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## UC PEOPLE

Rick Fenner, Interim Dean, School of Business and Justice Studies

*By Marissa Filletti '18, PR Intern*

**Q:** Tell me about how you are transitioning from your role as professor to interim dean of the School of Business and Justice Studies.

**A:** I've been the chair of Business and Economics for a number of years now, and have worked very closely with Dean James Norrie, the departing dean. He is sticking around until

two great associate deans on both the business and justice studies sides. We have high quality programs and excellent faculty, so I'm confident that we will keep things progressing in the right direction. We have a number of initiatives that have been started under Dean Norrie's leadership that we are going to be continuing.

**Q:** What does this move mean for UC's business programs? How will the students benefit from it?

**A:** The move to the Clark City Center is very exciting. It benefits the College as a whole because we're busting at the seams and we need more space. Above all, I think it is really going to benefit the business programs. Other than the trading room on campus, we really didn't have any dedicated space. We saw how the Economic Crime, Justice Studies and Cybersecurity Building brought the students in those programs closer together, and we think the move downtown will do the same for business students. Plus, we are going to have downtown businesses

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August to see the transition through, so I think it is going to be a very smooth one. We have been very fortunate over the past three years to have Dean Norrie here. He's really put the entire School of Business and Justice Studies on an upward trajectory. My job is to keep the momentum going. We have

*"We are going to have downtown businesses literally at our doorstep."*

- Rick Fenner



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As Dan Bollana mentioned in the June issue of *The Source*, summer projects include replacing the roof on the Gannett Library.

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*Never stand still*

# HR NOTES

## Welcome

Mark Campbell, *Area Coordinator, Residence Life*

## New Titles

Mary Hayes Gordon, *Director of Program Operations, YSLPP*

Ben Atwood, *Assistant Director, YSLPP*

John Verra, *Site Supervisor-High School, YSLPP*

Deborah Wilson-Allam, *Director of International and Intensive English Programs*

## Retirees

Gail Tuttle, *Director of Student Account Operations, SFS*



## NEW PARKING DECALS AVAILABLE

The current faculty/staff stickers will expire on Aug 15, 2016. In order to keep your vehicle registration current, please visit:

[www.utica.edu/finance/environment/safety/registration.cfm](http://www.utica.edu/finance/environment/safety/registration.cfm)

Login using your Utica College credentials, and fill in the online form. Once the form is completed, please review and accept the agreement before submitting the form. If you have multiple vehicles, the form can be submitted multiple times, allowing you to register as many vehicles as you need. The final step is to pick up your new sticker(s) in person at our office. If you are unable to pick up your sticker, please call the office and we can make alternate arrangements with you.

Please note: Staff employed by Temco, Sodexo, or any other outside company may not be able to access the vehicle registration form and will need to come to Campus Safety to manually register their vehicles and collect a sticker.

We recommend all faculty and staff complete the registration process as soon as possible to avoid the busiest time of year in August and September when our office will be issuing parking decals and IDs to the incoming students.

## CONGRATULATIONS!



The Kudos Card program monthly drawing winner is...

**JULIE MURAWSKI**

Congratulations, Julie, and enjoy your \$50 gift certificate to Symeon's Restaurant!

You can access the link below at any time to recognize a colleague for his/her great work:  
[utica.edu/kudos](http://utica.edu/kudos)

*"Julie, Thanks for helping me out with advice and practical assistance last week. It was so kind of you to make time for me and I really appreciated being able to call you up and find a solution in quick order. You helped me a bunch and I'm grateful!"*

## LOOKING FOR BACK ISSUES OF THE SOURCE?

Current and past issues can always be found online at:  
[utica.edu/thesource](http://utica.edu/thesource)



## UC AWARDED \$14,780 GRANT FROM SLOCUM-DICKSON FOUNDATION, INC.



Utica College recently received a grant from the Slocum-Dickson Foundation, Inc. for \$14,780 to support advancements in live-patient simulation for nursing students. The grant will allow the College to acquire health education simulation and diagnostic equipment, which will be used with existing technology in the College's nursing education and clinical simulation laboratories and allow nurse educators to provide more comprehensive training and a wider range of clinical learning experiences to nursing students.

The "live, standardized patient" model is among the new advancements that will greatly benefit UC nursing students. The model takes on the body language, personality characteristics and reactions that real patients would exhibit in a health care setting. This personalized interaction adds a new dimension to the educational experience in a supervised, safe environment.



Equipment being purchased with the grant funds includes a specialized simulation stethoscope programmed with a library of sounds that will be used to help students identify and evaluate heart, lung, and intestinal sounds, an Ultrasound Doppler probe which will allow students to become familiar with vascular and obstetrical monitoring and a specialized chest overlay, which will give students an opportunity to engage in real-time tracheostomy training with a live, simulated patient.

In addition, UC theatre majors will be cast as patients in scripted medical scenarios to enable the nursing students to encounter situations that occur in real-life clinical settings.



"With a shortage of nurses throughout the U.S., graduates need to enter clinical settings with increased confidence and competence in performing complex nursing skills," said Cathy Brownell, associate dean of nursing. "One of our highest priorities is to use advanced simulation technology and develop creative educational approaches so that we can continue to provide the level of excellence that students and their employers expect from a Utica College nursing degree. We are so grateful to Slocum-Dickson Foundation for helping us achieve this goal."



# KUDOS

# IN THE NEWS...

**Ronny Bull**, assistant professor of computer science, and his research assistant **Kaitlin A. Trumbull '17** will present a paper, "VLAN hopping, ARP Poisoning and Man-In-The-Middle Attacks in Virtualized Environments" to around 15,000 attendees of DEF-CON 24. This is Bull's second time presenting at DEF-CON. The convention takes place August 4-7 in Las Vegas, NV.

**Brad Emmons**, associate professor of mathematics, participated in a workshop hosted by the Academy of Inquiry-Based Learning in San Luis Obispo, California, from 6/21 - 24.

**Bernard Hyman**, professor of practice in economic crime management, participated in the Association of Fraud Examiners Global Conference in Las Vegas from June 12-18.

**Kaylynn Iglesias**, senior assistant director of transfer admissions, was elected as the next President of the New York State Transfer and Articulation Association (NYSTAA), the state's leading organization for issues related to the college transfer process. She will serve a three-year term as president-elect, president, and immediate past president.

**Donald J. Rebovich**, professor of criminal justice and executive director of the Center for Identity Management and Information Protection (CIMIP), and **Leslie Corbo**, assistant professor of cybersecurity, gave a talk titled, "The (Unintentional) Insider Threat: Can Millennials Ruin Your Business," at Dannible & Mckee LLP's 2016 Annual Fraud Conference in Binghamton. 6/16

Please send information and photos for KUDOS to [source@utica.edu](mailto:source@utica.edu).

- **Lisa Orr**, professor of English, had an article published in *The Huffington Post* titled "Corrective Genealogy for White People," in which she reflects on her own genealogy and suggests that genealogical research could be what brings Americans together. 6/10
- **David Roberts**, adjunct professor of psychology, published a blog on *The Huffington Post*, "An Angel Gets Her Wings." The piece is Roberts's spiritual reflection on the recent death of his cat, Angel. 6/10
- **Anthony Martino**, director of the Northeast Cybersecurity and Forensics Center, was credited for the major role the center played in finding evidence for indictment in the homicide of a local chiropractor. 6/14
- Information on UC's Fraud and Financial Crime Investigation program published via *PR Newswire* was picked up by 170 news sites nationwide including the *Washington Business Journal*, *San Francisco Business Times*, *New York Business Journal* and *Pittsburgh Business Times*. These prominent news outlets give the program extensive exposure with a potential reach of more than 12 million people. 6/15
- **David Chanatry**, professor and chair of journalism, wrote and reported an article for *North Country Public Radio*. The article, "Soccer brings immigrant and refugee communities together in Utica," discusses CNY's Redeemer Cup, a soccer tournament comprised of 15 refugee and immigrant teams. 06/16
  - Chanatry's story was also broadcast on *WAMC Northeast Public Radio*
- **Richard Moon**, coordinator of student teaching, wrote an article, "Analysis of educator salaries flawed," for the *Utica Observer Dispatch*. The article discusses inconsistencies in reporting of educator's salaries in New York State. 06/19
- **Gary Warzala**, member of the board of advisors for the Economic Crime and Cybersecurity Institute, talked about how the demand for cybersecurity professionals is higher than ever in an article for *American Banker*, a daily trade newspaper that covers predominately the financial services industry. 6/27
- UC's MBA with a concentration in cybersecurity was named one of the nation's top ten programs in 2016 by *Online MBA Today*, a comprehensive guide to online MBA programs, ranked on the basis of cost, accreditation, early career salary, prestige and overall graduation rates. The news release was picked up by *Yahoo Finance*, *Virtual Security Magazine*, and more than 100 news sites around the country. 6/28

**Luke Perry**, associate professor and chair of government and politics, is covering the Republican and Democratic national conventions!

Follow his blog at [uclukeperry.blogspot.com](http://uclukeperry.blogspot.com) and on Twitter at [@PolSciLukePerry](https://twitter.com/PolSciLukePerry). He's also doing live reports for *WKTV News Channel 2*.



## ADAM PACK SELECTED AS 2016 NCAA DIVISION III FAR FELLOW

Adam Pack, professor of biology, was recently chosen as a 2016 NCAA Division III Faculty Athletic Representative (FAR) Fellow.

Pack, no stranger to athletics, has served as a faculty athletic representative on campus for three years. A long-time sports fan, he was a swimmer at SUNY Binghamton and coached both the swim and water polo teams after graduation.

The FAR Fellows Institute is held annually to provide professional development and leadership training to 30 experienced Division III FARs, in addition to those from independent institutions. This year, attendees will take part in a three-day professional development program at the NCAA national office in Indianapolis, where they will learn best practices, issues surrounding the role and responsibilities of a FAR and leadership skills.

The FAR Fellows Institute was launched in 2010 to increase the effectiveness of FARs at the campus, conference and national levels.

"I'm honored to be selected for this fellowship," said Pack. "It means the NCAA and our administration trust me to take a leadership role in ensuring the highest standards of collegiate athletics are maintained and enhanced at UC."



# BOILERMAKER 2016



*Thank you to everyone from the UC community who came out to staff the Dr. Michelle E. Haddad '81 Memorial Water Station at this year's Boilermaker!*

**A-B** Volunteers give water and encouraging smiles to participants.  
**C:** Dr. Frank Mondt '62, Trustee Emeritus with family and friends.  
**D:** Patti (Registrar's office) and Joe Fariello '80 cut the cake celebrating their move to Nashville. 7/10

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literally at our doorstep. This will benefit students as they participate in internships, but also make members of the local business community more accessible to students. Our goal is to equip students with the business knowledge and management skills necessary to have successful careers. What better place to be than in a revitalizing Utica? We have received nothing but positive interest in our move downtown.

**Q: What accommodations are being made for the students, faculty, and staff that will be working and studying there?**

**A:** The number one question that comes to every student's mind is, "How am I going to get from Burrstone Road to Clark City Center and back?" We have spent a lot of time making sure that this will not be an issue. There will be a shuttle bus for students that do not have a car. Only undergraduate day classes will be offered downtown at this point, although we hope to eventually have night classes there in the future. From about 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., we will have shuttle busses running from Strebel Student Center to downtown. The exact schedule will be out during the summer so students know the times and there aren't any surprises. If they do have access to a car, there is ample parking downtown. There is space on the street, and we have secured 90 free spots in a parking garage. It's going to be a little bit of an adjustment, but I think students will get used to it pretty quickly. There will also be some food service on the downtown campus. We've been working with Sodexo on that. We really just want students and faculty to feel comfortable down there.

**Q: Tell me about the blended MBA program and the state-of-the-art facilities at the Clark City Center.**

**A:** It all started when Utica College wanted to expand the business programs and offer an MBA. The most logical way to establish this was online. However, many of the faculty, as well as administrators, believe that Utica College's future growth and success is dependent on what is established here in Utica. The problem was that we didn't think that there would be enough students to support an on-ground only program. So, Dean Norrie suggested that we design a program that is accessible to both on-ground and online students. Therefore, students enrolled in the

blended MBA program have the ability to participate either live on-ground, live remotely, or asynchronously through archived material. Our goal is to provide a single experience regardless of how the student is participating. Many people want an MBA but are hesitant to enter a traditional online program. Our program was developed to address this demand. We developed the blended MBA, which combines some very high-tech classrooms, containing voice-activated cameras, with innovative curriculum. The enrollment for the blended program has exceeded our expectations. It's become very popular, and we are proud of it.

**Q: What are your hopes for the future of UC's business programs?**

**A:** We've been talking about possibly getting a second smart classroom, which would ultimately double the number of students who can take part in blended classes each semester. In addition to that, we are looking to expand our graduate programs in a number of different areas. We are also making a number of changes to our undergraduate programs, strengthening our business core and emphasizing concentrations that will provide students with the skills to compete for good paying jobs in the Mohawk Valley and beyond.

**Q: Tell me a little about yourself.**

**A:** I've been here for 27 years. I started in 1989, and I really love teaching. I've been kicking around upstate New York my whole life. I grew up just outside of Schenectady. I got my undergraduate degree and my MBA from Cornell University and then went to Syracuse University where I got my Ph.D. I have a wife and three kids. In addition to spending time with my family, I love tennis. But my body isn't aging like I would like it to. I always joke that I'm aging more like milk than wine. I've had a lot of injuries, but I love playing. In terms of my work, I've always wanted to teach in a program and at a school that I could brag about to my neighbors. As I'm nearing the end of my career I can honestly say that Utica College provides students with excellent opportunities to grow, develop, and reach their potential.

## UPCOMING EVENTS/TRAINING

Please visit [utica.edu/hr/training](http://utica.edu/hr/training) for updates and to register.  
For Health and Wellness events, visit [utica.edu/hr/wellness](http://utica.edu/hr/wellness)

### July

- 07/21/16 BYOP Bring Your Own Projects.** 3:00 p.m., L121
- 07/25/16 TIAA Cref Individual Appointments**
- 07/26/16 Google Hangouts (45-60 Minutes).** 10:00 a.m., 3:00 p.m., L121
- 07/26/16 Transfer Orientation.** 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.
- 07/28/16 BYOP Bring Your Own Projects.** 12:00 p.m., L121
- 07/29/16 Recognize Text and Other Accessibility tips for PDF Files (15-30 Minutes).** 3:00 p.m.

### August

- 08/02/16 Google Sheets (1 hour).** 10:00 a.m., 3:00 p.m., L121
- 08/04/16 BYOP Bring Your Own Projects.** 12:00 p.m., L121
- 08/05/16 Online Surveys (30-45 Minutes).** 3:00 p.m., Webinar
- 08/09/16 How and Why to Clear Your Browser Cache (15 Minutes).** 3:00 p.m., Webinar
- 08/11/16 Interactive Whiteboards in the Classroom.** 10:00 a.m., 3:00 p.m., TBA
- 08/11/16 BYOP Bring Your Own Projects.** 12:00 p.m., L121
- 08/17/16 TIAA Cref Individual Appointments**

Check out HR's new page for training and development:  
[utica.edu/hr/trainingopp.cfm](http://utica.edu/hr/trainingopp.cfm)

## IN THE COMMUNITY

In a time defined by smart phones and video games, it is more important than ever that books stay relevant in the minds of kids. The Laura Dorow Read Again Book Project is making sure that happens. Students from Kernan Elementary School lined up, eager to receive a bag of books. For 15 years, the Laura Dorow Read Again Book Project, coordinated by UC's Education program, has been donating used children's books to area schools that have a high need for the books. 6/22



## HEALTH & WELLNESS

Stay on track this summer with fun programming from the UC Health & Wellness Committee.

Pre-registration may be required for some events.  
Visit [utica.edu/hr/wellness/](http://utica.edu/hr/wellness/) for more information and to register.

### UC HEALTH & WELLNESS FAMILY NATURE DAY

Black River Outdoor Education Program, Inc.-  
Potato Hill Campus

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 14**

Bring your family and enjoy a day at the Potato Hill Farm Campus, featuring farm animals, kayaking, hiking, biking, farm tour, and carriage rides.

**No participation charge!**  
(Minimum 10 participants needed - register today!)

Contact Caren at [cbsummers@utica.edu](mailto:cbsummers@utica.edu)  
for more information.

### UC Community Garden

**Come Join in**  
Near Parking Lot "F"  
Across from North Hall  
or more information contact  
Jessica Skeldon-Garden  
Director, [jeskeldo@utica.edu](mailto:jeskeldo@utica.edu)

### Mah Jong Lessons

**Tuesdays**  
5 - 7:00 p.m.  
Strebel Student Center.  
Every Thursday through July 28  
**Register on H&W webpage**

### CSA Farm Shares

**Available for the remainder of the season at a pro-rated cost.**  
Contact [CommonThreadCSA.com](http://CommonThreadCSA.com) or call 315.882.0086

### Save the Date

#### UC Farmers Market

Monday, Sep. 19

\*Will include annual flu clinic

### Workplace Health Solutions Mini—Conference

Locally sponsored by Columbia Place Associates & New York Beef Council



\*Free & Open to ALL Employers



UC's "own" Wellness Coordinator Caren Summers, recently moderated a panel discussion "Thriving Employee Wellness Programs, What Makes Them Tick?" The discussion featured wellness professionals from Little Falls Hospital, NBT Bank and UFCW, and was held as part of an American Heart Association Workplace Health Solutions Mini Conference. 6/15