

Southern Factor

October 2016

CONNECTING WITH EACH OTHER

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Valerie Lee wrote a book about loss for young adults: *When Sparrows Fall*. It is available at teachservices.com

Tron Wilder had an article published in the April/May 2016 issue of the *Journal of Adventist Education*—a special issue devoted to Behavioral Addictions. It was titled “Addressing Behavioral Addictions in Adolescents: Creating a School-wide Culture of Prevention.”

Sharon Rogers will attend the National Academic Advising Association conference in Atlanta, October 5-7.

Laura Racovita attended the Michigan Crisis Response Association (MCRA) Annual Conference and Training, September 18-20, in Tustin, Michigan. This year’s training, “Pastoral Crisis Intervention,” focused on the role of spirituality and religion in advanced crisis intervention in the context of pastoral crisis intervention, and was an International Critical Incident Stress Foundation (ICISF) approved course.

Donald Keefe had an artwork exhibition in the Catskill Art Society throughout the month of August. The gallery director wrote him a message saying, “So glad to have hosted your show here! It’s consistently gotten feedback as our most immersive exhibition this year, and one of the best in our history here. High praise from a cultured audience, many of whom have been visiting for many years.”

He was also featured in the October 2016 issue of *FreshPaint Magazine*. Finally, his art work was featured in the *International Drawing Annual 10* by Manifest Research Gallery and Drawing Center

HATS OFF!

Eli Courey and his crew of student workers are so appreciated. Thanks for the consistently competent service-with-a-smile! **Elaine Hayden**, Unit Assessment System Manager

Congratulations to **all the faculty and staff** for their hard work in helping Southern rank as a top tier university by *U.S. News and World Report’s* “Best Colleges” guide, for the 15th consecutive year. Because of our growing graduate program, *U.S. News* has moved Southern from being listed among 98 regional colleges to now being listed among 148 regional universities.

PERSONAL NEWS

Donald Keefe and his wife, Evangelyn, are expecting their first born, a son. He is due October 1. They plan to name him Josiah.

Ben Thornton recently lost his brother to a battle with leukemia. The news came at noon on Monday just as his Ecology class was done and before his first lab at 12:30 p.m. Condolences may be sent to him by email, benthornton@southern.edu, or to his office via intercampus mail.

AD SPACE

Celebrate the centennial of Southern’s move to Thatcher Farm! A special Fall Festival will be held on Sunday, October 30, in the Veteran’s Park. It will feature live music, food, an antique car show, and fun children’s activities.

Visit the new archaeological exhibit, “A World in Miniature: Creation, Cosmos, Ecology on Seals from Biblical Times,” in the Lynn H. Wood Archaeological Museum. The exhibit features 60 seals ranging in age from 3,000 B.C. to 500 B.C.



University employees are invited to join alumni for a “Martin Luther and the Reformation Celebrating 500 Years” tour scheduled for June 13-25, 2017. Visit major sites of the Protestant Reformation in Germany and Switzerland during this historic, milestone anniversary. Immerse yourself in European culture and breathtaking scenery with experienced tour leader, Bill Wohlers. The cost is \$3,950 per person and includes an estimated 20 sightseeing activities. Contact Alumni Relations by emailing alumni@southern.edu or by calling ext. 2830 to learn more and to reserve your space before January 1.

PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION WEEK EVENTS

Sabbath, October 8

Worship Services

9 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 11:30 a.m. | Collegedale Church

Sunday, October 9

Wind Symphony Concert

7:30 p.m. | Mabel Wood Hall

Monday, October 10

Origins Exhibit Walkthrough

2 p.m. | Hickman Science Center

Archaeology Lecture

7:30 p.m. | Lynn Wood Hall Chapel

Tuesday, October 11

Landscape Paintings

6:30 p.m. | John C. Williams Gallery, Brock Hall,

Wednesday, October 12

Museum Exhibit

9 a.m. to 5 p.m. | Lynn H. Wood Archaeological Museum,
Hackman Hall

Inaugural Gala (ticket purchase required)

5:30 p.m. | Dining Hall, Wright Hall

Thursday, October 13

Inauguration Ceremony

11 a.m. | Collegedale Church

CHANGING FACES

COMING TO SOUTHERN:

Avery Botticelli, office manager, School of Journalism and Communication

Janell Hullquist, editorial manager, Marketing and University Relations

Glenn Carter, associate vice president, Student Finance

Jennifer Landivar, applications manager, Admissions

Stephanie Peel, part-time receptionist, University Health Center

LEAVING SOUTHERN:

Trenton Schwarzer, patrol officer, Campus Safety

Rob Raney, relationship manager, WSMC Radio

Greg Rumsey, professor, School of Journalism and Communication (effective June 2017)

COMPLAINT REPORT FORM

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OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

- 1 **Troy DeWind**, Landscape Services
- 1 **Linda Lechler**, Nursing
- 1 **Mary Anne Poulson**, Religion
- 1 **Marcus Sheffield**, English
- 2 **Kim Armstrong**, Food Services
- 2 **Barb Edens**, President's Office
- 2 **Mariella Pechero**, Disability Services
- 2 **Paulette Sandefur**, Village Market
- 2 **Jessica Spears**, McKee Library
- 3 **Vivian Grabiner**, Village Market
- 4 **Jill Buchholz**, Nursing
- 4 **David Huisman**, Accounting Services
- 5 **Christalee Crary**, Admissions
- 5 **Bill Lyons**, Plant Services
- 5 **Daniel Olson**, Student Success Center
- 6 **Cindy Johnson**, Nursing
- 7 **Miguel Rivas**, Information Technology
- 7 **Joylynn Scott**, President's Office
- 7 **Dennis Steele**, Business
- 8 **Stephanie Guster**, Social Work
- 9 **Faith Anderson**, Student Finance
- 9 **Matt Barclay**, Student Finance
- 9 **Bill Rawson**, University Health Center
- 9 **Linda Williams**, Student Development
- 10 **Scot Anderson**, Computing
- 10 **Rodney Bussey**, P.E., Health and Wellness
- 11 **Ronda Christman**, Nursing
- 11 **Blake Laing**, Physics Department
- 13 **Judy Sloan**, P.E., Health and Wellness
- 14 **Chris Hansen**, Physics
- 15 **Ric Griffin**, Student Success Center
- 16 **Castwell Fider**, Admissions
- 17 **Dwight Magers**, Talge Hall
- 18 **Braam Oberholster**, Business
- 18 **Elaine Plemons**, Center for Teaching Excellence
- 18 **Keely Tary**, English
- 18 **Cindi Young**, Financial Administration
- 19 **Stephen Bauer**, Religion
- 20 **Amelia Laneville**, Food Services
- 21 **Linda Crumley**, Journalism and Communication
- 23 **Yola Noya**, Village Market
- 23 **Carol Plank**, Talge Hall
- 25 **Seth Shaffer**, McKee Library
- 27 **Kevin Brown**, Mathematics
- 29 **Dennis Clifford**, Plant Services
- 29 **Ron Johnson**, Mathematics
- 31 **Teri Klinger**, Thatcher Hall

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