Names and changes for the week of May 18, 2014

EDUCATION

The National Academic Advising Association awarded two Virginia Tech faculty members with Outstanding Advising Awards: Terry Papillon, professor of classics and director of the University Honors program, was named winner of the Outstanding Advisor Award – Administrator, and Rosemary Goss, the residential property management advisory board professor in the College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences, received a Certificate of Merit of the Outstanding Advising Award – Faculty Academic Advising.

Alumnus Robert Turner of Blacksburg is the 2014 recipient of Virginia Tech’s University Distinguished Achievement Award.

Marc DeBonis has been named director of a new Collaborative Computing Solutions unit within Information Technology at Virginia Tech.

Mark Pierson, associate professor of mechanical engineering in the College of Engineering at Virginia Tech, has been named the first director of its nuclear engineering program.

Erika Meitner, associate professor of English in the College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences at Virginia Tech, has received a U.S. Scholar Award from the US-UK Fulbright Commission.

Rachel Beanland has been appointed assistant dean of the Williams School of Commerce, Economics and Politics at Washington and Lee University.

Kimberly Whiter, assistant professor in the Jefferson College of Health Sciences Medical Laboratory Sciences Program, has been named one of the American Society for Clinical Pathology’s “40 Under 40” for her achievements in the medical laboratory field.

FINANCIAL

Paula Brown has joined Freedom First Credit Union as senior vice president of mortgage lending.

Grayson Prillaman, senior vice president of the Roanoke branch of Davenport & Co. LLC, has been selected to serve on the American Funds Advisory Council.

OTHER

Barry Fulcher has been elected vice president of Lester Development Corp. of Martinsville.

REAL ESTATE

Long & Foster, Realtors, announced the following agents have joined its Roanoke office: Alesha Allen, Michael Boyd and Glen Cross.

Mike DeGiorgi, Realtor, has joined Lake & Land Realty at Smith Mountain Lake.

TECHNOLOGY

Jonathan Burnham has joined SiteVision Inc. as web applications developer.
Names and changes: Business recognitions, promotions for week of May 11, 2014

- Couple discovers stone circles on property
- Floyd Tiny House tour showcases 6 exceptionally small homes
- A handy flowchart for navigating the college football offseason
- Trucker facing charges after roadside altercation in Salem
- Man arrested after police find weapons in Roanoke airport luggage

BRAND, Thelma West
Thelma (Tickie) West Brand, 83, of Tyler, Texas and fo...

Chatman, Jennie Pullen
Jennie Pullen Chatman, 85, of Bedford, died May 17, ...

SARVER, Dustin Earl
Dustin Earl Sarver, 22, of Parrott, passed awa...

WILSON, Louis Martin
Louis Martin Wilson was born in Akron, Ohio o...
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