Cousik Champions the Harmonies of Nature to Inspire in the Classroom

Rama Cousik produces amazing garden videos and often films new ones using her phone by walking outside her home.

The Purdue University Fort Wayne associate professor of special education in the Department of Counseling and Graduate Education recently shared a clip of female and male goldfinches happily chirping away from a bush in her front yard. The color and the birds’ enthusiasm were as vibrant as any nature channel show.

Dozens of bird species have found a home on Cousik’s property, and she and her husband happily capture riveting pictures of them all. From their perspective, if the birds are happy, the humans will be delighted.
Employee Development Program Open for Registration

Registration is now open for the fall 2023 **Supervise for Success** employee development. This eight-week certificate-based program is designed to help employees build self-awareness and develop key leadership skills. Participants will receive a certificate upon completion.

Full program details are available [here](#). Registration is limited.

Contact Dimples Smith at **smid@pfw.edu** or 260-481-6681 for questions or additional information.

Fee Remission Forms

The Payroll team would like to remind employees to use the email address **payroll@pfw.edu** when submitting all fee remission forms.

In a Snap

*Seen and noted around campus. Monitor our university social feeds for more great moments of Mastodon life.*
Brian Spaulding of Information Technology Services sizes up a shot at the Mastodon Disc Golf Course, as Nick Brand of Well-being and Recreation looks on. This beautiful course, which is highly rated both in Indiana and nationally, is located on the McKay Farm, west of the campus soccer fields.