



Upcoming Events

◆ [Centertainment announces 2016-17 Schedule](#)

◆ [Theatre and Dance Season Released](#)

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Chancellor's Column:

[Start of School](#)

Alumni



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- [Book Remembers Soldiers from 'Forgotten War', Written by Gordy Faust '58](#)
- [The Carrier, Written by Diana Ryan \(Spargo\) '04, Now Available on Amazon](#)
- [Natural Resources Students Learn Grazing with Alumnus Paul Daigle and Family](#)

Campus



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- [Chancellor Patterson's 2016 State of the University Address](#)
- [Convocation and Welcome Picnic 2016](#)
- [UWSP Student, Ciana Rose, Believes that Failure Drives Opportunity](#)
- [Professor Susan Turgeson Gives Insight into the Family and Consumer Sciences Field](#)
- [New Students Move Onto Campus](#)

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Athletics



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- [Pointers Football Opens with a Win Over St. Norbert](#)
- [Women's Basketball Holding Brat Fry for HOPE is Building Campaign](#)
- [Women's Golf Opens with an 8th Place Finish](#)
- [Tennis Sweeps Raiders and Duhawks](#)

Community



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[more photos of 'Labor of Love'
here](#)

- [UWSP Students Volunteer in the Community during 'Labor of Love'](#)
- [SPASH Gets New Back Door, Equipment Thanks to Local Businesses](#)
- [Riverfront Jazz Festival Helping Provide for the Next Generation of Musicians](#)
- [Stevens Point Receives \\$390,141 WisDOT Transportation Alternative Program Project Grant](#)

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It's our favorite time of year; the students are back on campus! [Check out these pictures from the first day of school!](#) And be sure to like the official [UW-Stevens Point Facebook page](#) to keep up with all of the fun things happening on campus with the start of the school year!

People of POINT



"I'm the Co-director for the office of International Education and the Director of International Scholars and ESL. This is my eleventh fall here at UWSP. In my opinion, I

have the best job on campus. It's the best because it is the job that I've always imagined I would be doing some day. I feel incredibly fortunate to have the opportunities that I have had here. My favorite part is the first day of school; I love seeing new students dig in and as well as getting to reconnect with my continuing students. I work with all international students. Often times, I meet with students 2-3 years before they start. We work with them and their families to help them

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think through choosing this place. Then they finally arrive and it's amazing. We work with them throughout their studies and after they graduate. We have alumni all around the world; and when I travel, I see them and it's pretty cool to be a part of this. We keep in touch with all of our students after they graduate, this is for life."

-Brad Van Den Elzen, Co-Director of International Education and Director of International Scholars and ESL

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Obituaries:

[Felix F. Burant '55](#)

[Jean Ann Day '92](#)

[Floyd A. Flora '60](#)

[Donald E. Herrmann '55](#)

[Robert J. Smiley '57](#)

[Richard L. Strasser '57](#)

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