



Whitman Today

Wednesday, March 10, 2021

Apply Now for the David Nord Award

The Intercultural Center is proud to open the call for applications for the [David Nord Award](#).

The David Nord Award is presented annually to support LGBTQIA+ focused projects on campus, encouraging the Whitman community to engage critical issues through a variety of creative and scholarly mediums. Recipients will receive a cash award along with financial project support, if required.



DAILY WELLNESS CHECK



Be prepared to show your approval to be on campus badge.

Q: Who can ask to see my Daily Wellness Check badge?

A: Anyone can—and everyone should! Making sure that any person on campus has taken a few minutes to complete the daily wellness check is something we can all do to support our community health. People should expect to share their campus-approval badges when entering buildings like Penrose Library or Reid Campus Center, sitting down for in-person classes or attending on-campus events and meetings.

Announcements

Sheehan Gallery Artist Conversation and Acquisition

The Sheehan Gallery is excited to welcome artist and alum [Erik Reel](#) for a [Zoom conversation](#) about his time at Whitman, his unique and multifaceted career path and his life and collaborations in the art world at 4 p.m. on Thursday, March 11.

We are also pleased to announce that Reel has generously gifted one of his fantastic paintings to Whitman College to be part of the permanent collection.

Happening Today

- noon and 4 p.m. **Pathways Leadership Program 411**
The Pathways Leadership Program (PLP) is a self-directed leadership program that engages interested Whitman students in personal growth and development over the course of their time at Whitman. Two info sessions are available at [noon](#) and [4 p.m.](#)
- 4 p.m. **Open Office Hours for Students with Dean Kazi Joshua**
"The People's Dean" is holding drop-in office hours with 15-minute sessions from 4–5 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays throughout the semester.
- 5 p.m. **What is Therapy? Panel Discussion**
Join the Whitman College Counseling Center staff as they demystify mental health and counseling. Come meet the counselors and have your questions answered. This session is for students; a panel for staff and faculty is coming soon.
- 8:30 p.m. **Pause**
You are invited to Pause, a 20-minute study break where we take time to breathe, relax and de-stress. Come with your camera on or off for quiet community, poetry and centering practice.

Whitman Events Calendar

Have a virtual event you'd like to share with campus? Email the details to whitmantoday@whitman.edu.

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Submissions are welcome! If you have a professional or personal accomplishment to celebrate, an event to publicize or other content to share with the Whitman community, email whitmantoday@whitman.edu. Submissions should be 125 words or less. The deadline for submissions is noon for the following day's newsletter, though submissions may be held for a later date according to space and editorial needs.

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