Dear Alumni and Friends:

Another year has passed and I am proud to report the College of Education Alumni Chapter is getting bigger and better. Membership is growing with each new graduating class, and with the outstanding college rankings more and more alumni are eager to hear about what we are doing and to become involved.

It’s hard to believe that this is the fifth issue of Endavors. Its success and popularity has led to a decision to publish it more frequently, in part because we have so much news to share—just keep sending in your “Class Notes” information. We love to hear from you.

Many exciting activities have been planned for the upcoming year, including the annual College of Education Alumni Award Ceremony scheduled for November 18, and another gathering of Baltimore area alumni set for March 3 at the National Aquarium. We also plan to be part of Terrapin Pride Day being held in Annapolis at the Capitol on February 15, and we will be part of the Maryland Day festivities next April.

Many of our alumni attend these events and have found them to be a wonderful opportunity to reconnect with their alma mater. In fact, our annual awards ceremony last November was attended by more than 150 alumni, family and friends. We are honoring 14 distinguished alumni at the upcoming ceremony, perhaps you might know someone we have chosen to honor. If you know any of this year’s recipients (see the announcement of this year’s honorees on this page), I encourage you to come and join us at this wonderful celebration of our outstanding alumni.

I am sure by now you are aware of the building of the new Riggs Alumni Center next to Byrd Stadium. It is a very impressive building and was designed by a former alum. The center is scheduled to open in February 2009.

This is the first time our university has had such a special alumni center and it is one of the exciting things happening with our alumni chapter. In the near future, the College of Education Alumni Association will be announcing the winner of our annual alumni awards ceremony.

Homecoming weekend events are planned for October 14-17. I encourage you to visit the University of Maryland Alumni Association website for details www.alumni.umd.edu.

I’m happily anticipating another busy year, and I encourage you to look through our calendar events and to become involved. More and more alumni are eager to hear about what we are doing and to become involved.

Jean Mullan
President, College of Education Alumni Chapter

Outstanding Alumni to be Honored November 18 at Awards Ceremony

A part of the American Education Week this November, the College of Education and its Alumni Chapter Board of Directors will host a dinner and ceremony to recognize fourteen distinguished alumni for their achievements in the field of education.

The college’s ceremony, Celebrating Education: A Tribute to Teaching and Learning, will take place from 5:30 to 9 p.m. on November 18 at the University of Maryland Inn and Conference Center. The Alumni Awards will be presented by the president of the College of Education Alumni Chapter, Jean Mullan, along with the Dean of the College, Edna Motz Sereymaki. The honorees are:

Outstanding Leader in Education

Edna May Meserov, M.A., ’49 and Ph.D., ’61

Outstanding Leader in Education

Timothy C. Mutzio, M.A., ’75 and Ph.D., ’80

Outstanding Professional in Education

Patricia J. Jamieson, M.Ed., ’72 and Ph.D., ’81

Outstanding Professional in Education

Mary Batcha, B.A., ’72 and Ph.D., ’86

Outstanding Professional in Education

Ronald Steven Honberg, J.D., M.Ed., ’83

Outstanding Professional in Education


Outstanding Scholar in Education

Terence J. G. Tracey, Ph.D., ’81

Outstanding Scholar in Education

Marita Dunck, M.Ed., ’74 and Ph.D., ’79

Outstanding Scholar in Education

Janice Field Almas, M.Ed., ’89 and Ph.D., ’93

Distinguished Service to the College of Education

Charles Beatty* (Ph.D., ’67 – Ohio State)
Mary Ann Beatty, Ph.D., ’92

*Deceased September 2004

Alumni Entrepreneur of the Year

Jane West, Ph.D., ’88

Outstanding New Scholar in Education

Jacqueline Leonard, Ph.D., ’97

Outstanding New Professional in Education

Alicia Ardil-Rey, M.Ed., ’97 and Ph.D., ’02

Alumni Teacher of the Year

Phillip O’Dell, B.S., ’76
(M.A., ’99 – Western Maryland)

A complete biography on each recipient can be found at www.education.umd.edu. The cost to attend is $25 per person.

To RSVP contact Leslie Brice, 301.405.0903 or send an email to: bricej@umd.edu Deadline for reservations is November 12.

First Annual Distinguished Lecturer Series Kicks Off with October 28 Talk by Professor Nancy K. Schlossberg, Professor Emeritus

A adults reach different stages in their lives, they are faced with an array of challenges and transitions which can often lead to feelings of being overwhelmed and confused. Nancy K. Schlossberg, Ed.D., an expert in the areas of adult transitions, career development, adults as learners, and inter-generational relationships, will address these challenges and discuss managing change at the October 28 inaugural presentation of the First Annual Distinguished Lecturer Series by the Department of Counseling and Personnel Services.

The lecture, titled: Transitions—Challenges and Bridges through Life, begins at 3 p.m. at the University of Maryland Golf Course Clubhouse. It will be followed by a 4 p.m. reception and book-signing. The Schlossberg presentation kicks off a new annual lecture series being launched by the department to highlight distinguished scholars and practitioners from the counseling and psychology fields.

“Dr. Schlossberg was an inaugural speaker in our new Distinguished Lecturer Series,” said Dennis Kielghan, Jr., chair of the Department of Counseling and Personnel Services. “Her noteworthy career at the university as well as her scholarship is a credit to the department, our college and the University of Maryland. We are looking forward to welcoming her back to the campus.”

Schlossberg is professor emeritus from the College of Education and a University of Maryland Distinguished Scholar. The author of several books, she is also the president of a consulting group, TransitionsWorks. Before coming to the university she served on the faculty of Wayne State University, Howard University, and the Pratt Institute. She was the first woman executive at the American Council of Education (ACE), where the established the Office of Women in Higher Education in 1973. She has appeared on PBS’ the Diane Rehm Show, the Today Show, Fox News, the NBC Evening News, PBS This Morning, the NBC Knowledge Series, and two PBS-College Board live video-conferences.

She also served in leadership positions in academic and civic organizations, and is the recipient of several awards, including the Walter Storey Career Development Professional Award of the American Society for Training and Development, and has been honored by the National Career Development Association, the American College Personnel Association, and the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators and the American College Personnel Association. A complete biography of Schlossberg can be found on the College’s web site www.counseling- personnel.umd.edu.

The First Annual Distinguished Lecturer Series featuring Professor Schlossberg is free and open to all. To attend please RSVP by contacting Betty Bowers at 301.405.6825 or via email at: Bowers@umd.edu.
**A Message from the Dean:**

At this writing, I am now into my sixty-ninth year as dean. We are ranked among the top programs in the nation, with nine programs in the top 20 and five programs in the top 10. We have had a number of great alumni, without whom we could not have survived the periodic hardships of the past several years, considerably better at its work. The college has been good at its work. The college has become a national leader in several disciplines and assembled a comprehensive briefing book with one-page summaries of our top-funded projects and abstracts of our top-funded research projects. The chair of our Board of Visitors, Raymond "Buzz" Bartlett, joined with William "Bud" Thomas to weave the presentations, lunch program, and discussion into a cohesive overview of our college. Thomas, vice president of student affairs emeritus of the university, closed the briefing with insightful commentary that I have shared with many students in my column here.

- Well enough to have survived periodic hardships when others did not.
- Well enough to have accomplished new and expanded missions and exciting new research, when others were competing with our successes.
- Well enough to have experienced more than a few moments of grand achievement and distinguished recognition, when many could only dream of such moments.
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- Well enough to have accomplished much without failtering...even under difficult circumstances.

What of all this? Simply stated, we have a better understanding of the work of the college...today we will help to get us in the same image. We are now better equipped to move the mission and agenda of the college in the future. That said, serving for the past few years as a part-time consultant and occasional project facilitator for the dean, as well as a long-time observer of the college's fortunes, is my observation that the College of Education, in this time in its long history, is alive and well...even under difficult circumstances.

**Edna Mora Szymanski, Dean of the College of Education**

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**College Moves up in U.S. News Rankings to 20th in Nation**

Readings released this spring by U.S. News & World Report showed the University of Maryland College of Education moved up to rank 20th in the nation, with the Department of Counseling and Personnel Services retaining its number one ranking for the 48th consecutive year. “Over the past years, our college ranking has steadily increased,” said Dean Edna Mora Szymanski. “This is a strong reflection of the quality and productivity of our excellent faculty, staff, and students.”

This year’s edition of the “Best Graduate Schools” by U.S. News ranked the college within the top 20 in eight out of 10 education specialties, as well as our allied health specialty (rehabilitation counseling, last ranked in 2003). Of these nine top 20 rankings, five programs are ranked within the top 10 in the nation. The college has more top-20 ranked programs than any other college on campus.

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**Silver and Gold Anniversary Celebration Honors Graduates from 1979 and 2004 on May 21**

As part of our continuing efforts to strengthen our reach and influence with stakeholders, we assembled some of our top faculty to continue the work of the college...today we will help to get us all on the brink of greatness.

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**Two College Faculty Recognized with Regents’ Awards**

Two College of Education professors were honored in April with University System of Maryland Regents’ Faculty Awards for 2014. This award is the highest honor the Board of Regents bestows to recognize exemplary faculty achievement.

- Peter E. Leone, Ph.D., Department of Special Education, was recognized for Excellence in Research. Leone specializes in behavior disorders with service to troubled youth, as well as field-based research that examines the multi-dimensional problems associated with behavior disorders. His research interests focus on program environments for troubled youth, educational entitlements of incarcerated youth, and policy studies. Leone is the director of the National Center on Education, Disability, and Juvenile Justice (EDJJ)—a research, training and technical assistance project funded with a multi-year $3 million grant from the U.S. Department of Education and the U.S. Department of Justice.

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**Silver and Gold Anniversary Group Photo, May 21 2004.**


Bottom row, left to right: June E. Hoxis, Marilyn M. Schriver, David B. Chase, Julianne K. Ferris, Christina A. Courtois, Pamela A. Spangle, Dana F. Kennedy.

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College of Education, Senate, Honored Six Faculty and Staff at New Awards Ceremony

The University of Maryland’s College of Education honored six of its faculty and staff during its First Annual Awards Ceremony held on May 14. The awards ceremony, which took place in 0220 Benjamin, was preceded by a college-wide celebration brunch for the awardees.

**SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**
Robert W. Lent, Ph.D.
Professor
Department of Counseling and Personnel Services

**TEACHING AWARD**
Gregory R. Hancock, Ph.D.
Professor
Department of Measurement, Statistics and Evaluation

**SERVICE AWARD**
Hanne R. Mowhiman, Ph.D.
Associate Professor
Department of Education Policy and Leadership

**EXCEPTIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE COLLEGE – EXEMPT STAFF AWARD**
Kathleen A. Angeliotti, Ph.D.
Assistant Dean
Office of Student Services

**EXCEPTIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE COLLEGE – NON-EXEMPT STAFF AWARD**
William O. Strein, D.Ed.
Professor
Department of Measurement, Statistics and Evaluation

According to William G. Holliday, chair of the College Senate, the six honorees were chosen by unanimous vote of the College of Education Awards Committee: The Committee, chaired by Jing Lin, Department of Education Policy and Leadership, established the awards programs, determined the criteria, and accepted nominations and supporting materials. (See awards criteria at www.education.umd.edu.)

“We expect this college-wide awards ceremony will be the first in a tradition we will establish to formally recognize the outstanding contributions of our faculty and staff,” said Edna Morra Szymanski, Dean of the College. “We are a top-ranked college of education because we have a dedicated faculty and talented professional staff that serve our students, our college, and the university community.”

For more information on the College of Education Senate or the Awards Ceremony, contact William G. Holliday, Senate Chair, 301.405.3145, or via email: holliday@umd.edu.

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Two-day Symposium on Minority Achievement Features Presentation by Alumnus William Tate

A two-day research symposium hosted by the Maryland Institute for Minority Achievement and Urban Education, with funding from the National Science Foundation, focused on ways of optimizing mathematics achievement for minority learners. “Optimizing Mathematical Achievement for At-Risk Students” was the theme for the symposium, which was held September 23-24 at the University Inn and Conference Center.

The four keynote speakers for the symposium were Patricia F. Campbell, University of Maryland, Ronald F. Ferguson, Harvard University; Danny B. Martin, University of Illinois; and William Tate, Washington University in St. Louis. Tate is an alumnus of the College of Education at the University of Maryland. His research interests are cross-cultural, cultural history of childhood, youth and family values.

The goal of the event was to “stimulate and encourage a new group of researchers to take a direct and active role in finding solutions to the problems of underachievement,” said Martin L. Johnson, associate dean for Urban and Minority Education and director of the institute. “Underachievement continues to be well identified within the minority student population.”

Nearly 100 graduate and undergraduate students and their professors from across the nation attended the event, which will be held again next year, Johnson said, thanks to a second-year grant from the National Science Foundation, focused on optimizing minority achievement in science.

Summaries of research from each speaker’s area of expertise were presented with topics that represent different aspects and complexities of urban schooling. Among the areas examined were teachers and teaching, curriculum and curriculum reform, classroom culture, and student expectations.

Participants formed working groups to explore current research to identify factors impacting mathematics achievement of minority students, identify the research needed to inform policy-makers, practitioners, and curriculum developers, and develop a research agenda.

All of the conference presentations, along with statements of research interests from the participants, will be posted on the institute’s website, www.education.umd.edu.

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The University of Maryland College of Education ranks 20th in the nation. Our future is bright with progress and prestige. There’s a way that you can help today.

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For more information or a no-obligation gift annuity illustration tailored to your age and circumstances, contact Darcelle H. Wilson, Assistant Dean for Development, College of Education, 301.405.6644 or visit www.urhome.umd.edu.
Yes, I want to join my fellow classmates by supporting the College of Education in its quest for excellence. Please accept my gift to the Dean's Initiative Fund which is used to help projects in the College of Education where the support is needed most!  

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I have enclosed my check, payable to the College of Education-Dean's Initiative Fund.

Thank you!

Dwight Coehlentz (B.S.), Lakewood, Calif., retired in 1992 after serving as the director of curriculum and staff development for the San Diego County Office of Education.

1953

Morrins Tischler (M.A.), Baltimore, Md., is the president of Salt-Science Instruments Co., patented and sold the first pacemaker. He has written 118 books on teaching electronics and health occupations and has been a nominee to the Inventors Hall of Fame and the Radio Club of America.

1957


1964

Ingrid R. Weise (Ph.D.), Bethesda, Md., retired from Montgomery County Public Schools where she served as a math supervisor and area director for curriculum. 

1972

Bonnie D. Velasco (B.A.), Mt. Airy, Md., is currently the principal of Briggs Chaney Middle School in Montgomery County. 

1974

Freda K. Lacey (M.Ed.), Silver Spring, Md., is chief of staff for Montgomery County Public Schools.

1975

Janet Kay Houston Clinton (Ph.D.), Glyndon, Md., teaches at Owings Mills High School in Baltimore County.

1976

Lynne O. Dill (B.A.), works in the Department of Surgery at Children’s Hospital in Washington, D.C.

1977

Chuck Gerardi (M.A.), Dunedin, Fla., is a licensed clinical psychologist and psychopharmacologist who holds a copyright on psychomonitor.

1978

Bryan Borda (B.S.), Damascus, Md., is the vice president of sales for the Medtronic Corporation. She won the amputee champion for the Maryland State Golf Association and has a beautiful daughter, Erin, who is eight years old.

1979

Catherine (Twining) Giovannini (B.S.), of Arlington, Va., began practicing law in Washington, D.C. after teaching special education for 17 years in Maryland.

1980

Phillip M. Brown (M.Ed.), Ellicott City, Md., is an executive assistant for the Counselor Education Graduate Program at Stetson University.

1981

Ira Robert Greenstein (M.A.), Winter Park, Fla., is a resource specialist in San Diego, Calif. and is a resource specialist in San Diego City Schools.

1983

Deborah M. Roff (M.A., Ph.D.), University Park, Md., has recently been appointed associate dean in the College of Fine Arts at Appalachian State University.

1985

Jennifer E. Bartlett (B.S.), Brooks, Ga., teaches high school English at Grady High School. 

1986

Alison Klumpp (B.S.), Silver Spring, Md., is a second-grade teacher at River City Schools as a reading recovery and Title I reading teacher.

1987

Carolyn J. Guadagni (M.S.), southeast of Hastings, Neb., has recently been promoted to the rank of full professor.

1990

Lisa (Wager) Davis (B.S.), Silver Spring, Md., teaches middle school math at Bolton High School in Arlington, Tenn. She had her first child in July 2004.

1991

William G. Davis (B.S.), is a tour guide at the U.S. Capitol.

1992

Debra S. Munk (M.A./Ph.D.), Mt. Airy, Md., has been promoted to principal of Middletown High School.

1993

Deborah B. Hicks (Ph.D.), Colorado Springs, Colo., is a research professor in teacher education at the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs. She also served as a professor at Colorado State University.
We Remember...
The College of Education mourns the passing of these retired faculty and staff members.

Charles J. Beatty, former chair of the Department of Industrial and Technological Education, former Associate Dean for Student Affairs in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction, and assistant to the dean for college commencement, passed away in September 2004. (See related story, this page.)

Maryellen Whitney Gammarino, support staff in the Dean's Office, passed away in June 2004.

John Dave Lockhart, retired science education faculty member in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction, passed away in July 2004.

Heka L. Smith, adjunct professor in the Department of Education Policy and Leadership, and former president of Towson University, passed away in March 2004.

Richard Neville, former faculty member in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction, passed away in March 2004.

These deceased faculty and staff members will be honored with special memorial resolutions offered at the next College of Education Faculty-Staff Assembly.

We Would Like to Hear From You!
Please take a moment to fill out this form and return it to the College of Education.
You can also use this form to request information about our College of Education Alumni Chapter activities.

PERSONAL
Name _____________________________
Home Address
City ______________________________ State ______ Zip _______
Preferred Email Address ______________________
Spouse ______________________________
Is your spouse a University of Maryland graduate? Yes No Grad Year(s) ______

EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT
Graduation Year ______ Department/Program Major, Degree ____________________________
Additional Education (school, degree, year) ____________________________

Employer _____________________________
Title _________________________________

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Or, send us an email to: Endevors@umd.edu

Memorial Service Planned for October 17 to Honor College Administrator Charles J. Beatty

Charles J. Beatty
He joined the University of Maryland's Department of Industrial, Technological and Occupational Education in the College of Education as a professor and acting chairman in 1966. He remained with the college for his entire career. In addition to fulfilling the usual academic obligations of faculty committees, research grants, and scholarly articles, Beatty was active in professional organizations, including Phi Delta Kappa. He was given a special National Humanitarian Award from the International Technology Education Association. The Beatty's were presented with the 2004 Distinguished Service to the College of Education award this past September.

He also served as chairman of the Tootsie Roll Drive for the Knights of Columbus for many years, and also worked with the Boy Scouts in Rolling Ballet, Montgomery County Public Schools. He enjoyed sharing stories about his upbringing in Michigan, and was known for his skills with building projects, especially as a woodworker. He enjoyed playing golf and traveling with his wife.

Survivors include his wife of 38 years, Dr. Mary Ann Beatty of Ellicott City; three children, Dr. Charles Beatty of Tamps, Colleen Dooley of Denver, and Clare Dooley of Billings, Mont.; a sister, a brother; and a granddaughter.

Editor's note: Contributions to the scholarship fund can be made to the Charles J. Beatty Scholarship.

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MY NEWS:

Check here if you would like additional information on:

□ College of Education Alumni Chapter email updates (email address required)
□ Membership in the University of Maryland Alumni Association
□ Planned giving opportunities to benefit the College of Education
□ Making a contribution to support the Dean's Initiative Fund
Following is a list of upcoming events of interest to College of Education alumni and friends. For information on any of these events, please contact Pat Costantino, 661, Director of Alumni Relations, College of Education, at 301.405.5607, or send an email to pcostant@umd.edu. You can also visit our web site: www.education.umd.edu

Wednesday through Saturday, October 13-16, 2004
Maryland State Teachers Association Convention 2004
The College of Education will again host a booth in the exhibit hall at this Ocean City Meeting to welcome alumni and distribute information about new certification and degree programs. Please stop by and say hello.

Friday through Sunday, October 15-17, 2004
University of Maryland Homecoming Weekend 2004
The Maryland Alumni Association offers fun and enriching activities for every interest during Homecoming Weekend. Tailgates begin two and one-half hours prior to each Maryland football game at Ludwig Field, adjacent to Lot 1. Come and cheer the Terps onto victory. www.alumniconnections.com

Thursday, November 4, 2004
College of Education Alumni Chapter Board of Directors Meeting
6:30 p.m.
3237 Benjamin, University of Maryland
www.education.umd.edu/alumni

Thursday, November 18, 2004
College of Education Alumni Awards Ceremony
“Celebrate Education – A Tribute to Teaching and Learning”
5:30 p.m. – 9 p.m.
University College Inn and Conference Center
The College of Education recognizes alumni who have made significant contributions in the field of education. The categories are outstanding leader, teacher, scholar, professional, entrepreneur, and service. (See story, page 1).
www.education.umd.edu

Sunday, December 19, 2004
College of Education Winter 2004 Graduation
The graduation ceremony is scheduled for Sunday, December 21. Location TBD.
www.commencement.umd.edu

Saturday, February 5, 2005
College of Education Alumni Chapter Board of Directors Meeting and Retreat
10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Location TBD

Saturday, February 12, 2005
Terp Couples Event
Did you and your spouse meet at the University of Maryland? If so, please join us for this very special event sponsored by the Alumni Association. The College of Education will have a special table for their alumni. www.education.umd.edu

Thursday, March 3, 2005
Baltimore Area Alumni Event
The Baltimore Area Alumni Event will once again be held at the National Aquarium in the Inner Harbor! Last year’s dinner with the Dean and a special opportunity to visit the “Sea Home” Exhibit was a great success. It was attended by over 50 alumni who enjoyed the beautiful view of the Inner Harbor while reconnecting with other alumni.
www.education.umd.edu/alumni

Thursday, April 7, 2005
College of Education Alumni Chapter Board of Directors Meeting
6:30 p.m.
3237 Benjamin, University of Maryland
www.education.umd.edu/alumni

Saturday, April 30, 2005
Maryland Day: Explore Our World
University of Maryland, College Park
The University of Maryland, College Park opens its doors for alumni and their families, parents, prospective students, the business community, and residents of the surrounding Baltimore-Washington Metro area to visit our beautiful campus. Come and enjoy a day filled with learning, exploration, and fun for everyone. Stop by the College of Education tent on the mall to meet the Dean and learn about our programs.
www.marylandday.umd.edu

Friday, May 20, 2005
Silver and Gold Anniversary Program
1955 and 1980 were both very good years. Alumni who graduated in those years will be invited to reminisce on the 25th and 50th anniversary of that momentous event in their lives by once again donning in special “silver and gold” graduation regalia, participating in a special ceremony, and enjoying a reunion with their classmates.
www.education.umd.edu/alumni

Sunday, May 22, 2005
College of Education Spring 2005 Graduation
The College of Education graduation ceremony is scheduled for Sunday, May 22. Location TBD.
www.education.umd.edu

Wednesday, October 6 & 20, November 17, December 1
MIMAUE Fall 2004 Colloquium
School Violence: Impact on Student Achievement
Room 0212, Benjamin Building
University of Maryland, College Park
The Maryland Institute for Minority Achievement and Urban Education presents its Fall 2004 Colloquium focusing on the dimensions of school violence, including the impact of school violence on student achievement. Each session will feature an expert discussing research and/or current school practice related to a different dimension of school violence. The series will be held from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Benjamin Building, Room 0212. Sessions are open to all students, faculty, staff, members of the campus community, and the educational community at large. Refreshments will be provided by the College of Education Outreach Office. For more information, contact Martin L. Johnson, Associate Dean for Urban and Minority Education, at 301.405.0246 or mj13@umd.edu.

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