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Pa. joins a push to boost college graduation

Pennsylvania is among 17 states that have joined a national initiative to boost college graduation rates during the next decade, officials announced yesterday. Forty-three percent of Pennsylvanians ages 25 to 34 have earned college... - INQUIRER)

No booze a boost for fraternity recruiting

Alcohol-free recruitment appears to have paid big dividends for Penn State fraternities. Even though the number of registered recruits dropped from spring 2009, the percentage of recruits who accepted bids was higher and the number of new fraternity members.... - CENTRE DAILY

Cause of Penn State Behrend fire unknown; cafeteria future uncertain

At lunch Tuesday at Penn State Behrend's McGarvey Commons, over plates of steak sandwiches and broccoli stir-fry, they talked about the fire. "It was insane," said Cassie Kosmal, a sophomore at Behrend. "My suitemate told me Dobbins was on fire. I booked it down the stairs.... - ERIE TIMES

Harrisburg University President Mel Schiavelli says the 60 percent goal is achievable only if the state can get more poor and minorities as well as college dropouts to enroll.

Fewer than half of Pennsylvania students who pursue higher education get degrees. And one-third of Pennsylvania's students don't even attempt to go beyond... - PATRIOT

Waynesburg University to receive awards

WAYNESBURG - Waynesburg University was recently notified of its selection for three CUPPIE Awards, which recognize creative excellence in marketing and communications in education. The awards, given by College and University Public Relations Association of Pennsylvania, were decided upon by a panel of senior-level industry experts... - WASH. O.R.

UPJ earns spot on community service honor roll

JOHNSTOWN — Pitt-Johnstown has been named to the 2009 President's Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll, the highest federal recognition a college or university can receive for its commitment to volunteering, service learning and civic engagement. The Corporation for National and Community Service, which administers the... - JOHN. TRIB

Cal U. hosts panel on Haiti

CALIFORNIA - The most worrisome problem facing earthquake-ravaged Haiti is where to put the many displaced people, a professor at California University of Pennsylvania said. The impoverished Caribbean nation has discussed relocating homeless city dwellers to tents in the country and luring them back into the cities, said... - WASH. O.R.

EDMC selects Robinson site for data center

Education Management Corp. has selected the former Deluxe Check Printing building in Robinson as the site for its new \$24 million data center as part of its expansion program that will include 160 new jobs and two active.... - TRIB

Colleges honored for service

Raritan Valley Community College was named a 2009 Presidential Award Winner for its work with disadvantaged youths. According to the Web site for the President's Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll, a thousand students at the Branchburg Township, N.J.,... - EASTON EXPRESS

Human resource management conference set for Shippensburg University

Representatives of human resource agencies and students pursuing careers in human resources will be converging this week at Shippensburg University. The university's chapter of the Society for Human Resource Management will be hosting the northeast regional conference and HRGames competition Friday and Saturday on the campus. The conference gives students the opportunity to network with human resource professionals, expand knowledge of human resource management and explore various career options. Source: By Keith Paradise, The (Chambersburg) Public Opinion

KCAC federal funding in limbo

With the death of Congressman John Murtha, Indiana University of Pennsylvania lost an ally who wielded his legislative power to support many university projects, including the Kovalchick Convention and Athletic Complex. Source: By Sam Kusic, The Indiana Gazette

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With enrollments booming and dollars in short supply, community colleges look to vacant commercial properties and land swaps to acquire more space. [more](#)

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The Completion Cacophony

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'The Intimate University'

Author discusses her new book about the experiences of Korean-American students -- including their academic success and perceptions of self-segregation. [more](#)

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