What’s New
❖ Chestnutt 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.

To include news in next month’s issue, please contact Micki Nyman, mnyman@uncfsu.edu.

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, Ahmad Moore, Tiana Murphy, and Vanessa Ward will attend the Thurgood Marshall Leadership Institute in Washington, D.C., OCT-14-18, 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.

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 expose ‘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.

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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 Scholarslee@org.