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Featuring Sean Williams, Founder and Sneaker Culture Expert
Presented by Antoinette Westphal College of Media Arts & Design Rankin Scholar & Pennoni Honors College

Sneakers touch most of our lives and are a top selling category in the apparel industry with many top designer companies now creating sneakers up to $900. They are part of urban life and have strong representative ties to marginalized groups and minorities with over 80 percent still being purchased by women. However, these groups are still left out of the sneaker industry and its job market. Why? Because many do not understand the key factors and how to get a job and have simply not had a mentor. But you can become an expert too…

The Antoinette Westphal College of Media Arts & Design’s Rankin Scholar, Sean Williams, is an expert in sneaker culture. Mr. Williams’ work includes consulting for brands such as Adidas and aiding in full exhibitions, including the internationally-traveling exhibit, The Rise of Sneaker Culture at The Bata Shoe Museum in Toronto, Canada, and the Brooklyn Museum in Brooklyn, New York.

Mr. Williams will be giving a keynote talk on October 11 from 6 to 8 p.m. in the URBN Center lobby, as well as leading sneaker workshops on Drexel’s campus on October
12 and 13. Workshops will take place from 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and 1:30-4:40 p.m., with a special workshop on October 12 from 1:30-4:30 p.m. just for professional staff, faculty & graduate students. All members of the Drexel community are welcome! All who attend will become sneakers experts and will receive diplomas.

Seats are limited and prior registration is required by emailing Joseph H. Hancock, II, PhD, Professor and Program Director for the MS in Retail & Merchandising and Pennoni Honors College Faculty Fellow for 2018-2019.

ULATOR Employees Receive Regional Recognition

On September 12, two University Laboratory Animal Resources (ULAR) employees were honored by the Delaware Valley Branch of the American Association of Laboratory Animal Science. Faith Witherspoon, who is a 2017 graduate of Drexel's Master of Laboratory Animal Studies program and Facility Manager at the Drexel Calhoun animal facility, received the Allentown Facility Manager/Supervisor Award. Emily Reimold, who is a 2010 graduate of Drexel's Master of Science of Laboratory Animal Studies program and Veterinary Technician at the Drexel Center City animal facility, received the Animal Specialties and Provisions, LLC, Technical Services Award. Please join us in congratulating Emily and Faith on their exemplary work!

October 12: 2018 Design Research Symposium: Design + Change

How does design research create change in health, technology, and the environment? What are the leading-edge models of thought around creating change through design? Today,
artists and designers are pursuing work and creative expression that push the boundaries of traditional disciplines requiring interdisciplinary collaborations, the mastery of new technologies, and intensive research to unearth new solutions to practical and aesthetic problems. Join the Drexel University Westphal College of Media Arts & Design for a symposium that examines the process of change and design through keynote presentations by visiting experts, discussions, and poster presentations at the Westphal College’s award winning facility The URBN Center and The URBN Center Annex. A schedule of events and additional details, including registration information, can be found on the Westphal College of Media Arts & Design website.

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October 3: Hanover Research Grant Workshops

Hanover Research will be visiting Drexel University on Monday, October 3, to offer two workshops geared toward early career investigators.

Noon-1 p.m. Workshop 1: Logic Model
We will explore the logic model, a commonly-used tool to clarify and depict a project. The logic model, described as logical framework, theory of change or program matrix, also serves as a foundation for project planning and evaluation.

2-3 p.m. Workshop 2: White Papers
We will discuss planning and developing a white paper submission for proposed projects.

Workshops will be held at 3101 Market Street in Room 224. Seating is limited to 30 participants per workshop. In order to participate in these workshop, you must register for Logic Model and/or White Papers. Registration will close at 5:00pm on Monday, October 1, 2018.

For more information, contact Gwynne Grasberger.

November 12-13: AAALAC Site Visit

On November 12-13, representatives from the Association for Assessment and Accreditation of Laboratory Animal Care International (AAALAC), will conduct a triennial site visit for the Drexel University Animal Care and Use program. The site visitors will review practices and policies, tour the animal facilities, visit animal research laboratories, and discuss research protocols with researchers and laboratory personnel. Site visit preparation presentations and Q&A sessions will be held at the Center City, Queen Lane and University City campuses in October. If you have questions regarding your role in the site visit, please contact Rick Huneke, Executive Director, University Laboratory Animal Resources (ULAR).
**Human Research Protection Updates**

The Human Research Protection (HRP) unit regularly updates Institutional Review Board (IRB) calendars and submission deadlines for the benefit of the Drexel community. Please be sure to check these regularly for the most current information.

HRP has made updates to many of its forms to assure compliance with revised regulations. The consent changes now meet regulatory requirements per the Revised Common Rule. Please be sure to use the revised forms. Additional references, guidance, checklists and instructional forms are available under the Human and Animal Compliance Resources section of the Office of Research website.

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**Stefanie Kroll: Tales of a Watershed Scientist**

Are you curious to learn more about the people behind the science? The Academy of Natural Sciences of Drexel University (ANS) recently posted a blog post highlighting Stefanie Kroll's career and contributions. Kroll began working at the Academy after scientists from the Academy’s Patrick Center had begun work on the Delaware River Watershed Initiative (DRWI), funded by the William Penn Foundation, to protect and restore the Delaware River Basin’s water quality and overall ecological health. Kroll has been working with a variety of partners to design and update a DRWI-wide comprehensive monitoring plan that provides information on project conditions and contributes to research around the initiative. She provides outreach to cluster group organizations to interconnect their monitoring with ANS so all groups can collaborate on the larger goal of restoring degraded areas, protecting undamaged areas and monitoring watershed health. She also is working closely with groups to translate data into action, helping them use their data in outreach to policy makers and landowners. To learn more about Dr. Kroll's work, be sure to visit the ANS blog.

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**NIH Inclusion Across the Lifespan Policy**

Starting January 29, 2019, the National Institutes of Health (NIH) will begin implementing the Inclusion Across the Lifespan policy, which requires the consideration of age, along with sex/gender and race/ethnicity, in applications that involve human participants. What does this policy mean for you and your study?

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**NIH Fixed Amount Awards for Clinical Trials**

NIH recently released Notice Number NOT-OD-18-222 to provide clarification on the definition of fixed amount subawards, specifically regarding their use in clinical trials and other types of human subject studies.
**Spotlighted External Funding Opportunities**

DOD: ONR: Communications and Networking Discovery and Invention

DOD: DTRA: Fundamental Research to Counter Weapons of Mass Destruction

NIH: Blueprint Program for Enhancing Neuroscience Diversity through Undergraduate Research Education Experiences (R25)

NIH: Developing the Therapeutic Potential of the Endocannabinoid System for Pain Treatment (R01 - Clinical Trial Optional)

NSF: Postdoctoral Research Fellowships in Biology (PRFB)

NSF/DOE: Partnership in Basic Plasma Science and Engineering

AHRQ: Screening and Management of Unhealthy Alcohol Use in Primary Care: Dissemination and Implementation of PCOR Evidence (R18)

**Extramural Funding**

University Libraries

**Internal Funding and Limited Submissions**

Drexel University Funding Portal

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**Meet Our Staff**
Shateenah Kae Barnes
Animal Welfare Analyst

Shateenah recently joined Drexel's Office of Research as an Animal Welfare Analyst. She will be conducting post-approval monitoring for all active laboratory animal research protocols to ensure that all research activities and personnel are in compliance with the specifics of their Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee-approved (IACUC) policies and procedures. Through thorough and thoughtful communication with research staff, Shateenah will support, correct and affirm the duties of those who are privileged to work with laboratory animals. She feels honored to be a part of the team that ensures that Drexel's research is not only productive but honorable in following local and national regulations. Ensuring that research is conducted with consistently high ethical and safety standards, while advancing our knowledge of health and disease, has been very near and dear to her heart for a long time. Shateenah was first made aware of experimental medicines in 1998 as they provided an extended prognosis to her ailing grandmother as she battled cancer. Shateenah says that she will always treasure the extra years that she was able to share with her grandmother because of this. When she is not vicariously saving lives through animal welfare regulations, Shateenah enjoys leisure reading, exercising, traveling, wine, exploring different cultures and art, studying the Bible and hanging out with her mom.

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**Events & Education**

The Office of Research regularly offers a wide variety of workshops. Here is a list of upcoming workshops:

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October 16  Internal and Limited Submission Funding Opportunities
October 18  Coeus Lite Protocol Submission (e-IRB)
October 23  The Fundamentals of Clinical Trials
October 24  Subrecipients? Submarines? Subawards? Subways? What's the difference?
October 30  Banner Effort Reporting for Certifiers
November 7  The Single IRB: Letters of Reliance
November 13 Banner Effort Reporting for Pre-Reviewers
November 15 Final Invoices, Final Financial Reports and Closeouts
November 20 Final Rule: Human Subjects
November 28 AAHRPP Accreditation
December 4  The ABCs of Setting Up an Award

Locations vary and seats are limited so sign up through Career Pathway today. We look forward to seeing you!

- Visit DrexelOne.
- Log in to DrexelOne and select the Employee tab
- Select Career Pathway under the “Development and Certifications” header
- Use the Events Calendar under the Learning tab to find a session or select “Workplace Skills” from the left menu to narrow the search
- Select the Request button to register

The Office of Research will also create personalized presentations for faculty, support staff, students and anyone involved in the administration or conduct of research at Drexel. For more information about developing a session tailored to the needs and location of your group, please contact us.
We Want To Hear From YOU!

Let us know what you like (or don’t like) about our newsletter and which research administration topics you’d like to learn more about. All feedback is welcome.

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