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### ***A Note from the Dean...***

Greetings and happy summer to our UWF Emerald Coast community! Having just completed our Spring semester, many of you have already begun your summer session studies. Note that some of our services like the EC bookstore and cashier's office hours are adjusted for summer and these are described elsewhere in this newsletter. It would probably be wise for you to call our office before making a trip to one of our locations to make sure that the service you need is available at the time that is convenient to you.

Summer schedules do not affect our administrative and advising offices so please visit or call if you need us.

Also be sure to watch *Explore University of West Florida Emerald Coast* on Cox Channel 6 every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 3:00 p.m.; and also on Mondays at 8:00 p.m., Saturdays at 5:30 p.m., and Sundays at 8:30 a.m. *Explore University of West Florida Emerald Coast* showcases different programs within the university and includes important information about each program. This month's show features Dr. Kathrine Johnson, Director of our Criminal Justice program. Also joining us will be Shelby Duncan Vaughn, a Forensic Investigator, and Matthew Abbott, an Okaloosa Deputy Sheriff; both are University of West Florida Alumni.

If you are interested in watching previous shows, each one will be available on Cox OnDemand one to two weeks after the taping. Shows will be available OnDemand for up to 90 days. Simply tune to Channel 1, Choose Free Zone, Cox 2 and 6 Local and Education Shows.

Enjoy your summer and we look forward to beginning a new academic year in the fall.

*Best of luck to you in your endeavors!*

*John F. Azzaretto  
Vice Provost and Dean  
UWF Emerald Coast*



### ***Academic Advising Service Offered***

Advisors are available at all Emerald Coast locations to assist students with a variety of services:

Admission  
General Studies Advising  
SASS Audit review  
Class scheduling and registration  
Major/Minor changes  
Transient student letters  
Graduation applications  
Name and Address changes  
General Academic Questions Problem Solving

We look forward to serving you at any of our Emerald Coast locations. Appointments preferred but walk-ins are welcome.

#### **Fort Walton Beach Campus**

Building 2, Room 201  
P: (850) 863-6569

#### **W.E. Combs Campus**

Building 1, Room 1001  
P: (850) 833-3226

#### **REEF (Appointments only)**

Contact: Dr. Tom Gilbar, Engineering  
P: (850) 863-0716 E: [tgilbar@uwf.edu](mailto:tgilbar@uwf.edu)

#### **Eglin Air Force Base Center**

Building 251, Room 127  
P: (850) 678-3727

#### **Hurlburt Field Office**

221 Lukasik Avenue, Building 90220  
P: (850) 884-2723

#### **Crestview**

Chamber of Commerce  
1447 Commerce Drive  
Available 1st and 3rd Tuesday every month.  
P: (850) 682-3212 or (850) 833-3968

### ***Bookstore Employment - Fall 2010***

The University of West Florida- Emerald Coast Bookstore is currently taking applications for the Fall 2010 Term. Applications can be picked up at the bookstore location, Building 2-Room 209. All applicants please attach a copy of your Summer 2010 and Fall 2010 class schedule with the application. For any questions or additional information, feel free to call (850) 863-0760 or e-mail [1017mgr@fhcg.follett.com](mailto:1017mgr@fhcg.follett.com).

### ***Cashier's Office Summer Hours***

Effective Monday, June 7, 2010, the summer cashier operating hours at the Fort Walton Beach Campus will be as follows:

Monday through Thursday: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Friday: 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

### ***Emerald Coast Bookstore Hours***

Starting Monday May 24th and continuing until Friday June 18th, The University of West Florida Emerald Coast Bookstore will be open only Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For any textbook-related needs on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays during this time, students should contact 850-473-7055.

For the week of June 21st through 24th the bookstore will be open 10:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 10:00 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Friday.

The following week of June 28th through July 2nd, the store hours will return to only Wednesdays and Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. to 5 p.m.



### ***Academic Technology***

Need help with eLearning? Faculty can schedule an appointment to get assistance with: Online Course Design, Desire2Learn (D2L), UWF's online Learning Management System, Elluminate Live!, and other instructional related technologies.

For more information, contact Cindy Mersereau, [cmersereau@uwf.edu](mailto:cmersereau@uwf.edu) or (850) 833-3989 Combs Campus in FWB, (850) 474-3291 Pensacola Campus.

She can meet with you at her office on the Combs campus (Bldg. 4, Rm. 4002a), the office on the Pensacola Campus (Bldg. 77, Rm. 138b), online in Elluminate, or at your office. Remember to visit the ATC website at <http://uwf.edu/atc>, for more information, resources and a calendar of events related to online learning and instruction.

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FOR CAREER APPOINTMENTS CALL 850-863-6575  
FOR COUNSELING APPOINTMENTS CALL 1-866-258-4378 EXT. 2420**

### ***TeCMEN Partners with UWF***

The Okaloosa County EDC partners with the University of West Florida and the Workforce Board of Okaloosa and Walton Counties in support of TeCMEN Training Programs.

The Okaloosa County EDC and the University of West Florida (UWF) are committed to supporting efforts to expand information technology, manufacturing, and engineering related industries.

Most recently, UWF partnered with the EDC's Technology Coast Manufacturing and Engineering Network (TeCMEN) to expand program offerings to include management training for technical employees. TeCMEN, a group established by the Economic Development Council of Okaloosa County to support the county's technology-based business community, won a competitive grant award from Florida's Great Northwest to provide training for 45 workers at TeCMEN's member companies. The EDC earned this award after conducting a skills needs assessment which identified additional training required in Project Management and Supervision. Member companies participating in the training include InDyne, General Dynamics, Fort Walton Machining, GSC Systems, Inc., COLSA Corporation, Innoventor, L3 Communications/Crestview Aerospace, TSL, Advanced Concepts Enterprises, Inc., and J&P Khamken.

TeCMEN training for incumbent workers is a true collaborative effort between the EDC, UWF, and the Workforce Development Board of Okaloosa and Walton Counties, Florida's Great Northwest and the Economic Development Council serving Okaloosa County. The overwhelming response received from TeCMEN participants is a testament to the value these training initiatives provide through improved proficiency and the ability to expand local business presence.



## Summer Reading

New Paperbacks at Emerald Coast Library

From bestsellers to recent award winners, the Emerald Coast Library recently ordered 122 new paperbacks and will be making them available for you to check out by early June. Come get your summer reading on!

New books include:

*Bank on Yourself* by Pamela Yellen

*The Blind Side* by Michael Lewis

*Brisingsr* by Christopher Paolini

*The 8th Confession* by James Patterson

*Einstein's God* by Krista Tippett

*Just Take My Heart* by Mary Higgins Clark

*Little Bee* by Chris Cleave

*Mercy* by Toni Morrison

*Push by Sapphire* (source of the movie Precious)

*Suze Orman's Action Plan* by Suze Orman

... and many more!

Paul Williford, the Emerald Coast Librarian, is always happy to assist you. Contact him at [williford@uwf.edu](mailto:williford@uwf.edu) or (850) 863-6577.

## Statewide Job Fair

Thirty-two students and recent alumni attended the Statewide Job Fair at the University of Central Florida campus in Orlando on May 13, 2010. Ninety employers attended the fair, which is one of the largest in the state.

Through funding provided by the Student Government Association and Career Services, participants traveled by charter bus from the Pensacola and Fort Walton Beach campuses to Orlando and stayed the night at a local hotel on May 12, 2010 in order to be ready for the fair the next day. The fair was held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. After the fair participants boarded the bus and returned to the FWB and Pensacola campuses. It was a quick trip, however, it provided great networking and even some interviews for our students and alumni!



## Let Us Hear from You!

We are interested in your feedback. Send comments and article submissions to [emeraldcoast@uwf.edu](mailto:emeraldcoast@uwf.edu) or call 850-863-6568.

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### FEATURING:

General Academic Advising and Student Registration  
Appointments and Walk-ins Available  
1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month from 8:30 am - 5 pm



FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:  
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