Pace Students Win Major Awards

The 2004–05 academic year has been one of great pride for Pace University. In addition to considering its students for major awards, Pace University has received national recognition for its student athletes, the Pace University Department of Athletics, and faculty and staff members.

Pace Adopts a Waterway

The Pace University Department of Environmental Studies, along with the Pace University Student Council, is undertaking the project, “Pace Adopts a Waterway.” The project, which aims to make Pace a more sustainable campus, will focus on implementing and managing a waterway project, which will include the installation of a waterway on campus, the establishment of a waterway council, and the development of a waterway program.

The Trauma of Terrorism

In the wake of the tragic events of September 11, 2001, Pace University has been working to ensure the safety and well-being of its students, faculty, and staff. To this end, the university has implemented a number of measures, including the creation of a crisis management team, the development of a comprehensive campus security plan, and the establishment of a mental health support system.

Hire a Student

Pace University is proud to offer a wide range of job opportunities for students and recent graduates. Whether you are looking for a part-time position or a full-time job, Pace has a position that is right for you. To learn more about the opportunities available, visit the Pace University Careers website.

Inside

In this issue of the Pace University Community Newsletter, we feature news and updates from across the university, including updates on new programs, features on student and faculty achievements, and highlights of recent events.

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Opportunities

For more information, visit www.pace.edu/opportunities.
Welcome back! As we begin our 99th year of providing an outstanding private education to our students, I believe we can look forward to a summer filled with new accomplishments and to continued strides toward our ongoing goals.

In the past few months, Pace students received many major awards. Four students, for example, won prestigious Fulbright fellowships, and they will be spending the next year conducting research abroad. In this age of globalization, these fellowships provide outstanding students an important opportunity to see and study, firsthand, the world outside the United States. As they travel and learn, our remarkable, superior students will certainly raise the profile of this University. And the knowledge and wisdom that they accumulate about other cultures will expand their world view and help them make better citizens of this nation and of the planet.

This summer also saw the initial implementation of Project SPARTA (Systems at Pace: Accurate, Reliable, High-quality, Timely, and Available), which will eventually transform all our administrative systems at Pace and help us achieve another goal in our Second Century Strategic Plan. While all of us may expect further enhancement and functionality when we use SPARTA, there will be an adjustment period as new systems take time to perfect. As that happens, I ask for your patience and strongly encourage you to take advantage of the scheduled training sessions.

Fast approaching early this semester is another achievement of which I am particularly proud. Pace will host "Urban and Metropolitan America—The New Realities," the 10th Annual Coalition of Urban and Metropolitan Universities (CUMU) Conference. This singular event will take place October 2–5 and feature university leadership from around the world gathering to explore key challenges faced by leaders in urban and metropolitan universities. Speakers will also offer specific insights into New York City's rebuilding efforts and the bid for the Big Apple to host the 2012 Olympic Games. This is exactly the kind of event that will build Pace University's reputation. There is still time to register. Please make plans to join us for this unique opportunity.

I look forward to seeing you all around campus and wish you all a safe, enjoyable, and productive semester and year. Let's all make sure this year is one of Pace's most outstanding!

Sincerely,
David A. Caputo
Welcome back to Pace! I hope that you had an enjoyable, relaxing summer and a productive one too. Summer is a time to expand your mind and seek new horizons and I hope that you enjoyed the time away and spent it in ways that will recharge you and prepare you for another exciting year at Pace.

We are now in that wonderful time of year that is marked by new beginnings. September has always felt like the New Year to me. I have always looked forward to meeting and greeting the new class of students and welcoming back the returning classmates. This year is no different. The admissions staff has been working diligently to bring in the new class and to meet our enrollment goals. The various programs for teacher education continue to expand and grow and drive our graduate enrollment.

During the summer, I had the opportunity to participate in an international conference on “Optimal Teaching and Learning: Achieving Higher Education Excellence.” It was held in Bern, Switzerland, and cochaired by Pace’s Distinguished Professor of Management and Management Science Peter Seldin. It was really interesting to hear the issues being addressed in many countries by academics from Latin America, Africa, Europe, China, and Japan. I came back with many new ideas about faculty development and faculty culture. In addition, I had the opportunity to tour Switzerland. Every time I go abroad, I realize how important it is for American academics to travel and to see both higher education and the U.S. through the eyes of others.

It confirms Pace’s commitment to internationalizing the curriculum, creating faculty exchange programs, and providing students opportunities for a significant international experience in their Pace education. Many of our faculty have taken the initiative to establish such programs and give our students such experiences. This is also why developing global centers in three locations throughout the world will greatly enhance our reputation and expand our horizons. This will help us to become recognized as a world-class university.

Much occurred this summer that impacts Pace’s development. We continue to stress the goals of the Strategic Plan and are developing a scoreboard by which to measure our progress. The Republican National Convention has now come and gone with Pace’s participation well received. We have also launched the Pace Economic Index for Lower Manhattan stemming from the work of Professor Farrokh Hormozi, David Pearlman, and Dan Slipp. And we are preparing for a major conference of urban and metropolitan universities in the fall.

I want to welcome our two new deans who joined us over the summer: Dean Nina Herrmann, Dyson College of Arts and Sciences, and Dean Stephen Friedman, School of Law. I wish them both success for the coming year and beyond. We also saw the resignation of Desiree Calma as associate vice president for enrollment management, and Arthur Centonze announced he would be stepping down from deanship of the Lubin School of Business. Both have given long service to the University and deserve our thanks and recognition.

I want to wish each and every one of you a very successful academic year. We have much to achieve and much to strive for. Pace is headed for bigger and better things to come and I hope that everyone will join in achieving and celebrating our many successes. I look forward to seeing everyone as we begin the new year.

Joseph A. Morello
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs


## Campus Briefs

**Women’s Justice Center Appoints New Director**
The Women’s Justice Center (WJC) at Pace University Law School has appointed Susan L. Pollet, Esq., as executive director. Pollet is an attorney who has served in a variety of roles for over 20 years, including her current role as executive director of the Santa Clara County Bar Foundation. Pollet will oversee the WJC’s mission to provide legal representation and advocacy for women and their families.

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## Student Services

**Services Provided by the Safety and Security Department**
- **Assisting with the ID card program**
- **Casting and issuing keys for dormitory doors and furniture**
- **Providing escorts between any two points on campus between dusk and dawn**
- **Administering the University parking program, including issuing permits and enforcing regulations**
- **Providing access to the University community in the event of certain crimes**
- **Jump-starting vehicles with dead batteries**
- **Telephones numbers of local tow operators for more extensive services:**

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## Crime Statistics

The Campus Security Act of 1990 requires that institutions collect and disseminate the following crime statistics on an annual basis.

### 2001
- **Total** 1 2 3 4
- **Drug Arrest** 2 3 0 5
- **Arson** 0 0 0 0
- **Assault** 1 0 0 1
- **Homicide** 0 0 0 0
- **Robbery** 0 0 0 0
- **Drug Offense (Felony)** 0 0 0 0
- **Drug Offense (Misdemeanor)** 0 0 0 0
- **Weapon Offense (Felony)** 0 0 0 0
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### 2002
- **Total** 0 0 0 0
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### 2003
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EVENTS

SEPTEMBER

8 Wednesday
Fall term begins.

12 Sunday
Race for the Cure, 5K fun race/walk. Proceeds will benefit the Greater New York City Affiliate of the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation. For more information or to register call Mary to Precision, (914) 773-3717, or Anais Nordoff, (212) 346-1929. To register online, go to www.komen.org. Click on Register. The password for the Pace team is “paceatter.” Central Park, 9:00 a.m.

13 Monday–Sunday, October 31
Drawn to the Present, cross-section art exhibit hosted by Linda Gottfried and Jane Dickson, Fine Arts. Includes the works of Barbara Bloom, Jillian McDermott and Melissa Moyer. Pace University Gallery. PVX Reception on Sunday, October 24, 6:00–7:00 p.m.

15 Wednesday
Rosh Hashanah Eve. No evening classes scheduled.

16 Thursday
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18 Saturday
Satcho Inko and Company, 3rd New York Season Concert, a concept of Japanese classical, contemporary and Okinawan dance. Schimmel Center, One Pace Plaza, NYC, 8:00 p.m.

22 Wednesday
ElderCare Part II: Navigating the Legal System, sponsored by the Office of Multicultural Affairs. This seminar will provide vital information on how to navigate the legal system to better care for older relatives. For more information, contact Melanie M. Robles at (212) 346-1261 or mrobles@pace.edu. Multipurpose Room, One Pace Plaza, NYC, 7:00–10:00 p.m.

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OCTOBER

2–5 Saturday–Tuesday
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25 Saturday
Rosh Hashanah. No day or evening classes scheduled.

26 Sunday
Annual Harvest Fair, hosted by the Pace Environmental Center James Fyssing, assistant director of the center will conduct falconry demonstrations using birds of prey. He will also conduct a hawking demonstration with border collies. Other demonstrations will include pottery making, spinning and bookbinding. There will be games and horse rides for children as well as discussions of the center’s resident animals. Admission is free for Pace students, staff and faculty for more information call (914) 733-3769. 1:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

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Scholarly Activity

Lienhard School of Nursing

Wanda C. Westand, professor emeritus, recently completed the autobiographical history of Sylvia M. Barker, who graduated from the Mount Sinai Hospital School of Nursing in 1919 and remained active on the Board of the Alumni Foundation.

Rena E. Lewis, project director of the Joan M. Stitt, World in Action: Practice in Theory, presented three papers at the recent Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Congress and Evidence-Based Nursing Practicum in Dublin, Ireland from July 2 to 7. The first, “EBP: Focused Research-Based Evidence: Applying ‘Valid Research,’” was part of a symposium on “Updating Traditional Research Tools to Reflect Evidence-Based Practice Principles (EBP): the second, ‘Looking for the Best Evidence: What If It’s There?’” was coauthored with James Shih. Graduate Nursing, Harriet Feldman, chair, and Marie Landegre, Graduate Nursing, conducted the third, “Evidence Based Practice and Diagnostic Accuracy,” was part of a symposium organized by Dr. Lewis. A manuscript board of the presentation ‘Looking for the Best Evidence: What If It’s There?’ authored by Lewis, Landegre, Feldman, and Landegre, was included in Evidence-Based Nursing in Practice and Healthcare: A Guide to Best Practice (June 2004).

Pace in the National News

Montaa center "Fast Track to a Nursing Degree." May 1. Quotes Gender Calendar, Lienhard School of Nursing.


Baltimore Sun, "Emerging Leaders among Teens." May 2. Quotes Michael Izady, Dyson College of Arts and Sciences.


MultiChoice News, "For Your Riches, Is It Worth the Risk?" June 18. Quotes Michael Izady, Dyson College of Arts and Sciences.


Los Angeles Times, "Reforming the Take of Iran's National," June 22. Quotes Michael Izady, Dyson College of Arts and Sciences.

Wall Street Journal, "" fifteenth Birthday: To Their Madams." June. 23. Quotes Michael Izady, Dyson College of Arts and Sciences.

Dow Jones Fuer (Sweden), "Malagasyga Ski Cheeka Board." June. 25. Quotes Michael Izady, Dyson College of Arts and Sciences.

Star-Ledger, "Raising Their Livelihood or Their Lives." June. 25. Quotes Michael Izady, Dyson College of Arts and Sciences.


Miami Herald, ""Comeback Kids in the Executive Suite." July 15. Quotes Michael Izady, Dyson College of Arts and Sciences.


Get the Best Evidence: What If It’s There?", authored by Lewis, Landegre, Feldman, and Landegre, was included in Evidence-Based Nursing in Practice and Healthcare: A Guide to Best Practice (June 2004).