Business Professor Visits White House for Council on Women and Girls

On Wednesday, August 5, Texas Southern University adjunct faculty professor S. Srinivasan attended a convening at the White House hosted by the White House Council on Women and Girls and the Council of Economic Advisers. The convening focused on opportunities for the business community and business schools to work together to adapt to the changing needs of the workforce by expanding opportunity for women in business. The convening brought together leaders from the business and business school communities as well as other stakeholders for a conversation on recruiting, training, and retaining leaders for the 21st-century workplace and the importance of implementing policies that work for families.

Sport Management Program Ranked Nationally

Sports Management Degree Guide ranked TSU’s Sport Management Program #19 in its 50 Most Affordable Selective Colleges for Sports Management. Housed in the College of Education under the Health and Kinesiology program and under the leadership of Dean Lillian Poats, TSU’s Sports Management Program is chaired by Dr. Dwalah Fisher. The goal of the program is to prepare students for the workforce and for graduate study. Students learn the importance of wellness and fitness in society. Courses include: Sport Marketing & Promotions; Sport Program Event & Facility Management; Problems in Recreation & Sports; Sports Management Seminar.

Welz Signs Contract with MLB’s Los Angeles Angels

PHOENIX, Arizona- After many sleepless nights and countless days of sacrifice former Texas Southern Tigers centerfielder Zach Welz saw a dream come true this past week as he signed a free agent contract with MLB’s Los Angeles Angels.

Welz signing came as no surprise to his former coaches and teammates who along with friends and family know him best.

“Zach is everything a coach or teammate could ever want out of a baseball player,” said TSU head coach Michael Robertson. “During his time here at Texas Southern he has done everything it takes to achieve great things and his signing with the Angels is a true testament to all of the hard work he has put in perfecting his craft. The future is bright for him and the TSU Tigers baseball family couldn’t be happier and prouder of him.”

SGA President Attends Voting Rights Re-enactment

Texas Southern University Student Government Association President Crystal Owens represented the TSU student body August 6, at a press conference on the re-enactment of the Voting Rights Act coordinated by Congresswoman Sheila Jackson Lee.

TSU News

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TSU's Carter named to Preseason All-SWAC First Team

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. - The Southwestern Athletic Conference officially opened the 2015 football season with its annual SWAC Football Media Day on Friday. The event was held at the Birmingham Marriott and featured the release of the 2015 All-SWAC Preseason Team.

Texas Southern's Cory Carter was a Preseason All-SWAC selection at punter. He was joined by offensive lineman Glenn Jackson who was selected to the second team.

Attending Media Day this year from Texas Southern was head coach Darrell Asberry, wide receiver Malik Cross and defensive lineman Amir Bloom.

Texas Southern was picked to finish in fourth place in the SWAC's Western Division.

TSU Softball Players Earn NCAA Accolades

Texas Southern University women's softball player, Chelsea Guenther, is the 2014-15 NCAA Division I statistical champion for Toughest to Strike Out. In addition, Brianna Simpson, is the 2014-15 NCAA Division I women's softball statistical champion for Sacrifice Hits Per Game. Congratulations to Chelsea, Brianna and Texas Southern University’s Softball Program on these accomplishments. The ladies will receive plaques for the athletics department trophy case.

Last season with the help of both Guenther and Simpson the Lady Tigers softball team repeated as SWAC Western Division Champions before eventually going on to win the 2015 SWAC Softball Tournament in Alabama.

Physical Fitness Awareness Month

Let’s Get Physical

August 14, 2015
10:00 – 12:00
TSU Recreation Center Track

Physical activity (walking, biking, dancing, and gardening) is essential to a healthy lifestyle. Getting and staying active can take as little as 30 minutes a day. The benefits are great! It’s never too late to be active.

Join the Wellness group for some physical fitness fun.
Wear your tennis shoes and bring a team spirit.
There will be prize winning competition.

Walking / Pass the Ball / Hula Hoop Relay / Line Dance

“Get Fit for the Fall”
Sponsored By the Wellness Champions
The Mighty Tigers of TSU have produced conference and national championship teams, All-Conference and All-American players, and a slew of athletes who played in the National Football League—some reaching the pinnacle of football success, from winning Super Bowl championships to being inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

Texas Southern University, in conjunction with the 2015 Homecoming committee, has announced a grand celebration to pay tribute to these legends of the gridiron—Tigers in the NFL - A First and Goal Celebration.

This special event, scheduled for Friday, October 23 at 6:30 p.m. in the H&PE Arena, will bring home some of the best in TSU history—Winston Hill (New York Jets), Kenny Burrough (Houston Oilers), Lloyd Mumphord (1972 undefeated, Super Bowl Champion Miami Dolphins), Mike Holmes (San Francisco 49ers) Jack Holmes, Brett Maxie (New Orleans Saints), and Michael Strahan, Super Bowl Champion N.Y. Giants.

We invite you to get on the ground floor of this grand event. Table Seats will put you front and center, including dinner, beverages and access to a cash bar. Reserve your seats today online @ www.tsu.edu.

REGULAR TICKET PRICES [after August 15]
$250 (Individual Table Seats - dinner included)
$75 (Mezzanine/Bottom Level) | $50 (Stands) - food and drinks available for purchase

TIGERS IN THE NFL

Baltimore Ravens: Ray-Ray Armstrong, Mike Williams, Ronnie narrows, Jimmy Smith, Tim Smith, DeAngelo Williams, Terrell Suggs, Ray Rice, Jacoby Jones, and Tavon Austin.


Dallas Cowboys: DeMarcus Ware, Deamon Williams, Tony Romo, Jason Witten, Miles Austin, and DeAngelo Williams.


San Francisco 49ers: Colin Kaepernick, Joe Staley, NaVorro Bowman, and Anthony Davis.

Pittsburgh Steelers: Ben Roethlisberger, Antonio Brown, Le’Veon Bell, and Heath Miller.


Detroit Lions: Calvin Johnson, Matthew Stafford, Reggie Bush, and Joique Bell.

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