The Ohio University Board of Trustees has been nationally recognized for its innovative efforts to manage long-term financial issues, including the creation of the OHIO Guarantee and a mechanism for funding deferred maintenance needs.

The Association of Governing Boards of Universities and Colleges (AGB) will bestow the 2017 John W. Nason Award for Board Leadership at its national conference in San Francisco April 22-24.
Executive Search Update

Search for the next Executive Vice President and Provost in progress

- On-campus open forums begin next week

Search for the next Vice President for Diversity and Inclusion is now underway

- Search committee created
- Search firm hired

New Vice President for University Advancement & President/CEO of The Ohio University Foundation
University Leadership Changes

Dr. Joseph Shields
Interim Dean, College of Arts & Sciences

Effective: May 12, 2018

Dr. David Koonce
Interim Vice President for Research and Creative Activity and Interim Dean of the Graduate College

Effective: May 12, 2018
Dr. Fred Weiner is the Director of Counseling & Psychological Services at Ohio University. He has authored a series of self-help pamphlets that are widely available at about one hundred major university and small college counseling centers around the country.

Dr. Weiner has had one of the longest tenures ever at Ohio University. In June, he will retire after 51 years of service!
Advancement Travel

- Columbus, OH
- Cleveland, OH
- Cincinnati, OH
- Charlotte, NC
- West Palm Beach, FL
- Sanibel Island, FL
- Naples, FL
- Sarasota, FL
- St. Pete, FL
- Pittsburgh, PA
Celebrating 214 years of Ohio’s First and Finest Institution on February 18th

Several student groups hosted an OHIO Birthday Bash in Baker Center

Notable Women of OHIO display

WOMEN AT OHIO UNIVERSITY
150 YEARS OF LIFE AND HISTORY
This exhibit documents the history and accomplishments of women at Ohio University from Maggie Boyd and Irma Voigt to Beverly Jones, Gladys Ballin and Hilda Richards.

Founders Day

HAPPY Birthday OHIO!

Irma Voigt, OHIO’s first dean of women, reads to students.
Advancing Our Strategic Pathways
CORE VALUES

Excellence is Our Hallmark

Integrity, Civility, and Diversity Define our Community and Global Society

Stewardship Enhances Our Legacy and Value Proposition

FOUR FUNDAMENTALS

Inspired Technology and Research

Innovative Academic Programs

Exemplary Student Support Services

Integrative Co-Curricular Activities

SUPPORTING PRIORITIES

Short & Long-Term Enrollment

Effective Total Compensation and Professional Development

More Effective Advancement Efforts

Financial Stability

UNIVERSITY STRATEGIC PATHWAYS

Become a National Leader for Diversity and Inclusion

Enhance the Overall Academic Quality of the University

Build a University Engagement Ecosystem with Enhanced Levels of Regional, National, and International Impact and Visibility

Encourage Dialogue and Rigorous, Civil Debate

Strengthen Global Engagement Efforts

Incentivize Interdisciplinary Collaborations and Strategically Position the University for Higher Levels of National Visibility in Research and Creative Activities

Enhance the Campus Infrastructure and Ensure a Sustainable Financial Model

Enhance Our Marketing and Communications Tell Our Story and Define Our Value Proposition

Reconnect with the University’s 232,000-Strong Alumni Base
Winter-Spring 2018

Be a National Leader for Diversity & Inclusion

Women of Appalachia Art Gallery Exhibit

Interlink Alliance Meeting

Shabbat Dinner

President Speaks: Ohio University president says college campuses provide proof that diversity is America's strength
Winter-Spring 2018

Strengthen Public Service Mission

Jefferson Market Place Approved as a Federal SNAP Retailer, addressing the basic needs of OHIO students and area residents

The OhioCorps Pilot Project – a college initiative to combat the opioid epidemic

Celebrating the 20th Anniversary of the "Monday Lunch" at the first United Methodist Church of Athens, a community program spanning the last two decades that helps address food insecurity in our area.
Winter-Spring 2018

Elevating Overall Academic Quality

AQIP Pathway Strategy Forum

Addressing students and families at OHIO Up-Close

Honors Taskforce Kick-Off

Konneker Medal awarded to alumni David Pidwell & Rob Painter
Representatives from Iwate Prefectural University in Japan have been working with Ohio University for the last seven years on the Tsunami Relief Project.

Visiting professor, Tomohiro Yanagi - Associate Professor of English Language & Culture, from Chubu University.
Increased National Visibility
Dr. Dustin Grooms and his team developed a tool for athletes to wear during rehabilitation to prevent them from relying on their eyes for movement.

His major focus, besides the concussion project, is researching how the brain changes after an ACL injury.
Bobcat Beacons of Excellence

Athletic Achievements

OHIO Hockey, in its 60th Anniversary Year, advancing to the CSCHL playoffs.

OHIO Women’s Basketball team progressed to the MAC Championship Quarter Finals.

Women’s Swimming and Diving team chosen as a Scholar All-American Team.
Growing up in Ironton, Ohio, Jan Rader never expected to be in the spotlight. But her path has taken Rader many places that she didn’t expect.

These include completing an associate’s degree in nursing from Ohio University Southern in 2008; her current position as Huntington’s fire chief – the first female fire chief in West Virginia, and being featured in the Netflix documentary “Heroin(e)”. 

Jan Rader, B.S.N.
In the 2017 fiscal year, the Ohio University SBDC worked with 362 clients and helped create 86 new businesses and 250 new jobs. In addition, the SBDC assisted small businesses in obtaining nearly $5.5 million in capital and increasing sales by more than $8.2 million. In 2016, the SBDC expanded its service area to include 12 counties: Athens, Belmont, Fairfield, Guernsey, Hocking, Meigs, Monroe, Morgan, Muskingum, Noble, Perry and Washington.
Syndicated columnist Clarence Page, BSJ ’69, HON ’93, was awarded the prestigious W.M. Kiplinger Award for Distinguished Contributions to Journalism at the National Press Foundation's annual journalism awards dinner in Washington, DC.

He was awarded the Pulitzer Prize for Commentary in 1989.
Ohio University has again been honored with Tree Campus USA recognition by the Arbor Day Foundation for its commitment to tree management. The designation is awarded to two- and four-year accredited colleges and universities that meet or exceed the five standards established by the Arbor Day Foundation, including tree care and stewardship, education and community engagement.
Poets & Quants, a leading source of graduate business education information, has ranked Ohio University’s Online MBA program No. 15 in the United States. P&Q considered three primary factors to compile its list: admission standards, the MBA experience, and career outcomes. OHIO’s Online MBA placed sixth for the MBA experience and was the only school in Ohio to be ranked.
Ohio University’s Bobcat Battalion has earned the prestigious 2017-18 MacArthur Award, one of just eight units nationwide to be recognized as the best of the Army’s 275 ROTC programs.

Ohio University was also named the eighth most military-friendly school in the country.
Presidential Spotlight

Presenters:
Josh Crook, MFA Graduate Student
Neketa Forde, MFA Graduate Student
Joseph Shields, Vice President for Research and Creative Activity and Interim Dean of the Graduate College
Mario Grijalva, Director, Tropical Disease Institute, Ohio University, and Director, Center for Research in Health in Latin America, Ecuador

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