Piekutowski Named Chief Human Resources Officer

Michelle Piekutowski has been appointed associate vice president and chief human resources officer, effective Aug. 28.
CMU Drives Smart Mobility Challenge

CMU's Traffic21 and Mobility21 are sponsoring a challenge that will transform southwestern Pennsylvania into a test bed for mobility innovation with up to $300,000 in awards for municipality projects.

RoboTutor Advances to Global Learning XPRIZE Semifinals

RoboTutor, technology developed at Carnegie Mellon University that teaches children basic math and reading skills, has been named a semifinalist in the $15 million Global Learning XPRIZE competition.
Second Verse: Jones Plays On After Teaching

French Teaching Professor Christopher Jones is retiring June 30 to spend more time at home writing, playing and producing his own music in his backyard recording studio.

Staff Spotlight

Bruce Grafton helps faculty, staff and students stay cool in the summer.

Calendar Highlights

Today

* Competency Highlight: Intercultural Awareness
Fitness Center Tours
July 4
Campus Celebration

July 6
New Hire Orientation

July 12
* Set Up for Success: Onboarding Strategies for New Employees

July 14
* Information Architecture for Web

July 17
Public Meeting on Forbes Avenue Corridor Improvements Project

July 18
* Digital Accessibility: CMS and Your Website
* Professional Development Workshop

Personal Mentions

Bob Dammon and Andrew Moore will discuss the new Master of Science in Product Management program at The Hive in Palo Alto, Calif., on July 6.

Shawn Litster will receive $2 million from the Department of Energy for his research project, “Advanced PGM-free Cathode Engineering for Higher Power Density and Durability.”

Peter Cooke attended his investiture ceremony in Washington, D.C., as a Member of the Order of Australia.

Farnam Jahanian was a keynote speaker at the 47th IEEE/IFIP International Conference on Dependable Systems and Networks in Denver.
Allen Robinson and his research team have found that while newer gasoline vehicles emit less particulate matter, the vapors in the “cleaner” exhaust form particulate matter in the atmosphere long after exiting the tailpipe.

Obituary: Syed Zain Khan, professor of the practice in CMU-Africa, has died.

News Briefs
- CMU Delegation at World Economic Forum
- Andy Award Nominations Due July 6
- CMU Hosts Conference on Belief-Based Utility
- Weight Watchers at Work Starts July 12
- "Tartan Ink" Now Accepting Copy, Print & Ship Orders
- Tennis Anyone?

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