Matthias, Pat White
Movie passes - Ann Garvey, Nathan Lind, Jim Trelstad-Porter
\$25 book store gift card - Tom Morgan

Congrats to all for taking steps towards better health. Our next BIG challenge will be the Fitness Challenge against UST starting in mid-February. Details to follow.

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ACYTI Journals

SUBMITTED BY **CASEY RAE REGNIER, STUDENT**

The 2014 Augsburg College Youth Theology Institute (ACYTI) Journal has been published! This past summer's ACYTI was an intense week of friendship, classroom learning, worship, solitude, contemplation, discernment, and action on Augsburg's urban campus for high school students from around the country interested in theology. At the end of their week-long journey they reflect on what they've taken away from the week and write a paper, which Augsburg then revises and publishes. This year's theme was, "OMG! Christian Community in the Internet Age" and focused on the impact of technology on the Christian Community. Take some time and read what current high school students are learning from Augsburg's intellectual and diverse community experience!

Link to journals: <http://www.augsburg.edu/ccv/acyti/student-journals/>

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Nominations Due for Christensen Award

SUBMITTED BY **MARY LAUREL TRUE, DIRECTOR, SERVICE-LEARNING AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT, SABO CENTER FOR CITIZENSHIP AND LEARNING**

Beginning with this year, we are shifting the timeline for soliciting nominations for the 2015, Marina Christensen-Justice Award.

The Marina Christensen-Justice Award is an annual award honoring a graduating senior student who represents in a high degree Augsburg's motto, "Education for Service." The recipient must have demonstrated a dedication to the kind of community involvement that characterized the personal and professional life of Marina Christensen-Justice, who courageously and effectively reached out to bring equity and harmony to disadvantaged people and communities.

The award (including a plaque and honorarium) will be announced at the May 3rd commencement ceremony.

Faculty and staff are asked to nominate students for this award by December 5, 2014. In making a nomination, the nominator(s) should provide their name and the name of the student being nominated, and write a brief description of the following:

Community engagement work, internships, field work, advocacy and/or service efforts that go beyond the campus.

Please send nominations to Mary Laurel True, truem@augsb.org.

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Congratulations 2015 Orientation Leaders

SUBMITTED BY **SAMANTHA K COY, STUDENT**

Campus Activities and Orientation is proud to announce the selection of the 2015 Orientation Leaders: