

MENDOZA EXCHANGE

News & info for faculty and staff at Mendoza College of Business

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FROM THE DEAN'S DESK

Winter session

Today, the University's posted information for students about its [Winter Session](#) offered in January during the extended break between fall and spring semesters this year. The session is intended to keep students engaged and provide additional learning opportunities through online courses and workshops in areas such as skills-building, career discernment, research and virtual community service.

The [Notre Dame Institute for Global Investing](#) will be running four programs during the session. NDIGI's offerings provide opportunities for a range of business and non-business students, from Notre Dame First-Years to undergraduates and graduate students, to add to their investing acumen, increase career discernment, interact with industry professionals or gain business lessons in a novel way by watching "The Godfather" film series.

NDIGI's [Winter Session](#) lineup includes:

Investing Case Studies: Open to all undergraduate students regardless of major or class year, this one-credit course held Jan. 4-27 will be taught by NDIGI faculty director **Colin Jones**. Students will analyze an investment opportunity prior to each weekly live session. Industry practitioners will then lead discussions around their unique approach to the case and introduce their firm's general investment strategy.

Investment Management Access Program (IMAP): This program to assist in career discernment is open to all undergraduate members of our program partners regardless of major, class year or professional experience who are considering a career in financial services. IMAP program partners include AnBryce Scholars, ALPFA, BBAND, BlackND Capital, First Gen Careers Initiative, SWS and UWIB. The program consists of online curriculum, live sessions with industry practitioners and a project providing hands-on experience with partner firms.

Life Lessons from the Big Screen: Peter Kaufman, chair and CEO of Glenair, hosts this four-part series that is open to all undergraduate and graduate students regardless of major or class year. Peter, an accomplished businessman and author of the classic investing book "Poor Charlie's Almanack," will highlight life and business lessons from classic movies. Live Zoom sessions are tentatively scheduled for 3 p.m. EST on Dec. 2 and 16 and Jan. 6 and 20. Participants will be asked to watch The Godfather film series for the first three live sessions, with the fourth movie selection to be determined based on student feedback.

Virtual Career Treks: This series of career exploration Zoom visits is open to all First-Year students regardless of intended major. NDIGI will lead students virtually to visit firms on the West Coast (Jan. 7), Boston (Jan. 8) and New York City (Jan. 14 and 15). Sophomore treks will be coordinated through the Wall Street Club and will include a Chicago option.

More information on all of NDIGI's Winter Session offerings can be found at [ndigi.nd.edu](#). My thanks to the NDIGI team of **Erin Bellissimo**, **Mark Dumich**, **Tess Swain** and **Colin Jones** for their creative thinking and hard work in organizing these programs.

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MENDOZA HAPPENINGS

Submissions welcome! Click [here](#) or email mendozabusiness@nd.edu.

UPCOMING COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY EVENTS

◆ **Inspiring Conversations:** *Selected Tuesdays at 1 p.m., online.* This digital speaker series sponsored by ND's [Inspired Leadership Initiative](#) provides the opportunity to hear from leaders across many disciplines and industries. This fall, the theme is "Leading people in an ever-changing world." Speakers will share stories, perspectives and lessons learned from their own experiences as leaders within their organizations and in their communities. Participants will explore the concepts of human-centered leadership: mission, empathy, courage and adaptability. Upcoming speakers include:

- **Nov. 10: Fr. Dan Groody, C.S.C.,** VP and associate provost, Notre Dame
- **Dec. 1:** Richard Leider, author and founder of Inventure–The Purpose Company.

To register, visit [Inspiring Conversations](#).

◆ **COVID-19: What Comes Next:** *Friday, Dec. 4, 9 a.m.; online.* This forum hosted by Notre Dame's [Health and Well-being Initiative](#) and the [Social Determinants of Well-being Task Force](#) will include four sessions covering the topics of women's health, infrastructure, learning, and social underpinnings, organized around nine 20-minute presentations with Q&A sections.

Participants are invited to attend the full event or to participate during the session of greatest interest. [You can view the event schedule, including speakers and presentation topics, here.](#) The event is free but registration is required. [Register here.](#)

◆ **Diversity & Inclusion Workshop: Employee Resource Groups:** *Dec. 2 at 4 p.m.; online (see Kara's email invitation for link).* Representatives from each of the [University's Employee Resource Groups](#) will share more information about their respective ERG's purpose, activities and how faculty and staff can be involved. ERG's are voluntary, employee led groups created by a shared characteristic, interest, or life experience. They help support networking and provide social outlets; they also assist the University with recruitment, retention, and educational activities.

Current University ERG's include the following:

- Adelante Hispanos
- Black Faculty and Staff Association
- ND Staff of International Descent (NDSID)
- SPECTRUM (LGBTQ & Ally)
- THRIVE! Inspiring ND Women
- ND Veterans Association
- Young Leaders of Notre Dame (YLND)



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CAREER OPPORTUNITY

◆ [Associate Director for Career Development](#) supporting the Chicago EMBA, Chicago MSF, and South Bend EMBA Programs

SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

The Mendoza Community Service Committee will collect items to include in activity kits for Alzheimer's and Dementia Services, a division of REAL Services. The completed kits will be a collection of activities for all cognitive ability stages and based on several topics.

The committee needs your help in gathering visual props to engage the senses: touch, sight, hearing and smell. Think items to sort and manipulate, different textures, shapes. Items might include coins, puzzles, photos, cards, blocks, stuffed animals, figurines, books, magnets and games related to the following topics:

- Notre Dame swag
- Cars
- Games
- Dogs and Cats

Drop off new or gently used items in the faculty/staff lounge Nov. 2-20. Look for the plastic totes labeled by topic in the lounge.

Committee members will be in the Mendoza atrium on *Nov. 18 from 11 a.m. -1 p.m.* for in-person drop-off. Don't forget to wear your mask and practice physical distancing if dropping off items in the atrium.

Committee members are **Samantha Crisp**, **Hank Gettinger**, **Letecia McKinney**, **Tami Springer**, **Shelly Sterling**, **Tahra Taylor** and **Joseph Torma**.

If you have questions about the activity kits, contact [Joseph](#) or [Letecia](#).

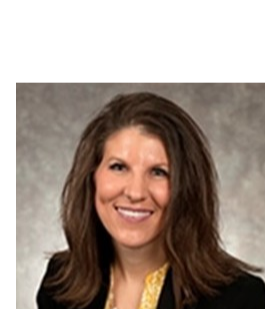


FAC/STAFF UPDATES & INFO

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WELCOME ABOARD

Elizabeth Heintzkill has joined the Mendoza Graduate Programs student services team as assistant director of MBA Student Services. Elizabeth previously served as the assistant director, Integral Leadership for our Executive Education programs. In her new role, Elizabeth will advise and support students in the MBA programs as they progress from matriculation through graduation and serve as a liaison with various campus and community partners. She will also play a key role in the development, ongoing review, and implementation of the strategy and goals for MBA student services.



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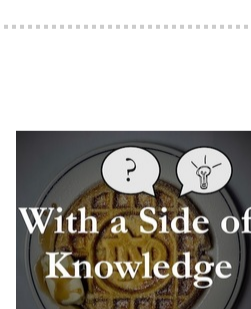
Thank you to all of those who attended and participated in the DE&I session on Microaggressions facilitated by Redgina Hill. If you were unable to attend the session, you may access the recording [here](#).

HOLIDAY CALENDAR

The 2021 Notre Dame Administrative Calendar, a list of all University holidays, is now available to download to your Google Calendar. For instructions, go [here](#).

PODCAST

Kirsten Martin, the William P. and Hazel B. White Center Professor of Technology Ethics, will be the featured guest on ND's "With a Side of Knowledge" podcast airing **Nov. 12**. Kirsten, a nationally recognized expert in privacy, technology and corporate responsibility, will discuss with host **Ted Fox** issues surrounding personal data collection and privacy, and what we can do as consumers to mitigate the use of our personal data. The podcast is available through podcast apps or on the [With a Side of Knowledge website](#).



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