



Natoya Haskins named president-elect of ACES

The associate professor of counselor education and director of diversity and inclusion has been selected as the next president of the Association of Counselor Education and Supervision (ACES), the premier professional organization dedicated to the training of counselors in the U.S. [More.](#)

FROM THE DEAN



As I learn the traditions and rituals of my new home at William & Mary, I'm particularly excited to celebrate [One Tribe One Day](#), our annual giving day, which is coming up on April 13. Like most of our pandemic celebrations, this year's event will be different, but we're looking forward to the opportunity to engage with alumni and friends, as well as our students, faculty and staff.

Faculty and students from the School of Education will be participating in several events throughout the day highlighting some of the initiatives and projects close to our hearts. Learn more about the events below, and get ready to give back and pay it forward for William & Mary!

— Dean Rob Knoepfel

NEWS & NOTES



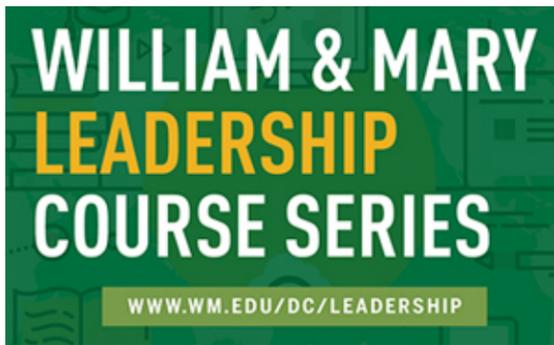
Holmes Scholars present at the AACTE Conference

A group of Holmes Scholars from William & Mary were invited to present their independent research at the annual conference of the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (AACTE) in topics on multicultural counseling and experiential learning in the time of COVID-19. [More.](#)



W&M opens new Esports Training and Research Center

William & Mary's Esports Training and Research Center will include a research lab and training facility designed to foster interdisciplinary collaborations around gaming. [More.](#)



W&M launches leadership course for alumni and the general public

Higher Education Professor Pamela Eddy will teach "Modern Leadership: Reflections and Tools for the Values-Based Leader," this spring. The course combines theory and practice and is designed to engage participants in discussion, hands-on applications and reflections. [More.](#)

Webinar explores how to take advocacy from allyship to accompliceship

Dr. Natoya Haskins, director of diversity & inclusion, led a faculty panel exploring the developmental processes and resources needed to move from ally to accomplice. [More.](#)



Positives of Pivoting: Reflections on the Transition to Virtual Career Advising

On March 6, 2020, the Cohen Career Center was buzzing with students making last-minute edits to their resumes and internship applications before setting off on a week of rest and relaxation. No one knew when we left that sunny Friday afternoon, the career center's doors would remain closed well past the end of spring break. Now, as we approach the one year mark of the pandemic, the career center has pivoted to offering services in a completely virtual format. [More.](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Mar. 31: [DEI Book Discussion: The Likeability Trap](#)
- Apr. 1: [W&M Community Uniting Against Asian Hate](#)
- Apr. 5: [Webinar: Adversity in Childhood - Prevention and Intervention](#)
- Apr. 8: [SOE Courageous Conversation](#)
- May 22: [Commencement](#)



Register now for One Tribe One Day virtual events!

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9 a.m: Camp Launch: Providing Access to Educational

Opportunities for Students of all Backgrounds

Designed to provide middle and high school students with a vision for the future that extends beyond the world they know and to instill a love of learning, Camp Launch allows participants to explore STEM fields, writing and personal development. Join us as we discuss the impact Camp Launch has had on providing equal access to educational opportunities, building stronger communities and developing a pipeline for diversity in STEM fields.

12 p.m: W&M VET: Optimizing the Military & Veterans Network

W&M VET (Veteran-to-Executive Transition) is an incredible demonstration of cross-campus interdisciplinary partnerships to support our veteran students, alumni and veterans in our community. Join us at our virtual table to discuss W&M VET, veteran affairs on and off campus, and how W&M is making a difference for those who have served our country.

12 p.m: Research, Educate, Act:

Engaging in Social Justice Work

The Center for Racial and Social Justice is a university-wide initiative housed at William & Mary Law School. Within it, faculty and students across disciplines collaborate to conduct research, educate and engage in antiracist and social justice work. Join us to learn more about the Law School and School of Education's work in advancing racial and social justice through student and community education, research and advocacy, and student development and success.

RESOURCES

Studio for Teaching & Learning Innovation: [W&M Instructional Resilience](#)

Support from W&M Libraries: [Remote Resources & Services](#)

Cohen Career Center: [Virtual Resources](#)

W&M Alumni Association: [Virtual Engagement Opportunities](#)

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