# ACADEMY MONITOR

### TRANSITION TO A NEW ACADEMY SITE

Admiral Carol Thompson Vice Commandant/ Support Coordinator

The wait is over! The Support team and the faculty have worked diligently for over a year to bring to the Fleet a user-friendly, upto-date site for administering all Academy's operations.

The new site opened to the Fleet on May 1, 2017, and the current site will instruct you to go to the new site.

There will be a bit of a learning curve, but this system, with a Moodle foundation, is used all over the US and UK for Academic administration. Our system is a UK-based program, so will have British spellings.

We have chosen the most simple tools to allow the Fleet to take courses either by e-mail, as done now, orby an automated grading system, which will replace Greg Staylor's FAC.

There is a lot of information posted on the main site for the Fleet without your having to create an account and login.

Under INFORMATION on the right

are a number of downloads open to the Fleet.

HOW TO TAKE A COURSE and FAC LISTING are two manuals you should download before you login/create an account.

We invite you to create an account now, if you already do not have one as a member of the staff and faculty, then have a look around. Be aware that each application is put into PENDING until one of us admins check your SCC and membership status, and confirms your registration.

Questions may be directed to one or more of the following admins:

Carol Thompson, Support Coordinator at betazoid@mosquitonet.com

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#### OUTSTANDING STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

JANUARY **MICHAEL STELZER** 

> FEBRUARY **DAVID PURKS**

> MARCH **DAVID PURKS**



So much is going on since the last edition it is hard to know where to begin.



First is to thank all the people who have been working with Carol T h o m p s o n getting the new system ready to go. Their work is impossible to

detail, and I will not even try. All I can say there are things being done that will serve the Academy for a long time to come.

On top of all this we are working diligently to get as many courses in the Medical institute open to the membership. STARFLEET Medical has been having to make many adjustments since we closed the former College of Medicine and did the rewrite. The wide range of material they now have to choose from will keep them going for a while. The members taking the medical courses can take heart that we are moving as fast as we can to get things opened. The interest in the courses has been outstanding and people have been ask to be informed whenever another set of courses become open.

We have been having a few of our directors and deans having to take some time off for real life reasons, and as much as they are being missed and prayers for their quick return, we, the few who serve at the top, miss their presence. Everyone at the Academy regardless of the position works hard, and there are few real life organizations who match the dedication we share at the Academy. No one is unimportant and it needs all of us to work smoothly.

It is drawing to the time when Regions hold their summits and the 2017 IC looms not that far ahead. Because of our wide spread group, many of us would like to attend these group meetings, but there are some who just can't make all that we would like to. If you are a member of the staff of the Academy from Assistant Directors to Directors, Deans and above who are going to be able to attend any of these functions, please let me know. We would hope you could talk about the Academy and spread the word. Also, I would like to hear from people who have attended the summits and the IC. Carol and I are unable to attend this year but will be taking an interest in what is going on.

Thank all of you again for your time and great efforts in keeping the Jewel of fleet shining.

Admiral Glen Diebold Commandant, STARFLEET Academy





### FROM THE DESK OF THE SUPPORT COORDINATOR ADMIRAL CAROL THOMPSON | VICE ACADEMY COMMANDANT

By the time you read this, many goals outlined here will have been reached.

#### SUPPORT STAFF

As soon as the results of the election were known, and Glen Diebold appointed me to this position, I began to assess the needs of both Academy and the Support Department, so that we could back up Academy operations in an efficient manner.

It was necessary to recruit more staff for the various records we keep and to help the Electronics Department with the huge tasks of completing the projects that were begun the previous year. Dividing up the tasks among assistants and data entry people was a primary goal.

Efficient communications among the members of Support was the second goal, so that documents changes, website access changes, and database and website changes could be made in a timely manner.

By ensuring that every Support member knew his/her duties, and developing a centralized Archive site, we could supply Directors and Command needed information on a moment's notice.

Support will continue to evolve to meet the needs of the Staff and Directors of Academy in the years to come.

#### ACADEMY WEBSITE

For well over a year, the Support Team has worked with an educational program, called Moodle, which is designed to administer exams and handle Academy operations. Our current operations were scattered across three

servers and many web pages, so we wanted to consolidate them into one program.

Moodle is used in many Schools and Colleges in the US and UK, from Kindergarten through Graduate School. It offers us many options from the simple, to all-encompassing. So we identified the basic operations that STARFLEET Academy has used over the years, and went with what has worked the best for us

The Moodle program was then installed onto Kevin Plummer's Webhosting account in Hostgator.

A previous attempt at managing Moodle on SFI's Site 5 failed, and so we decided to develop the site separate from any other operations. Another issue was the sheer number of people who needed daily, interactive, access to Academy to administer exams and update colleges and Archives. In my opinion, having both the SFI Database and Academy operations under one umbrella is unwise. Should Site 5 go down, ALL SFI operations are down, with no service whatsoever to the Members.

While on Kevin's account, the Team began the arduous task of inputting the curriculum, with the help of staff and directors who were familiar with Moodle. There was a lot of learning, trying a number of ways we wanted the program to work for us, and finding shortcuts. Meanwhile we created working manuals, updating them as we learned more efficient ways of operating.

In January, our main goal was to get the program to send out notices to both students and Directors about exam activity. So it

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was necessary for us to put the program on its own domain, and give Academy its own account. Hostgator offered us a generous 3-year start up plan, which I gladly paid in advance, and Kevin, with the help of Chris Hart, an IT in real life, migrated the program over.

Since then, a number of staff and faculty familiar with Moodle have helped us input the curriculum, including the FACs, the Archives, and other important files to the new site.

At first, the task was overwhelming, requiring several people many hours to finish. By the end of March, we had the standard certificates input and assigned to the Courses, and had the notification system working well.

By this time, it looked like we would be able to open the site to just the faculty and staff to beta-test both email-only courses and automated



courses, which we still call the FAC, in honor of Greg Staylor's original program.

Beta-testing was planned to begin the first week in April, and a date to open to the Fleet based on how well the beta-testing progressed.

#### DATA ENTRY TEAM

In January, I created a Data Entry Team and assigned an Institute to each. Each is a volunteer with varying levels of familiarity with Moodle and/or data entry. The Moodle Team worked up a basic manual for these folks to help out their assigned Institutes update their Colleges. Directors who are able, do not have to use the data Entry person to maintain their own Colleges. Jayden Tyronian is in charge of this team, and once Moodle is up and running, he will parse out simple work orders to the DET members, so he can work on more IT-related tasks.

Work orders from the Deans will still be logged on SFAServices, and the basic maintenance tasks assigned to the proper DET members.

#### MOVEMENT OF DEAN AND DIRECTOR GROUPS

Because our two Yahoo groups did not allow the admins to directly sub members, and the members who did not have a Yahoo account could not access the groups, I asked Jayden to create new groups with Gmail (Google Groups). We abandoned the Yahoo groups mid-January.

Support is constantly busy providing information and answering questions about the new website. The major support personnel are listed below, but many more people from the faculty help us keep our records updated.

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## ACADEMY NEWS 1st QUARTER 2017

#### **CHANGES IN FACULTY**

Glendon Diebold to Commandant, STARFLEET Academy Carol Thompson to Vice Commandant/Support Coordinator, STARFLEET Academy Patricia Lewis to Academic Coordinator Donald Dobrin to Assistant Academic Coordinator Franklin Newman III to Assistant Support Coordinator



#### PROMOTIONS

Josephine Fisher to Commodore Jude Peace to Commander



#### **CHANGES IN PERSONNEL**

Deanship IOLSS – Lisa Cole

Deanship of the Institute of Technology – Donald Dobrin Deanship of the Institute of Sci-Fi Entertainment – Jayden Tyronian Director of the College of Oceanography – Robin Fleming Director of the College of Alien Contact – Cher Schleigh Director of the College of Animal Trivia – Rosa Jackson Director of the College of Star Trek Actors – Cher Schleigh Director of the College of Evidence – Pamela Nery Director of the College of Plasma Technology – Shaun Smith

#### **CHANGES IN CURRICULUM**

Closure of the Institute of Special Operations. The IOSO Colleges were folded into Military studies, and the College of SpecOPs in the Movies was retired, with some courses parsed out to other Colleges.

The Institute of Science was split into the Institute of Science, under Darlene Harper and the Institute of Technology under Donald Dobrin.

The Institutes of Sci-Fi in Cinema and Sci-Fi on TV were merged into the Institute of Sci-Fi Entertainment under Jayden Tyronian.



First Quarter 2017

learning this job.

I've always been told since I joined Starfleet Academy, if you walk away from the computer, you never know what you're being volunteered for, but you find out when you return. I started the month as Assistant Academic Coordinator and ended it as Academic Coordinator. I'm practically sleeping with my laptop now...

The Academic Coordinator or AC is responsible for the academics and personnel of Starfleet Academy. Nearly two dozen institutes and over 180 colleges have kept me very busy for the first three months of 2017. Trying to memorize all of those, along with who the Deans, Directors and Assistants are, then the acronyms for it all is a time-consuming confusing job. And as soon as I think I got it, it changes.

I can't thank those that administer and maintain the Academy enough. The time and dedication that has been put into STARFLEET Academy is just phenomenal. If it wasn't for their experience, organizational skills, and staying on top of changes, I wouldn't have a chance of So, what have I been up to? Just as I was coming in as AC, the administration felt it was time for a purge of older, unpopular exams. A couple Institutes and Colleges were combined or closed. Quite a chaotic time for memorizing, but I did discover that college acronyms were being duplicated. Donald Dobrin and I started the Acronym Project to create unique abbreviations for each college. The idea was to go with four – six letters, and to work away from the need to always start them with the letter "C". We thought it would be nice to have the newer acronyms try to give a small hint to what colleae they represented. Everyone wasextremelyunderstanding and helpful with that project, and we are nearing the end, with just a few colleges to complete.

Next to hit was the MSR Director and Dean reports. January's reports were coming in, but trying to find out who and what they were for was one of the most time-consuming jobs I've done for the Academy. The problem was the MSR file names and the Email subject lines were all over the place. No consistency. Once we got that straightened out, February and March MSR reports were much easier to find, read, and log. Thank you for everyone's continued cooperation with the correct report file naming.

The Moodle Team spent January – March working hard to get the Academy Online ready for betatesting and to open on May We encouraged as 1st. many Directors as possible to convert their exams to multiple-choice or True/False and enter them into Moodle as FAC exams. Once the Academy Online opened and Directors go to see how it worked, more Directors have opted to add their exams as FACs. For those wondering, there is a FAC list on the front page, that will tell you which colleges have some of their exams online, and which are still email.

Also, coming along nicely is thenewInstituteofAlternative Medicine, which will house the College of Chiropractic Services, Mortuary Science, and Traditional Medicine. A new language, Azerbaijan was added to CILS. The College of Medicine (CMED) is writing like crazy, and has some fabulous exams that will be available. I joined a group formed to write exams for the upcoming College of Musicals. The Science Fiction TV Cinema and

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Colleges were combined to make the Institute of Science Fiction Entertainment (IOSFE). The Institute of Science Fiction Literature (IOSFL) was folded into the IOSFE and that's where you will now find the Colleges of Dune, Robots, Foundation, Sci-Fi Authors, and the soon to open PERN.

The Academy is always looking for new Directors and Assistant Directors. If you are interested in what the qualifications are, email me at roseshakara@gmail. com or Carol Thompson at



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There is so much more, but I'll save it for the next issue of the Monitor coming out in July.

Adm. Patricia Lewis Academic Coordinator

#### STAR TREK ON TWITTER

Here is a short sampling of our Star Trek friends who have verified accounts on Twitter.

The	William Shatner	Patrick Stewart	Scott Bakula
Captains	@WilliamShatner	@SirPatStew	@ScottBaklua
	Jonathan Frakes	Kate Mulgrew	George Takei
	@jonathansfrakes	@totallykate	@GeorgeTakei
The	LeVar Burton	Michael Dorn	Nichelle Nichols
Crew	@levarburton	@akaWorf	@NichelleIsUhura
	Tim Russ	Jeri Ryan	Marina Sirtis
	@timruss2	@JeriLRyan	@Marina_Sirtis
	Brent Spiner	Garrett Wang	Wil Wheaton
	@BrentSpiner	@GarrettRWang	@wilw
The "Admiral"	Walter Koenig @GineokwKoenig		
The New	John Cho	Zoe Saldana	Zachary Quinto
Kids	@JohnTheCho	@ZoeSaldana	@ZacharyQuinto
The	Gates McFadden	Robert Picardo	
Doctors	@gates_mcfadden	@RobertPicardo	
The	Rene Auberjonois	Terry Farrell	Chase Masterson
Station	@reneauberjonois	@4TerryFarrell	@ChaseMasterson
	Armin Shimerman @ShimermanArmin	Nana Visitor @NanaVisitor	
The Smart	Rod Roddenberry	Denise Okuda	Michael Okuda
Folks	@Roddenberry	@DeniseOkuda	@MikeOkuda

Admiral Carol Thompson Vice Commandant / Support Coordinator

#### 1st QUARTER GRADUATES January 1, 2017 through March 31, 2017

6,410 graduates. Last quarter: 7,145 graduates.)

Approx 2,137 grads per month. (Last quarter: 2,382.)

Numbers after names indicate number of courses passed in that Institute. Numbers are approximate.

#### **ALTERNATE MEDICINE**

Franklin Newman (11) James Herring (11) Cher Schleigh (11) Glendon Diebold (11)

#### **ALIEN STUDIES**

Abner Sutton (6) Alicia Muhammad Andrew Lynch (5) Bianca Wright (2) Billy Law (5) Brenda Smith (2) Bryan Jones (5) Carolyn Kaberline (3) Catherine Weeks (7) Chance Walker Chris Lynch (2) Cindy Hull (4) Collin Otteson (4) Dave Purks David Whitford (19) Diana Wolf (2) Douglas Roach (2)

Eilidh Montgomery Eric Johannson (7) Eric Willette (4) Gerry Knight Heather Fikes (20) Heidi Yergin (2) Himilce Jackson (2) Hunter Hughes Ian Novotny James Ferguson (11) James Herring (13) Jan Bovier (6) Javier Blazquez Karen Mitchell Carothers (4) Katherine Colling (6) Kendall Caminiti-Hess (9) Kevin McNeillie-Welsh (3) Laura Callahan (3) Lowell Whitaker (2) Lyndsey Ashman (3) Lynn Cowan Maryse Quinn (2) Natasha Kent (13) Paul DeHart Richard Marsh (6) Richard Sams (5) Russell Ruhland (6) Sean Williams (3) Stephen Boggs (6) Teresa Cox (2) Tracy Mengel (3) Wayne Cassity (6) Yasel Lopez (3) Yesenia Lopez (2)

#### **CADET STUDIES**

Cynthia Lightheart (2) William McGrath (2) Coston Nery (3)

#### FANTASY, HORROR, SUPERNATURAL

Ben Dransfield (6) Brian Crist Charles Fabiszak (3) Cindy Hull Collin Otteson (4) Dave Purks Douglas Roach (4) Elizabeth Worth (10) Gerry Knight Guy Mackey (3) Ian Novotny Jeremy Skelton (3) John Bevan (2) Lynn Cowan Michael Stelzer (54) Morgan Hahn (16) Natasha Kent (3) Nina Nauyen (27) Paul DeHart Peggy Eubanks Tracy Mengel (7)

## HISTORY & GOVERNMENT

Angela Landry Ash Hulme Brad McRobert Carl Kent (7) Carol Thompson (6) Chris Lynch Cindy Hull Dave Purks (2) David Goldsberry (3) Donna Jarrett Franklin Newman (9) Glendon Diebold (9) Heather Fikes (6) James Ferguson (4) John Bevan (3) Marcus Cupps Michael Stelzer (13) Nicki Caulfield (2) Pamela Nery (3) Paul DeHart Phillip Gilfus (3) R Bedford (3)

Richard Hewitt (3) Robin Fleming (3) Thom Bennett (6) Yohan Caulfield (2)

## INTELLIGENCE & ESPIONAGE

Angela Landry Brad McRobert (3) Brian Crist (3) Chris Carothers Cindy Hull (4) Dave Purks (2) Donald Dobrin (4) Douglas Roach (3) Drew Sanford (2) E. Jerry Beaulieu Edward McQueen (6) Elizabeth Worth (4) Eric Johannson Gerry Knight (43) Gordon Craighead (6) James Davis James Ferguson (21) James Herring Jan Bovier (10) John Bevan (5) Joseph Nevis (2) Jude Peace Kc. Kasserman (12) Kelli Anne Caplette (8) Leo Rogers (16) Marc Jordan Marie Casalaspro (16) Michael Franchi Michael Stelzer (4) Pamela Michaud (5) Pamela Nery (3) Paul DeHart (5) Rezty Felty (3) Richard Marsh (40) Richard Sams (5) Robert Zane (5) Robin Fleming (5)

Russell Ruhland (5) Scott Turner (7) Shawn Hatfield Stephen Satonick (9) Thom Bennett (4) Timothy Watters Wallace Cady (2) Wayne Cassity (23)

#### INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

Carol Knight Cher Schleigh Cindy Hull Dave Purks Doualas Roach (2) Franklin Newman Heidi Yerain John Bevan Josephine Fisher Kendall Caminiti-Hess (5) Lynn Cowan Michael Stelzer (2) Pamela Nerv Patricia Lewis Ralph Brigham (4) Richard Marsh (2)



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#### **LEADERSHIP STUDIES**

Abner Sutton (2) AJ Medlock Aleksandra Villepique Alisha Peffer (5) Amanda Austin Amanda Barrow (3) Andrea Cox Andrew Lynch Andrew Reist (2) Andv Kwona Angela Landry (4) Beth Colby Bethany Richards (7) Brandie Dolan (12) Brenda Smith (2) Brendon Milligan Brian Dyl (12) Byron Brimage Caradwyn Ortman Carl Kent (7) Cassandra Phillips (5) Chad Steinberg (2) Chance Walker (4) Charles Fabiszak (13) Charles Phillips Christina Flott Cindy Hull (2) Collin Otteson (6) Daniel Dunn Dave Purks (14) David Marion (5) David Ramczyk David Vazquez Donna Jarrett (4) Drew Sanford Duncan Cameron (2) Dylan Vincent Edward Tunis Elizabeth Gilfillan Erica Smith Erika Stroem (5) **Felipe Santos** 

Fred Wiggins (2) Freddy Mogilka (3) Gabriela Alvarez Gillian Shearwater (4) Hector Martinez Heidi Yergin (14) Hillary Reist Holly Bowler (2) Isis Sutton (2) Jacques van Zyl James Cox (17) James Davis (4) James Herring (7) James Reed (3) Jan Bovier (12) Jane Petrovich Janet Goins Jeanne Renew Jelena Woodell Jesse Taggart Jill Rayburn Joanne Trew Joel Richards (5) John Byrum John Mogilka (12) Jonathon Figains (4) Joshua Dadd (2) Julia White Justin Dohner (2) Kate Regina Katherine Colling (5) Kendall Caminiti-Hess (8) Keri Hopple Kristen Key Kyleigh Burke Lacey Burke Lance Dyl (7) Leatha LaGuardia Lyndsey Ashman Lynn Cowan Madison Spencer Marc Jordan Maria Linden Mark Logan Mark Thomas

Martin Strang (9) Mary Spurlock Megan Stancill Megan Mosses (7) Melony Nelson (7) Michael Allen Michael Aronhalt (12) Michael Martinez Michael McCarthy (2) Michael Rush Michael Stanton (2) Michele Weinstein (2) Mike Ward Nicole Milligan Nina Nauven Patricia Groves Pete Cooper Phillip Shulsky (2) Rayne Vitasek **Richard Bonham** Richard Rudd Robert Hall Rosa Jackson (11) Russell Robertson (11) Russell Ruhland Sean Williams (2) Shannon Arnett Sharon Shulsky Stephen Boggs Stephen Sardeson Teresa Cox Thom Bennett Thomas Lloyd (11) Tim Barrington (5) Todd Kes Tony Bates Tracey S. Harwell Vicki Gore William Massengill William Young (15) Zachary Flott (2)

#### LIFE SCIENCES

Adam Wenclewicz (59) Andrew Lynch (24)

Cindy Hull Dave Purks (10) David Goldsberry Donna Jarrett (2) Douglas Roach (4) Gerry Knight Heidi Yergin (3) James Davis (2) James Herring Jan Bovier Marc Jordan (3) Martin Lightheart Michael Stelzer (76) Pamela Nery (5) Paul DeHart (3) Russell Ruhland (11) Sarah Cross Stephen Satonick (31) Steven Bice

#### **MEDICAL ARTS**

Angela Landry (15) Bianca Wright (3) Brenda Smith (2) Brian Landry (25) Carol Thompson (27) Chris Lynch (5) Cindy Hull Dave Purks (29) David Marion (18) David Phillips (4) Ethan Rendleman (3) Frances Smith Franklin Newman (62) Glendon Diebold (45) Heidi Yergin (5) Ian Novotny Isis Sutton (3) James Davis Jan Bovier (5) Javier Blazquez John Bevan (3) John dogdsbody Hardy Josephine Fisher (92) Madison Spencer (2)

Mark Logan (42) Martin Strang Michael Naas (2) Michael Stelzer (5) Patricia Lewis (38) Pennie Golden Ralph Brigham (19) Richard Hewitt (226) Richard Marsh (11) Richard Sams (9) Robert Towne (3) Robin Fleming (97) Russell Ruhland (41) Stephen Satonick (12) TJ Allen (187) Vicki Gore Wallace Cady William Sanderson Yasel Lopez Yesenia Lopez (8)

#### **MILITARY STUDIES**

Adam Wenclewicz (4) Alexander McNeillie-Welsh Alisha Peffer (18) Amanda Barrow (7) Andrea Cox Andrew Reist Angela Landry Anne Zecca (20) Anthony Rumpel Bill Rowlette Brad McRobert (22) Brenda Smith Brian Crist (2) Brian Landry (27) Bryan Jones (69) Byron Brimage Caradwyn Ortman Carl Kent (69) Chad Griffiths (14) Charles Fabiszak (2) Charles Hecker (13) Cher Schleigh (11) Cindy Hull (34)

Daniel Dunn (2) Dave Purks (7) David Beasley (2) David Burkinshaw David Goldsberry (13) David Marion (2) Donald Dobrin (10) Douglas Roach (3) Dustin Erickson Dylan Vincent (2) E. Jerry Beaulieu (3) Edward McQueen (8) Elizabeth Worth (5) Ethan Rendleman (4) Eugene (Gene) Cahill Franklin Newman Franklin Newman (50) Fred Wiggins (2)

Freddy Mogilka (2) Gerry Knight (120) Glendon Diebold (7) Gordon Craighead (5) Guy Mackey (13) Heather Fikes (3) Heidi Yergin (3) Hillary Reist (5) Holly Bowler Jacob Thompson James Cox (2) James Davis (2) James Herrina (15) James Reed (33) James Robertson (2) Jan Bovier (73) Janet McGrath (2) Jarvis Landrum

#### SO YOU WANT TO BE A DIRECTOR ??

Basic requirements are to be at least 18 years of age and have taken OTS and SAOC. Cadets at least 14 years of age may serve with an adult mentor.

To assume a vacancy, you must pass all of the exams in the College, or if a College of 35 to 60 exams, 75% of the exams. Colleges over 60 exams are tested out at 50% with a maximum of 50 exams required.

Assistant Directors must meet the same requirements as the Director.

To direct a College of your own creation, first check the College Catalogue to make certain your idea is not already being used.

If the concept is not being used elsewhere, submit a College outline, exam, and key to the Course Development Contact, Carol Thompson, at betazoid@mosquitonet.com.

Carol will determine where your College fits within the Academy structure and introduce you to your Dean who will lead you through the approval process.

Jason Garrett (2) Jason Schreck Jeffrey Cochrane Jeffrey Stucker (11) John Bevan (17) John Byrum (44) John dogdsbody Hardy (12) John Heer John Mogilka (2) John Wagner (5) Jonathan Wilson (17) Joseph Nevis (24) Joshua Dadd (4) Jude Peace (7) Justin Dohner (2) Kate Regina Kc. Kasserman Keith Whitehead (7) Kelli Anne Caplette (3) Ken Coots (20) Kristen Key (2) Kyleigh Burke (2) Leo Rogers (8) Lisa Cole (13) Marc Jordan (6) Marcus Cupps (3) Marcus Johnston (7) Mary Maricle (2) Matthew Burch (5) Michael Aronhalt (2) Michael Calhoun (2) Michael Kilbey (5) Michael Martinez (2) Michael Stelzer (120) Michele Weinstein (6) Mitch Dunn Nina Nguyen (5) Pamela Nery (6) Patricia Groves Patricia Groves Patricia Lewis (18) Paul Beranek Pete Cooper (2) R Bedford (3) Ricardo Garcia (2)

Richard Hewitt (29) Richard Marsh (55) Richard Sams (21) **Robert Smith** Robin Fleming (3) Ronald Rozier (2) Russell Ruhland (14) Samantha Matons (2) Scott Turner (9) Sean Williams (8) Shawn Hatfield (5) Stephen Boggs (99) Steven Bice (12) Thomas King (3) Timothy Watters (2) TJ Allen (24) Tracy Mengel (4) Warren Thompson (7) Wayne Cassity (1) William Massengill (7) Yasel Lopez (5) Yesenia Lopez Zachary Flott (11) Zebariah Young (3)

#### PERFORMING ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Anaela Landry B'Elanna Valdez (3) Brad McRobert (3) Brian Landry (13) Carol Knight (8) Carol Thompson (4) Cindy Hull Collin Otteson David Goldsberry (17) Dawn Jenkins (4) Elizabeth Worth (11) Franklin Newman (5) Gillian Shearwater (10) Gordon Craighead (4) James Ferguson (4) James Herrina John Bevan (3) Jude Peace (5)

Kate Regina (3) Lisa Cole Marcus Cupps Matthew Boyd Michael Stanton (3) Michael Stelzer (75) Michael Young Nina Nguyen (4) Patricia Lewis Paul DeHart (6) Rebekah Mackey (3) Richard Marsh (2) Rosa Jackson (10) Scott Turner (30) Tracy Mengel

#### POLICE, FIRE, RESCUE

Alisha Peffer (2) Amanda Barrow (2) Andrew Reist (2) Angela Landry Anne Zecca (19) Beverly Lightheart (2) Billy Law (4) Brad McRobert (3) Brian Crist (12) Chad Griffiths Charles Hecker (6) Chris Lovejoy (4) Cindy Hull (3) Dave Purks (6) Donald Dobrin Edward McQueen (4) Eilidh Montgomery (2) Elizabeth Worth (8) Eric Johannson (13) Eric Schulman (19) Gerry Knight (57) Gordon Tenney (5) Guy Mackey (3) James Ferguson (40) James Herring (13) James Reed (2) Jan Bovier (29) Jessica Reynolds (6)

John Bevan (5) John Waaner Joshua Dadd (2) Jude Peace (6) Ken Coots (19) Leo Rogers (3) Lisa Cole (2) Luis Rodriguez Pinto (9) Mark Logan (11) Martin Lightheart Megan Schroeder (2) Michael Stelzer (4) Pamela Nery (12) Paul Dyl (35) Richard Marsh (39) Richard Sams (9) Robert Towne (2) Robin Fleming (7) Scott Turner (5) Stephen Satonick (7) TJ Allen Wayne Cassity (3) William Young (3) Zachary Flott (2)

#### **SPORTS & ATHLETICS**

Angela Landry (9) Catherine Weeks (4) Chris Lynch (2) **Cindy Hull** Dave Purks David Goldsberry (31) Gerry Knight Ian Novotny (3) James Davis Lisa Cole (3) Michael Stelzer Michael Young (2) Richard Marsh (2) Robin Fleming (5) Sean Williams (3) Steven Bice

#### SCIENCE

Amanda Barrow (7) Carl Kent (6) Carolyn Kaberline (2) Chance Walker (10) Cindy Hull Dave Purks (12) David Craycroft (3) David Goldsberry (11) Donald Dobrin (2) Douglas Scott Eilidh Montgomery Franklin Newman (9) George Ann Wheeler (2) Heather Fikes (11) Heidi Yergin (20) James Herrina (6) Jude Peace Judy Waidlich (3) Kevin Kimball (3) Korin Bradford Laura Forgey (11) Lisa Cole (4) Mark Logan (11) Michael Martinez Michael Stelzer (71) Nina Nguyen (5) Patricia Lewis (4) Randolph Revnoldson Richard Marsh Roberta Stavmates Robin Fleming (2) Shaun Smith (10)



#### **SCI-FI ENTERTAINMENT**

Angela Landry Carol Knight (4) Chad Griffiths (6) Cindy Hull (2) Collin Otteson (3) Dan Gaskins (7) Dave Purks (2)

Elizabeth Worth (2) Geddy Hamblen (5) Gordon Tenney (2) Heidi Yergin (3) Ian Novotny James Davis (2) Jayden Tyronian (6) John Bevan (2) Josephine Fisher (6) Matthew Parks (2) Michael Denman (3) Michael Lewis (4) Michael Stelzer (10) Nancy Hall (2) Quinn Griffiths (5) Rebekah Mackey Richard Hewitt (38) Russell Ruhland (4)

#### SCI-FI CINEMA (RETIRED)

Angela Landry Dave Purks Dawn Jenkins Michael Stelzer (5)

#### **SCI-FI LITERATURE**

Angela Landry Cher Schleigh Cindy Hull Dave Purks (2) Eilidh Montgomery James Herring Jayden Tyronian (3) Kyleigh Burke Michael Stelzer (6) Paul DeHart Richard Jolitz (6) Russell Ruhland (10)

#### **SPACE STUDIES**

Abner Sutton (15) Angela Landry Barney Cole (6)

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#### RED ALERT! RED ALERT!

If you are a member of STARFLEET International living in Great Britain, here is a treat for you! (Anyone lucky enough to visit the exhibition, please let us know. We'd love to hear all about it!)

#### Star Trek: The Exhibition - Blackpool

Designed by the stage designer Andrew Edwards, The Exhibition in Blackpool takes audiences on a journey through Star Trek's 50-year history with original props, costumes, scripts, photographs and more.

> July 08, 2016 - November 05, 2017 45-49 Promenade, Blackpool Blackpool, United Kingdom www.startrek.com/upcoming\_events

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Step inside for an extraordinary journey into the thrilling world of Star Trek. Take control of the U.S.S. Enterprise from the Captain's chair in a replica of the Bridge and see yourself magically beamed up from the Transporter room with the free exhibition augmented reality app.

Reconnect with your own spirit of adventure and boldly go!

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#### **JANUARY 2017**



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1	1	FCPT Josephine Fisher	4350	01/23/17	USS Aries	
1	1	FCPT Josephine Fisher	4300	01/02/17	USS Archon	
7	7	ADM Glendon Diebold	4000	01/02/17	Wayne Lee Killough, Jr.	
7	7	ADM Glendon Diebold	3950	01/02/17	Wolf 359	
2	2	COL Adam Wenclewicz	2450	01/23/17	Barradas Star	
1	2	BDR Bill Rowlette	2000	01/02/17	Omega Star	
1		ADM Richard Hewitt	1950	01/23/17	Emerald Star	
1		ADM Richard Hewitt	1900	01/16/17	Ruby Star	
1		ADM Richard Hewitt	1850	01/02/17	Sapphire Star	
1		COMM TJ Allen	1650	01/30/17	Topaz Star	
1		COMM TJ Allen	1600	01/02/17	Garnet Star	
1	2	LT Michael Stelzer	1600	01/01/00	Garnet Star	
C	)	COL Ricardo Garcia	1550	01/23/00	Amber Star	
1	2	LT Michael Stelzer	1550	01/17/00	Amber Star	
1	2	LT Michael Stelzer	1500	01/16/17	Trilithium Star	
1	2	LT Michael Stelzer	1450	01/09/17	Platinum Star	
1	2	LT Michael Stelzer	1400	01/02/17	Zirconium Star	
1	2	LT Michael Stelzer	1350	01/02/17	Titanium Star	
6	6	BDR Leo Rogers	1100	01/30/17	Truman Temple	
6	6	BDR Leo Rogers	1050	01/09/17	Bronze Star	
1		CMDR Robin Fleming	1050	01/30/17	Bronze Star	
2	2	VADM Russell Ruhland	950	01/30/17	Emerald	
1		ENS James Ferguson	900	01/23/17	Ruby	
2	2	COMM Bryan Jones	900	01/30/17	Ruby	
1		ENS James Ferguson	850	01/16/17	Sapphire	
1		ENS James Ferguson	800	01/02/17	Opal	
З	3	Chris Lovejoy	750	01/02/17	Pearl	
1		VADM Paul Dyl	700	01/23/17	Amethyst	
1		LT Catherine Weeks	650	01/09/17	Topaz	
1		LCDR Jude Peace	650	01/30/17	Topaz	
Э	3	COL Steven Bice, Jr.	400	01/02/17	Zirconium	
7		CMDR Brian Crist	350	01/16/17	Titanium	
3		COMM Brian Landry	350	01/30/17	Titanium	
3		COMM Brian Landry	300	01/02/17	Dilithium	
2	20	LCDR Richard Marsh	300	01/23/17	Dilithium	
	20	LCDR Richard Marsh	250	01/02/17	Diamond	
Э	3	LTC Donna Jarrett	250	01/02/17	Diamond	
1		LT Mark Spriggs	200	01/02/17	Latinum	
1	2	CAPT Morgan Hahn	200	01/16/17	Latinum	
1		CMDR Gordon Craighead	150	01/02/17	Gold	
Z		PO3 Nina Nguyen	150	01/16/17	Gold	
5		ENS Jan Bovier	150	01/30/17	Gold	
5		ENS Jan Bovier	100	01/02/17	Silver	
1	2	CMDR Stephen Boggs	100	01/02/17	Silver	

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5	ENS Heidi Yergin	100	01/16/17	Silver
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12	FCPT Barney Cole	100	01/16/17	Silver
12	LCDR Douglas Roach	100	01/16/17	Silver
1	ENS Carl Kent	100	01/30/17	Silver
1	LTJG Gerome Knight	100	01/30/17	Silver
5	MID Heidi Yergin	50	01/02/17	Bronze
20	PO1 Mark Logan	50	01/02/17	Bronze
4	Wayne Cassity	50	01/02/17	Bronze
11	LCDR Ash Hulme	50	01/02/17	Bronze
1	LT John Byrum II	50	01/02/17	Bronze
1	LTJG Gerome Knight	50	01/16/17	Bronze
3	LT Kendall Caminiti-Hess	50	01/16/17	Bronze
7	CRMN Billy Law	50	01/16/17	Bronze

#### **FEBRUARY 2017**

13	COMM Franklin Newman III	5650	02/27/17	USS Endeavor
13	COMM Franklin Newman III	5600	02/06/17	USS Drake
10	ADM Carol Thompson	4700	02/06/17	USS Challenger
7	ADM Glendon Diebold	4050	02/13/17	USS Akagi
1	ADM Patricia Lewis	2100	02/06/17	Aldebaran Star
1	ADM Richard Hewitt	2050	02/27/17	Acamar Star
1	ADM Richard Hewitt	2000	02/13/17	Omega Star
12	LT Michael Stelzer	1800	02/20/17	Opal Star
12	LT Michael Stelzer	1750	02/13/17	Pearl Star
1	COMM TJ Allen	1750	02/27/17	Pearl Star
12	LT Michael Stelzer	1700	02/06/17	Amethyst Star
1	COMM TJ Allen	1700	02/13/17	Amethyst Star
12	LT Michael Stelzer	1650	02/06/17	Topaz Star
10	FCPT Donald Dobrin	1450	02/20/17	Platinum Star
4	CAPT David Goldsberry (Dr.)	1350	02/27/17	Titanium Star
4	CAPT David Goldsberry (Dr.)	1300	02/06/17	Dilithium Star
2	BDR Stephen Satonick	1200	02/13/17	Latinum Star
12	ADM James Herring	1200	02/13/17	Latinum Star
7	COMM Cher Schleigh	1200	02/27/17	Latinum Star
1	CMDR Robin Fleming	1100	02/20/17	Truman Temple
3	Chris Lovejoy	800	02/06/17	Opal
7	CAPT Pamela Nery	550	02/06/17	Amber
2	BDR Anne Zecca	450	02/13/17	Platinum
12	LCDR John Bevan	350	02/06/17	Titanium
20	LCDR Richard Marsh	350	02/20/17	Titanium
5	ENS Jan Bovier	200	02/20/17	Latinum
3	FCPT Angela Landry	150	02/06/17	Gold
5	ENS Heidi Yergin	150	02/06/17	Gold
1	LTJG Gerome Knight	150	02/20/17	Gold

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7	LCDR Maryse Quinn	100	02/06/17	Silver
4	Wayne Cassity	100	02/13/17	Silver
20	PO1 Mark Logan	100	02/13/17	Silver
2	LTJG James Davis	50	02/06/17	Bronze
8	LCDR Andrew Lynch	50	02/06/17	Bronze
5	PO3 Yohan Caulfield	50	02/06/17	Bronze
5	ENS Brad McRobert	50	02/27/17	Bronze

#### **MARCH 2017**

COMM Franklin Newman III	5700	03/21/17	USS Endurance
COL Adam Wenclewicz	2500	03/14/17	Bellatrix Star
ADM Richard Hewitt	2150	03/27/17	Alpha Centauri Star
ADM Richard Hewitt	2100	03/14/17	Aldebaran Star
LT Michael Stelzer	1900	03/14/17	Ruby Star
LT Michael Stelzer	1850	03/06/17	Sapphire Star
COMM TJ Allen	1800	03/14/17	Opal Star
ADM James Herring	1300	03/21/17	Dilithium Star
ADM James Herring	1250	03/06/17	Diamond Star
CAPT Robin Fleming	1150	03/21/17	Gold Star
VADM Russell Ruhland	1000	03/06/17	Omega
CMDR Elizabeth Worth	1000	03/27/17	Omega
RADM Bryan Jones	950	03/27/17	Emerald
CMDR Jude Peace	700	03/06/17	Amethyst
LT Chad Griffiths	600	03/27/17	Garnet
CAPT Kelli Caplette	550	03/14/17	Amber
LTJG Cindy Hull	500	03/06/17	Trilithium
LCDR Richard Marsh	400	03/21/17	Zirconium
ENS Jan Bovier	300	03/21/17	Dilithium
CAPT Chris Lynch	300	03/27/17	Titanium
ENS Jan Bovier	250	03/14/17	Diamond
LT Gerome Knight	250	03/21/17	Diamond
CAPT Ken Coots	250	03/21/17	Diamond
FCPT Robert Towne	250	03/21/17	Diamond
LTJG Gerome Knight	200	03/14/17	Latinum
CMDR Stephen Boggs	200	03/21/17	Latinum
LT Scott Turner	150	03/06/17	Gold
LGEN Rosa Jackson	150	03/06/17	Gold
ENS Carl Kent	150	03/14/17	Gold
COL Marcus Cupps	150	03/27/17	Gold
ENS Joseph Nevis	100	03/14/17	Silver
ENS Dave Purks	50	03/14/17	Bronze
CAPT Amanda Barrow	50	03/21/17	Bronze
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Lt Cmdr ANDREA DEBRESTIAN

DIRECTOR, COLLEGE OF CHAPTER DEVELOPMENT COLLEGE OF STAR WARS - COLLEGE OF SPORTS HISTORY - NFL COLLEGE OF ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY

Interview by Admiral Patricia Lewis

PL: Andrea, thank you for agreeing to be our STARFLEET Academy Director featured this issue in "Getting to Know You" in the Academy Monitor. I have to start out with the standard auestion, because I love to hear the huge variety of answers, how did you get introduced to the television show Star Trek?

AD: When I was young, I knew of The Original Series, but it was when The Next Generation aired its re-runs in the mid-90's that I found the prime time soap opera that I never knew I needed. Until I did.

#### Which is your favorite of the different Trek movies and series. Do you read the Star Trek novels or comics?

TNG. Though I have a newfound appreciation for TOS and Voyager, thanks to Netflix. I also have now seen all of the movies, but Khan is still my favorite of those. I have not read any, but I am interested to see the animated series some day.

#### Go to any conventions? Have you met any of the Trek actors or guest stars?

Uh..... yes. Once. Also, it depends upon what your

definition of "met" is. In a Broadway theatre. I was in line at the box office, and in front of me was a short. bald man. He turned around and... walked right by me as I stood frozen with my jaw dropped. Thankfully no words were exchanged. Because... apparently I get too worked up in front of my idols.

So yeah... long ago... there convention. was bv a Creation, I think... and I went with my pal Ryan. I was so

I thought that would seem too clingy and stalker-ish, so, with lack of a plan of what to convey during the few, precious moments in her presence... my curiosity took control of my brain and forced my mouth to blurt out, "Is Michael Dorn married?" To which she replied, "Oh, dear, I think you're a bit too young for him". To which I retorted. a bit offended, "No, I know I look young, but I just turned 21. It's fine." I don't remember anything said after that, but



Maring Sirtis, and we were in my friend pushed me over for line for autographs. I was too his turn, and I looked down to poor to buy an official photo see my thumbprint smudged so I brought two items with her freshly-wet-black-marker me. Can I just stop the story signature on my bookmark. right now? ... No? ... Ok, so... I finally get up to her table, Later, during her panel talk, and... instead of professing she did shout out to me when my profound adoration of her it came up that Michael Dorn and what warmth and depth liked chocolate chip cookies. she brought to the role and how I related with everything Troi went through... I guess

psyched to see my idol, when I took my items from her,

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I was too traumatized to go to a convention again. Maybe someday.

#### How did you find out about the STARFLEET International Fan Association, and what made you want to join?

Someone on the internet mentioned it, so I knew it must be true, and I googled until I found it. I read the full SFI website, researched nearby chapters and checked the SFA page. I wanted to join so I could fulfill my fantasy of being a Betazoid counselor on a starship with zany awkward crewmembers, diplomatic missions and potentially lethal adventures in the Holodeck. Amazingly, this has not yet come to fruition.

#### What interested you about STARFLEET Academy? What courses did you start out taking?

I longed to explore strange new languages, to seek out new trials and new tribbleations. I began with the Institute of Alien Studies, quickly followed by Officer Training School and SAOC. I also ordered Star Wars, but never received them. However, I was kept busy with Klingon physiology, Orion customs, and obtaining the certification.. Counselor's and correcting errors along the way.

#### become a Director?

Ikept on sending in corrections on courses, for... months. Finally, the COCD courses asked for feedback, so I sent some, and it was appreciated by the director, who was having to step down due to other duties in life, so he suggested I become director, but that didn't happen right away. I had also taken (and corrected) the entire NFL line which was brand new. so I offered to be Assistant to Glen, and within a few months he had faith in me to run it, so that was technically first. MLB tagged along. Then the COCD was approved, and then by late December, I instigated a hostile takeover of the College of Star Wars, and after a stand-off for weeks. a battle ensued, ending 24 hours later with my having 18 courses and done all becoming director, thanks to the superior firepower of my Romulan Warbird. Then there was another unwanted college, and I didn't want it to end up on the Island of Misfit Colleges, so I adopted that one too, but I still am working on its "issues" with the goal of complete mental wellness.

#### Let's close the interview in the same fashion as James Lipton does on Inside the Actors Studio, with an Academy twist, Inside the Academy Walls...

### What is your favorite STARFLEET Academy subject?

Languages. The slang ones

have me rolling on the floor laughing. How to speak Australian!

### What is your least favorite STARFLEET Academy subject?

I'd say the Radio School–I still disagree with some of those answers (it was through the FAC).

## Which is your favorite Star Trek series?

TNG (That's already asked above, just saying)

#### What is your all-time favorite Star Trek episode out of all the series?

Trouble with Tribbles (followed closely by Trials and Tribbleations)

#### What is your least favorite Star Trek episode out of all the series?

Oh gosh. So many to choose from. In Enterprise, when Trip is stuck in the pod for a few days... (the episode is titled "Shuttlepod One", apparently), and he uses mashed potatoes to plug a hole in the hull. I mean... come on. I wanna see proof that's possible in the laws of physics, and yes, I've looked online and still no definite answer. But moreso... (SPOILER ALERT) I really expected that he would be a goner, only to be let down, yet again.

If you could be any alien race we've seen in Star Trek, what

When and how did you

### BRIDGE OFFICER'S CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

**Commodore Franklin Newman III** Chief of Recognition Services

#### **JANUARY 2017**

#### **FEBRUARY 2017**

Richard Sams	CTO	02/01/2017
Richard Sams	CWO	02/01/2017
Carl Kent	SO	02/04/2017
Carl Kent	ХО	02/06/2017
Jude Peace	CEO	02/17/2017
Jude Peace	СМО	02/17/2017
Jude Peace	COO	02/17/2017
Jude Peace	CSEO	02/17/2017
Jude Peace	CSCO	02/17/2017
James Herring	ХО	02/17/2017
James Herring	SO	02/17/2017
James Herring	CWO	02/17/2017
Carl Kent	СО	02/19/2017

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James Herring	CSCO	02/20/2017
James Herring	CSEO	02/26/2017
John Bevan	COUN	02/26/2017
Cindy Hull	CO	02/27/2017
Cindy Hull	ХО	02/27/2017
Cindy Hull	SO	02/27/2017
Jude Peace	CCO	02/28/2017
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Jude Peace	FCO	02/28/2017
Carl Kent	FCO	02/28/2017

#### **MARCH 2017**

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Dave Purks	CSCO	03/19/2017
Karen Mitchell-Ca	rothers	
	CSCO	03/19/2017
Karen Mitchell-Ca	rothers	
	CEO	03/19/2017
Abner Sutton	CCO	03/21/2017
Cindy Hull	CWO	03/22/2017
Brian Crist	CSEO	03/22/2017
Brian Crist	CWO	03/22/2017
Cindy Hull	COO	03/25/2017
E Jerry Beaulieu	CCO	03/25/2017
E Jerry Beaulieu	CEO	03/25/2017
E Jerry Beaulieu	CWO	03/25/2017
E Jerry Beaulieu	CSEO	03/25/2017
Dave Purks	CO	03/26/2017



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#### **JANUARY 2017**

DEGREE	MAJOR	DATE
DOC	Law Enforcement Science	01/01/2017
DOC	Federation Studies	01/03/2017
ASSOC	Military Science	01/04/2017
DOC	Intelligence Operations	01/05/2017
DOC	Federation Studies	01/11/2017
DOC	Special Operations	01/14/2017
BACH	Special Operations	01/31/2017
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#### **FEBRUARY 2017**

Carl Kent	BACH	Military Science	02/03/2017
Michael Stelzer	DOC	History & Government	02/03/2017
Michael Stelzer	DOC	Military Science	02/08/2017
Michael Stelzer	DOC	Science Fiction Media	02/11/2017
Heidi Yergin	BACH	Technology Studies	02/14/2017
Michael Stelzer	DOC	Life Science Studies	02/19/2017
Jan Bovier	MAS	Special Operations	02/23/2017
James Herring	BACH	Command Studies	02/24/2017

#### **MARCH 2017**

Michael Stelzer	DOC	Command Studies	03/08/2017
Michael Stelzer	DOC	Physical Science Studies	03/11/2017

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## STARFLEET SCHOLARSHIPS DEADLINE SOON

Tammy Willcox Scholarship Director

Hello everyone!

The June 15th, application deadline for the 2017 STARFLEET Scholarships is fast approaching - only a few weeks left to submit your application for consideration!

If you have already submitted an application, please make sure you have submitted all parts of the application. You cannot be considered for the scholarship if your application is not complete.

Please remember to make sure that you complete the SFI Scholarship Application. If you need the application, contact please me at scholarships@sfi.org and include your SCC# so I can confirm your eligibility. Once I have done so, I will send you the application. The membership requirements specify that you must be a member of STARFLEET for one year prior to the application Therefore, to date. be eligible, you must have joined STARFLEET prior to 6/15/16.

To have your application considered for the 2017 Scholarships you must submit a complete application package which includes the following items:

\* Completed SFI Scholarship Application

\* Brief employment/volunteer resume

\* Three letters of recommendations from with signatures people making the the recommendations. One must come from a member of STARFLEET in good standing that has achieved the rank of Captain or above.

\* An official copy of your latest transcript.

\* Two-page personal essay addressing the following questions:

1. Why are you applying for this scholarship?

2. What STARFLEET activities are you involved in?

3. What other activities do you participate in (academic, athletic, interscholastic, volunteer opportunities, career-related activities)?

There are five scholarship categories:

**Engineering & Technology:** James Doohan/Montgomery Scott Engineering & Technology Scholarship

Medicine & Veterinarian: DeForest Kelly/Dr. Leonard McCoy Memorial Medical & Veterinarian Scholarship Artistic: Gene Roddenberry Memorial/Sir Patrick Stewart Scholarship

Business/Management: Armin Shimmerman/George Takei/ LeVar Burton Scholarship for Business, Language Studies and Education

Miscellaneous: Space Explorers Memorial Scholarship

Applications can be sent via email to scholarships@sfi.org or mailed to:

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## TREK ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME ...

You probably already know that 2017 is the 30th anniversary of Star Trek: The Next Generation, but the year is being celebrated in some unique ways out at the ol' baseball game.



Friday, September 1st will be "Star Trek Night" at AT&T Park in San Francisco. The San Francisco Giants are playing the St. Louis Cardinals and promising "various pre-game and in-game elements will be themed around Star Trek, making you feel like you are stepping right onto the set of this iconic franchise!"

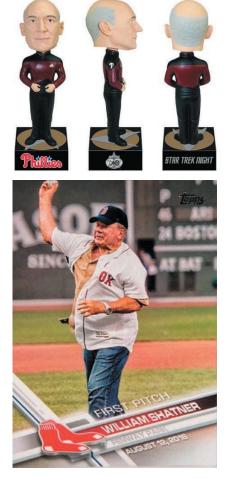
The Giants also note that San Francisco is special to Trek because it's home of Starfleet Command which may be why the Giants have held a number of Star Trek days in the past. If you purchase a special event ticket, you'll get a

collector's edition Star Trek/Giants T-Shirt commemorating the 30th Anniversary of Star Trek: The Next Generation. Find out more information at Giants.com or MLB.com.

On Tuesday, September 26th, the Philadelphia Phillies will be holding a special Star Trek: The Next Generation 30th Anniversary Night at Citizens Bank Park where they will be taking on the Washington Nationals. The first 3,000 fans who purchase tickets will receive a coupon for an exclusive Phillies Captain Picard bobblehead. You can find tickets or more information at the Philadelphia Phillies website (www.phillies.com) or MLB.com.

And, if you're a baseball card collector, you may have found this special gem in your Topps 2017 Baseball Series 1 packs. Last year, several Major League Baseball and Minor League Baseball teams celebrated the 50th anniversary of the original Star Trek series, including one Star Trek Night at Fenway Park in Boston. The Red Sox invited Captain Kirk, William Shatner, to throw out the ceremonial first pitch.

Topps Baseball cards produced a William Shatner "First Pitch" card in the 2017 Series 1 collection this year. The Shatner card is one of twenty celebrity First Pitch cards included in this year's run.



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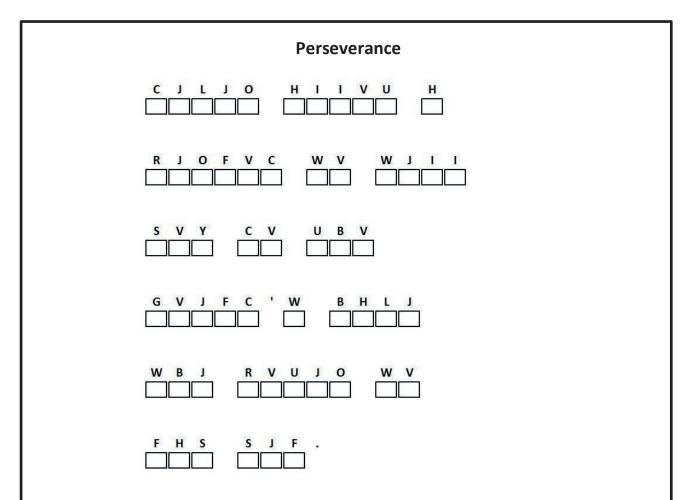
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#### **CRYPTOGRAM**

#### **Gunnery Sergeant Tim Barrington**



Understand the way a cryptogram works. Most cryptograms or cryptoquotes are basic substitution ciphers, meaning that the letters of the alphabet are being represented by other letters. A cryptogram in Klingon wouldn't be any more difficult to analyse than a cryptogram in Bajoran, because the symbols act as patterns in the end. Find the patterns and you'll crack the code.

In general, look for the patterns underneath the letters. Try to disassociate yourself as much as possible from the letters you're looking at.

Cryptograms don't try to play tricks on you, however difficult they may be. In almost all cryptograms, letters will never stand for themselves. In other words, the "X" in the puzzle you're trying to work out definitely doesn't stand for "X" in the alphabet. Solve one letter at a time. It's unlikely that you'll recognize one mess of jumbled up nonsense letters as a particular word right away, no matter how long you look at it. Try to figure out the most likely single letter words, then carry that substitution through the rest of the puzzle, filling in as many blanks as possible with educated guesses, then filling in the remaining blank spaces.

Completing a cryptogram is a slow process that'll require a lot of guessing. You'll weigh a lot of possibilities and make the best guess at the time. If, later, that guess turns out to be wrong, then change it.

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would you be?

#### If you could be a fly on the wall, which Star Trek actor would you like to follow around for a day?

Sir Patrick Stewart. Then I'd get to take selfies with Gandalf and sing duets in a jazz club with Madame Ozell.

## If transporters were real, where would you transport to first?

I don't believe in transporter technology. I refuse to have my atoms scattered back and forth across space by that gadget.

#### Kirk or Spock?

Spock

Special thanks to **Andrea Debrestian** for sharing with us and playing along with Inside the Academy Walls.

Any volunteers for the next issue? Email: roseshakara@gmail.com Patty Lewis, Asst. Editor of Academy Monitor

## The Last Word...

ADM ROBBIE LEWIS MONITOR EDITOR GUY

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Franklin Newman III

This issue of the Monitor is running about three weeks past the time I wanted to have it out. My apologies for the delay, Academy fans.

The following pages are supplied from our Academy IT expert Kevin Plummer, and he's going to explain how to log into the new Online Academy system at SFIACADEMY.org.

Thanks for reading, everybody!

Managing Editor

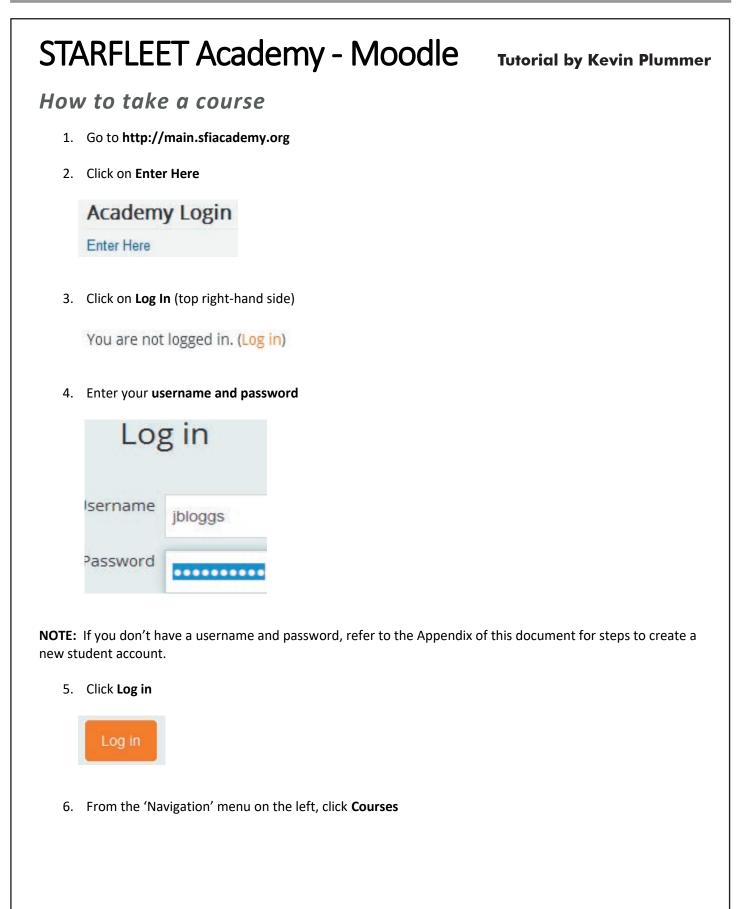
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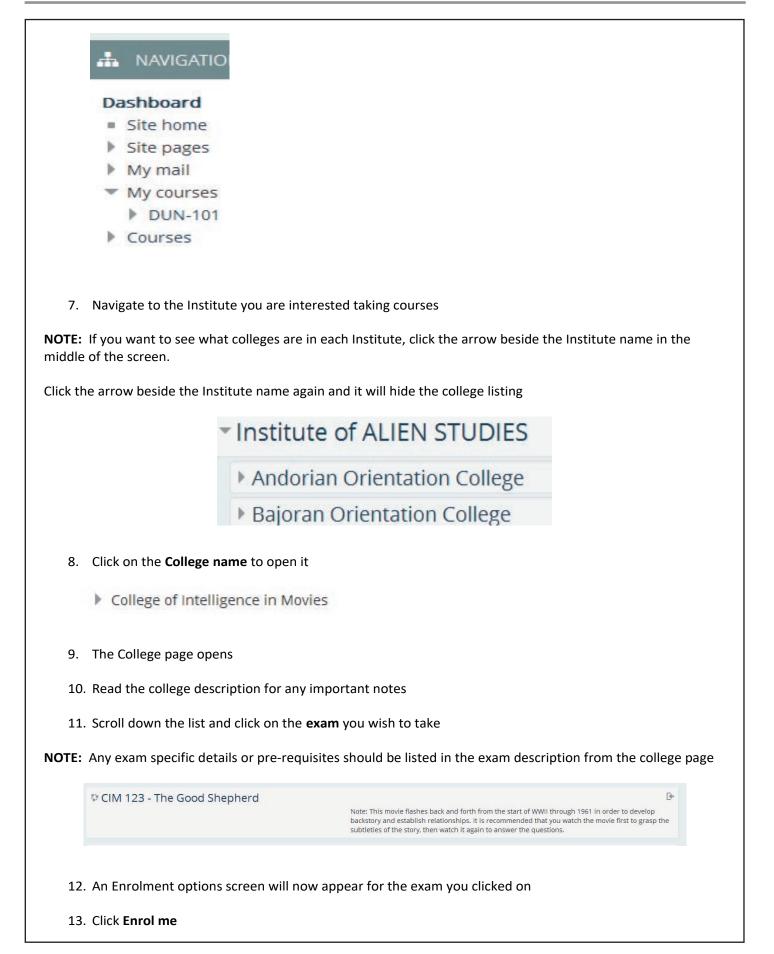


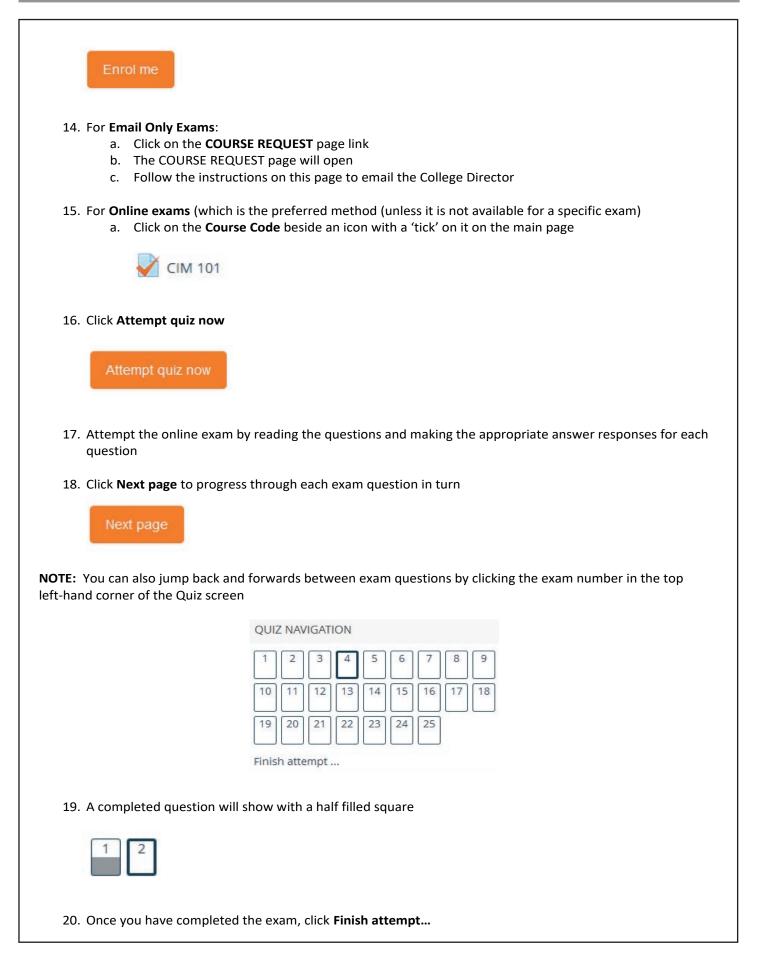
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