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Monthly news for the AGTS community

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Alumni Prayerathon

- A special thanks to the students, faculty, and staff who recently prayed with alumni throughout the United States.
- AGTS alumni shared many prayer requests and praise reports of how God is moving in their lives and ministries
- Please continue to pray for alumni as they serve in strategic positions of ministry throughout the world.



Daylight Saving Time begins March 12



- Set your clocks ahead one hour to *spring* forward

Where in the World is Dr. Hausfeld?

- March 5: Preaching at Mission's Convention Service, Woodlake Assembly of God, Tulsa, OK
- March 9-11: Attending the 46th Annual Meeting of the Society for Pentecostal Studies Meeting, at Urshan College/Urshan Graduate School of Theology in Florissant (St. Louis), MO
- March 19: Preaching at Bethel Christian Center, Dayton, OH



Apply for a \$5,000 Scholarship



- Church Mutual is offering 50 scholarships of \$5,000 each to full-time students in post-secondary religious studies programs at an accredited theological seminary for the 2017-18 academic school year.
- Visit churchmutual.com/cmcares-scholars for eligibility and application information
- Application deadline: **April 15, 2017**
- Scholarships will be awarded in May 2017.

Summer Institute for Islamic Studies 2017

- "While the world's population is projected to grow 35% in the coming decades, the number of Muslims is expected to increase by 73%--from 1.6 billion in 2010 to 2.8 billion in 2050.



- In 2010, Muslims made up 23.2% of the global population. Four decades later, they are expected to make up about three-in-ten of the world's people (29.7%).
- By 2050, Muslims will be nearly as numerous as Christians, who are projected to remain the world's largest religious group at 31.4% of the global population." (Pew Research Center)



SIIS Schedule July 3-14, 2017

- **July 3-8** (Monday through Saturday, *with the exception of Tuesday*)
 - *Engaging Islam* with Dr. Bennett (8:00 a.m. - noon)
 - *Shiite Islam* with Dr. Fred Farrokh (1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.)
- **July 10-14** (Monday through Friday)
 - *Folk Islam and Power Encounter* with Dr. Don McCurry (8:00 a.m. - noon)
 - *Business and Islam* with Dr. Robert Stefan (1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.)
 - *Women in Islam* with Donna Krstulovich (1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.)

We invite you, your friends, and/or family to join us for one

or more of the 2017 Summer Institute for Islamic Studies courses!

- For more information: contact Sharon Yadon (yadons@evangel.edu)

Spiritual Formation Appointment

- Schedule your semester or yearly Spiritual Formation Appointment with Dr. Jay Taylor today!
- AGTS students meet with Dr. Taylor once per semester during the first year and once per year for subsequent years as a student
- You can make an appointment by calling 417-268-1081 or emailing Kate at alsupk@evangel.edu



Academic News

Attention MA Intercultural Studies Graduates

- Comprehensive examinations will be Monday, March 6
- Contact the Faculty Administrative Assistant, [Sharon Yadon](mailto:Sharon.Yadon@evangel.edu) (417-268-8870), if you have any questions.



Free Coaching for Writing

- Make an appointment at The Write Place at Evangel University by calling 417-865-2815, ext. 8545 or emailing writeplace@evangel.edu
- Appointment schedule may be viewed in Course Commons/The Write Place



Final Exam Week is April 24-28

Registrar's News

Registration Deadlines

- Summer/Fall Registration begins **March 6**.
- Summer registration must be completed on the [Student Portal](#) by **April 14**.
- Fall registration must be completed on the [Student Portal](#) by **June 9**.
- Add/Drop classes cannot be entered on the Student Portal. Please use Add/Drop Form located outside the Registrar's Office or [online](#).
- If you have any questions, contact your advisor or Kathy Harrison at harrisonk@evangel.edu.

New Address, Phone Number, or Personal Email?

- AGTS needs your current address, phone number, and personal email for our records.
- Please update your contact information on the Student Portal when you register.



Reminder

- Check your AGTS email account regularly to ensure that you are receiving all notifications from AGTS faculty and staff.

Bursar's News

Payment

- Payments are due on the 15th of each month
- Contact [Angela Long](#) at 417-865-2815, ext. 7422, if you have questions



Late Payment Fee

- A \$25 late payment fee will be assessed for each late payment received on an account with a debit balance

Financial Aid News

FAFSA & Other Financial Aid Questions?



- If you have any questions regarding financial aid, contact [Bryan Hawk](#) or call 417-865-2815, ext. 7512

Refer a Student

- Do you know someone interested in attending AGTS?
- Use this [online form](#) or connect with [Christina Ketchem](#), AGTS Admissions Representative, 417-865-2815, ext. 7671



Library News



Regular Library Hours

Monday-Friday.....9:00 a.m. - 9:30 p.m.
Saturday.....10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Sunday.....Closed

Any exceptions to this schedule over the course of the semester will be posted in advance.

Faculty News

Dr. Roger Cotton

- March 9-11: Attending the 46th Annual Meeting of the Society for Pentecostal Studies meeting at Urshan College/Urshan Graduate School of Theology in Florissant (St. Louis), MO
- March 9-11: Attending the Central States Regional Meeting of the Society of Biblical Literature, Columbia, MO (Chair, Hebrew Bible section)



Dr. Paul Lewis

- March 9-11: Attending the 46th Annual Meeting of the Society for Pentecostal Studies Meeting, Urshan College/Urshan Graduate School of Theology in Florissant (St. Louis), MO
 - Presentation paper: "Christian Missions along the Eastern Silk Road: Missiology of the Early Church of the East and Implications for Today"
- Edited Volume 13 of Encounter Journal (Fall 2016)
 - Wrote editorial "Real vs. Perceived Needs," and ministerial reflection, "Remembering the Forgetting"



Dr. Debbie Gill

- March 2-3: Attending the Karam Forum, a two-day gathering for theological educators and Christian academics, sponsored by The Oikonomia Network, held at Trinity International University. The focus of this conference is "Faithful discipleship to Christ involves working every day in homes, workplaces, and communities to help God's world flourish"



Dr. Lois Olena

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- March 9-11: Attending the 46th Annual Meeting of the Society for Pentecostal Studies meeting at Urshan College/Urshan Graduate School of Theology in Florissant (St. Louis), MO, serving as professor of record for D.Min students taking SPS for academic credit



Dr. Ava Oleson

- March 9-11: Attending the 46th Annual Meeting of the Society for Pentecostal Studies meeting at Urshan College/Urshan Graduate School of Theology in Florissant (St. Louis), MO, Panel participation



Dr. DeLonn and Valerie Rance

- March 6-8: Participating in the Latin American AG Dialogue for ministerial education
- March 21-24: Attending the Assemblies of God World Missions Missiology Committee Meeting with wife, Valerie, in Hong Kong, China
- March 27-31: Presenting a workshop and attending meetings at the Missions Commission of the World AG Fellowship at the WAGF World Congress, Singapore



Dr. Randy Walls

- March 2-3: Attending the Karam Forum, a two-day gathering for theological educators and Christian academics, sponsored by The Oikonomia Network, held at Trinity International University. The focus of this conference is "Faithful discipleship to Christ involves working every day in homes, workplaces, and communities to help God's world flourish"
- March 5-9: Peer review member of an HLC Comprehensive Site Visit team, at Lutheran School of Theology, Chicago, IL

