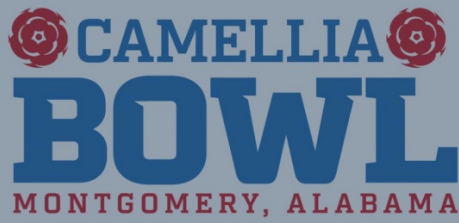




**FIU IS GOING BOWLING!
CAMELLIA BOWL - DEC 21**



For the third consecutive season, FIU is going bowling as we face off Arkansas State in the Camellia Bowl on Saturday, December 21 in Montgomery, Ala.

[Find out more information and purchase](#) your bowl game tickets and travel packages today.

FIU will maintain normal operations during the semester's winter break. Benefits earning faculty and staff will need to report vacation leave for any time taken over the winter break.

Let's cheer our team on to victory! Go Panthers!

Questions? Contact 305-FIU-GAME, or visit fiusports.com.

**PRESIDENT'S HOLIDAY
CELEBRATION RECAP**



Thank you for attending this year's President's Holiday Celebration and making our annual Holiday Toy Drive a success. We couldn't have done it without you, and it serves as a reminder to us that FIU truly is a "Great College to Work For®!"

Check out the [event gallery](#) and see if you can spot yourself.

Attended the event? Please take a [brief survey](#) and share your feedback no later than Friday, December 20.

Questions? Contact [HR Relations](#) at 305-348-0101.

**GENERATIONS AHEAD
SCHOLARSHIP**



As a result of our continued commitment to create positive experiences for our students, the Generations Ahead Scholarship, sponsored by the Gabor Agency, Inc., was presented before the President's Holiday Celebration.

This year, five students were presented with a scholarship award to assist them with their education while at FIU.

We extend our gratitude to the Gabor Agency, Inc. for their generous contribution and commitment to student success.

Questions? Contact [HR Relations](#) at 305-348-0101.

**6 WEEKS LEFT - SUBMIT
YOUR NOMINATIONS FOR
THE SERVICE &
RECOGNITION AWARDS**



Only six weeks left to get your nominations in for the FIU Service & Recognition Awards! This is the coveted awards ceremony of the year, and you do not want to miss out on submitting your nomination(s).

Visit go.fiu.edu/nominate to learn more about this year's award categories, criteria, the nomination process, and/or to submit a nomination today.

Nominations will only be accepted online until Friday, January 31, 2020 at 11:59 p.m.

Questions? Contact [HR Relations](#) at 305-348-0101.

PAWS - GRATEFUL CHALLENGE



The season of gratitude is here, and now is the time to reflect on all the things you are grateful for.

Join Panthers Active Wellness Services (PAWS) for [The Grateful Challenge](#). This month-long challenge encourages participants to write down three things they are grateful for daily.

The challenge ends on Tuesday, December 31. Participants will be entered for a chance to win an awesome prize. Take the challenge, and start your gratitude journal today.

Questions? Contact [Nathan Burandt](#), Wellness Manager, at 305-348-2530.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Looking for professional development learning opportunities? Check out our upcoming workshops by logging on to the [professional development site](#). Then, click "Upcoming Training" to see a calendar of workshops that include:

Center for Leadership: The Leadership Lectures

- [The Leadership Lectures: Kaihan Krippendorff](#)

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

BENEFITS UPDATES AND REMINDERS



Stay up-to-date with [important benefits updates](#) pertaining to the following:

- Medical Flexible Spending Accounts for Plan Year 2019
- Address Review & Update
- Benefits Walk-In Session

Questions? Contact [Benefits Administration](#) at 305-348-2181.

SEASONAL PERKS AND PROMOTIONS



Take advantage of these fall savings! Check out [new discounts and promotions](#) that include:

- Los Ranchos
- Miccosukee Tribe of Indians of Florida
- Tickets At Work

Don't forget to play the Perk Scavenger Hunt for a chance to win awesome prizes!

Questions? Contact [Benefits Administration](#) at 305-348-2181.

DID YOU KNOW? GIFT POLICY



Brush up on compliance matters and stay up-to-date with FIU's policies and procedures. Make sure to review the featured policy below:

- [Gift Policy](#) - FIU employees are prohibited from using or attempting to use their position(s) in order to obtain special benefits or privileges for themselves or others. Check out this [short video](#) for more information.

Questions? Contact the [Office of University Compliance and Integrity](#) 305-348-2216.

To provide feedback on this newsletter, please email hadmin@fiu.edu.

