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### [Rising tuition costs is making some students pick public schools](#)

Even with a partial scholarship to New York's Fordham University, it was cheaper for Richard Chieffo to attend the University of Pittsburgh.

### [The Thinkers: Duquesne professor working to help autistic people work](#)

A young man was cleaning an elevator at a local hotel recently when some guests entered the car. "Say hi," said a young woman standing near the man. She wasn't being rude; she was just doing her job. The woman was a Duquesne University student who was assigned to mentor the young man,.... - [POST-GAZ.](#)

### [Storm brews over Penn State global warming e-mails](#)

ALLENTOWN — A Penn State University climate scientist says he regrets that he did not immediately object when a colleague suggested deleting.... - [AP](#)

### [International student enrollment peaks at Pittsburgh colleges](#)

Studying in Pittsburgh, far from their native lands, Chatham University's Qin Zuo and University of Pittsburgh's Manik Barman feel at home. The city's large population of international students makes them feel more at ease and less like outsiders. "I'm Tibetan, a minority in.... - [TRIB](#)

### [Someday, a way to 'see' nuclear, chemical threats](#)

Ordinarily, the small square of plastic and glass has a reddish color. But when Drexel University graduate student Sameet Shriyan flicks a switch, applying a bit of electricity, suddenly the red fades and the material becomes clear enough to see through. The square is.... - [INQUIRER](#)

### [Recession keeping lid on tuition hikes](#)

For most local colleges, hike for 2010-11 academic year is smallest in decade. Several area colleges have established tuition rates for the 2010-11 academic year, doing so with the still struggling economic climate in mind. Most of the schools approved.... - [WB TIMES LEADER](#)

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### [Young people need skills, not always a college degree](#)

Today's 10th graders will be applying for their first real jobs before they know it. With our nation's economy challenged, a great deal hinges on the ability of these young people to find meaningful, challenging work when the time comes. For this to happen, students.... - [POST-GAZ.](#)

### [Penn State Berks recalls leader who helped it grow](#)

Members of the Penn State Berks community gathered Saturday to celebrate the life of Dr. Frederick H. Gaige, a former dean and chief executive officer at the college. Gaige, who died in August, served the university from 1984 to 2001 and helped to transform.... - [READING EAGLE](#)

### [314,000 Pa. students received aid](#)

Former Pennsylvania Gov. Tom Ridge proposed the Educational Improvement Tax Credit after he failed to persuade the legislature to accept a school voucher program. Since 2001, about 314,000 students have received scholarships through the program. The EITC began with \$20 million in annual tax.... - [INQUIRER](#)

### [Penn State climate professor: 'I'm a skeptic'](#)

Penn State's Michael Mann, under fire in e-mails probe, says his global warming research passes test. He also has a regret. Penn State global warming scientist Michael E. Mann regrets he did not instantly object when a fellow climatologist asked him in.... - [MORNING CALL](#)

### [Transfers a hot commodity for colleges](#)

Phylicia Bongiorno knew even before her freshman year at Edinboro University that she probably would not stay around long enough to graduate. Her first choice always had been to attend a small private college, but she could not afford it right out of high school.... - [POST-GAZ.](#)

### [How can BU simply waste \\$30,000?](#)

During 2009 there were several instances of illegal behavior by members of various departments at Bloomsburg University. Reports and investigations of these illegal behaviors ended up in the office of the university police chief, literally and figuratively. The university removed the police chief from his.... -

[BLOOM. P.E.](#)

### [Seeking greater consequences](#)

STATE COLLEGE - Thirteen people, including one Penn State student, sat around a table recently, trying to figure out a solution to the drinking problem in State College. Maybe the university should alert parents of all first-time alcohol offenses or students should.... - [PATRIOT](#)

### [UPMC Shadyside to host holistic medicine workshop](#)

A one-day holistic medicine workshop will be held April 10 at UPMC Shadyside. The event will feature lectures on topics ranging from nutrition and supplements to pain management and hormone therapy. The program will run from noon to 3 p.m. It will kick off with a.... - [TRIB](#)

### [Jobs requiring higher education may outpace number of college grads](#)

After Jill S. Darr graduates from Albright College in May, she plans to pursue a career as a fashion buyer or fashion journalist. Darr, 22, is a textbook example of how a student can stay on course and graduate on time - through hard work, dedication and paying.... - [READING EAGLE](#)

### [Penn State nursing program gets help from high-tech robots](#)

UNIVERSITY PARK — When Mary Anne Ventura leaned down and put her stethoscope on Baby Sim, it breathed and wiggled its arms — living up to its name. Sim is short for simulator, and the movements were good signs that Baby Sim is ready to help students get as.... - [CENTRE DAILY](#)

### [Waynesburg University wins nod for service to community](#)

Waynesburg University was recently notified of its selection to the President's Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll with Distinction by the Corporation for National and Community Service. This is the university's third consecutive year receiving the honor.... - [TRIB](#)

### [Landlord rights class scheduled](#)

State College Area School District Community Education, in cooperation with the borough, will offer a course, Landlord Rights and Responsibilities, from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursdays April 8-22 at the high school South Building. The course will provide current and prospective.... - [CENTRE DAILY](#)

### [Students spring to action on their break](#)

College students tend to count down the days to their spring break because many take the days off to relax or head to the beach with their friends. Several Misericordia students spent their school vacation earlier this month serving others by participating on.... - [WB TIMES LEADER](#)

### [Pitt-Greensburg student from Mennonite community balances goals, cultural expectations](#)

Tim Sauder has goals. In two years, he wants to graduate from the University of Pittsburgh. And by 2019,

he hopes to be a physician. For someone like Sauder, a 27-year-old sophomore at Pitt-Greensburg, they are extraordinary goals. He is an Old Order Mennonite. In his Ohio... - [TRIB](#)

### [Our view: Erie can't afford to pass up community college](#)

We are strong believers that a community college for Erie can boost education, prepare students for jobs and update the skills of our existing work force. Now Rethink Erie, under the leadership of Judith Miller, a well-respected former school superintendent, has.... - [ERIE TIMES](#)

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### [Students petition to pass gas tax](#)

Eco-Action members sporting cardboard boxes painted with "Pass the Gas Tax" petitioned Thursday outside the HUB-Robeson Center in support of the severance tax on natural gas drilling in Pennsylvania. A map of the U.S. on the pavement highlighted the.... - [COLLEGIAN](#)

### [Poole Anderson to begin construction of Penn State Softball Stadium](#)

STATE COLLEGE - Poole Anderson will begin construction on Penn State University's new softball stadium at the corner of Park Avenue and University Drive. Construction of this new facility, named Beard Field, started this week and is scheduled be.... - [LOCK HAVEN EXPRESS](#)

### [Pell Grant bill 'very important' for students](#)

Low-income college students might get a little more federal financial aid thanks to federal legislation that is nearing approval. The legislation calls for the government to become the sole direct lenders of student aid and using the savings from not using a.... - [YORK DISPATCH](#)

### [Why students get rejected from college](#)

My guest is Jerome A. Lucido, vice provost for enrollment policy and management at the University of Southern California. He is also executive director of USC's Center for Enrollment Reserach, Policy and Practice. March Madness is more than a basketball.... - [WASH POST](#)

### [University awards four Community Impact Grants](#)

In an effort to further live out Waynesburg University's mission of faith, learning and serving, the university recently awarded Community Impact Grants to four student groups. The grant was implemented in fall 2009 to help Waynesburg University students.... - [GREENE MESSENGER](#)

### [Messiah College to expand arts center](#)

Much to the cheer of music and theater majors, Messiah College will soon be home to a brand-new Worship and Performing Arts Center, slated to be completed in early 2013. According to college spokeswoman Beth Lorow, the new building will adjoin with the.... - [CARL. SENTINEL](#)

### [Colleges scramble to adjust as student loan overhaul nears passage](#)

As Congress approved landmark higher education legislation Thursday, hundreds of colleges and universities were racing to overcome a major logistical challenge: switching within three months from private lenders to the U.S. Education Department as their provide.... - [WASH POST](#)

### [Penn State Center opens enlarged training facility](#)

WILLIAMSPORT - Penn State Williamsport Center staff members celebrated the opening of a new larger, enhanced office and classroom location Wednesday afternoon in the presence of city and county officials. As part of the university's continuing.... - [LOCK HAVEN EXPRESS](#)

### [Reporter's Notebook: Dickinson professor receives \\$29K grant](#)

The National Science Foundation Course Curriculum and Laboratory program has awarded \$29,045 to David Jackson, associate professor of physics and astronomy at Dickinson College, for his project, "Integrating Photon Quantum Mechanics Experiments into.... - [CARL. SENTINEL](#)

### [Mailing census saves cash, chief says](#)

So far, 24 percent of Pennsylvanians have sent back forms. In a people-counting campaign that he likened to an army going to war, U.S. Census Bureau Director Robert Groves.... - [POST-GAZ.](#)

### [Pa. hospital to add temp help if nurses strike](#)

PHILADELPHIA—Officials at Temple University Hospital say they've hired 850 temporary workers in preparation for a possible strike by nurses and other staff members due to a.... - [AP](#)

### [Pell grants to rise](#)

The U.S. Senate passed a bill Thursday that will invest \$36 billion dollars over 10 years into Pell grants, increasing the maximum given to \$5,550 this year and moving to \$5,975 by 2017. Penn State officials said they look forward to the increase in funds available to.... - [HAN. EVENING](#)

### [University names Ohio award winner](#)

WAYNESBURG - Waynesburg University has chosen Nathaniel Huffman of Hanoverton, Ohio, as the recipient of the Ohio Honors Scholarship. The award is given by an anonymous donor to one Ohio high school student interested in a career in mathematics or the.... - [WASH. O.R.](#)

### [Sallie Mae won't fill 300 jobs due to legislation](#)

The new system of direct lending brings to life the worst fears of employees at the Sallie Mae loan processing center in Hanover Twp., where the company predicts 1,100 jobs will be threatened by newly passed health care reform legislation, a Sallie Mae.... - [SCRANTON TIMES](#)

### [NAEP reading scores: Bad news was sadly predictable](#)

Anybody paying attention over the past eight years to the implementation of No Child Left Behind will

not be surprised that it failed to do what it was chiefly aimed at accomplishing: Improving reading scores. Today we learned the latest results from the.... - [WASH POST](#)

#### [Mansfield University trustees address student fee increases](#)

MANSFIELD - Mansfield University trustees on Wednesday heard about increases for student fees that take effect in the fall. There will be a fee increase of \$10 per semester for the Kelchner Fitness Center to replace old equipment, bringing the fee to \$156 per.... - [LOCK HAVEN EXPRESS](#)

#### [Founder, bars, PSU try to halt 'holiday'](#)

State Patty's Day added a day for drinking to the calendar in '07. Now some say it's gone too far. But others wonder, Why the fuss? Friday, March 26, 2010 BY DANIEL VICTOR [dvictor@patriot-news.com](mailto:dvictor@patriot-news.com) When Penn State student Joe Veltre noticed that St.... - [PATRIOT](#)

#### [Student Loan Overhaul Approved by Congress](#)

WASHINGTON — Ending one of the fiercest lobbying fights in Washington, Congress voted Thursday to force commercial banks out of the federal student loan market, cutting off billions of dollars in profits in a sweeping restructuring of financial-aid programs and.... - [NY TIMES](#)

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Amid the turmoil of budget cuts, Cal State's Northridge campus offers faculty and staff a few moments of peace of mind (and body). [more](#)

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Vanderbilt and Fisk collaborate to get more minority students into science doctoral programs. [more](#)

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Author of forthcoming book reflects on reading -- and teaching -- African American literature in "the Age of Obama." [more](#)

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A community college professor says he has built a learning management system with a personal touch that could solve one of distance education's most persistent problems. [more](#)

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Survey show mismatch between incoming community college students' expectations and the reality they face once on campus. [more](#)

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At national gathering of AFT and NEA higher ed leaders, some advocate the path of slow and steady progress for adjuncts, while others have run out of patience. [more](#)

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### Learning by Doing

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While some institutions create entrepreneurship degrees, Cayuga Community College tries to add the concept across its curriculum. [more](#)

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No 'Corpus Christi' at Tarleton State

Play depicting a a gay character who is like Jesus is called off amid local furor and reports of violent threats. [more](#)