



## Important Reminders

- [Mindfulness App](#) now available to Dartmouth Community - Headspace supplements other wellness services for students, faculty, & staff.
- Thinking about taking courses to advance your knowledge/skills? Check out [Learning Opportunities](#) including workshops, LinkedIn Learning, TED Talks & more!

## Higher Education News

US News & World Report Rankings:

- [The 2022-2023 Best College Rankings Are Out: See Who's On Top](#)
- [A More Detailed Look at the Ranking Factors](#)
- [Why U.S. News May Have to Rethink How It Creates College Rankings](#)
- [U.S. News Rankings Don't Ding Colleges for Lacking SAT and ACT Data in Nod to Test-Optional Growth](#)

[Why Can't We Spend the Endowment?](#) - All these tantalizing millions sit in accounts, but we still might have to cut the budget?

[10 Ways to Rebuild Department Culture](#) - No one seems happy with the level of connection at work after two years of Covid. So how can chairs start repairing the damage?

[Higher Ed's Hiring Crunch Was Already Bad. It Got Worse Over the Summer.](#)

[Despite Sky-High Inflation, No Sign Yet of Surging Tuition Costs](#) - While high inflation continues to bedevil the wider economy, those price increases have yet to translate into significant spikes in college-tuition costs across the nation.

[MIT Professors Propose a New Kind of University for Post-COVID Era](#)

[8 Big Questions As Colleges Start Fall 2022](#) - Will higher ed's financial picture clear? Can campuses innovate? Is a new generation of presidents ready to rise to the moment?

[Study Examines How Colleges Borrow During Times of Crisis](#) - How colleges use debt during times of crisis varies greatly depending on institutional characteristics, according to a new report from Ithaka S+R funded by the TIAA Institute.

[COVID Goes Back to School](#) - As students return to campus, colleges are reporting record-high numbers of COVID cases—but don't expect a revival of heightened safety measures.

## Ivy+ News

[Princeton Ups What It Gives in Aid](#) - Under expansion, most students who have family incomes up to \$100,000 will not pay Princeton anything. And those with family incomes of up to \$150,000 will owe only \$12,500.



[Cornell Sets New Records for Giving and Engagement](#) - New gifts and commitments to the university reached \$924M in FY22, the highest amount raised in Cornell's history and exceeding last year's record-setting total by 12%.

[\\$50M Gift to Accelerate Colton Center for Autoimmunity at Penn Medicine](#) - Center for autoimmune research brings together star faculty, powering the next generation of autoimmune disease advances.

[Duke University Announces the Duke Climate Commitment with Inaugural Gifts](#) - Over \$36 million in initial gifts will launch the Duke Climate Commitment, a new university-wide initiative focused on addressing climate change.

[Show Me the Money](#) - (Duke) Why a \$10+ billion endowment doesn't mean mink hats for everyone, and what it DOES mean.

[New \\$35 Million Fund Will Accelerate the Impact on Society of Northwestern's Nearly \\$1 Billion in Annual Research](#) - Fund will catalyze the commercialization of life science discoveries.

[Research Funding Marks Another High, Growing to Nearly \\$924 Million](#) - Strong support fuels Northwestern's research excellence in fiscal year 2022.

## **Regional News**

[Vermont's Lone Law School Branches Out](#) - After years of declining enrollment and wobbly finances, Vermont Law School is rebranding and expanding its graduate degree offerings. Will the gambit pay off?

[Vermont State University to Cut Tuition By 15%](#) - Trustees approved a base tuition rate for in-state UG's of \$9,999 for fall 2023, essentially dropping tuition by 15 percent for Green Mountain State residents when the system completes a merger next summer.

[Colby-Sawyer College to Slash Tuition by 62% for 2023](#)

## **Dartmouth News**

[Dartmouth Announces Endowment Return](#) - Trustee investment committee chair: The portfolio is well prepared for market volatility.

[Students Hear Plans for North End Housing](#) - Designers answered questions about plans to house 400 undergraduates on Lyme Road.

[Tracey Brant Named Ombudsperson](#) - Role provides impartial support to Dartmouth employees and graduate students.

[Dartmouth Joins NSF I-Corps Hub: Interior Northeast Region](#) - New NSF-funded Innovation Corps Hub aimed at accelerating innovation and translation of research discoveries to the marketplace.



## F&A Professional Development Events

### **C3I Gender Bias Training: Part One (of a 2-Part Series)**

Wednesday, October 12, 10:30 - 11:30 - [Zoom](#)

This introductory session will explore the C3I program, including obstacles to speaking out about bias, and an exploration of the most prevalent types of gender bias. This will be repeated every other month.

Optional Pre-Work and Resources available within our F&A Staff Team within the Knowledge and Community Channel -> Diversity & Inclusion -> C3I Gender Bias Training

### **F&A Professional Development Mini Session: Managing Projects & Change - Part 3**

Friday, October 14, 11:00 - 11:45 - [Zoom](#)

In this session we will focus on Project Planning, from the kick-off meeting, work structure and teams, communication planning, risk assessment, and monitoring & controls.

### **DEIB Discussion - Intersectional Approach to Inclusion at Work**

Wednesday, October 26, 1:00 - 1:45 - [Zoom](#)

In this Diversity, Equity, Inclusiveness, and Belonging discussion we will discuss the article “An Intersectional Approach to Inclusion at Work”, written by Ludmila Praslova. Dr Praslova is an expert in global, cultural, demographic, and ability diversity to help create inclusive and equitable workplaces.

### **Career Path with Rick Mills**

Friday, November 4, 11:00 - 12:00 - [Zoom](#)

We are pleased to announce that our next Career Path discussion will be with Rick Mills, Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration. Rick joined Dartmouth in 2013 after serving as executive dean for administration at Harvard Medical School, but he has not always worked in higher education. Come and hear how Rick made his way to Dartmouth College. This is certain to be an interesting and fun discussion. We hope you can join us.

## HR Professional Development Workshops

Refer to HR's [Course Catalog](#) which lists numerous professional development and Wellness opportunities (courses are now available through **December**).