



Campus Compact

Montana



Student Athlete Volunteers Honored at Brawl of the Wild

Fourteen MTCC Student Athlete Volunteers were honored during the Brawl of the Wild November 23rd at Montana State University.



Montana Students Attend Newman Civic Fellows Conference

Jerico Cummings (Montana State University), McKenna Savage (Montana Technological University), Julius Scott (Great Falls College MSU), Daisy Ward (University of Montana) and Adrianna Pittman (University of Montana Western) recently represented Montana at the national gathering of Newman Civic Fellows, hosted by the Edward M. Kennedy Institute for the U.S. Senate in Boston, MA. These students joined almost 200 of their peers from across the country to engage in deliberative dialogue, leadership workshops and opportunities to meet and be inspired by their peers in community engagement. Thanks for representing us, Jerico, McKenna, Julius, Daisy and Adrianna!

2019 Montana Student Volunteer Honorees



Pictured top L - R: Riley Caudle, Dawson Community College; Cal Christian, Fort Peck Community College; Brock Doty, University of Montana Western; Charmaine Engum, Great Falls College MSU; Rob Pair, MSU Northern; Michael Quintana, Miles Community College; Courtney Radke, Helena College UM; Bailey Rheaume, Rocky Mountain College; Sari Robertus, MSU Billings; Brett Rotz, Carroll College; Callista Schoettmer, MSU Bozeman; Zach Torgerson, Montana Tech; James C Watts, Blackfeet Community College

Montana Students Honored By Governor Bullock

Thirteen college students from Compact institutions were selected for the the inaugural Montana Student Volunteer Award. To read more about these inspiring Montanans, [visit this page on mtcompact.org](http://mtcompact.org).



Gear Up to Request AmeriCorps and VISTA Funding

In December we'll open our applications for Montana colleges and universities to host AmeriCorps and VISTA members to support college access and success work. Hosting an AmeriCorps team or VISTA is a great way to add capacity for critical educational equity work in Montana. AmeriCorps teams tackle direct, hands on projects like supporting pre-college and college success programs and VISTAs build the capacity of campuses by seeking funding, organizing teams and developing partnerships with community organizations. If you'd like to hear more about MTCC's AmeriCorps or VISTA programs, contact [Josh Vanek](mailto:Josh.Vanek@mtcc.edu) (406-243-5175)



Montana Student Engagement Survey is Live!

Annually, Campus Compact gathers data about the overall impact of college student community engagement. We are gearing up to publish the data from the 2018-19 academic year in our annual impact report soon, meanwhile, we've just launched the [2019-20 survey here](#). Please help spread the word!



Nominations Open for 2020-21 cohort of Newman Civic Fellows

Campus Compact is seeking community-committed students from member institutions for the next cohort of Newman Civic Fellows. Nominations will be accepted through February 3, 2020. To learn more and nominate a student, visit compact.org/newman-nomination.



Campus Compact Impact Awards

Recognizing Individuals & Institutions for their Achievement in Advancing the Public Purposes of Higher Education

We are now accepting nominations for three new awards: the [Richard Guarasci Award for Institutional Transformation](#), the [Eduardo J. Padrón Award for Institutional Transformation](#), and the [Nadinne Cruz Community Engagement Professional Award](#).

Applications due January 15.



Happy Thanksgiving from Campus Compact!



Our National Webinar Series: Pertinent, Thoughtful and Free!

Campus Compact's National Webinar series has returned for AY 2019-2020 with more to support and inspire you. Topics touch on issues of relevance to faculty, staff, students, and their partners in education and community building. Be sure to tune in to each session for information, tools, and resources to help you in your work. *These webinars are being offered free of charge, but all participants must register in advance to receive an access link.*

[For more information and to register, click here.](#)



\$250 Discount and Early Registration Deadline Approaching for For Campus Compact 2020 National Conference in Seattle

Campus Compact is partnering with [Up to Us](#), a leading program from Net Impact to offer \$250 off registration for Campus Compact's Compact20 national conference. Any faculty member, community engagement professional or student from a Campus Compact member institution who hosts a dialogue using select National Issues Forum Institute guides on their campus prior to [the conference](#) is eligible for the discount. More information on the discount is [here](#).

Compact20 is the largest and most inclusive national conference focused on the role of higher education in building democracy and healthy communities. Sessions explore topics such as civic engagement, community-engaged research, civic- and service-learning, institutional change, campus-community partnerships, and more. Compact20 provides professional development and networking opportunities for community engagement professionals, engaged faculty, community partners, student civic leaders, and campus leaders. Current registration discounts end on November 14th.

Compact20 happens March 29-April 1, 2020 in Seattle. [More information here.](#)



Conferences, Webinars, Professional Development, RFPs and Resources

Campus Compact's Engaged Scholars Initiative is seeking evaluator or research team. Application deadline is December 2nd. [More information here.](#)

[Campus Compact's Census 2020 higher education resource page is here.](#)

Michigan Journal of Community Service Learning is seeking proposals for a special issue on centering social justice in the scholarship of community engagement. [Proposals will be](#)

[accepted until January 15.](#)

Apply to be part of a cohort of institutions that will develop democratic engagement action plans to receive a [Voter Friendly Campus Designation](#) offered through NASPA and the Fair Election Center's Campus Vote Project. Priority deadline is January 30.

Register for the world's largest and leading global health conference, as well as the largest social entrepreneurship conference, [Unite for Sight](#), taking place April 4-5 at Yale University. Register by October 31 for a reduced rate.

The [International Undergraduate Journal for Service-Learning, Leadership and Social Change](#) is seeking papers.

[Community Colleges for Democracy Newsletter](#). Campus Compact is celebrating the great work of our community college network with a newsletter full of valuable tools, events, and information to help you prepare community college students to be informed, active, and mobilized leaders in our democracy.

[Campus Compact's webinar series library](#). Have some free time at lunch? Check out the webinar recordings from last year's national webinar series and increase your knowledge and skills.

[Campus Election Engagement Project Newsletter](#). Sign up for the Campus Election Engagement Project national newsletter to stay up to date with the latest news and information from one of our trusted partners in the work of campus election engagement.

[Campus Compact Podcast Season 3 New Episodes!](#) Bring higher education community engagement on the go with Compact Nation Podcast! Tune in bi-weekly for conversations with leading community engagement professionals and discussions of new research and innovative work in the field. Eighteen episodes available in the third season.

[Campus Compact member discount](#). Campus Compact members save 20% on books available through the online Campus Compact bookstore!

[Partners in Campus Community Engagement](#) will host a student Symposium on April 14, and a conference on May 27-28, 2020 in Spokane, Washington. A call for proposals will open in October.

The 8th International Symposium on Service-Learning, Critical Service Learning Across the Globe: *Transforming Teaching into Social Action*, is [seeking proposals through November 30](#). The symposium will take place June 10-12 in Cyprus.

Student Resources

The Civic Life Project is accepting videos for the [Democracy 2020 Youth Film Challenge](#), a

national competition for 15-25 year olds to produce public issue oriented videos to get students engaged and voting.

The College Convention 2020 happens January 5-7 in Manchester, NH. College Convention is a national gathering of college students along with presidential candidates and staff, media, and election experts a month before New Hampshire's primary More information is [here](#).

Story to Share? Send it to Us!

The MTCC Network Office wants to share your good news! Especially those pieces related to campus-community partnership, civic engagement, service learning, volunteerism and democracy. Email your story ideas, or ready made pieces to [Josh Vanek](#) to get them included in this monthly newsletter, regularly seen by over 1000 education and community leaders across Montana.



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