



UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA CROOKSTON

U of M Crookston Campus Weekly

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Welcome! The **UMN Crookston Campus Weekly** brings an update of events and important information. This is a fresh take on keeping our community informed. If you would like to have YOUR event featured in this weekly update, e-mail Cassandra Morthera (morth004@crk.umn.edu) by Thursday at 9 a.m. prior to the week of your event. Happy Monday!

Featured Events & Activities

Day of the Dead Celebration: Celebrate Day of the Dead on Wednesday, October 31, 2018 in the *International Lounge* from 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Farm to Table: UMN Crookston will be hosting a unique celebration of northern Minnesota grown and raised foods on Friday, November 2, 2018 from 5-8 p.m.

Student Stories



Callie Schapekahn: She is the lone graduating senior on the Golden Eagle Volleyball team, but health management major, Callie Schapekahn, Eagan, Minn., is well prepared to lead. Read more about Callie [here](#).

Around Campus

Mohamed Yacoub, Ph.D., assistant representative from the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, will present tomorrow at 3:30 p.m. in the Hill 102.

The Crookston Student Association has initiated a Campus Wide Food Drive as a way for the campus to give back to the community leading up to the holidays. The drop off location is the Information Desk located in the Sargeant Student Center.

UMC Employee Benefits Fair: This event will take place on Wednesday, October 31, 2018 from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. in Bede Ballroom. This is a great opportunity for employees to talk to health, dental, pharmacy, retirement, EAP, and wellbeing representatives.

Duo Security: Beginning November 1, 2018, the U of M will adopt the DUO (two-factor authentication). More on creating a secure [passphrase](#).

Academic Affairs is requesting proposals for Spring 2019 Crookston Student Research and Creative Works (CSR/CW) projects. The deadline is Friday, November 16, 2018. In order to encourage undergraduate research on the UMC campus, funding has been set aside for proposals submitted and approved on campus. Visit the academic affairs website 'undergraduate scholarship' tab for information on the program along with the application and faculty mentor recommendation form: <https://www.crk.umn.edu/units/academic-affairs>

Roy Johnson, from the Minnesota Horse Racing Commission and Nutrena Feeds, visited campus last week as well as **Bud Nornes**, Head of the Higher Education Committee of the MN Legislature. Each of them had meetings with Chancellor Holz-Clause.

Souleymane Kouyaté, president of the University of Segou, **Ousmane Konipo**, director of research and **Konimba Bengaly**, professor of animal science, were on campus from Sunday, October 21 until Monday, October 29, 2018 to sign a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to encourage further exploration of ways the two universities can work together.

Congratulations

Congratulations to **John Hoffman, Ph.D.**, vice chancellor who was awarded tenure as a full professor in the Department of Liberal Arts and Education Department at the last Board of Regent's meeting.

Congratulations to the **Department of Liberal Arts and Education** for receiving Full Institutional Continuous Approval for Teacher Education until 2024. Last week the Professional Education Licensing and Standards Board (PELSB)Team was here on campus and granted continued approval.

Sexual Misconduct Training for New Employees

On November 1, the U will begin the next phase of the University's systemwide training to prevent and respond to sexual misconduct. This phase will ensure that faculty and staff hired since last spring are trained, and it establishes a process for training all new hires to the University. The training will be rolled out as follows:

- **Catch-up phase:** Individuals hired after March 2018 will receive an email from training@umn.edu with a link to access the online training module. They will have two months to complete it.
- **Ongoing phases:** Beginning December 1, and every month thereafter, we will assign the training to all new hires in your unit. They will have one month to complete the training.

Weekly Activities

Monday, October 29, 2018

[Northwest Minnesota Arts Council "WE ARE WATER" Workshop](#)

[Meditation Monday](#)

[Knitting Mondays](#)

Tuesday, October 30, 2018

[Color Yourself Calm](#)

[UMC Women's Basketball at University of North Dakota \(Exhibition\)](#)

[QPF Suicide Prevention Training - Open to the Public](#)

[Northwest Minnesota Arts Council "WE ARE WATER" Workshop](#)

[CRU Bible Study](#)

Wednesday, October 31, 2018

[UMC Employee Benefits Fair](#)

[Trunk or Treat](#)

[Hocus Pocus Trivia](#)

Friday, November 2, 2018

[Equine Science Exploration Days](#)

[UMC Women's Volleyball vs Northern State University](#)

[Farm to Table Dinner](#)

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