

SWOSU College of Pharmacy Update Spring 2017

Faculty/Staff News

- Dr. Shelly Stockton was named Chair of the Pharmaceutical Sciences Department.
- Dr. Cheri Walker was selected to receive tenure and promotion to Associate Professor, which will become effective August 2017.

Student Related News

- In January, Kaili Givens, 4th year COP student, was the winner of the annual Patient Counseling Competition. This is the second year in a row that Kaili has won the local competition. Mande Davis and Sarah Johnston placed 2nd and 3rd, respectively.
- April 13th was the annual Kappa Epsilon (KE) v Faculty volleyball game. Congratulations to KE on their win!
- In March, KE held their annual “flocking” tradition to raise approximately \$2000.00 for the Relay for Life on March 31, 2017.
- In April, Kappa Psi hosted its annual golf tournament and raised \$2000.00 for St. Jude Children’s Hospital.
- On March 4, Drs. Drinnon and Stockton opened their Pharm Care labs for the annual Girl Scout STEM Meet. COP students taught the Girl Scouts how to fill a prescription and make hand sanitizer. COP students also assisted Dr. Lisa Appeddu in presenting to the Girl Scouts her Pharmacy Physiology workshop on reactions and reflexes, what those reactions and reflexes can tell us medically, and drugs which can promote or inhibit reactions and reflexes.
- In February, the COP student organization Fellowship of Christian Pharmacists (FCP) held their 3rd Sole Hope shoe cutting party. Thirty-five “shoes” were cut at this party. They also used milk cartons to cut out the heel of the shoe. FCP donated money for shipping costs and paying workers in Uganda to finish making the shoes and other costs associated with production.
- In February, CVS representatives, Lorene Wheeler and James Kirk visited with P1 students to discuss internship opportunities, other opportunities such as the Spanish Immersion experience, and to provide information about CVS. CVS kindly provided food to the students.
- In February, Dr. Margaret Ramos spoke at a student Oklahoma Society of Health System Pharmacists (OSHP) chapter meeting discussing hospital pharmacy practice and sharing the many opportunities a pharmacist has to apply his or her knowledge in this setting.
- On April 4th, the student OSHP chapter hosted a residency panel informational meeting, which was open to all pharmacy students. There were 6 pharmacy residents from across the state and more than 40 students in attendance. This meeting provided a forum for

students to learn more about residencies and make themselves more competitive in the application process.

- On March 21st, American Pharmacist Association-Academy of Stu. Pharm. (APhA-ASP) hosted a meeting with guest speaker Debra Billingsley, who is the Executive Director of OPhA.
- On April 5th, APhA-ASP hosted a meeting with guest speaker Rebecca Segrest, a nuclear pharmacist.
- On April 3rd, National Community Pharmacists Association (NCPA) hosted a meeting with guest speaker Bindhu Batra from PCCA (Professional Compounding Centers of America) in Houston. Batra spoke about what they can do to help independent pharmacies as well as student opportunities with them.
- April 13th, KE hosted their annual pancake supper fundraiser at the Church of Christ. Approximately \$150.00 was raised for the Ronald McDonald House.
- On March 20th, Phi Lambda Sigma (PLS) hosted their Leadership Seminar. This year's speaker was Dr. Tami Moser, professor of pharmacy administration.
- On April 10th, Rho Chi/OSHP hosted their annual Quiz Bowl.

Profile of Spring 2017 Class

From the 69 qualified applicants, 35 were selected. The spring 2017 class is 49% male and 51% female. The mean age is 22.11 years old. The spring 2017 class has a mean GPA of 3.40, a mean ACT of 25.14, and an average composite PCAT of 56.57%.

Research News/Publications

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Program News

- Remodeling of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd floors in the COP building's east wing is scheduled to begin June 1.
- The Southwestern Pharmacy Foundation fundraiser raffle for a 2016 Polaris Sportsman 450 4x4 ATV raised \$11, 925 for students participating in the 2017 Panama Medical Mission trip May 13-19, 2017.
- The Rural Health Center partnered with the SWOSU Wellness Committee to offer free medication reviews for SWOSU employees.
- For 2017-18, SWOSU-Walgreen Co. PGY1 Community Pharmacy Residency program matched with Dr. Rebecca Pettet from Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine in Bradenton, FL. She will start July 5, 2017.
- Six new scholarships were established in the spring of 2017, including...
 - The Scott Holder Memorial Scholarship was established by friends and family of Scott, a 2008 graduate of the College of Pharmacy. Scott, originally from Buffalo, was the pharmacist at the Fairview Pharmacy in Fairview.
 - The Mike Kidd Memorial Scholarship was established by friends and family of Mike, a 1978 graduate of the College of Pharmacy. Mike was the pharmacist at the Kidd Drug & Gift in Fairview.
 - The Nathaniel P. Monaghan Memorial Scholarship was established by his parents, Sean and Christina (2006 pharmacy grad) and sister, Cecilia, of Wichita (KS). They created the scholarship in memory of their son, Nathaniel, to help make others' lives a little easier as they pursue their pharmacy education.
 - The Warden Family Scholarship was established by David Warden (1979 graduate) of Norman, a Southwestern Pharmacy Alumni Foundation Board member as well as Pharmacy Alumni Association Council member; his son David

Warden, Jr. (2009 pharmacy graduate) of Norman; and niece, Jeanna Warden Smith (2013 pharmacy graduate) of Weatherford.

- The Key Family Scholarship was established by SWOSU College of Pharmacy graduates, Zak (2014) and Amanda (2014) Key of Enid. Zak is a clinical pharmacist as well as the new oncology pharmacist at Integris Bass Baptist Health Center in Enid and Amanda is a staff pharmacist at Walgreens in Enid. Both Zak and Amanda were involved in numerous pharmacy student organizations and were also scholarship recipients as pharmacy students at SWOSU. They indicated paying it forward to more students was their reason in establishing the scholarship.
- Six COP students matched with a PGY1 pharmacy residency program, and three recent graduates matched with a PGY2 program for 2017-18.
- On April 14, 2017, the College of Pharmacy awarded 99 scholarships and grants to first, second, and third professional year students during the White Coat Ceremony in the Fine Arts Center on the campus of Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford.

Spring 2017 Calendar of Events

- January 2 - Campus Closed
- January 9 - Spring 2016 semester classes begin
- January 16 - SWOSU Campus Closed
- February 16 - Pharmacy Job Interview Day
- March 13-17 - Campus Closed for Spring Break
- March 27-28 – Research Day at the Capitol
- April 1-2 – CE Seminar, Weatherford
- April 14 - Awards & Honors and White Coat Ceremony
- May 5 - College of Pharmacy Graduate Recognition Ceremony and Convocation
- May 29 - Campus Closed
- May 13-19 – Panama Medical Mission Trip

Fall 2017 Calendar of Events

- August 15 - 2017 SWOSU/OU Annual Preceptor Conference
- August 21 – Classes begin
- September 4 – Campus Closed
- September 30 – Parent’s Day
- October 7-8 – CE Seminar, Tulsa
- October 19-20 – Fall Break/Campus Closed
- November 4 – SWOSU Homecoming
- November 11-12 – CE Seminar, OKC
- November 22-24 – Thanksgiving Break/Campus Closed
- December 15 – Semester Break begins
- December 19 – Semester Ends
- December 25 - January 1 – Campus Closed
- January 8 – Spring 2018 semester begins