



## Dean's Message

Welcome to fall and cooler weather! [Read my note](#) for more details on the latest in our dean search, expansion into Phoenix and more.



## Phoenix Campus Planned

Creighton is constructing a health sciences campus in midtown Phoenix, a significant expansion of the University's current presence in the state. [Watch now](#) and [learn more](#).



## HIV Drug Study

Pharmacy faculty are performing research on treating HIV-1 infection with nanotechnology. [Learn more](#).



## Monahan on Honor Flight

Tracy Monahan, MBA, senior administrator, was on the first Nebraska Female Veterans Honor Flight on Sept. 24. [Read more](#).

## Fostering Success

Amy Pick, PharmD, BCOP, professor of pharmacy practice and director of faculty and staff development,



recently presented, "Grit, Resilience and Happiness: Fostering Success in the Workplace." [Learn more.](#)



## A Space for Healing

Occupational therapy assistant professor Andrea Thinner, OTD, OTR/L, and her students designed a room for survivors of human trafficking. [Read more.](#)



## Scholarship Support Helps

A distance pharmacy student is making an unconventional career transition. [Read more.](#)



## Egyptians Visit Campus

Technology, techniques and collaboration encouraged pharmacy students from Egypt while visiting campus and making the rounds at various clinics and hospitals. [Learn more.](#)

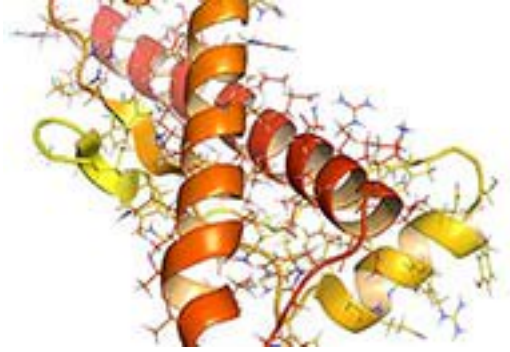


## Skrabal Named Chair

Maryann Z. Skrabal, PharmD, CDE, director of the Office of Experiential Education and associate professor in the Department of Pharmacy Practice, was recently named chair of the American Association of College Pharmacy (AACCP) Experiential Education Section. [Learn more.](#)

## Kincaid Garners NIH Grant

Anthony Kincaid, PhD, professor in the Department of Pharmacy Sciences and School of Medicine, received a



five-year, \$2.44 million NIH grant to look more closely at his prior research on prion proteins' link to infection.

[Read more.](#)



## Doll Named Keynote

Joy Doll, OTD, OTR/L, executive director of the Center for Interprofessional Practice, Education and Research (CIPER), will be the keynote speaker at the World Federation of Chiropractic World Congress in Berlin, Germany, in March. [Learn more.](#)



## Rural Health Advocates

Christina Patefield, PharmD'03, and Mark Patefield, PharmD'05, own an apothecary in their hometown of Laurel, Nebraska, and a pharmacy in Wayne, Nebraska.

[Read more.](#)



## Grant to Aid Opportunities

Creighton University's Department of Health Sciences - Multicultural and Community Affairs (HS-MACA) has been awarded a federal Health Careers Opportunity Program grant for more than \$3 million over the next five years. [Read more.](#)



## AACP Honors Alsharif

Naser Alsharif, PhD'92, PharmD, professor of pharmacy sciences, was honored by the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy (AACP) for outstanding service from the Global Pharmacy Education Special Interest Group. He was recognized for outstanding guidance, service and contribution as chair of the Health Disparities and Cultural Competency Special Interest Group.

## Upcoming Events



- **Oct. 21:** [Des Moines Alumni Mass & Brunch](#), 10 a.m., Des Moines Golf & Country Club
- **Oct. 25:** [Science of Beer](#) (Omaha), 6:30 p.m., Infusion Brewery
- **Oct. 27:** [Alaska OT Association Creighton Reception](#), (10-Year Anniversary), 4:30 p.m., UAA
- **Nov. 10:** [Phoenix Christmas with Creighton](#), 5:30 p.m., Phoenix Zoo
- **Dec. 1:** [Get Blue Basketball](#)
- **Dec. 4:** [ASHP Midyear Creighton Reception](#), 5:30 p.m., Marriott Anaheim

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