**Upcoming Events**

**April 27, 2016**  
Groundwater Festival  
MSCX  
Troy University – Troy Campus

**April 28, 2016 7:00 pm**  
Wiregrass Blues presentation  
The Studio – Downtown Troy  
Troy, AL

**May 21, 2016 10:00 am – 3:00 pm**  
NEH Wiregrass Common Heritage Project - Genealogy Workshop  
Dothan Library - Downtown Dothan

**June 2 - 3, 2016**  
Wiregrass Math, Science, Technology, Leadership Academy  
Troy University – Dothan Campus

**June 3 – 9, 2016**  
Youth Leadership Forum  
Troy University – Troy Campus

**June 4, 2016 10:00 am – 4:00 pm**  
NEH WCHP Preserving Family Archives  
Landmark Park, Dothan

**June 4, 2016 – July 15, 2016**  
Leon Levy Expedition to Ashkelon  
Ashkelon, Israel

**June 6 - 8, 2016**  
Wiregrass Math, Science, Technology, Leadership Academy  
Troy University – Dothan Campus

**June 7 – 10, 2016**  
Summer Spectacular Camp  
Troy University – Dothan Campus

**June 7 – 9, 2016**  
EPA Environmental Education Grant Workshop  
Exploring Our Living Streams, Stream Biomonitoring and Water Chemistry Curriculum  
Troy University – Phenix City Campus

**Award Highlights**

**Academic Affairs**

**Confucius Institute**  
Troy University has received a grant from the U.S. Department of Education’s National Resource Center for Foreign Language and Area Studies for the 2016/2017 Chinese Startalk program thanks to Dr. Rui Feng, Dr. Iris Xu, Dr. Earl Ingram, Tobiah Jones and Charles Jones.

**Arts and Sciences**

**Archaeology**  
Five Troy students have been chosen to participate in the Harvard Semitic Museum and Leon Levy Expedition to Ashkelon, Israel. This is the final year the Ashkelon site will be open for archaeological excavation. Congratulations to our student scholars Clayton Johnson, Rebekah Ramirez, Savanna Moore, Whitney Spake, and Ashleigh Williams.

**Biological and Environmental Sciences**  
Troy University’s Earth Week celebration last week was funded in part by Legacy Partners in Environmental Education. Thank you to Beth Ensor and the Environmental Club for the Earth Week activities.

**Political Science**  
The Alabama Humanities Foundation is funding a SUPER Teacher Institute this summer on High School Model United Nations. Congratulations to Dr. Michael Slobodchikoff on obtaining this grant.

**Communication and Fine Arts**

**English**  
Dr. Ben Robertson has been awarded a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities for his continued studies of Elizabeth Inchbald’s plays. Congratulations Dr. Robertson.
June 14 - 17, 2016
Summer Spectacular Camp
Troy University – Dothan Campus

June 18, 2016 10:00 am – 5:00 pm
NEH WCHP Community Scanning
Training 10:00 am to 12:00 pm
Community Event 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm
Dothan Library Downtown

June 19 – 25, 2016
Transition Camp
Troy University – Troy Campus

June 21 – 24, 2016
Summer Spectacular Camp
Troy University – Dothan Campus

June 22, 2016
AHF SUPER Teacher - High School Model
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HAL Hall
Troy University – Troy Campus

June 25, 2016 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm
NEH WCHP Community Scanning
Landmark Park, Dothan

Education

The Youth Leadership forum will receive funding from the Christopher and Dana Reeve Foundation thanks to Drs. Joel Willis, Nick Derzis and Mrs. Karen Jenkins.

John W. Schmidt Center for Student Success
Service Learning and Civic Engagement
Jonathan Cellon and Holly Elkins (Troy student) received funding from Cobank and the Campus Kitchens Project for Troy’s Summer Meal Delivery Program.

Library

Congratulations to Lisa Vardaman who will be attending the Freeman Foundation Summer Institute on Japan studies in Hawaii.

Check our website at www.troy.edu/osp/events.html for event information.