

Methodist University (Fayetteville, North Carolina)
News Releases 2012

January 2012

Dean's list, fall 2011

President's list, fall 2011

Analyzing and Interpreting Behavior in the Serial Murder and Sexual Homicide and Agency Cold Case Presentations presented by the Methodist University Center for Excellence in Justice Administration (January 3)

January calendar of events (January 6)

Physician Assistant Program PANCE (Physician Assistant National Certifying Exam) pass rates (January 9)

Annual Womack Lecture in Religion (Dr. Louay Safi to speak) (includes photo; January 9)

Kenny Chum Tien named Registered Collegiate Recreational Sports Professional (includes photo; January 3)

MU hosts women's basketball, cheer, and dance experience (January 27)

February calendar of events (January 27)

Methodist University prepares for Stop Hunger Now event (January 30)

February 2012

Friends of Music at Methodist presents Commedia Dell'Arte (February 1)

Public Service Announcement: MU Chorale offers singing valentines (no date)

Methodist University hosts sixth annual Miss Methodist Pageant (February 2)

Loyalty Day set for February 7, 2012 (February 3)

Methodist University hosts MBA Program open house session (February 6)

Methodist University students participate in NCICU Ethics Bowl (February 9)

Reeves School of Business reinstates Business Advisory Board (February 13)

Methodist University Theatre Department to present Steve Martin's *Picasso at the Lapin Agile* (February 14)

Smithsonian astronomer and Harvard University professor to speak at Methodist University's Bullard-Templeton Lecture (Dr. Owen Gingerick ; February 15)

Tom Daglis joins the Reeves School of Business as the Director of the Professional Tennis Management Program (February 15)

Kelsey Magnin crowned Miss Methodist (February 17)

Lieutenant General Frank G. Helmink to speak at Methodist University (February 20)

MU March 2012 calendar of events (February 23)

Southern Writers Symposium set for March 17 (February 24)

Lieutenant General Frank Helmick shares insight with the Methodist Community (February 29)

March 2012

Methodist University announces the inauguration of its fourth president (Dr. Ben E. Hancock, Jr.) (includes photo; March 2)

Methodist University announces the 16th B. F. Stone Lyceum (Dr. George Hendricks, "Effects of Educational Policy on Homeless Children") (March 7)

Resort Management Club earns recognition at CMAA World Conference as a chapter organization (includes photo; March 12)

Methodist University to offer Master of Education program (March 14)

Methodist University presents fourth annual Jazz Festival (March 15)

Methodist University students take a “Swipe Out of Hunger” in support of Operation Inasmuch (March 15)

Methodist University to host student art invitational (March 20)

Methodist University to host free Easter Jam concert (March 21)

Methodist University announces third BSFN program (Business Succession Forum Network: Shelley Kelly speaking on rebranding and integrating digital marketing) (March 21)

Methodist University April 2012 calendar of events (March 30)

April 2012

Methodist University to offer STEM day camp (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) (April 5)

MU students place in the all-time top 20 in an international business strategy simulation (April 10)

Physician Assistant Program third annual golf tournament (April 10)

Methodist University announces 2012 Award recipients (includes award descriptions; April 12)

MU Challenge to benefit Wounded Warrior Project (“Run, Ride, Fight Gone Right;” April 12)

Methodist University announces 49th Annual spring commencement (April 13)

MU April calendar of events (actually lists *May* events; April 27)

Methodist University announces inaugural Holtsclaw Leadership Award recipient Nyoma Clement Nicknora; includes photos; April 27)

Methodist University partners with Goodwill Industries of North Carolina for Project 3D (“Don’t Dump, Donate”) (April 27)

Methodist University honors four retiring faculty members for 103 years of combined service (Dr. Sid Gautum, Ms. Patricia Jones, Dr. Elizabeth Belford-Horan, and Dr. Robert Ritzema; April 27)

May 2012

Methodist University honors four retiring faculty members for their service to the university (Dr. Sid Gautum, Ms. Patricia Jones, Dr. Elizabeth Belford-Horan, and Dr. Robert Ritzema; May 3)

Methodist University celebrates 49th annual spring commencement (May 7)

Methodist University announces summer camp schedule (May 9)

June 2012

Summer book sale runs June 1-17 at Davis Memorial Library (June 1)

Methodist University to offer evening courses at Fort Bragg (June 1)

Methodist University announces spring graduates (June 5)

Methodist University names new trustees (Peter M. Broome, Frank G. Helminck, and

Linda B. Huff) (June 11)
Physician Assistant Program graduate receives U.S. Army Surgeon General's Physician Assistant Award (Manuel "Manny" Menendez) (includes photo; June 11)
Summer book sale extended through June 24 at Davis Memorial Library
Methodist University announces President's List (June 19)
Methodist University announces Dean's List (June 19)
Five Methodist University students earn PTR certification (Professional Tennis Registry) (June 22)
Methodist University names new director for the Center for Entrepreneurship (Marty V. Cayton) (June 26)

July 2012

MU students engage in a global peace project (Nyoma Clement Nicknora and Talata Evers win Davis Projects for Peace grant to revitalize a school in South Sudan) (includes photo of Clement; July 10)
Kaitlyn Flaherty named assistant director for the Professional Tennis Management Program (July 26)

August 2012

Methodist University to host open house session for the Professional MBA Program (August 1)
Methodist University announces upcoming events open to the community (August 3)
Methodist University Department of Music announces fall 2012 performance season (includes Friends of Music brochure) (August 21)
MU September 2012 calendar events (August 30)

September 2012

MU students collect and deliver supplies to local elementary school (MU cheer and dance teams and the MU Social Work Club help Walker Spivey Elementary School students) (includes photo; September 6)
Rachel Purser to speak at first Nimocks International Speaker Series Event (September 7)
Methodist University announces \$1 million gift (from the estate of Richard and Etta Aiken Butler) (September 10)
MU students to assist Bicycle Man Moses Mathis (September 13)
Forensic psychologist to speak at Methodist University (September 13)
MU theater schedule includes improve, *Doubt*, and *Godspell* (September 14)
Art exhibition set to open September 19 ("Exotic Encounters" – safari paintings by Paula Fitzpatrick)
Methodist University announces 39th annual Economic Outlook Symposium (Joel Naroff, keynote speaker) (September 18)

October 2012

MU April 2012 calendar of events (October 3)
MU April 2012 calendar of events (October 4)
Southern Writers Symposium announces writing contests (for emerging writers and young writers) (October 5)

Methodist University announces upcoming events open to the community (October 11)
Jesse James to speak at Methodist University (father of Army nurse Holley Wimuc who was murdered by her husband) (October 15)
Methodist University to host seminar on geology careers (October 15)
2012 Wesley Heritage Celebration set for Nov. 14 (October 17)
Methodist University community to pack meals for Stop Hunger Now (October 18)
“A Play on Colors” handmade felt exhibition set to open Nov. 2 (Sharron Parker, artist) (includes flyer; October 19)
Methodist University to host Womack Lectures (Robert Cummings Neville to speak on “Conceiving Ultimate Reality” and “Engaging Ultimate Reality” (October 23)
Doug Peters to speak at Methodist University (part of the Methodist University Executive Speakers Series) (October 26)
Methodist University presents Expert in Residence Lecture Series featuring Major General Rodney Anderson (October 26)
MU November 2012 calendar of events (October 26)
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Yuletide Feaste will take guests to Tudor England (Friends of Music at Methodist and the Methodist University Music Department to host Renaissance-style dinner) (October 30)

November 2012

Senior-level students to offer area non-profit organizations graphic design assistance (November 1)
MU November 2012 calendar of events (November 1)
“Sea of Greed” author to speak at Methodist University (Douglas McCullough) (November 7)
Center for Global Education to feature speaker (J. Oliver Williams speaking on China) (November 7)
Methodist University Kappa Delta Pi chapter inducts 16 members (international honor society in education) (November 7)
Methodist University announces 40th annual winter commencement ceremony (November 16)
Methodist University students partner with Pine Forest High School students to mentor high school freshmen (November 26)
MU December 2012 calendar of events (November 28)
Methodist University to host MU at Night open house session (November 28)

December 2012

Methodist University announces Nursing Building dedication ceremony (includes flyer) (December 3)
Methodist University elects two to Board of Trustees (John “Mac” Healy and William “Dickson” Schaefer) (December 6)
Methodist University announces new Foundation board members (ten members added) (December 6)
Methodist University closes main entrance for five weeks (due to construction) (December 12)

MU open house to highlight graduate programs at Methodist University (December 17)

MU January and February 2013 calendar of events (December 18)

Methodist University announces upcoming events (December 19)

Methodist University launches veterans writing collective (December 19)