News Updates

**MSU enrollment still climbing as Mizzou starts to bounce back**
Springfield News-Leader - May 6, 2018
Three years after racially charged protests erupted on the University of Missouri’s main campus, enrollment is starting to bounce back.

**University of Missouri Sees Climb in Freshman Enrollment**
US News & World Report - May 4, 2018
University of Missouri enrollment for the incoming freshman class is up more than 14 percent from this time last year, according to the university.

**MU looking for firm to guide Translational Precision Medicine Complex**
Columbia Daily Tribune - May 4, 2018
The University of Missouri is in a hurry to find a consulting firm that can guide its top priority construction project, the Translational Precision Medicine Complex, expected to cost $150 million to $200 million.

**University of Missouri removes student after sexual assault report**
KCTV - May 4, 2018
University of Missouri officials have removed a student from the campus after receiving a report of a sexual assault in a residence hall.

**MU: Student barred from campus after sexual assault report**
Columbia Tribune - May 4, 2018
University of Missouri officials said Friday that they had removed a student from campus after reports of a sexual assault in a residence hall, but did not disclose other details, citing legal restrictions.

**The story of a boy with cerebral palsy who threw out the first pitch at a Mizzou game**
Kansas City Star - May 4, 2018
Hunter Brown, wearing a custom Mizzou baseball jersey that had his last name on the back, would throw out the first pitch before Missouri’s game against Georgia on Friday night.
At 100, my mom had dementia and needed hospice care. Getting it was nearly impossible.
Washington Post – May 5, 2018
“That is psychologically crazy, and financially crazy for families, and it’s a bigger battle than just a policy battle,” said Debbie Parker-Oliver, a professor of family medicine at the University of Missouri School of Medicine.

Latest Greitens report could help settle important impeachment question
Columbia Daily Tribune – May 5, 2018
University of Missouri law professor Frank Bowman, who has written extensively on the legal grounds for impeachment in a blog, doesn’t think impeachment requires an act while in office.

’Extremely complex’ sex offender residency restrictions are challenging to enforce
Columbia Missourian – May 6, 2018
Ben Trachtenberg, associate professor of law at the University of Missouri, said the state’s retrospective clause differs from the similar clause in the federal Constitution.

ROTC students continue centuries-old tradition in joint services ceremony
Columbia Missourian – May 4, 2018
More than 250 cadets from the Army, Air Force, Navy and Marine ROTC programs gathered on the University of Missouri’s Francis Quadrangle Friday morning for the ROTC Joint Services pass in review ceremony.

Extension hiring, focusing on community links
St. Joseph News-Press – May 6, 2018
University of Missouri Extension has unveiled ambitious plans to increase its community partnerships across the region and add to its repertoire of specialized personnel.

President Choi and Chancellor Cartwright give updates on budget cuts, faculty retention, cost of attendance
The Maneater - May 4, 2018
University of Missouri System President Mun Choi and MU Chancellor Alexander Cartwright convened for a town hall meeting at the Reynolds Alumni Center on Tuesday.

University of Missouri-Kansas City

UMKC Faculty Receive President’s Awards*
UMKC Today – May 4, 2018
On behalf of University of Missouri System President Mun Choi, UMKC Interim Chancellor Barbara A. Bichelmeyer awarded three University of Missouri System President’s Awards

Meet The KC Couple That Presides Over Court — ‘Couples Court’
KCUR – May 2, 2018
Dana Tippin Cutler and Keith Cutler, both UMKC School of Law alumni, aren’t your typical Kansas City couple. The two practicing lawyers are the hosts of “Couples Court with the Cutlers,” a reality TV show. Dana is the 2018 UMKC Alumni Achievement Awardee and Keith was the 2008 Alumni Achievement Awardee.
Wayne Vaught, *UMKC* College of Arts and Sciences dean and professor of philosophy, medicine and bioethics; and Clancy Martin, *UMKC* professor of philosophy, were interviewed.

**UMKC legislative representative talks budget, tuition**
University News – May 3, 2018
According to Brandon Henderson, the student representative for *UMKC* in Jefferson City, legislatures are trying to help students get more scholarships.

**Missouri University of Science and Technology**

**Big second day leads Miners to GLVC men's track & field title**
The Rolla Daily News - May 5, 2018
ROMEOVILLE, Ill. – *Missouri S&T’s* men’s team followed up its solid first day showing at the Great Lakes Valley Conference Outdoor Track & Field Championships with an even better second day, as it held off a late surge by Indianapolis to capture its first conference championship since 2015.
*This story also appeared in the Phelps County Focus.*

**Pingel earns Doe Run scholarship to MAC**
Park Hills Daily Journal - May 4, 2018
Outside of school, [Brendan] Pingel is an Eagle Scout from Troop 967. He will graduate from MAC in Spring 2019, and hopes to continue his education at *Missouri University of Science and Technology* (Missouri S&T) to obtain a degree in mechanical engineering.

**Students to compete in international competition**
Waynesville Daily Guide - May 5, 2018
A team of *Missouri University of Science and Technology* students will test its Formula 1-style racecar against other universities at the Michigan International Speedway as part of the Formula SAE Michigan competition.

**Missouri S&T students help fight fires and protect firefighters**
Waynesville Daily Guide - May 4, 2018
As a part of a senior design project, four *Missouri University of Science and Technology* students have created a temperature-reading device for firefighters that could save their lives in the future.

**University of North Texas dean to lead Missouri S&T research and graduate studies**
Phelps County Focus - May 4, 2018
Dr. Costas Tsatsoulis, dean of the College of Engineering at the University of North Texas in Denton, will become vice chancellor of research and dean of graduate studies at *Missouri University of Science and Technology* effective Sept. 4.
University of Missouri-St. Louis

Advanced Credit Program earns reaccreditation from national alliance*
UMSL Daily - May 4, 2018
The National Alliance of Concurrent Enrollment Partnerships has granted reaccreditation to the Advanced Credit Program at the University of Missouri-St. Louis.

Four students at Western Illinois University test positive for mumps
Belleville News-Democrat - May 4, 2018
According to the federal Centers for Disease Control, most current U.S. outbreaks of mumps have occurred on college campuses. The University of Missouri in Columbia had an outbreak in 2016 of more than 228 cases, and more were confirmed in September at the University of Missouri-St. Louis.

Tom Eschen to retire from Maryville University
St. Louis Business Journal - May 4, 2018
Prior to his time at Maryville, Eschen served as vice chancellor for advancement at the University of Missouri-St. Louis for three years. He also served as assistant vice chancellor at Washington University for 13 years.

May 4, 1970: The night Washington U. became a flashpoint in the Vietnam War protests
St. Louis Post-Dispatch - May 4, 2018
Later that day, student boycotts swept area campuses. At the University of Missouri St. Louis, a student sprayed demonstrators with her personal tear-gas canister. Police battled rioters at the Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.

The Chronicle of Higher Education

These Nepali Students Saw Their Scholarships Fall Through. Then Came Hope, Doubt, and 'Admissions Hunger Games.'
The Chronicle of Higher Education - May 6, 2018
“I don’t have any moods for anything,” he wrote to The Chronicle late last week. “My mind is always occupied with what shall I do.”

*Story generated by efforts of the university’s PR team.