



Article of the Month:

[10 Ways to Ease Stress, According to Students](#) - What would students do to ease stress if they were responsible for health and wellness on their campuses? Student Voice asked and students answered, with ideas ranging from mental health check-ins and wellness days to study groups and free food.

U.S. News Rankings:

[The 'U.S. News' Rankings Are Here, With an Altered Formula and Few Defectors](#) - Company's leaders are calling this year's revisions "the most significant methodological change in the rankings' history."

[Rankled by Rankings](#) - Shifts in methodology scrambled the usual hierarchy of U.S. News's annual college rankings, prompting a fierce backlash from some higher ed leaders.

['U.S. News' Rankings Not the 'Behemoth' Perceived](#) - A new report says the publication's "Best Colleges" rankings play a "notable but decidedly supporting role" in students' college decisions.



Higher Education News

[How to Increase Socioeconomic Diversity at the Ivies](#) - A new report says a 5% increase in low-income students admitted would result in more socioeconomic diversity among Ivy League students.

[After Affirmative Action and Legacy Admissions, Will Early Decision Be the Next to Go?](#) - The practice favors wealthy, white students, but colleges say it helps them plan ahead and recruit more loyal students.

[Tuition Resets Continue Amid Public Skepticism of College's Value](#) - Bridgewater College in Virginia and Wartburg College in Iowa are two of the latest institutions to announce drastic cuts to their tuition sticker prices.

[Limited Remote Work Options a Big Driver of Staff Turnover](#) - A new report shows that turnover among nonfaculty higher ed workers has nearly doubled since FY21.

[What Will Determine AI's Impact on College Teaching? 5 Signs to Watch.](#)

[Grad Worker Unionization Is Booming, Even Down South](#) - Organizing is surging into private universities, and strikes have increased as well.

[Fitch Ratings Predicts More Closures, Mergers](#)



[What the Public Really Thinks About Higher Education](#) - Colleges haven't lost the argument. New national survey shows where people aren't convinced.

[Despite National Pushback, West Virginia Will Cut Faculty, Programs](#) - A month of intense public and on-campus pressure did not dissuade the Board of Governors from siding with the administration to slash programs and positions.

Ivy+ News

[Ten for One - A New Strategic Vision for JHU](#) - Johns Hopkins has unveiled the final version of its new strategic vision, the Ten for One, a broad and bold reimagining of the university's aspirations, its pursuit of purpose, and its support of people.

[Johns Hopkins Researchers Play Lead Roles in Epidemic Preparedness Project](#) - Johns Hopkins Center for Health Security has received a 5-year, \$23.5M award from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Center for Forecasting and Outbreak Analytics to conduct an epidemic preparedness project.

[Brown University to review legacy, early decision and test-optional admissions](#) - Colleges are reconsidering which applicants get priority following the Supreme Court's ban on race-conscious policies.

[UChicago Medicine breaks ground on state's first freestanding cancer center](#) - Chicago mayor, other leaders gather to celebrate \$815M South Side project.



[Kellogg creates first research institute applying complexity sciences to unlock new understandings of societal, market and business issues](#) (Northwestern) - Funded by a \$25M gift, the Ryan Institute will place Kellogg and Northwestern at the forefront of solving increasingly complex societal, business and market challenges by harnessing the power of big data and artificial intelligence.

[Northwestern to receive \\$50 million to study life sciences using mathematics](#)

[Yale Reaches Agreement on Affirmative Action Case](#) - Students for Fair Admissions dropped its lawsuit against the university after Yale agreed to make significant changes to its admissions policies.

[Task force recommends new undergraduate admissions practices](#) (Cornell)



[Blavatnik Family Foundation Gives Additional \\$40 Million to Yale Innovation Fund](#) - Gift will increase the number of research awards available to Yale scientists, support a wider range of biomedical innovations, and reach deeper into the Yale community to support new and innovative research.

Dartmouth News

[Sian Leah Beilock Inaugurated as Dartmouth's 19th President](#) - First woman to lead Dartmouth issues a visionary call to action.



[Board Prioritizes Mental Health and Other Presidential Initiatives](#) - Trustees celebrated the Inauguration of Sian Beilock as Dartmouth's 19th president.

[A New Plan for Undergraduate Housing on West Wheelock](#) - Revised zoning rules have created an opportunity to add beds near the central campus.

[Geisel Receives \\$16.2 Million Grant to Study](#)

[Healthcare Inequity in Alzheimer's Disease](#)

[Dartmouth Launches Online Master of Engineering in Computer Engineering](#)



[3 Questions About Dartmouth's First Fully Online Degree](#) - A conversation with Dartmouth Engineering's Alexis Abramson and Coursera's Marni Baker Stein on the new online master of engineering in computer engineering.

[Surgeons General Connect on Mental Health at Dartmouth](#) - Historic panel talked about the importance of community & connection.





F&A Professional Development Events

Note: HR's [Course Catalog](#) lists numerous professional development opportunities - courses are now available through **December**.

DEIB Discussion: Gatekeeping and Imposter Syndrome

Wednesday, October 11, 2:00 – 2:45 - [Zoom](#)

Join us for our next DEIB Discussion which will focus on two articles "[Gatekeeping is good and Everyone Agrees](#)" and "[Mitigating Gatekeeping and Imposter Syndrome with Emotional Intelligence](#)".

F&A Mini-Session: Changes to 2024 Benefits

Friday, October 20, 10:00 – 11:00 - [Zoom](#)

Join us for our F&A Mini-Session – Changes to 2024 Benefits. This session will be a miniature version of the annual open enrollment webinar focusing mostly on what changes are coming in 2024.

Career Path Discussion: Tammy Moffatt

Friday, November 3, 10:00 - 11:00 - [Zoom](#)

Our upcoming Career Path session features Tammy Moffatt, Director of Procurement Services at Dartmouth. Tammy boasts an impressive 36 years of tenure at Dartmouth, with all of those years dedicated to serving in Procurement Services. Rest assured, Tammy has a wealth of captivating stories and valuable insights to offer. Join Us!

Coffee Break: Job Shadow Program Discussion

Friday, November 10, 10:00 - 10:30 - [Zoom](#)

Have you ever thought about getting involved in the Job Shadow Program? Join us for the F&A Professional Development Coffee Break focused on the Job Shadow program! This casual discussion will provide an excellent chance for participants to learn more about the program, connect with individuals who have firsthand experience with job shadowing, ask questions, and gather insights on how to select someone to shadow. So, grab your coffee and engage in this informative discussion with us.

Save the Date: Fall Professional Development Half Day Program

Friday, December 8, 12:00 - 4:00 - Hayward Lounge, Hanover Inn

