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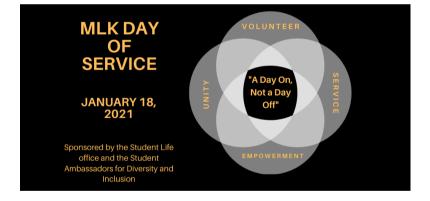
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MLK Day of Service

The Martin Luther King Jr. holiday on Jan. 18, 2021, marks the 27th anniversary of the day of service that celebrates the Civil Rights leader's life and legacy. Observed each year on the third Monday in January as "a day on, not a day off," MLK Day is the only federal holiday designated as a national day of service to encourage all Americans to volunteer to improve their communities.

Please join Student Life and the Student Ambassadors for Diversity and Inclusion as they come together to celebrate the MLK Day of Service by picking up trash. We will observe all safety precautions, as we will all be outside, with masks on and at least six feet apart. There will also be a virtual option for those unable to participate in person or those on other campuses. Details for that opportunity upcoming.

Please RSVP at https://ttuhsc.campuslabs.com/engage/event/6633906. Contact Doris Hereford at 806-743-6489 if you have any questions.

Day Lockers are Now Available at the Preston Smith Library

Lockers are now available on the second floor of the Preston Smith Library in Lubbock for patrons who want to store personal belongings securely in the library. Lockers can be checked out for one day and are available on a first-come-first-serve basis. Locks can be borrowed from the circulation desk and only locks issued by the Library are permitted. Contact Lubbock Circulation at 806-743-2200 for more information.

Student Research Week - Abstract Submissions are Open!

Students! We want to hear about your research! Submit your abstract for Student Research Week 2021, coming to you virtually March 9-12. Abstract submissions are open December 15-January 15 at srw.bioraider.com.

IPE Virtual Event - Registration Open

Registration is open for our next virtual IPE event on January 20th, Through the Lens of Pop Culture: The Buzz on Communication & Teamwork. Teams of interprofessional students will explore TeamSTEPPS tools and strategies through the lens of pop culture. Teams will review some of your favorite pop culture communication and teamwork moments from TV and film. Student teams will use creative methods such as games and skits to strengthen communication and teamwork skills. Each participant will receive an IPE certificate of completion. Don't miss this engaging and interactive IPE event! Register at https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ipe-through-the-lens-of-pop-culture-tickets-123345440533.

Register Now! Big 12 LGBTQIA & Allies Summit

Please join us for refrACTION 2021: the Big 12 LGBTQIA & Allies Summit, which will be held virtually this year on February 26-27. The Summit brings together participants to network with other leaders and community organizers, engage with social justice advocates through educational programming, and learn from trailblazing professionals for LGBTQIA equality on the national stage. This year has been filled with challenges, notably racial injustice and transphobia, and a health crisis that has disproportionately impacted some of the most vulnerable people in society. The LGBTQIA community, our allies, and others with diverse experiences and identities have shown our capacity to demonstrate flexibility, perseverance, and unity. We have shown our ability to bend and, at times, change directions to continue moving forward. While these characteristics are not novel to this time and place, they can produce something beautiful and unique like the rainbow beams produced when light refracts through a prism. Through the sharing of our stories, we strengthen our communities and provide ways for others to see and know us better. The Summit this year will provide us a medium to reflect, refract, and act.

For more information visit the Summit website: https://www.depts.ttu.edu/lgbtqia/big12.php.



2021 EPIC Day - Office of Interprofessional Education

Register today for 2021 E.P.I.C. Day, Emergency Preparedness in communities, brought to you by the Office of Interprofessional Education at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center. E.P.I.C. Day is a fun-filled, virtual event that will focus on Interprofessional Collaboration and Teamwork as it looks at how as health care professions we can respond to public health emergencies as they happen in the communities we serve. Students will be assigned to an interprofessional response team. Within those teams, students will collaborate together in determining an appropriate plan of action based on the needs of the community while coordinating with other resources with the other various teams during a tornado.

E.P.I.C. Day is approved through the IPE Registry and all participating students will receive a certificate that can be used towards the IPE curriculum graduation requirements.

For more information, please visit our webpage at www.ttuhsc.edu/interprofessional-education or call the Office of Interprofessional Education at (806) 743-2028.

UPCOMING EVENTS

OPD Webinars

Join the Office of People Development for their webinar series covering a variety of topics.

This session will provide an overview as to how we, as leaders, can shift our thinking and approach the new year.

• Tuesday, January 12th | 2 - 3 pm | Zoom: https://ttuhsc.zoom.us/j/98381620590

This session will explore the value of collaboration and guiding those we serve.

• Thursday, January 14th | 10 - 11 am | Zoom: https://ttuhsc.zoom.us/j/94944930770

STUDENT ORGS

Student Organization Spending Reminder - Lubbock

If your organization is wanting to make a purchase with on-campus Agency funds or your Senate funds, you MUST contact our office first. There are specific processes in place for spending that must be followed in order for your organization's funds to be utilized. These processes are established by both TTUHSC Operating Policies and State of Texas laws. Our office is here to help you with purchases and keep your organization within these guidelines and regulations.

To help with this process we have created a new form in HSC Net. Please submit this form before any plan for a purchase is made.

 Spending Request Form – Lubbock: https://ttuhsc.campuslabs.com/engage/submitter/form/start/457918

As a reminder, our office **DOES NOT** provide

• personal reimbursements for student organization expenses.

Agency Accounts - Moving Off-Campus Deadline

As mentioned to all student organization leaders and advisors earlier in the year, Agency accounts must be moved off campus to outside bank accounts. If you have not already begun the process of moving your organization's agency account off campus, please begin to do so. For a refresher on the process, please visit our Organization Funding page at https://www.ttuhsc.edu/student-life/organization-funding.aspx.

If you have already setup an outside account but have not submitted the Vendor Setup Forms to our office, please contact us immediately to begin the process of withdrawing your agency funds from TTUHSC.

As a reminder the deadline for moving agency funds to an office campus account is March 1, 2021, to coincide with the annual Student Organization Re-Registration process. This deadline means accounts off-campus have been created and the process for transferring funds has already been started.

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