

GENERAL UPDATES

Call for Submissions: [Harlan Hatcher Arts and Sciences Distinguished Faculty Award](#) is in recognition of professors who have exceptional records in teaching, research, scholarly/creative work, and in service. The deadline for Department chairs to submit nominations to the Office Executive Dean of Arts and Sciences is Friday, January 8, 2011.

The Arts and Sciences Staff Advisory Council (SAC) would like to hear your ideas on staff events, staff development, and training opportunities. Please send your questions, ideas, suggestions to the SAC at: ASCSAC@osu.edu. Answers and information will be posted on the [Staff Advisory Council page](#). All correspondence will be kept confidential.

Sign Up for SIS eReports Training

Arts and Sciences Technology Services offers monthly SIS eReports training. SIS eReports helps answer important questions like- How many of my minors graduated last quarter? How many majors do I have this quarter? This 3-hour instructor-led, hands-on class takes place in small groups. [Register for a session.](#)

News & Updates is now published every Wednesday. The deadline to submit content is Monday at noon. Send submissions to Katlin McNally at: mcnally.53@osu.edu. All submissions will be edited for editorial style and space constraints.

NEWS

• **Award-winning Faculty/Staff/ Students**

The Department of Dance was recently singled out in [Dance Magazine](#), for its “contract curriculum,” which fosters an environment where students play a more active role in shaping their college experiences.

Wayne Lawson, professor of art education and former director of Ohio Arts Council (OAC), was selected for a 2011 Governor’s Awards for the Arts. Under his direction, the OAC has become one of the foremost state arts agencies in the nation in terms of funding and support for individual artists and innovative services in all arts disciplines.

Bebe Miller, Arts and Humanities Distinguished Professor and artistic director of Bebe Miller Company, has been awarded a \$50,000 fellowship from United States Artists, a national grant-making and advocacy organization. Miller received her MA in dance from Ohio State and in 1985 formed the Bebe Miller Company. She teaches modern technique, improvisation, repertory, creative practice and choreography, and a graduate seminar.

• **Opportunities**

Graduate and Undergraduate Programs funded by NSF and NASA to support diversity in science. Internships, fellowships, scholarships in science, technology, engineering, mathematics, and related disciplines provide education and career training opportunities. For one-stop-shopping, check out their [web site](#) .

Mershon Center for International Security Studies competition for research grants. Open to faculty and students.

Grants may be used for a variety of purposes; including travel, research, seminars, conferences, interviews, experiments, workshops, and more. Applications must be for projects related to the study of national security in a global context. The deadline is January 31, 2011.

• Upcoming Events

Tuesday, December 14: Web Interest Group Meeting, Room 120 Baker Systems, 3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, December 14: Digital Media Collective, 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., Thompson Library 165. Refreshments provided. Three sessions: GO.OSU, Media Manager, and Cross-System Work @ OSU.

Saturday, December 11: [Pleiades Foundation Public Meeting](#), Urban Arts Space, 12:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Friday, December 17: [Artist Talk and Demonstration with Emily Moorhead](#) at the OSU Urban Arts Space, from 3:00-4:00 p.m.

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