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## **HR News**

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### **Announcing FIU's New Child Care Tuition Discount Program – 10% off Tuition at KinderCare**

The Division of Human Resources is pleased to announce a new addition to our [Employee Perks & Services](#) offerings. In an effort to provide added resources to promote work/life balance, we have partnered with the nation's largest provider of quality early childhood education programs. **FIU faculty and staff can now enjoy a 10% tuition discount and free registration at KinderCare® Learning Centers!** All your choices include a proven curriculum, hands-on learning, trained teachers, and convenient locations.

#### Centers

There are over 15 locations in South Florida offering before and after school programs, preschool programs, Florida VPK, infant and toddler programs, drop-in and school day-out programs. [Click here](#) for a sampling of local KinderCare® locations that are ready to serve you.

#### Fees

10% discount towards standard weekly tuition rates and free registration for FIU faculty & staff. This discount is available for children of all ages. Tuition rates and operating hours vary by center. Contact the center directly for specific program information, to check participation, space availability and to schedule a tour. When contacting a childcare center, mention that you are an FIU faculty or staff member and request to begin receiving the discount. Before registering, you will be expected to show your FIU identification.

#### Contact

[Click here](#) to review frequently asked questions regarding this new partnership. For more information about participating centers, call 877-914-7683 or visit [www.careiseverywhere.com](http://www.careiseverywhere.com).

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## Campus Updates

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### **Celebration of Life for Helen Ellison**

The Division of Student Affairs will be hosting a celebration of life in remembrance of Dr. Helen Ellison, former Associate Vice President of Student Affairs on Tuesday, December 10. The event will take place in the Graham Center Faculty Club from 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Dr. Ellison served our university for twenty-three years before retiring in August 2011. She was very passionate about education and the students she served. She mentored hundreds of graduate students and higher education professionals through her role as an administrator and the coordinator of the Higher Education Administration graduate program in the College of Education, for which she played a major role in creating as a founding faculty in the program. This program continues to prepare numerous graduates to serve in a variety of roles at colleges and universities throughout the country.

Dr. Ellison passed away on June 18, 2013 and her funeral service was held on June 22, 2013 in Hollywood, Florida. [Click here](#) for additional information and RSVP details.

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### **Frost Art Museum Discovery Gallery Opening**

Join the Frost Art Museum on Saturday, November 23 at 12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. in unveiling the redesigned Kenan-Flagler Family Discovery Gallery! Adults and children can unleash their creativity and discover new and exciting ways to interact with our permanent collection using iPads, a Smart Table, Legos, light boxes, and more.

Families can explore art activities, face painting, food, and music! This event is free and open to the public! [Click here](#) for additional details.

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### **In Search of the Perfect Leader, The 2013 Leadership Research Colloquium**

Join us for the 2013 Leadership Research Colloquium at the FIU Modesto Maidique Campus! This is your opportunity to sample three very diverse research projects and their implications for personal and business leadership.

[Click here](#) for additional information and to RSVP.

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### **Exclusive Early Access to Black Friday Specials from Dell**

Get ahead of the crowds. Beat the rush. Enjoy hassle-free shopping with our Black Friday Presale Door-Busters! Find PCs starting under \$200 (limited quantity) and great discounts on our electronics & accessories.

- 11/21: Members don't have to wait for Black Friday. Black Friday presale begins at 7 AM EST. Check your member store for our exclusive member-only Pre-Sale!
- 11/28: Happy Black Friday eve. Rotating Door-Busters start Thursday 6 PM EST and go all day Friday. Limited quantities, so shop EARLY!
- 12/2: Cyber Monday magic starts at 8 AM. Popular PCs, tablets and electronics at the right price. Door-Busters start at 8 AM. Limited quantities.

Shop early; shop easily. [Click here](#) for additional details regarding this exclusive offer for FIU faculty & staff.

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