

For Faculty and Staff

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Success Coaches Prepared to Lead as New Student Orientation Begins

Each summer, student success coaches representing the Office of Admissions at Purdue University Fort Wayne are asked to step forward—and sometimes backward—to set a positive tone for new students. Because of their role, it's not an overstatement to stay the coaches can change futures.

Working as leaders during **new student orientation**, the success coaches are upperclassmen who are the university's foot soldiers. They help facilitate a smooth transition to college life at PFW and also serve as mentors and friends throughout the school year.

"I got the chance to interview every single one of these new coaches, to meet them and get to know them," said group leader Thomas Carroll. "I am so excited to see how much impact they can have on every new student that comes to PFW because I know that each of them is

Good to Know

June Faculty and Staff Portrait Session

Faculty and staff who would like to have portraits taken may do so Tuesday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The photographer will be set up on the north end of the skybridge connecting Helmke Library and Walb Student Union.

From the Field

Several colleges, departments, and programs at PFW publish e-newsletters. Follow these links to read the latest:

Expressions | College of Visual and Performing Arts

In a Snap

Seen and noted around campus. Monitor our university social feeds for more great moments of Mastodon life.



Art and design students in the College of Visual and Performing Arts learn the skills of airbrushing in the second-floor studio of the Visual Arts Building on May 29. Left to right: Kennedy Phillips, Diego Munoz, and Gwyn Widener.

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