

Many of you have been an important part of the Music Therapy program at Augsburg College over the past 40 years. We are delighted to announce that we are inaugurating the Master of Music Therapy degree with an emphasis on health care this fall. We will be celebrating the 40th anniversary of the Music Therapy program during Homecoming with a special dinner on Friday, September 26. Please save the date and watch for registration details.

In celebration of both the 40th anniversary and the beginning of the Master's program, we hope to install three beautiful outdoor instruments by the Music Hall. We are calling this the "Ode to Joy" Music Garden. You may recall that this project originated as part of last year's Give to the Max Day at Augsburg. You may access more information about these instruments at the following website:

<http://freenotesharmony.com>

In order to make this dream a reality, we are seeking your donation through a generous contribution of \$250. This amount will include your name on our commemorative plaque. At the present time, we need an additional 16 contributions in this amount, or the equivalent of \$4,000. Please click here to make your gift today or visit: <https://fog.augsburg.edu/sslpage.aspx?pid=514>.

Of course, we will accept your donation in any amount. This small beginning at Augsburg College is a part of a larger vision for engaging inter-generational play at public parks throughout the Twin Cities. There are already two similar installations at Jackson Park in Northeast Minneapolis and at the Maple Grove Rotary Music Park.

Our goal is to raise the remaining funds by August 1, 2014 in order to install our instruments by the end of September for our 40th Anniversary celebration. Thank you to everyone who has already generously supported this "Ode to Joy" Music Garden project--we hope you will join us in this joyful celebration!

Sing your heart out!

Roberta S. Kagin
Director of Music Therapy

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Open Forum - Director Adult Education

SUBMITTED BY **DIONNE DOERING, DIRECTOR AND CHIEF HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICER, HUMAN RESOURCES**

We would like to invite all members of our Augsburg community to attend the open forums for the final candidates for the Director of Adult Education.

Monday July 21, 3:00 PM in Marshall Room
Thursday July 24, 10:00 AM in OGC 100

We will have candidate bios available on the candidates in the forums. Please submit your feedback on the candidates through the online survey http://augsburg.az1.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_b1pXnYmD3fm1WBE1

Questions may be directed to Alan Tuchtenhagen, the Search Chair, or Dionne Doering in Human Resources. We hope you can join us for the open forums!

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Director of Public Safety Moodle Site

SUBMITTED BY **TRACY CHRISTIANSON, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT, STUDENT AFFAIRS**

As a reminder, candidates for the Director of Public Safety are on campus and hosting open forums on the following dates:

Friday, July 18 from 10:30-11:30 in Marshall
Monday, July 21 from 10-11 in OGC 100
Friday, July 25 from 10:30-11:30 in Marshall

Candidate materials and a survey link are provided on our Moodle Community page. You can access this page by following these steps:

Go to Moodle
Click on Community (upper right)
Scroll to the very bottom and select the category "Director of Public Safety"
Click on the community site and self enroll
From that point forward, the DPS Director site will appear on your community home page

Please let me know if you have any questions by calling 612-330-1160.
Thank you!

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Concordia Language Village Employment Opportunities

SUBMITTED BY **LOIS M NIELSEN-JOHNS, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT, SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES**

Concordia Language Villages has 2014-15 employment opportunities for Spanish Teachers. These are part-time, in the Twin Cities metro area, for Language and Cultural Immersion, and Programs for Preschool and Elementary. They have multiple classes/programs in preschool enrichment, and before and after school discovery programs. You may apply for individual programs or combine multiple programs. Salary based on experience. Applicants who are not U.S. citizens must have valid work visas. www.ConcordiaLanguagesVillages.org. To apply, send resume to hegstad@cord.edu. Phone: 651-328-1059.

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Event Announcements

MFA Summer Residency - Readings and Screenings

SUBMITTED BY **KATHLEEN MATTHEWS, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT - MFA/MBA, MFA/MBA**

The MFA in Creative Writing 2014 Summer Residency will be held from Thursday, July 17 through Sunday, July 27. Please join us in welcoming our very talented students and acclaimed writers to campus for this festival of craft talks, workshops, evening readings and more. This summer's visitors include Pulitzer prize-winning science journalist Deborah Blum, playwright Kristoffer Diaz, poet/memoirist Alex Lemon, screenwriter Bill Wheeler, and author Pam Houston. They will be joining our own MFA mentors, Nicole Brending, Stephan Erik Clark, Cass Dalglish, Jack El-Hai, Heidi Erdrich, John Gaterud, Sarah Myers, Cary Waterman and Steven Wingate.

We invite you to join us for the evening readings/screenings and receptions, at which featured writers will be available to sign their works. All events begin at 7:30 p.m., and the public is invited.