Taking stock

Lizzie Richards '23 hangs a painting on one of the new storage racks in the Rosalind Sallenger Richardson Center for the Arts. The relocation and storage project is supported by an Institute of Museum and Library Services Inspire! Grant for Small Museums.

By Robert W. Dalton

Lizzie Richards '23 spent the spring semester making sure there was a place for everything, and everything was in its place.

Richards, a history and art history double major from Columbia, South Carolina, was part of Wofford curator Dr. Youmi Efurd's team working on a relocation and storage project in the Rosalind Sallenger Richardson Center for the Arts. The project is supported by an Institute of Museum and Library Services Inspire! Grant for Small Museums.
“I’m doing inventory and preparing the room for new storage racks,” says Richards. “I want to use as much space as I can in a sustainable way.”

The grant funded the purchase of the storage racks and the relocation of items to be stored there. Richards has been filling the new racks with a wide variety of works.

New trustees

John Bauknight ’89 of Spartanburg, David G. Johnson ’98 of Spartanburg and Dorothy Acee Thomas ’96 of Gainesville, Florida, are Wofford College’s newest trustees.

Three graduates were elected to the Wofford College Board of Trustees at the South Carolina Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church on Monday, June 6.

John Bauknight ’89 of Spartanburg, David G. Johnson ’98 of Spartanburg and Dorothy Acee Thomas ’96 of Gainesville, Florida, were elected during the church’s annual meetings June 5-8 in Florence.
“Our newest trustees have generously shared their time with the college over the years, and we are fortunate to have these alumni leaders on the board,” says Dr. Nayef Samhat, Wofford’s president.

Wofford selects new VP for campus life and student development

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Wofford College is welcoming Dr. Sandra Rouse as its new vice president for campus life and student development and dean of students. She will assume the role on July 18.

Rouse is joining the Wofford community after eight years at Newberry College, where she has served as Newberry’s dean of students and as a member of the president’s leadership team for the past six years.

“Dr. Rouse has demonstrated a commitment to enhancing student experiences, and we look forward to having her leadership at Wofford College,” said Dr. Nayef Samhat, Wofford’s president. “She has extensive experience in all of the areas that she’ll be responsible for at Wofford while exhibiting a knowledge of current trends and new and innovative approaches.”
During her career, Rouse has been responsible for residence life, judicial affairs, security, wellness, counseling services, student engagement, sorority and fraternity life, the first-year experience, campus recreation, leadership programs and postal services. She also has supervisory experience as assistant director of student advising and a recruitment center, director of first-year and retention programs, and associate dean of students.

College Vision, Operations and Enrollment Town Hall webinar

Join President Nayef Samhat and members of the college’s leadership team for a College Vision, Operations and Enrollment Town Hall webinar event at 5 p.m. EST, Thursday, June 23. Register in advance HERE. If you have a topic you would like covered or if you have a question about the college’s vision, operations or enrollment, email WoffordNews@wofford.edu.

We’d like to hear from you

The Conquer & Prevail newsletter began two years ago to keep Terriers connected during the early stages of the COVID-19 pandemic. The college’s Office of Marketing and Communications would like to hear your thoughts on the newsletter. What do you think of the publication’s content and frequency, and is there anything that you’d like to see that’s not included? Please participate in a reader survey and be entered into drawings for Terrier gear.