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CFAES News

April 15, 2020

Assistant Dean for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Search

The Assistant Dean for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion search is moving forward with a distance-based process. Below is a listing of seminar dates open to all CFAES faculty, staff and students. Please share widely in your departments and units. During the seminars, you are welcome to ask candidates questions, and after the interviews, there will be opportunities to share feedback. Refer to Associate Dean Tracy Kitchel(.2) with questions about college leadership searches.

Candidate Patrice Dickerson ([view CV](#))

Apr 27, 2020 2:30-3:45 PM

Zoom: <https://osu.zoom.us/j/881356208>

Candidate Anne Massaro ([view CV](#))

Apr 29, 2020 2:30-3:45 PM

Zoom: <https://osu.zoom.us/j/547909546>

Candidate Kathleen Roberts ([view CV](#))

May 1, 2020 3:30-4:45 PM

Zoom: <https://osu.zoom.us/j/365713573>

April Buckeye Wellness Tip: COPE with COVID-19

Here's a helpful acronym for coping with the COVID-19 pandemic: Control the things that you can, not the things you can't. Open up and share your feelings. Practice daily stress reduction strategies, such as physical activity. Engage in mindfulness: be here now as worry will not help! **C**ount your blessings daily. **O**verturn negative thoughts to positive. **V**olunteer to help others. Identify helpful support and resources. **D**o your part to prevent the spread of the virus.

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New Cybersecurity Training Available

Even when working from home, you can protect yourself and your work from cyberthreats. Learn practical tips to be secure with [Keep Safe While Working Remotely](#), which includes 10 bite-sized activities on the Cybersecurity 4 You awareness platform. While learning how to work safely from home, users can also earn free rewards like free anti-virus and security software for your home and personal devices

Kick it up a Notch: Next Level Management

CFAES Wooster Campus Business Training & Educational Services is offering special OSU only pricing for their new Kick it up a Notch: Next Level Management Online Professional Development series. The classes, originally priced at \$98 each, are now only \$78 each for OSU employees. You can purchase all 6 courses at a cost of \$450.00 (a \$530 value). For more information about the courses in this series, [click here](#), or to register [click here](#).

Self-Paced Online Courses Include:

- Communication: Connect Through Conversations*
- Coaching: Move People Forward
- Building and Sustaining Trust
- Delegating with Purpose
- Resolving Workplace Conflict
- Driving Change

* prerequisite for ALL other courses

For more information contact: Zac Burkey – burkey.56@osu.edu

Ohio Supercomputer Center Webinar: Introduction to Supercomputing at OSC

OSC in conjunction with CFAES will host a webinar entitled "Introduction to Supercomputing at OSC" on **April 15, 2020 from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m.** Those interested in learning about OSC services and those who want to use OSC resources more efficiently are encouraged to attend. This is a great opportunity to ask any questions you have about performing your computational research on our systems.

Topics include:

- High performance computing concepts

- Hardware and software available at OSC
- Storage and file systems
- How to start a new project and request resources
- How to use our web portal OnDemand
- Introduction to batch processing

Who Should Attend: New OSC users, or researchers interested in learning about OSC resources.

Register for the workshop [here](#).

50th Anniversary of Earth Day Celebration Webinar

Join the School of Environment and Natural Resources and the Sustainability Institute on **April 15 at 4 p.m.** for a 50th anniversary of Earth Day Celebration webinar. Featured talks will be presented by Ohio State faculty and students on the legacy and future of Earth Day as well as environmental sustainability and resilience. RSVP is required. [Learn more and register](#).



Email Wellness Challenge

April 6 – May 18, 2020

Sign up for the Ohio State University Extension, Live Healthy Live Well 6-week Email Wellness Challenge. Two weekly e-mails will be sent directly to you from an OSU Extension Family and Consumer Sciences Professional.

During this six-week challenge you will consider ways that “time” affects your life. You will be encouraged to fill your plate ½ full of vegetables and fruits for two meals each day. For activity, you will aim for 30 minutes of movement at least 5 times a week. You will focus on strategies to improve sleep. You will also explore ways to enhance your work/life balance and enjoy more “me” time.

[Learn more.](#)

For more information, contact Lisa Barlage, barlage.7@osu.edu or Michelle Treber, treber.1@osu.edu

Sustainability and Ohio Lands: Creating Value for People and the Environment: May 12, 2020

Speakers and panelists will break the day into four sessions, as we work to better understand the concept of sustainability in Ohio and how it applies to the management of our landscape from a broad set of perspectives. The morning session will feature three keynote speakers, followed by a panel discussion to engage the speakers. In the afternoon there will be three panels on sustainability issues in urban, forest, and agricultural spaces. The panels will be 1 hour each and will be designed to focus on interactive discussion among the panelists, including discussion of questions submitted by guests.

Registration information is provided in this [flyer](#). Registration will also be available at the website aede.osu.edu. Questions? Contact Brent Sohngen.1@osu.edu.

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