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## Faculty Senate Leadership 2016-2017

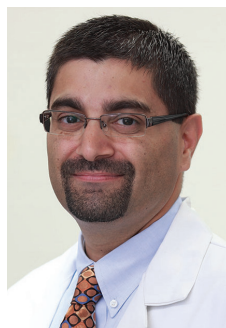
The Faculty Senate announced its leadership for the upcoming academic year (*left to right*)—*Past Chair*: Reed Pyeritz, William Smilow Professor of Medicine and Genetics, chief, Division of Medical Genetics, Perelman School of Medicine; *Chair*: Laura Perna, James S. Riepe Professor, executive director, Alliance for Higher Education and Democracy, chair, Higher Education Division, Graduate School of Education; *Chair Elect*: Santosh Venkatesh, associate professor of electrical & systems engineering, Penn School of Engineering and Applied Science.

## 2016 Penn Dental Medicine Teaching Awards

Penn Dental Medicine faculty members were honored for excellence in teaching at the School's Senior Farewell, held on May 10 at the Hyatt at the Bellevue in Center City Philadelphia. Each academic year, the graduating class recognizes members of the faculty with teaching awards, presented at this annual event that celebrates the passage of students to professional dentistry and welcomes them into the Penn Dental Medicine Alumni Society.

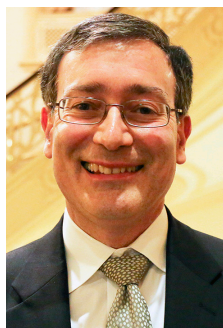
### The Basic Science Award

This award is presented for excellence in teaching within the basic sciences. This year's recipient is Faizan Alawi, an associate professor of pathology and assistant dean for curriculum. A member of the Penn Dental Medicine faculty since 2001, Dr. Alawi teaches oral and maxillofacial pathology for students in the School's predoctoral and postdoctoral programs, as well as to Penn Medicine students and residents. Dr. Alawi also serves as director of Penn Oral Pathology Services. He was previously recognized with the Basic Science Award in 2010.



Faizan Alawi

C'79, D'83, a clinical associate professor of restorative dentistry. A member of the School's faculty since 1984, Dr. Smithgall is course director for Removable Partial Dentures and teaches predoctoral dental students in the general restorative dentistry laboratory. He was previously recognized with the DeRevere Award in 1990, 2010 and 2011.



Francis Smithgall

### The Joseph L. T. Appleton Award

This award is presented to a part-time faculty member for excellence in clinical teaching. This year's recipient is Marianne Contino. Ms. Contino, a dental hygienist, has been instructing students in the predoctoral clinics since 2008. The Appleton Award is named in honor of Dr. Joseph Appleton, a 1914 alumnus of Penn Dental Medicine, who served as dean of the School from 1941 to 1951. The award was founded in 1979 by Abram Cohen, a member of the Class of 1923 and father of Dean Emeritus D. Walter Cohen, Class of 1950.



Marianne Contino

### The Robert E. DeRevere Award

This award is presented for excellence in pre-clinical teaching by a part-time faculty member. The award is named in honor of Dr. DeRevere, a member of the Penn Dental Medicine Class of 1945, who served on the School's faculty. This year's recipient is Francis J. Smithgall,

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## 2016 PennDesign Teaching Awards

These awards were presented by Dean Marilyn Jordan Taylor at the School of Design Awards Ceremony on May 15 on Meyerson Plaza.

### G. Holmes Perkins Distinguished Teaching Award for Standing Faculty

This award is given annually based on input from graduate students at PennDesign, in recognition of distinguished teaching and innovation in the classroom, seminar or studio. This year's recipient, Amy Hillier, a professor in the department of city planning, teaches courses relating to geographic information systems, the built environment, public health and community development. She explores issues of geographic disparities and access to services and resources in disadvantaged communities, such as redlining and housing discrimination, affordable housing and public health access. One student said, "Amy is a truly inspirational lecturer. She cares passionately about everything she teaches but she also cares passionately about her students. She challenges us to think outside our own experiences and to consider the lives and situations of others."



Amy Hillier

### G. Holmes Perkins Distinguished Teaching Award for Associated Faculty

This award is given annually based on the input from the graduate students in recognition of distinguished teaching and innovation in the classroom, seminar or studio. This year's recipient, Cindy Sanders, an adjunct professor in the department of landscape architecture, is chief executive officer/partner at OLIN and a Fellow of the American Society of Landscape Architects. Her prom-



Cindy Sanders

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## From the Senate Office

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### Faculty Senate Executive Committee Actions

Wednesday, May 11, 2016

**Chair's Report.** Faculty Senate Chair Reed Pyeritz reported that the first cadre of Faculty Wellness Ambassadors completed a training session the week prior and will begin serving their roles in the fall. The Office of the Vice Provost for Education is coordinating the training sessions and implementation of this pilot program across the four undergraduate schools. He encouraged SEC members to volunteer to receive the training and serve as Ambassadors. After the first year, the program will be assessed for its effectiveness and may be expanded to include the other eight Penn schools. Dr. Pyeritz noted that the launch of the program is a major accomplishment for SEC this year and offered credit to Claire Finkelstein who led during the initiative's formative stage. Dr. Pyeritz requested that next year SEC consider a number of other issues, including an examination of the roles and sizes of the Standing Faculty, the Associated Faculty and Academic Support Staff.

**Past Chair's Report.** Faculty Senate Past Chair Claire Finkelstein reported that the *Campaign for Community* (C4C) Steering Committee met on May 10 and that C4C will continue for the 2016-2017 year. She encouraged SEC members to plan events related to open expression, difficult conversations, and diversity and inclusion in the coming year and submit applications for grant funding. She especially encouraged SEC members to consider planning events that involve multiple gatherings about difficult issues that might be confronted in departments or schools. The events do not need to be student-based or involve large numbers of participants, but they do need to maintain the spirit of C4C by providing opportunities to open dialogue and conversation on the campus. She further reported that the Provost's Academic Planning and Budget Committee and Capital Council have met. She expressed gratitude to the Tri-Chairs with whom she served and to Paulo Arratia for his leadership in developing the Faculty Ambassador Program proposal; she also encouraged SEC members to become future Ambassadors.

**Senate Committee Reports.** SEC heard and briefly discussed annual reports given by the chairs of Senate Committees. Senate committee reports can be found in the supplement to the May 10, 2016 issue of *Almanac*.

**Confidentiality and the Ombuds.** Lynn Hollen Lees, professor of history emerita and University ombudsman, and Marcia Martínez-Helfman, associate ombudsman, discussed issues of sexual misconduct and the confidentiality that their office affords to those who come to them to discuss these matters. Dr. Lees noted that with the promulgation of "Procedures for Resolving Complaints Against Faculty of Sexual Assault, Sexual Violence, Relationship Violence and Stalking," which took effect March 1, 2016, the Office of the Ombudsman was designated a "confidential resource." This designation enables Ombuds staff to refrain from disclosing incidents of sexual misconduct unless the reporting individual gives them permission to do so, with the sole exception of cases in which there is a reasonable belief of imminent risk of serious harm to someone. Dr. Lees and Ms. Martínez-Helfman also reported that the University has released two additional draft policies relating to sexual misconduct, with a request for comments that must be submitted on or before May 27, 2016. These draft policies are "Sexual Violence, Relationship Violence and Stalking Policy" and "Sexual Harassment Policy." Dr. Lees shared copies of the Office handout that is provided to each visitor, which speaks to the standards of practice for the Office and follows best practices as articulated by the International Ombudsman Association.

**Issues Requiring a Vote.** SEC members approved the 2016 Senate Committee on Committees slate as presented. SEC members voted for the faculty representatives on the 2016-2017 University Council Steering Committee.

**Passing the Torch.** Remarks were given by each of the Faculty Senate Tri-Chairs thanking Claire Finkelstein for her service as Past Chair, thanking Reed Pyeritz for his service as Chair, and welcoming Laura Perna as the 2016-2017 Faculty Senate Chair. Dr. Pyeritz announced that Santosh Venkatesh will serve as Chair-Elect of the Senate for the 2016-2017 year.

### 2016 Penn Dental Medicine Teaching Awards (continued from page 1)

#### Senior Class's Outstanding Teaching Award

This award is presented to a faculty member who has gone beyond the scope of his/her responsibilities to significantly impact the class's education at Penn Dental Medicine. This year the Senior Outstanding Teaching Award was presented to Dr. Scott Odell, D'82, an instructor in the



Scott Odell

department of oral medicine. A member of the School's faculty since 2007, Dr. Odell teaches diagnostic radiology and is chief of emergency care and clinical director of the Medically Complex Clinic. Dr. Odell was previously recognized with the Outstanding Teaching Award in 2012, received the Appleton Award six times and has twice won the Executive Student Council's Outstanding Service to Students Award.

#### The Earle Bank Hoyt Award

This award is presented for excellence in teaching to a faculty member who is a Penn Dental Medicine graduate. The award was established by a grateful patient in honor of Dr. Hoyt, a distinguished clinician and educator and member of the Class of 1918. This year's recipient is

## Deaths

### Nancy Dougherty, Patient Financial Services

Nancy Dougherty, a retired managing director of patient financial services at Penn Medicine, died at home of lung cancer on May 18. She was 58 years old.

Ms. Dougherty graduated from John Bartram High School in Philadelphia. She worked in accounts payable at the *Southwest Globe Times*, a community newspaper in Philadelphia, before coming to Penn in 1980. She worked in financial counseling at Penn Medicine for 34 years, helping patients with insurance and facilitating admission to the hospital.

She joined the board of the University of Pennsylvania Federal Credit Union in 2011 and continued her service until the time of her death.

Ms. Dougherty retired from Penn in 2014 and moved from Clementon, New Jersey, to North Wildwood, New Jersey.

In May of 2015, she was diagnosed with lung cancer, according to her sister, Kathleen Dougherty, a managing director of patient accounting at Penn Medicine.

In addition to her sister, Kathleen, Ms. Dougherty is survived by another sister, Tricia Ware, a director of information technology at Penn Medicine; her mother, Rita; three brothers; one brother-in-law; nieces and nephews; and Scott Nolan.

Donations in her memory may be sent to Lockbox 1352, P.O. Box 8500, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA 19178-1352.

Condolences may be offered to the family at <http://www.egizifuneral.com>

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### To Report A Death

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## Trustees May Meeting Coverage

On May 12, the University of Pennsylvania Trustees held a meeting of their Executive Committee and Budget & Finance Committee, as Alumni Weekend was about to get underway and Commencement (*Almanac* May 24, 2016) was coming up right after that.

Penn President Amy Gutmann mentioned some of the year's highlights: Fulbrights, Goldwaters and other fellowships as well as the President's Innovation (*Almanac* April 26, 2016) and Engagement (*Almanac* March 29, 2016) Prizes for Penn students. She also noted that three women faculty members (*Almanac* May 24, 2016) were elected to the National Academy of Sciences, calling it a "singular honor."

Provost Vincent Price singled out the first Coursera prize that went to Al Filreis, who he described as one of the earliest and most imaginative adapters of Coursera (*Almanac* April 19, 2016).

EVP Craig Carnaroli gave the financial report for the three months ended March 31. For the Consolidated University, there was growth in net assets driven largely by the integration of Lancaster General Health into the UPHS, with total net assets of \$14.3 billion increased \$804 million, but \$695 million below budget due to downturn in financial markets. The Academic component net operating income of \$68 million was \$8 million above the prior year; revenue of \$2.2 billion was \$69 million above budget while expenditures were \$7 million below budget. Total contributions totaled \$229 million, an increase of \$8 million from the prior year's first nine months. Year-to-date capital expenditures were \$252 million, an increase of \$60 million over the same period of the prior year.

Moody's Investors Service has recently improved Penn's credit ratings to Aa1 to the highest rating level in Penn's history.

Penn Med Dean Larry Jameson announced that 140 new physicians were about to graduate from Penn Medicine. Nobel Laureate Michael Brown, C'62, M'66 (*Almanac* October 22, 1985) would be the PSOM speaker this year.

Dr. Jameson also mentioned that Emily Whitehead, who recently celebrated her 11th birthday and her fourth year being cancer-free thanks to the experimental T-cell therapy pioneered by Carl June and his team (*Almanac* January 26, 2016) was at the recent celebration in California of the \$250 million gift to launch the Parker Institute for Cancer Immunotherapy at Penn (*Almanac* April 19, 2016). Dr. Jameson mentioned that 193 Penn Med physicians were recognized by *Philadelphia* magazine.

The Trustees approved two resolutions: the first pertains to the design and construction of the Robbins House renovations at 3537 Locust Walk (\$9.35 million), the second one is to authorize electronic lock installation in residential buildings on approximately 6,000 doors in Kings Court, English, Mayer, the Quad, DuBois, Stouffer, Harrison, Harnwell and Rodin College Houses (\$7.85 million).

Bruce C. Vladeck was appointed to the Penn Medicine Board; Susan B. Dillon to Wistar's.

### Trustees Annual Meeting: June 16-17

These meetings will be held at the Inn at Penn. Registration will be located outside of Woodlands Ballroom.

#### Thursday, June 16

8:30-10 a.m.

Local, National, & Global Engagement Committee, Woodlands CD

10:15-11:45 a.m.

Facilities & Campus Planning Committee, Woodlands AB

1:45-3:15 p.m.

Student Life Committee, Woodlands CD

3:30-5:15 p.m.

Academic Policy Committee, Woodlands CD  
Budget & Finance Committee,  
Woodlands AB, Inn at Penn

#### Friday, June 17

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Stated Meeting of the Trustees, Woodlands

## 2016 PennDesign Teaching Awards

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inent projects include the Carnegie Hall Rooftop in New York City and the Delaware River Waterfront Master Plan in Philadelphia. A student said, "It's easy to have many instructors, hard to get one mentor. Cindy took on this path with her revolutionary new course Transformational Leadership, and generously shared her personal experiences to guide us to find our own voices deep within."

### G. Holmes Perkins Distinguished Undergraduate Teaching Award

This award is given based on the input of undergraduate students to recognize distinguished teaching and innovation in the classroom, seminar or studio. It rotates each year between the architecture and fine arts undergraduate departments. This year's recipient, Joshua Freese, a lecturer in the department



Joshua Freese

of architecture, is an architectural designer. He teaches design studios and seminars in graduate and undergraduate architecture and has also taught in the landscape architecture department. He recently established Studio JF and has previously collaborated with offices like HWKN and !Melk. His teaching and design work explore the range of aesthetic effects and computational techniques of geometric tiling and tessellation systems and their application in architecture and design. One student said, "Josh was the most caring and dedicated professor I've had at Penn. He has a special talent for bringing out the best in his students, and helping them to become the types of designers they wish to be."

## Supporting Penn Vet Initiatives to Provide Care for Shelter Dogs with Cancer and Subsidize Cancer Treatments

With generous grants from the Petco Foundation and Blue Buffalo Foundation, Penn Vet will advance its Shelter Canine Mammary Tumor Program and launch a cancer treatment support fund at Ryan Hospital for owners who cannot otherwise afford the full cost of cancer treatment for their pets. The announcement coincides with Pet Cancer Awareness Month in May.

"Penn Vet's remarkable frontline research efforts and treatment options are helping to change the way we approach cancer in both animals and humans," said Susanne Kogut, executive director of the Petco Foundation. "Through these investments, we are proud to support efforts that will help countless pets and families impacted by this disease."

"Through our partnership with the Petco Foundation, we're thrilled to support outstanding pet cancer research and treatment initiatives at work across the country," said David Petrie, president of the Blue Buffalo Foundation. "The inspiring work taking place at Penn Vet exemplifies the critical role that universities and research centers play in understanding and eradicating pet cancer."

### Helping Shelter Dogs with Mammary Tumors and Women with Breast Cancer

Since 2009, Penn Vet's Shelter Canine Mammary Tumor Program has provided care for shelter dogs with mammary tumors while advancing

knowledge of both canine and human breast cancer. Founded and led by Karin Sorenmo, a professor of oncology, the program aids homeless dogs without access to the care they need to survive. The program covers surgery and follow-up care costs and helps facilitate adoption.

Shelter dogs provide an ideal population for studying mammary tumors because only 10 percent of animals received into shelters have been spayed or neutered. The incidence of mammary tumors in unsprayed female dogs is at least four times greater than in spayed dogs.

Mammary tumors in dogs and breast cancer in women have many similarities, both in terms of risk factors and biology. Many of the dogs in Penn Vet's program have multiple tumors, often in different stages of malignant transformation, providing a unique opportunity to research cancer progression.

The two-year, \$525,000 grant from the Petco Foundation and Blue Buffalo Foundation will enable Dr. Sorenmo to continue her work in improving understanding of how cancer develops and finding better and more efficient drugs to treat and prevent cancer in both dogs and humans.

"Thanks to this very generous support, we can elucidate the complex biology of breast cancer while at the same time saving the lives of some of the most vulnerable members of animal shelter populations," said Dr. Sorenmo. "It truly is a win-win situation."

### Helping Pets with Cancer Whose Owners Cannot Afford Care

Cancer is a diverse and complex disease with a wide range of clinical outcomes. Treatments can include chemotherapy, surgery, radiation therapy and supportive care. Many patients require a combination of these treatments. In addition to navigating these options, clients also face significant financial considerations. Thanks to the three-year, \$350,000 grant, Penn Vet's Ryan Hospital will launch the "Petco Foundation & Blue Buffalo Foundation Cancer Treatment Support Fund" to provide financial assistance to pet owners who cannot afford cancer treatments.

"As a veterinarian who is trained to deliver the best in compassionate care, it is profoundly difficult, on both a professional and personal level, to experience the grief of a pet owner who has to euthanize a pet because the treatment is unaffordable," said Erika Krick, assistant professor of oncology. "Thanks to this generous grant, these emotionally overwhelming and devastating experiences can now be transformed into moments of hope."

Owners will now have access to top cancer experts and treatments at Ryan Hospital. The fund will cover initial treatment costs for cats and dogs needing recommended, standard-of-care, urgent cancer treatment. The pets must be in otherwise adequate health and be expected to have a good quality of life following treatment. Additional parameters may apply.

# Honors & Other Things

## Abass Alavi: Honorary Doctorate

*Abass Alavi*, professor of radiology and neurology and director of research education in the department of radiology in Penn's Perelman School of Medicine, received an honorary doctorate from the Medical University of Gdańsk in Poland. Dr. Alavi is a physician-scientist specializing in the field of molecular imaging, most notably in the imaging modality of positron emission tomography (PET) and single emission computed tomography (SPECT).



*Abass Alavi*

He was recognized for his contributions to medicine and medical imaging during a ceremony earlier this month in Gdańsk. He has recently applied PET imaging techniques to the investigation of atherosclerosis and he is interested in its potential application to heart disease. This is the sixth honorary degree he has received during the past decade.

## Karin Corbett: Ivy League Coach of the Year

*Karin Corbett*, head coach of Penn's women's lacrosse team, was named Ivy League Coach of the Year for 2016.

This year, Ms. Corbett guided the Quakers to their ninth Ivy League championship in 10 years. She concluded the regular season with a career record at Penn of 187-97, which equates to a .658 winning percentage. Six of her players were named All-Ivy at the conclusion of the regular season, for a total of 85 in Ms. Corbett's career with the Quakers. She has also coached five positional Players of the Year since the Ivy League instituted those awards in 2013—more than any other Ivy head coach.



*Karin Corbett*

## Judith Currano: Vormelker Award

*Judith Currano*, head of Penn's Chemistry Library, has been selected as the 2016 Rose L. Vormelker Award winner by the Special Libraries Association (SLA) in recognition of "her commitment to advancing the development and knowledge of people from all backgrounds who are engaged in the study of chemistry."



*Judith Currano*

At Penn, Ms. Currano also teaches a course in chemical information that is required of all first-year doctoral students in chemistry, gives lectures on information resources to students in undergraduate organic chemistry laboratory courses, and is an

active member of the Penn Women in Chemistry. Off campus, she has long been offering training to fellow information professionals at the SLA Annual Conference. She will receive the Vormelker Award at the opening session of the 2016 SLA Annual Conference this June in Philadelphia.

## HHMI Medical Research Fellows

Three Penn graduate students have been selected as Medical Research Fellows by the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI). *Ryan Kiefer* and *Richard Maduka* from the Perelman School of Medicine and *Megan Clark* from the School of Veterinary Medicine will each spend a year in a laboratory working with a mentor on a biomedical research project. Each Fellow will receive \$41,000 in grant support.

Mr. Kiefer, a third-year medical student at the Perelman School of Medicine, will perform basic and translational science research under the mentorship of Terence Gade, an assistant professor of radiology who is part of the Penn Image-Guided Intervention Laboratory. They will study the metabolic stress response of live cancer in an effort to develop a novel imaging paradigm for dormant cancer states that may lead to improved detection and treatment.

Mr. Maduka, also in his third year at the Perelman School of Medicine, will perform basic science research under the mentorship of Celeste Simon, a professor of cell & developmental biology who runs her laboratory within Penn's Abramson Family Cancer Research Institute. They will work to characterize the role of the HIF1-alpha gene and B lymphocytes in pancreatic cancer, and the mechanism by which these factors promote accelerated oncogenesis.

Ms. Clark, a second-year student at Penn Vet, has pursued immunology research in the lab of Phillip Scott, professor of microbiology & immunology in Penn Vet's department of pathobiology. Ms. Clark will use a murine model to examine how tissue-resident memory T cells migrate into non-inflamed skin sites and how they are retained in the skin to provide protection against leishmaniasis.

## David Issadore: Hartwell Individual Biomedical Research Award

*David Issadore*, an assistant professor in the department of bioengineering with a secondary appointment in electrical & systems engineering, received the 2015 Hartwell Individual Biomedical Research Award for "Microchip Diagnostic for the Rapid Isolation and Identification of Human Plasma-Derived Exosomes." He will receive support from the Hartwell Foundation for three years at \$100,000 direct cost per year.



*David Issadore*

Dr. Issadore's research focuses on microelectronics, microfluidics, nanomaterials and molecular targeting, and their application to medicine. These multidisciplinary skills enable him to explore new technologies that can bring medical diagnostics from expensive, centralized facilities directly to clinical and resource-limited settings.

## Carl June and Alain Rook: Clinical Research Achievement Awards

*Carl H. June* and *Alain H. Rook* of the Perelman School of Medicine are among the recipients of the 2016 Clinical Research Achievement Award. They were honored at an awards ceremony last month in Washington, D.C.

Dr. June, the Richard W. Vague Professor in Immunotherapy in the department of pathology & laboratory medicine, was acknowledged for his myeloma research progress, including papers on two different T-cell therapies published in the *New England Journal of Medicine* and *Nature Medicine*.

Dr. Rook, a professor of dermatology and director of the Cutaneous Lymphoma Program at Penn Medicine, was acknowledged for his research on resiquimod therapy for cutaneous T-cell lymphoma. He planned and served as principal investigator on a study on this topic published in the journal *Blood*.

## Ebbing Lautenbach and Ben Z. Stanger: AAP Members

Two Penn Medicine physicians, *Ebbing Lautenbach*, chief of the Division of Infectious Diseases and the Robert Austrian Professor in the department of medicine, and *Ben Z. Stanger*, an associate professor of medicine and associate investigator in the Abramson Family Cancer Research Institute, have been elected to the Association of American Physicians (AAP).

Dr. Lautenbach, also a professor in the department of biostatistics & epidemiology and a senior scholar in the Center for Clinical Epidemiology & Biostatistics, has focused on the control of bacterial infections in healthcare and community settings. He has recently researched the role of biomarkers to inform the use of antibiotics.

Dr. Stanger and his lab study how cells acquire their specialized features and their ability to adapt to new roles when given exposure to new, different conditions. His work has focused on gastrointestinal cancer and tissue regeneration.

## Dorothy Roberts: Two Honors

*Dorothy Roberts* has been selected to receive the Society of Family Planning Lifetime Achievement Award. She will be honored in November at the 2016 annual meeting, the North American Forum on Family Planning, in Denver, Colorado.

She has also been named to Harvard Law's Women Inspiring Change list for 2016. The Third Annual Harvard Law International Women's Day Portrait Exhibit showcases the astounding contributions of women around the world to the areas of law and policy. The honorees were nominated by Harvard Law students, faculty or staff.

Dr. Roberts is the George A. Weiss University Professor of Law & Sociology, the Raymond Pace & Sadie Tanner Mossell Alexander Professor of Civil Rights and a professor of Africana studies. She is also the 14th Penn Integrates Knowledge (PIK) Professor and the director of the Program on Race, Science & Society.



*Dorothy Roberts*

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### Merle J. Slyhoff: AALL Hall of Fame

Merle J. Slyhoff, collection development librarian at the University of Pennsylvania's Bidle Law Library, has been named one of four winners of this year's American Association of Law Libraries (AALL) Hall of Fame Award. This award recognizes AALL members who have made significant, substantial and long-standing contributions to the profession of legal information management. Ms. Slyhoff will be recognized at the 109th AALL Annual Meeting & Conference in Chicago in July.

### Soccer Without Borders: 2016 Lipman Family Prize

The Wharton School named *Soccer Without Borders* as the winner of the 2016 Barry & Marie Lipman Family Prize, made possible by a multi-million dollar gift by Barry Lipman, W'70, and his wife, Marie, in 2011, and enhanced by an additional gift last year (*Almanac* September 1, 2015). Chosen from more than 170 applicants, Soccer Without Borders received \$250,000 at an award ceremony last month.

Soccer Without Borders, which works in 10 countries on three continents, uses soccer as a vehicle for positive change, providing newcomer refugee, asylee and immigrant youth with a toolkit to overcome obstacles to growth, inclusion and personal success. The organization was co-founded and is led by Mary McVeigh, a former professional soccer player. Many participants have fled severe violence and discrimination, and more than 70% are refugees or have sought asylum in the US.

### Jane Willenbring: NSF CAREER Award

Jane Willenbring, an assistant professor in the School of Arts & Sciences' department of earth & environmental science, is the recipient

of a National Science Foundation (NSF) CAREER Award.

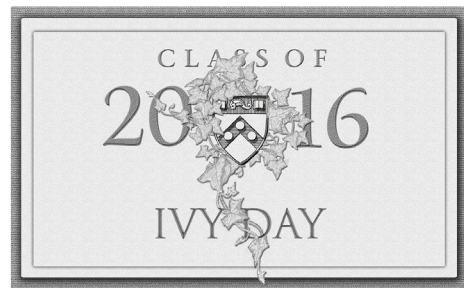
Dr. Willenbring will continue to explore the use of beryllium isotopes in dating soils. In the lab, she and her students will test beryllium adsorption and desorption on a variety of minerals under varying conditions, then test their findings using a field sample collected from the Amazon River basin that could reflect the major changes in landscape that have occurred over the last 20 million years—namely, the rise and erosion of the Andes Mountains.

With this grant, Dr. Willenbring will continue to organize Soil Kitchen events, during which community members bring in soil samples from their yards and test them for metal contamination. If levels are high, she and her students provide information on how to mitigate the effects of having contaminated soil. She has held the events annually in Philadelphia since 2012 and will unveil a nationwide network of similar events in the coming years.

Using results from the soil testing, she and her students will use publicly available records of blood lead testing of Philadelphia's children to identify associations between soil lead and blood lead levels. She will test samples for beryllium to see if this metal is a problem in Philadelphia neighborhoods. She will also train sixth-grade earth science teachers in Philadelphia schools to engage students in lessons that relate community gardens, often planted at the schools, to the science of food, plants, soil and sustainability.



Jane Willenbring



### Class of 2016 Ivy Stone

The Class of 2016 Ivy Stone (above) was designed by Jesus Perez, C'16, and will be made from Vermont gray granite. The stone will be installed at the southeast corner of 37th Street and Locust Walk.

### Student Awards

#### Senior Honor Awards

\*Althea K. Hottel Shield Award: *Renata M. O'Donnell, C'16*

\*Gaylord P. Harnwell Flag Award: *Julie M. Bittar, C'16*

\*David R. Goddard Loving Cup Award: *Jane R. Meyer, C'16*

\*R. Jean Brownlee Skimmer Hat Award: *Mahalatchmi Subramaniam, W'16*

\*Spoon Award: *Robert C. Lundquist, C'16*

\*Bowl Award: *Jesus O. Perez, C'16*

\*Cane Award: *Chad R. Payne, W'16*

\*Spade Award: *Sebastian E. Negron-Reichard, C'16, W'16*

#### Leadership Awards

\*Association of Alumnae Fathers' Trophy: *Jennifer C. Hebert, C'16*

\*Class of 1915 Award: *Samuel H. Mattis, W'16*

\*James Howard Weiss Memorial Award: *David D. Lai, C'16*

\*Penn Student Agencies Award: *Laura C. Sorice, C'16*

\*Penn Alumni Student Awards of Merit: *Alexis E. Block, E'16; Guthrie M. Gintzler, E'16, W'16; Brad M. Hebert, C'16, W'16; Cheyenne R. Rogers, C'16; Amanda A. Russon-iello, W'16*

\*Sol Feinstone Undergraduate Awards: *Roderick M. Cook, C'16; Mabel Oviedo, C'16; Cheyenne R. Rogers, C'16; Sam Trinh, C'16*

James Brister Society Student Leadership Award: *Nicolas F. Garcia, C'16*

Association of Latino Alumni Student Leadership Award: *Diana C. Cabrera, C'16*

Association of Native Alumni Student Leadership Award: *Danielle M. Tiger, C'16*

Black Alumni Society Student Leadership Award: *Adebisi A. Ogunrinde, C'16, W'16*

University of Pennsylvania Asian Alumni Network Student Leadership Award: *Jin S. Kim, C'16*

Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Alumni Association Student Leadership Award: *Roderick M. Cook, C'16*

Trustees' Council of Penn Women Leadership Award: *Megan C. Yan, C'16, W'16*

William A. Levi Kite & Key Society Award for Service and Scholarship: *Brad M. Hebert, C'16, W'16*

**Note:** Awards marked with an asterisk (\*) were presented during the Ivy Day ceremony on May 14. The other awards were presented at different award ceremonies this semester.

### Penn Prize for Excellence in Teaching by Graduate Students

Earlier this month, ten Penn students received the Penn Prize for Excellence in Teaching by Graduate Students, which recognizes the profound impact of graduate students on undergraduate education at Penn. Nominations for this annual prize come directly from undergraduates.

The 2016 recipients are:

Richard Eisenberg, computer & information sciences

Ambar La Forgia, health care management & economics

Andrea Lloyd, Romance languages

Marcus Michelen, mathematics

Paul Mitchell, anthropology

Stan Najmr, chemistry

Kaitlin Kylie Pomerantz, fine arts

Lindsey Reuben, Romance languages

Rachel Stonecipher, communication

Sarah Wolf, chemistry



## Arthur Ross Gallery: Susan T. Marx Distinguished Lecture Series

The Arthur Ross Gallery is pleased to announce an important new initiative—the establishment of the Susan T. Marx Distinguished Lecture Series, which will feature a major and exciting figure (museum director, curator, gallery owner, artist) in the art world to address timely issues in the arts. Through this annual lecture series, Susan T. Marx, CW'66, and the Arthur Ross Gallery seek to inspire Penn students across disciplines to develop an interest in or a passion for art and to attract regional and national attention. This lecture series will bring prominence to the Arthur Ross Gallery and the University.

Funding for the Susan T. Marx Distinguished Lecture Series is provided by a gift of \$25,000 to the University of Pennsylvania from Ms. Marx to fund the series over the next five years. The lectures will be presented in the Gallery, followed by a reception. Invitations will be sent to Penn students, faculty, ARG donors, regional alumni, donors' guests and the greater Philadelphia and New York art communities.

Ms. Marx founded S.T. Marx + Associates in 1980 after working at a variety of non-profits, which included the Legal Aid Society and Recording for the Blind. Since that time, her company has raised millions of dollars from foundations, corporations and individuals for the benefit of social service, health, education and arts organizations.

She is a *cum laude* graduate of Penn and she attended New York University School of Law.

She serves on the Advisory Board of Penn's Field Center for Children's Policy, Practice and Research. Also in a volunteer capacity, she serves as president of the Penn Club of New York. She recently spearheaded a year-long celebration of the Club's 20th anniversary, with a successful membership drive, revitalization of programming and member benefits and a renewed sense of community.

She was chosen for membership in the Trustees' Council of Penn Women. She has been the Council's Fundraising Committee Chair and has chaired its Grants Committee as well. This Committee considers myriad requests and awards grants, which have made a lasting impact on student initiatives, faculty retention and the quality of life on campus.

She served as a longtime member of the Board of Women in Development, New York, and has facilitated its strategic planning retreat. She also served on the Board of Transfair, USA, an organization that works toward community empowerment for farmers and consumers in developing regions through fair trade product certification.

She received Penn's Alumni Award of Merit for her outstanding service—the highest honor bestowed by Penn Alumni.

In her spare time, she is an avid sculptor and stone carver.

In the fall of 2016 the Susan Marx Distinguished Lecture will focus on Penn's theme of the *Year of Discovery* and Penn's 2020 goal of impact and accessibility.

## Penn Museum's "Navajo Film Themselves" on June 11

In 1966, Annenberg School for Communication Professor Sol Worth collaborated with anthropologist John Adair and Penn graduate student Richard Chalfen on a project in Pine Springs, Arizona to create an experimental set of films made by Navajo people. Out of that research project came a series of seven Navajo-produced films, collectively known as "Navajo Film Themselves," as well as a now classic book by Professors Worth and Adair, *Through Navajo Eyes*.

The 50th Anniversary of "Navajo Film Themselves," a special film program at the Penn Museum on *Saturday, June 11*, from 5-7 p.m. in the Museum's Rainey Auditorium, will take a fresh look at the groundbreaking project, its history and its legacy half a century later. The evening will feature the premiere of a 1966 introduction to the project, created by Richard Chalfen, featuring new audio and archival photographs as well as original footage of the Navajo filmmakers at work. The program also will include a rare local screening of one of the original films, *A Navajo Silversmith* by John Nelson. Following the screenings there will be a Q & A period. For more information, visit: [www.penn.museum/](http://www.penn.museum/)

## Lynda.com: Now Available to All Penn Faculty and Staff

Information Systems & Computing is pleased to announce that Penn has entered into a new, expanded agreement with *Lynda.com*, an online video training service that provides instructional videos covering a wide range of software products, technologies and business topics. The new agreement now includes all Penn full-time and part-time faculty and staff.

With hundreds of course offerings and new courses added weekly, *Lynda.com* provides a convenient learning experience. Courses are designed for all learning levels and are often presented in three- to five-minute segments. Playlists make it easy to manage and customize your *Lynda.com* experience and bookmarks allow easy reference to favorite course sections. Access to *Lynda.com* is available 24/7 from your desktop or mobile device, allowing you to learn at your own pace and schedule.

Whether you're looking to brush up on existing skills, learn new skills or explore what's up and coming, ISC invites you to include *Lynda.com* as part of your professional development. To access *Lynda.com* at Penn, go to <http://lynda.upenn.edu> and authenticate via your PennKey and password.

For more information, visit Penn's *Lynda.com* service at <https://www.isc.upenn.edu/lyndacom>

## FY17 Parking Rates

Location	Annual	Monthly <sup>1</sup>	University Weekly <sup>1</sup>	HUP Bi-weekly <sup>1</sup>
Curie Boulevard and Penn Museum	\$2,259.00	\$188.23	\$47.06	\$94.12
Chancellor 32, Chestnut 34, Domus, Graduate Education, Health Sciences 51, Law, Lower Walnut, Ludlow 34, Medical School Courtyard, Nursing, Palestra, Penn Museum-Kress, Richards, Sansom 38, Sports Medicine, Spruce 38, Walnut 32, Walnut 38 and Walnut 40	\$2,153.00	\$179.39	\$44.85	\$89.70
Hollenback and River Fields	\$1,373.00	\$114.42	\$28.60	\$57.21
24 hour	\$2,666.00	\$222.14	\$55.53	\$111.07
Evening/Weekend	\$1,075.00	\$89.61	\$22.40	\$44.81
Motorcycle <sup>2</sup>	\$716.00	\$59.65	\$14.91	\$29.83

<sup>1</sup> Rates reflect the permit holder's payroll deduction.

<sup>2</sup> Pennsylvania law and the Philadelphia Traffic Code prohibit motor vehicles from driving or parking on sidewalks. Penn's Division of Public Safety reminds drivers that not only is this behavior illegal, it poses a safety hazard to those working within the buildings as well as to pedestrians using sidewalks.

Penn's Parking Services would like to thank its valued permit holders for their patronage at the University's parking facilities. As part of its ongoing commitment to invest in its campus lots and garages, Parking Services made significant facility improvements this past year. These enhancements focused on general maintenance, safety and security upgrades, and improving ingress and egress at lots and garages around campus. Some of the improvements included resurfacing, resealing and restriping several lots; adding a second exit lane to improve egress in one heavily trafficked garage; completing major renovations in two garages; installing a number of additional payment kiosks; and adding security cameras and upgrading lighting. In the coming year, Parking Services will continue to identify ways to continue these investments in support of your parking experience.

Effective *July 1, 2016*, these FY17 rates apply to faculty and staff of the University and the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania. These rate changes will be implemented in the July payroll.

### For more information:

Please contact Penn Parking Services if you have questions or would like additional information. You may do so by visiting [www.upenn.edu/parking](http://www.upenn.edu/parking), emailing [parking@upenn.edu](mailto:parking@upenn.edu) or visiting the Penn Transportation and Parking Office, Suite 447A, 3401 Walnut Street. Business hours are Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.



## Human Resources: Upcoming July & August Programs

### Professional and Personal Development

Improve your skills and get ahead in your career by taking advantage of the many development opportunities provided by Human Resources. You can register for programs by visiting [knowledgeink.upenn.edu](http://knowledgeink.upenn.edu) or contacting Learning and Education at (215) 898-3400.

**Resumes Brown Bag; 7/19; 12:30-1:30 p.m.** Resumes and cover letters are your tools to market yourself for your next position. Do you wonder how to create an effective, dynamic resume? Workshop topics will include effective resume styles and format. We'll discuss how to focus on the employer's needs instead of your own, how to use powerful assertions, how to inspire and excite the employer and buzzwords to include to catch the employer's attention.

**SMART Goals Brown Bag; 7/21; 12:30-1:30 p.m.** SMART is a handy acronym for the five characteristics of well-designed goals: Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Relevant and Time-bound. It's a simple tool used to go beyond the realm of fuzzy goal-setting into an actionable plan for results. Put yourself on the fast track to success by applying the SMART principles to every project or goal on your plate!

**STEP UP: Introduction; 8/2; 9 a.m.-noon; \$150 for 7-session program.** STEP UP is Penn's own unique pre-supervisory training program designed for those who are ready to make the move from staff member to first-line manager. Across seven half-day classroom sessions and seven on-line modules, you'll build a foundation of skills, tools and information that will help you excel in your career. Note: While the completion of STEP UP doesn't guarantee a promotion to a supervisory role at Penn, it will give you the skills you need to take your career to the next level.

**Accountability That Works Brown Bag; 8/2; 12:30-1:30 p.m.** Take charge of your actions and efforts to become more effective and promote better relationships throughout Penn. Join us for an engaging video and discussion that focuses on three basic concepts that make up the accountability model: responsibility, empowerment and accountability.

**How to Make Yourself Indispensable; 8/23; 12:30-1:30 p.m.** To be indispensable, employees need to be better than great. They need to perform with a mindset that drives them to think, act and

behave differently. In this brown bag, learn how to take ownership of your responsibilities and results, take initiative to go above and beyond what is expected of you, expand your sphere of influence, perform well under pressure, adapt to changing situations, be someone others want to work with, help others improve their performance and avoid being "irreplaceable"—locked into your role and unwilling to share your knowledge.

### Quality of Worklife Workshops

Dealing with the demands of work and your personal life can be challenging. These free workshops, sponsored by Human Resources and led by experts from Penn's Employee Assistance Program and Quality of Worklife Department, offer information and support for your personal and professional life challenges. For complete details and to register, visit [www.hr.upenn.edu/myhr/registration](http://www.hr.upenn.edu/myhr/registration) or contact Human Resources at (215) 573-2471 or [qowl@hr.upenn.edu](mailto:qowl@hr.upenn.edu)

**Guided Meditation—Take a Breath and Relax; 7/7, 7/17, 7/28, 8/11 & 8/23; 12:30-1:30 p.m.** Practice mindful breathing that focuses your attention on the present moment with kindness, compassion and awareness. Self-massage and gentle mindful movements that promote relaxation and reduce stress may also be included in the one-hour workshop. No experience necessary.

**The Power of Positive Thinking; 7/11; 12:30-1:30 p.m.** Positive thinking is more than being happy. Positive thoughts can help with handling stress at home and at work in a more constructive way. This session will provide steps and advice to identify and overcome negative thinking and focus on positive thinking.

**Time Management; 8/10; 12:30-1:30 p.m.** Each of us makes major decisions and reacts to important situations based on our perceptions of time and its value to us. This session will guide you through the hallmarks of quality time management, which include the ability to set reasonable time expectations and conservation strategies, knowledge of personal time perception strengths and weaknesses, sensitivity to time constraints and the ability to evaluate current goals based on them, and respect for your own time and valuing the time of others.

—Division of Human Resources

## Changes: Penn Travel Services

Penn Purchasing Services and Penn Travel Services are pleased to announce that after the completion of a collaborative request for proposal process that brought together representatives from various Schools and Centers, the University has renewed its contract with World Travel. The competitive bidding effort has resulted in several new changes in the travel management company's contract with Penn, including significantly reduced fees for booking travel, enhanced automation for ticketing, inclusion of an international specialist on World Travel's agent team, and the company's commitment to service level requirements that meet and exceed Penn's standards for excellence.

To learn more about the savings University departments will experience along with the travel assistance that World Travel offers Penn travelers, contact [travel@upenn.edu](mailto:travel@upenn.edu)

## Almanac Summer Schedule

With this issue, *Almanac* concludes Volume 62; Volume 63 will begin with the mid-summer issue on July 12. The deadline for that issue is July 1.

Weekly issues will resume with the August 23 issue. The deadline for that issue is August 15.

### AT PENN Deadlines

The Summer AT PENN calendar is online at [www.upenn.edu/almanac](http://www.upenn.edu/almanac). The deadline for the September AT PENN calendar is August 16.

Info is on the sponsoring department's website; sponsors are in parentheses. For locations, call (215) 898-5000 or see [www.facilities.upenn.edu](http://www.facilities.upenn.edu)

## Portable 3-Year Academic Calendar



Did you know that Penn's new 3-year academic calendar is available on *Almanac's* website, Penn's mobile website and as a PDF?

You can also get the calendar to sync with MS Outlook, Apple iCal, Google calendar and your mobile devices by visiting [www.upenn.edu/almanac/acacal.html](http://www.upenn.edu/almanac/acacal.html) and following the instructions from the link at the top of the page.

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## The University of Pennsylvania Police Department Community Crime Report

**About the Crime Report:** Below are all Crimes Against Persons or Crimes Against Society from the campus report for **May 16-22, 2016**. Also reported were 10 Crimes Against Property (5 thefts, 2 frauds, 1 auto theft, 1 other offense and 1 case of vandalism). Full reports are available at: [www.upenn.edu/almanac/volumes/v62/n36/crreport.html](http://www.upenn.edu/almanac/volumes/v62/n36/crreport.html) Prior weeks' reports are also online. —Eds.

This summary is prepared by the Division of Public Safety and includes all criminal incidents reported and made known to the University Police Department between the dates of **May 16-22, 2016**. The University Police actively patrol from Market Street to Baltimore Avenue and from the Schuylkill River to 43rd Street in conjunction with the Philadelphia Police. In this effort to provide you with a thorough and accurate report on public safety concerns, we hope that your increased awareness will lessen the opportunity for crime. For any concerns or suggestions regarding this report, please call the Division of Public Safety at (215) 898-4482.

05/20/16 11:39 AM 3929 Sansom St Complainant struck in face

### 18th District Report

Below are the Crimes Against Persons from the 18th District: 11 incidents with 2 arrests (5 robberies, 4 assaults and 2 domestic assaults) were reported between **May 16-22, 2016** by the 18th District covering the Schuylkill River to 49th Street & Market Street to Woodland Avenue.

05/16/16	6:16 PM	4539 Sansom St	Domestic Assault/Arrest
05/17/16	12:50 AM	3401 Civic Center Blvd	Assault
05/18/16	1:58 PM	500 S 48th St	Robbery (3 complainants)/Arrest
05/18/16	10:02 PM	4600 Spruce St	Robbery
05/18/16	10:08 PM	4400 Sansom St	Assault
05/18/16	10:26 PM	400 S 46th St	Assault
05/19/16	5:56 AM	4432 Ludlow St	Robbery
05/19/16	3:34 PM	237 S 49th St	Domestic Assault
05/20/16	1:41 PM	3929 Sansom St	Assault
05/21/16	9:06 PM	217 S 45th St	Robbery
05/22/16	2:08 AM	4522 Osage Ave	Robbery

Philadelphia International  
**Children's**  
 festival

The 2016 Philadelphia International Children's Festival will take place at the Annenberg Center on June 2-4, 2016 with circus, theatre, story-telling and music performances for the whole family. Plus, enjoy the free outdoor Fun Zone with crafts, activities and performances. The Children's Festival Fun Pass is good for a full day of fun on Saturday, June 4. Enjoy three shows, the Fun Zone and a free lunch for only \$25. It's the best way to experience the Children's Festival.

At the Fun Zone on the Outdoor Plaza, enjoy a host of engaging and hands-on activities for the whole family. Perfect for families and school groups, the Fun Zone offers face painting and crafts as well as a full schedule of performances. The Fun Zone will be open 9 a.m.-1 p.m. on weekdays and 9 a.m.-3 p.m. on Saturday. For tickets, see <http://www.annenbergcenter.org/>



*Playing By Air*

Back by popular demand, the beloved troupe *Playing By Air* returns with its unique blend of music, comedy, juggling and circus. These award-winning performers captivate audiences with their high-energy and breathtaking feats. *Playing By Air*'s infectious spirit of fun, humor and creativity inspires and encourages playfulness in us all. Recommended for all ages.

Thursday, June 2, 10 a.m. and noon  
 Friday, June 3, 10 a.m. and noon  
 Saturday, June 4, 12:30 p.m.

**Annual International Children's Festival at Annenberg Center: June 2-4**

Philadelphia's youth have a lot to say. Their eloquent and profound voices take center stage with the *Teen Voices of the City Ensemble*, or *T-VOCE*. Celebrate today's young people as they come together for an evening of choral music, spoken word and dance focusing on the impact of community and family. Art Sanctuary, Opera Philadelphia and Annenberg Center Live partnered to create *T-VOCE*, an ensemble that provides music education and performance opportunities for students whose high schools lack music programs. Come be inspired by the words, thoughts and talents of Philly youth.

Recommended for ages 13+.  
 Thursday, June 2, 7 p.m.

*Stories and Songs*

Charlotte Blake Alston

Tell me a story! For centuries, many cultures used stories to pass down beliefs, myths, history and values to generations. Master storyteller and host of the Philadelphia Orchestra's preschool concert series, *Charlotte Blake Alston* captivates audiences with stories and songs from the African and African-American oral traditions.

Recommended for all ages.  
 Thursday, June 2, 10 a.m. and noon  
 Friday, June 3, 10 a.m.  
 Saturday, June 4, 11:15 a.m. and 1:45 p.m.



Photo by Pat Redmond

*The Girl Who Forgot to Sing Badly*  
 by Finegan Kruckemeyer

Peggy O'Hegarty and her parents are packers who squeeze foxes into boxes and bikes into brown paper bags. In this fun-filled one-man show, ingenious Irish actor Louis Lovett takes the audience on an adventure through snowy lands and wild seas after Peggy discovers everyone in her city is gone. As she desperately tries to save the day, we learn about love, loss, the reassurance of goats and the courage to sing gloriously on or off-key. Recommended for ages 7+.

The U.S. tour of *The Girl Who Forgot to Sing Badly* is supported by Culture Ireland. This production was originally commissioned by The Ark, A Cultural Centre for Children, Ireland and produced by The Ark in association with Theatre Lovett.

Thursday, June 2, 10 a.m. and noon  
 Friday, June 3, 10 a.m. and noon  
 Saturday, June 4, 11:15 a.m. and 1:45 p.m.



*Catch Me! (Attrape-moi)*

Watch as *Flip FabriQue*, the new cool kids on the circus scene, flip, jump, spin and soar. Fun, fast-paced and fearless, these acrobats take athleticism and showmanship to new heights. From bouncing off balance beams to scaling a trampoline wall, *Catch Me!* features daring stunts in a circus sensation that's a treat for adults and children alike. Recommended for ages 6+.

Thursday, June 2, noon  
 Friday, June 3, noon  
 Saturday, June 4, 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.