

April 19, 2019

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**NEXT IS NOW Launch – Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup>**

We are pleased to announce the [NEXT IS NOW](#) launch on Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. at STARTUP FIU in MARC 335. The event will also be livestreamed online at [webcast.fiu.edu](http://webcast.fiu.edu). All participants will receive 1.5 professional development hour(s). Light refreshments will be served. To RSVP, please [click here](#).

Questions? Contact the Human Resources Service Center at (305) 348-2181.

**Employee Benefits – Important Updates and Reminders****REMINDER! 9 over 12 Month Deferred Earning Program (DEP) Enrollment Period**

- DEP provides 9-month faculty an alternative option to receive payment of their salary over a 12-month period. This method of payment is available on an optional basis only and authorization is required from the faculty member. All 9-month faculty members will have the opportunity to select this payment option, or to dis-enroll, during the DEP Enrollment period that ends Monday, August 19<sup>th</sup>. For more information, please [click here](#).

**Spring Benefits Walk-In Sessions**

- Are you a new employee or have questions about your benefits? Join us at the upcoming Benefits Walk-In Sessions to have all your benefits questions answered. Sessions will take place from 11:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. in MMC in PC-411.
  - Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup>
  - Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>

## Scavenger Perk Hunt

- Check out our NEW [Scavenger Perk Hunt Challenge](#) and seasonal perks!

Questions? Contact Benefits Administration at (305) 348-2181, or [benefits@fiu.edu](mailto:benefits@fiu.edu).

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## Professional Development – Register for these Upcoming Sessions



# Professional Development

Check out our upcoming workshops by logging into the [professional development registration site](#). The click “Upcoming Training” to see a calendar of upcoming professional development workshops.

- **Office of Employee Assistance** – Sign up for these upcoming Mindfulness Meditation Practices workshops.
  - Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m., MMC | GL-482
  - Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m., MMC | GL-482

Questions? Contact the Office of Employee Assistance at (305) 348-2469, or [oea@fiu.edu](mailto:oea@fiu.edu).

- **Service Excellence Workshops** – Employees have an opportunity to learn about FIU’s philosophy on service excellence, professionalism at work, effective service over the telephone, and much more. Register for these classes today!
  - Thursday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., MMC | CSC-1144A
  - Thursday, May 30<sup>th</sup>, 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., MMC | CSC-1144A

Questions Contact Talent Acquisition and Management at (305) 348-2181.

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## CASE 2019 Summer Enrichment Programs



Make a splash this summer with CASE’s 2019 [Summer Enrichment Programs](#). Explore reading, summer camp, and forensic science programs for children ages 5 and up. Don’t delay, register today!

Questions? Contact [summercamp@fiu.edu](mailto:summercamp@fiu.edu).

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## Get Your Master's in Global Strategic Communication



Whether you're interested in a career in advertising, public relations, international business, journalism, digital media, or the like, FIU's fully online Global Strategic Communications (GSC) master's program will prepare you for expanded job opportunities and give you a competitive edge to accelerate your career. Applications are now being accepted for Fall 2019. Throughout the month of May, join us for [informative webinars](#) to learn more about the GSC program and how it can enhance your undergraduate degree. RSVP today!

Questions? Contact [gsc@fiu.edu](mailto:gsc@fiu.edu) or visit [communication.fiu.edu/gsc](http://communication.fiu.edu/gsc).

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## Did You Know – Updated University Policy



# DID YOU KNOW?

FIU is committed to protecting the well-being of all members of the campus community, including vulnerable persons or minors. The provisions of University Policy regarding [Mandatory Reporting of Child Abuse, Abandonment, and Neglect](#) applies to all FIU faculty, staff, students, and volunteers. To review this policy and complete the customized training, please visit [Convercent](#).

Questions? Contact the Office of University Compliance at (305) 348-0002 or [compliance@fiu.edu](mailto:compliance@fiu.edu).

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