

Stockton Graduate Student Newsletter

February 2025

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GRADUATE RESEARCH Symposium

Monday, April 28, 2025 | 4 – 6 p.m.
Campus Center Event room: Poster Session | Presentations
Join us during STARS Celebration Month!

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The William T. Daly
School of General Studies &
Graduate Education

Galloway Campus - J-102

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Upcoming Deadlines

- **Summer 2025 Registration Open NOW!**
- **Graduate Fellowship Application Due**
March 1, 2025
- **Spring Break**
March 9-15, 2025
- **Preceptorial Advising Day - No classes**
March 25, 2025
- **Registration for Fall 2025 begins**
March 26, 2025
- **Graduate Assistantship Application Due**
March 31, 2025
- **Precepting Day - Classes begin at 3:25pm**
April 2, 2025
- **Graduate Research Symposium Submission Due**
April 7, 2025

ANNOUNCEMENTS

APPLY FOR A GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIP

DEADLINE TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THE FALL TERM IS MARCH 31, 2025

CLICK THE IMAGE FOR MORE INFORMATION & THE APPLICATION FORM



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An aerial photograph of the Stockton University campus, showing various academic buildings, green spaces, and a large blue stadium. The image is used as a background for the event announcement.

Submissions for the Spring 2025 Graduate Research Symposium are due by **April 7, 2025**

[Click here to access the submission form](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer 2025 Registration is now open

Registration for the Summer 2025 sessions opened on February 10, 2025. Classes for the Summer 2025 Sessions are viewable through your GoPortal or through the Office of the Registrar.

For more information on the registration process, please refer to the **procedure for registration**. If you need assistance registering for your Spring courses, you can contact the **Office of the Registrar** or the **William T. Daly School of General Studies & Graduate Education**.



ONE & DONE

Apply for **Multiple Scholarships** with a Single Submission!

Stockton Foundation SCHOLARSHIPS

stockton.edu/foundation-scholarships

STOCKTON UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION

**Apply for
Foundation
Scholarships by
March 20, 2025!**

Need help with the 25-26 FAFSA?



One-On-One
Appointments

March 25
Event



PROGRAM UPDATES

Stockton Spotlight on: Nathan Long

Stockton News recently featured a Spotlight on Nathan Long, Professor of Creative Writing, after winning the Nonfiction Award from C&R Press for his book, *As Is: Essays on a Queer Life, Writing, and the Unpredictable Nature of Things*. Professor Long teaches for the M.A. Program in American Studies.

Click the image to the right to read the article.



Criminal Justice Professors Study Police Response During COVID

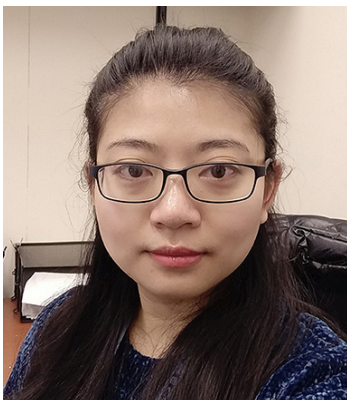


Distinguished Professor of Criminal Justice Christine Tartaro and Associate Professor of Criminal Justice Ruibin Lu published “The Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Police Involvement in Mental Health Calls for Service” in November in *Criminal Justice Policy Review*.

“While we know that the pandemic changed daily social, work and leisure routines for many, researchers are still seeking to understand how these adjustments affected components of the criminal justice system.”

Distinguished Professor of Criminal Justice Christine Tartaro

Read more about the study by clicking the images on the left.



PROGRAM UPDATES

Joy Jones, Associate Professor of Business Administration, and MBA Alum publish case study

Joy Jones, associate professor of Business Administration – Management, and Rifat Mahmud '22, '23, published a case in "People Management Skills in Practice: A Case Study Collection." The submission is titled "Culture Clash: The Unraveling of an Immigrant Entrepreneur's American Dream" and was published in the November 2024 edition.

Read more about the study by clicking the image on the right. To read the article itself, click on the title of the submission, linked above.



Stockton Celebrates 10th Anniversary of University Status



UNIVERSITY NEWS

Strategic Planning Update: Defining Stockton's Edge



The Strategic Planning Committee is hard at work updating Stockton's plan for the future. The Committee is looking for your input about the qualities that make Stockton special today and what bold steps we should take to define our future.

Click on the image on the left to read more and to find the suggestion form.

Bjork Library Earns National Excellence Award

Stockton University's Richard E. Bjork Library was one of only 34 higher education facilities across the country to receive a 2025 Library Excellence in Access and Diversity (LEAD) award in January by *Insight into Diversity* magazine.

The annual award honors academic library programs, policies and initiatives that encourage and support inclusive excellence and belonging across their campus and surrounding community. diverse communities."

Click on the image on the right to read more.



Brazilian Team to Practice on Campus Before FIFA Club World Cup



One of Brazil's most iconic and globally beloved soccer teams has announced that it will train at Stockton University this summer, ahead of its first two matches for the FIFA Club World Cup 2025™.

CR Flamengo, based in Brazil's largest city Rio de Janeiro, has an estimated fan base of nearly 50 million and is reportedly the country's most valuable soccer team. The team will arrive at Stockton's Galloway campus on June 11, ahead of its first game in the global tournament at 9 p.m., June 16, against Tunisian squad Espérance Sportive de Tunisie. The team will continue to practice at Stockton before its second game against English Premier League standouts Chelsea FC at 2 p.m., June 20. Both games will be played at Lincoln Financial Field in Philadelphia.



GRADUATE STUDENT COUNCIL

Join Graduate Student Council Today!

The Graduate Student Council E-Board NEEDS YOU!

The GSC E-Board is still seeking program delegates for the following programs:

Business Administration -- Coastal Zone Management

Communication Sciences & Disorders -- Counseling

Data Science & Strategic Analytics -- Education

Environmental Science -- Instructional Technology -- Public Health

To join GSC as a delegate for your program, please email GSC@stockton.edu with your name, graduate program, and state your interest in being a program delegate.

Spring 2025 Meeting Schedule

- Tuesday, February 18th @ 4:45pm
- Tuesday, March 4th @ 4:45pm
- Tuesday, March 25th @ 4:45pm
- Tuesday, April 1st @ 4:45pm
- Tuesday, April 15th @ 4:45pm

Meeting Zoom Link:

<https://stockton.zoom.us/j/96212187449?pwd=RDRJc1ViVGw3dII2WXhIU2tFYzErUT09>

Password: 692171

**Email us at
GSC@stockton.edu**



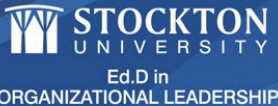
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UPCOMING EVENTS

BLACK HISTORY MONTH



Click the link for the month-long events calendar.



LEADERSHIP INSPIRING TRANSFORMATION (LIT)

Module I

Leadership and Remote Work
Thursday, February 27, 2025 | 4:30 p.m.

The shift to remote work has transformed the way we collaborate, communicate, and lead. Explore the complexities of transitioning workers back to the office, establishing effective remote work policies, addressing the challenges and benefits of remote work, and fostering engagement and productivity.

Module II

Leadership and Generative AI
Thursday, April 3, 2025 | Noon

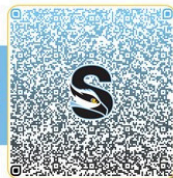
Generative artificial intelligence (AI) is transforming industries and redefining how work gets done, offering unprecedented opportunities for innovation, efficiency, and creativity. Explore the strategic role of leadership in harnessing generative AI effectively across various disciplines and work environments, discover benefits of generative AI and examine critical challenges.

Module III

Leadership and Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging (DEIB): Not Just a Checkbox
Tuesday, June 10, 2025 | 5:30 p.m.

Diversity, equity, inclusion, and belonging (DEIB) are not just buzzwords or compliance checkboxes — they are critical components of effective leadership and organizational success. Explore how leaders can drive meaningful and sustainable change by embedding DEIB principles into the core of your strategies, culture, and decision-making.

Click here



to register



UPCOMING EVENTS

Holocaust Ashes on the Move: Incinerated Human Remains as Objects of Global Institutional Exchange



Monday, February 4

3:35pm

**Galloway Campus
Classroom B-004 or
Zoom**



SNACK-AND-LEARN

ORAL HISTORY: BEST PRACTICES & PROCEDURES WITH MELISSA ZIOBRO

Thursday, February 27, 2025

12:30 pm - 2:20 pm

Stockton University, F-206

Join Melissa Ziobro for a snack-and-learn on oral history best practices and procedures. This workshop is geared towards those just starting out in the field of oral history, though it will surely also serve as a stimulating refresher for more experienced practitioners.

Melissa Ziobro is the Director of Public History at Monmouth University in West Long Branch, NJ; as well as the curator of the University's Bruce Springsteen Archives & Center for American Music. She is the immediate past-president of Oral History in the Mid-Atlantic Region, and has conducted over 200 interviews over the past 20 years.

UPCOMING EVENTS

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March 1-31

Click the link for the month-long events calendar.

Spring Career and Internship Fair

Tuesday, March 4, 2025

10:00am

Big Blue Sports Center

**School of
Education
Career Expo**

Wednesday, March 6, 2025

***5:00pm in the Campus
Center Event Room***

The expo will include recruiters from regional school districts and concurrent panel discussion with education administrators

UPCOMING EVENTS

AL GOLD MEMORIAL LECTURE SERIES & RECEPTION

Ron Tarver: Forty Years an Idea

Wednesday March 5th @2:30pm, Campus Center Theatre



Ron Tarver, *Worn Felt Hat*, Multicultural Western Heritage Trail Ride Bracketville to San Antonio (1994)

With an introduction by Vicki Gold Levi, Picture Editor & Author, and opening remarks from Ian Marshall, Dean of Arts & Humanities, and Wendel A. White, Distinguished Professor of Art.

Ron Tarver is Associate Professor and Chair of Art at Swarthmore College. He shares a Pulitzer Prize with the Philadelphia Inquirer where he was a staff photojournalist for 32 years. He has received fellowships from the John S. Guggenheim Foundation and Pew Fellowships in the Arts, along with grants from National Geographic, the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, and Independence Foundation Fellowships. His work has been exhibited nationally and internationally in over 50 solo exhibitions including at the Philadelphia Museum of Art, Studio Museum in Harlem, the National Museum of American Art of the Smithsonian Institution and other institutional and private collections. His current book *The Long Ride Home: Black Cowboys in America* debuted September 1, 2024, as the number one best new release on Amazon.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dean's **DISTINGUISHED GUEST SPEAKER**



Featuring
DWIGHT MCBEE

**Thursday, March 20, 2025
4:30 - 6 PM**
Fannie Lou Hamer Event Room
Stockton University Atlantic City

Dwight McBee, MBA, BSN, RN, CPXP serves as the Senior Vice President and Chief Patient Experience Officer for RWJBarnabas Health, the largest, most comprehensive academic health care system in New Jersey. He is responsible for the advancement and integration of patient experience strategies and priorities to align them with RWJBarnabas Health's mission, values and business goals and works collaboratively with facility and system leadership teams to develop and execute strategic planning of patient experience and patient engagement initiatives. Mr. McBee holds a dual role, also serving as the Chief Patient Experience Officer for the system's flagship academic facility, Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital in New Brunswick, New Jersey.

Dwight's passion for patient centered care is fueled by his daughter's experiences living with Rett Syndrome. Dwight graduated from Thomas Jefferson University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing and received his MBA from Stockton University. He is a Certified Patient Experience Professional (CPXP), and serves on the Patient Experience Policy Board.

Registration is required:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/deans-distinguished-guest-speaker-2025-tickets-1118145977719?aff=oddtcreator>



UPCOMING EVENTS

ASIAN AMERICAN & PACIFIC ISLANDER **HERITAGE CELEBRATION**

APRIL 1-30



Paul Lyons Memorial Lecture:
Elizabeth Ellis, Associate Professor of
History at Princeton University

Thursday, April 3, 2025

4:30pm

Campus Center Theatre

Criminal Justice Lecture Series:
Tiffany Wilson, Senior Counsel to the
New Jersey Attorney General

Thursday, April 25, 2025

4:30pm

Galloway Campus Room F-111



RESOURCES

Graduate School Forms and Resources

Visit the [Forms and Resources page](#) on our website to find program handbooks, registration & matriculation forms, information about research and culminating experiences, links to Stockton funding sources, campus resources, and other items!

Campus Maps and Directions

Familiarize yourself with campus by [reviewing the maps](#) for each Stockton location. You can also take a walk around Lake Fred on Galloway's campus or explore the University District in Atlantic City!

Institutional Review Board

Make sure to apply for approval from the Institutional Review Board (IRB) prior to starting your project. On their [website](#) you can find the application, guidelines & regulations, Cayuse Training links, and a detailed FAQ. Contact the [Office of Research and Sponsored Programs](#) for more information!

[Stockton Cares](#)

[Osprey Pantry](#)

[Wellness Center & Health Services](#)



Graduate Writing Support

Tutoring at any stage of the writing process!

Need writing support or just want another set of eyes to review your work?

Maria Miranda works in The Tutoring Center and offers writing support for Graduate students. The goal of these sessions is to guide graduate writers in making clear, organized, and well-developed arguments. Getting feedback on your writing is important at any stage of the process for all graduate level writers.

Some topics covered include:

- Sentence structure
- Clarity
- Argument Development
- Citations
- Research Integration
- and more!



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