

SEPTEMBER 24, 2012

MAJOR PROJECTS AND INITIATIVES

State of the College Address. President Paul Pribbenow on September 17 delivered the first State of the College Address to share the College's key strategies and operations for the year, including cost structure, recruitment, and retention. Materials from the meeting are available online. A comment/question form also is available and will allow individuals to comment in anonymity. Answers to frequently asked questions will be posted on this site on a weekly basis, beginning later this week. In October, three brown-bag seminars also will be held to allow for additional discussion on three topics emerging from the submitted questions, including the existing revenue and cost structure for the College, the student success/Augsburg Promise initiative announced at the State of the College, and the enrollment plan currently under development. Dates, times, and locations for the meetings will be announced in A-mail as soon as the sessions are scheduled. Access the materials from the State of the College or comment by signing into Augnet at this link:

<https://augnet.augsburg.edu/protected/administration/reports/documents/president/sept17/>.

CAMPUS EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

Homecoming all week. Augsburg College celebrates Homecoming 2012 all week, and includes events for the entire community. Current Augsburg students, faculty, and staff can choose from more than a dozen events happening all around campus. See highlights on Inside Augsburg at http://augnet.augsburg.edu/news-archives/2012/09_17_12/Homecoming2012.html.

Sabo Symposium Explores 'Neighborhood Social Mix.' The Martin Olav Sabo Public Policy Symposium will explore from **4 to 5:30 p.m., September 26**, in Hoversten Chapel, thoughts on whether and how urban planning should encourage particular social mixes among residents, and the implications for public policy. George Galster, professor of urban affairs at Wayne State University, will share the findings of his research, understanding of what others are saying, and what he would propose the government undertake as an approach. Additional perspective will be brought to the table by Michael Grover, manager of the community development department of the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis. Details on the Inside Augsburg calendar at <http://augnet.augsburg.edu/index.html?month=9&year=2012&day=26>.

Twitter Hashtag

The hashtag for the Sabo Symposium is #SaboSymp.

Celebration of 25th Anniversary of the Master of Arts in Leadership (MAL). Augsburg College celebrates the distinct leadership of the MAL on its silver anniversary. Garry Hesser will lead the community in an interactive discussion titled "George Washington and the Llamas: Clues for Leadership in the 21st Century." The program is from **6 to 8 p.m., September 26**, in Hoversten Chapel. An RSVP is requested. Details at <http://www.augsburg.edu/homecoming/schedule.html>.

EVENTS

September 23-29. Homecoming. https://augnet.augsburg.edu/news-archives/2012/09_17_12/Homecoming2012.html

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September 26

- Sabo Symposium, "Neighborhood Social Mix: What Do We Know and What Should We Do?," George Galster, **4-5:30 p.m.**, Hoversten Chapel. <http://www.augsburg.edu/homecoming/schedule.html>
- Celebration of the 25th Anniversary of the Master of Arts in Leadership: **6:15 p.m.**, Hoversten Chapel. <http://augnet.augsburg.edu/amaill/#35025>

September 28: Ribbon cutting for Strommen Center for Meaningful Work, **1:30-2 p.m.**, Christensen Center.

September 29: 30th Anniversary of WEC/Augsburg for Adults, **9 a.m.**, Oren Gateway Center.

For a listing of Augsburg athletic events, visit the Athletic Department calendar at <http://athletics.augsburg.edu/>

DAILY CHAPEL

The community gathers from 10:20 to 10:40 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Chapel is from 11:20 to 11:40 a.m. on Tuesday and Thursday.

On Saturdays of Augsburg for Adult classes, chapel is from 7:30 to 7:50 a.m.

The schedule for Chapel is:

- Tuesday: Babette Chatman, Redeemer Center for Life
- Wednesday
 - 10:20 a.m. – Jenni Lilledahl '87, owner of Brave New Workshop & Improv School
 - 9:09 p.m. – Songs and Communion
- Thursday: Sandra Olmsted, Chair of the Chemistry Department
- Friday: Alumni Convocation
- Monday: New Life Band, a Tanzanian group

OTHER INFORMATION

Auggies tell story of college – Members of the Augsburg community can help tell the story of the College in many ways, every day. Be sure to submit your events, news, and kudos to A-mail and consider sharing the Augsburg story by posting to your personal Facebook page some of the news from our community. Take a moment to check out some of these neat Auggie stories:

- **Student Loan Debt.** *U.S. News and World Report Education* wrote a story about student loan debt. The reporter spoke with Carly Eichhorst, assistant director of financial aid. <http://www.usnews.com/education/best-colleges/paying-for-college/articles/2012/09/20/student-loan-debt-draws-more-attention-at-colleges>
- **Eboo Patel on Minnesota Public Radio (MPR).** Christensen Symposium speaker Eboo Patel, founder of Interfaith Youth Core, spoke on MPR prior to his presentation on campus. During his conversation with reporter Kerri Miller, Patel acknowledged the College a number of times. Hear the discussion on MPR at <http://minnesota.publicradio.org/display/web/2012/09/17/daily-circuit-eboo-patel/>
 - Photos are on Flickr at <http://www.flickr.com/photos/augsburgcollege/sets/72157631574879737/>

- Video of Eboo Patel's presentation is on YouTube at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=djVx-HQrSNM&feature=share&list=UUH87WIDHvBPqH3XsCCupoLA>
- **Star Tribune Column on Auggie Football Team.** Columnist Patrick Reusse wrote about the hard work and determination of the Augsburg football team, and the talent of the team. <http://www.startribune.com/sports/170437556.html?refer=y>