

Most of the work being completed at Frostburg over the last few months has been concentrated on getting ready for the return of students for the fall semester that started on August 17th and preparing for a 2 week earlier start date and moving all courses to blended and (hybrid) online classes. Frostburg is also preparing for the construction of the new Education and Health Sciences building which will begin shortly. The new residence hall is ready and will be housing students this fall 2020.


Congratulations to Megan Baker and Claire Williams for winning USM BOR awards! USDE recently awarded SU with a 5-year \$1.2M grant for its incredibly successful at ensuring the retention, academic excellence, and graduation of first-generation, low-income students, and students with disabilities. The SU Police Dept recently donated 40 unclaimed bicycles left behind by students to the Wicomico Cty Public Schools SHOP program. The program teaches students to repair and refurbish bikes in exchange for academic credits. The bikes are then donated to community organizations. The Sea Gull events, will be going virtual for its 32nd year. Participants will choose between a 100-mile (traditional century) or 100-kilometer (63-mile metric century) route. SU's Delmarva Public Radio and UMES's WESM have partnered together to create Delmarva Public Media to share resources and compete in an increasingly competitive market. DPR was recently awarded eight 2020 CAPBA awards in the non-metro radio category.

TU Basketball Coach Diane Richardson was honored during an online ceremony July 27 by the Maryland Daily Record as one of the state's top 100 women

UMBC is excited to return all of its members to CUSS for the upcoming year: Laila Shishineh (Rep.), Kevin Joseph (Alt.), Michael Walsh (Rep.), Thomas Penniston (Alt.), Sheryl Gibbs (Rep), and Dawn Stoute (Alt.). Visit news.umbc.edu for UMBC in the news.

Two University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science staff members--Monica Gellene, Associate Director of Administration at the Institute of Marine and Environmental Technology, and Amy Griffin, Assistant to the Vice President for Education--have received the University System of Maryland's prestigious 2019-2020 USM Board of Regents Staff Award. "This year, there were nine winners selected from only four USM institutions, and we are proud that two of them are from UMCES, proving that we are small but mighty and our staff is unparalleled in their commitment to UMCES' collegial environment, expertise, and service," said University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science Pres. Peter Goodwin.

The new University of Maryland President, Darryll Pines, began his position on July 1



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