

# Bronco Regard

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## Kudos

- ❖ DR Majed Al-Ghandour is the recipient of the 2020 Government Civil Engineer of the Year award from the [American Society of Civil Engineers](#). Notes NCDOT Director Van Argabright, Al-Ghandour 'and his team have developed online tools and webinars ... to ensure that all North Carolina municipalities are equipped with the necessary tools to get their money on time.'

## FYI

- ❖ FSU's Career Services will hold a virtual Fall Career Fair on WEDN OCT 7 and THURS OCT 8, from 11am to 4pm each day. To participate, please [register](#) in advance.

## Whatever Happened To

- ❖ Catch Interim Chancellor DR Peggy Valentine's recent '[Chat with the Chancellor: FSU Alumni](#).' In the video we learn the city of Fayetteville's Mayor Mitch Colvin and Commissioner Glenn Adams are planning to revitalize Murchison Road.

## Departments' Doings

- ❖ The late, great Congressman John Lewis visited Fayetteville many times throughout his career. Please view DR Shanessa Fenner's [interview](#).

## The Cyberworld

- ❖ DR Chuck Tryon's interesting exposé '[Sinclair broadcasting as mini-media empire: media regulation, disinfomercials, and the rise of Trumpism](#)' was recently published in the AUG 2020 issue of *Media, Culture & Society*.

## Travel

- ❖ Consider becoming a [Fulbright Scholar](#) as the deadline to apply is SEPT 15. With over 450 awards available across the globe—open to an array of disciplines—opportunities range from two to twelve months. In addition, the International Administration [Seminars](#) foster contacts throughout the world. If interested, please contact The US Fulbright Team at [Scholarsiee@org](mailto:Scholarsiee@org).

## Announcements

- ❖ 2014 FSU History Alumna, Francena Turner PHD 2020, University of Illinois—Urbana-Champaign, has defended her dissertation, 'Black Women and Student Activism at Fayetteville State, 1960-1972.' DR Turner has accepted [Postdoctoral](#) work at the [University of Maryland](#), College Park, where she serves as the Associate for Data Curation-African American History and Culture. Recently, DR Turner has begun research on oral history in diverse contexts.

## Celebrate Students

- ❖ FSU students Elijah Brake, Joseph Brake, Deja Clark-Drew, Tarvars Denning, Ahriana Edwards, Jordan Ferguson, Caleb Heatwole, Ian McLaurin, Ahmahd Moore, Tiana Murphy, and Vanessa Ward will attend the [Thurgood Marshall Leadership Institute](#) in Washington, D.C., OCT14-18, where they will gain [leadership skills](#) and prospects.

## Community In/Out Reach

- ❖ DR Nicole Anthony has been awarded admission to the 2020 [UNC BRIDGES Academic Leadership for Women](#) program. Dr. Anthony will join thirty-five women from varied higher education institutions across North Carolina.

## What's New

- ❖ Chestnut Library is offering both virtual and on-site [operational hours](#). Students, faculty/staff, and visitors are encouraged to search the [online catalog](#) to request materials, and computers are available for use.

## Early Colleges

- ❖ On SEP 29, OCT 27, JAN 26, FEB 23, MAR 30, APR 27, and MAY 11, the [Cumberland International Early College High School \(CIECHS\)](#) will hold their virtual Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA) meetings.

## The Classroom Experience

- ❖ [Current Trends in Education](#) outlines innovative strategies to make the on-line/virtual teaching experience more appealing.
- ❖ 'Can you [Flip an Online Class](#),' offers simple strategies to heighten teaching effectiveness.



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