Shippensburg University has renamed its School of Academic Programs and Services in memory of Dr. Elnetta Jones, an alumna and longtime administrator who created and led multiple support programs that continue to benefit students today.

University officials announced the name change to the Elnetta G. Jones School of Academic Programs and Services at a campus memorial service for Jones on Sept. 9. The university’s Council of Trustees approved the change earlier in the day.

Jones, who died April 7 at age 81, retired in 1999 as dean of special education programs. She was instrumental in establishing the Division of Undeclared Majors, the precursor to the School of Academic Programs and Services, in 1984. Over the years, she developed other initiatives to support and retain students, such as the Academic Success Program (formerly the Act 101 Program), the Martin Luther King Academic Retention Program and the Learning Center.

A native of South Carolina, Jones earned her master’s degree in business education from SU in 1972. She received the Alumni Association’s Exceptional Service Award in 1998. After her retirement, Jones served on the Council of Trustees for six years and the Shippensburg University Foundation Board of Directors for 14 years.

“Elnetta was part of this university in so many ways — as an alumna, as an administrator for 27 years, as a member of the Council of Trustees after her retirement and, perhaps most importantly, as a tireless advocate for our students,” President Jody Harpster said. “Her vision helped shape the School of Academic Programs and Services as it is today.

“Elnetta was an exceptional person who wanted to make a difference in the world, even if it was one student at a time.”

The School of Academic Programs and Services reinforces the university’s commitment to serve a more diverse student population and cultivate a learning-centered environment. Its nine programmatic areas include the Office for Exploratory Studies, which guides students who enter college without a declared major.
Kudos

Dr. John Bloom, associate professor of history, has a chapter in the book D.C. Sports: The Nation's Capital at Play (University of Arkansas Press), which in May was named best-edited volume for 2015 by the North American Society for Sports History. His chapter titled “The Imperial Gridiron: Dealing with the Legacy of Carlisle Indian School Sports” was published this fall in the edited volume Carlisle Indian Industrial School: Indigenous Histories, Memories, & Reclamations (University of Nebraska Press). Bloom will be a featured speaker at the Carlisle Journeys symposium on the history of the Carlisle Indian School on Oct. 8, addressing “A Critical Exploration of the Legacies of Sports at the Carlisle Indian School.”

Dr. Karen Bohleke, director of the Fashion Archives and Museum, will present “Crape and Bombazine: Mourning Fashions for Women” at the Virginia Quilt Museum’s second annual seminar on Oct. 21–22 in Harrisonburg, Va. The seminar theme is “Mourning and Meaning Through Cloth,” and speakers will explore the connections between textiles and illness, death, burial and mourning traditions in American history.

Kristin Lovett, director of communications for the Office of Professional, Continuing and Distance Education, received the 2016 Mid-Atlantic Region Dorothy Durkin Award: Marketing & Promotions, Broadcast or Print, from the University Professional Continuing Education Association, an international professional association for higher continuing education and lifelong learning. Lovett received the award, which recognizes outstanding marketing and promotions campaigns, for the integrated marketing campaign promoting SU’s 2015 online winter term.

Dr. Randall Pellow, professor emeritus of teacher education, had the second edition of his textbook Eastern Hemisphere and Ancient Civilizations published by Penns Valley Publishers. It includes six lessons on ancient civilizations. The teacher’s guide, chapter tests and answer keys also were revised.

Dr. Adam Powell, associate professor of marketing, contributed to Achieving Supply Chain Integration: Connecting the Supply Chain Inside and Out for Competitive Advantage, published earlier this year by Pearson Educational. He co-authored a chapter on overcoming intergroup bias-related challenges of interfunctional cooperation.

Dr. Robert Shaffer, professor of history, published “Indonesian Independence and Major Themes in U.S. Foreign Relations: Raymond Kennedy’s Critical View from the 1940s” in this month’s issue of Passport: The Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations Review.

Dr. Matthew Shupp, NCC, DCC, assistant professor in the Department of Counseling and College Student Personnel, recently presented the workshop “The Intersection of Multicultural Competence and Emotional Intelligence on Leadership: Concepts and Considerations for Mental Health Practitioners” at T.W. Ponessa and Associates Counseling Services Inc. in Lancaster. Shupp’s teaching strategies were featured in Student Success in Higher Education: Developing the Whole Person Through High-Impact Practices, published earlier this year by The Brzycki Group and The Center for the Self in Schools.

Fact

Fact is published by the Office of University Communications and Marketing for current and retired employees. The next issue is Oct. 10.

The deadline to submit material to SUnews@ship.edu is noon on Monday of the week before publication.

Shippensburg University is an equal-opportunity educational institution.

Early warning grades are due Oct. 14

Early warning grades (EWGs) are due Friday, Oct. 14, at 4 p.m.

All grades will be processed online.

Faculty will have the ability to submit EWGs for all students.

The Registrar’s Office encourages the submission of EWGs for all students, and particularly for freshmen in 100- and 200-level courses.

Questions should be directed to the Registrar’s Office at ext. 1381.

Haughie re joins SU as enrollment AVP and admissions dean

Dr. Jennifer Haughie is the new associate vice president for enrollment management and dean of admissions for the university, beginning today.

Haughie will be a familiar face to some on campus, as she is an alumna and previously worked in admissions from 1997 to 2005.

Haughie was assistant dean of admissions at SU from 1997 to 2000, then associate dean from 2000 to 2005.

She most recently worked as dean of enrollment management at the Community College of Baltimore County, a multi-campus college with 24,000 students. In that position, she oversaw admissions and recruitment, financial aid, international student services, the registrar’s office, enrollment service centers and the inbound/outbound communications/call center.

Prior to that, she served as director of admissions, records and registration at Hagerstown Community College.

Haughie received her doctorate in educational leadership from the University of Phoenix in 2008. She earned her bachelor’s degree in speech communications in 1994 and her master’s in counseling and college student personnel in 1999, both from Shippensburg.

“I’m looking forward to putting my background and experience to work to continue growing our enrollment and meet the goals set by senior leadership,” she said. “I’m excited to work with the admissions, financial aid and registrar’s office staff and with Dr. Harpster, Dr. Ruth and the rest of Ship’s leadership team.”

Banned Books Week display now at library

Lehman Library will have its annual display for Banned and Challenged Books Week in the main gallery through Oct. 1.
Fall flu vaccination signups due Sept. 30  
University employees must register by this Friday, Sept. 30, to receive a seasonal influenza vaccination on campus next month.

Rite Aid Pharmacy will provide flu vaccinations on Thursday, Oct. 6, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in CUB 119. No appointment is necessary, but you must register by the deadline or you will not be able to receive your vaccination.

A registration form was sent in a Sept. 20 email to all employees. Return the form by email to Nipa Browder in Human Resources at nbrowder@ship.edu, fax to ext. 4037 (717-477-4037 from off campus) or drop off a paper copy at Human Resources in Old Main 109.

Additional information about the on-campus vaccination clinic and off-campus locations to receive flu shots also was included in the email.

Campus directory changes due Sept. 29  
Any changes to the campus directory must be made by Thursday, Sept. 29, to be included in the 2016–17 directory. Each employee is responsible for keeping his or her information current.

Contact Human Resources at ext. 1124 with any questions.

August crime report  
The following crimes were reported to University Police in August:
Aggravated assault: 0
Arson: 0
Burglary: 0
Criminal homicide: 0
Disorderly conduct: 0
Driving under the influence: 0
Drug violations: 2
Drunkenness: 1
Forcible rape: 0
Forgery and counterfeiting: 0
Fraud: 0
Larceny (theft): 3
Liquor laws: 7
Motor vehicle theft: 0
Other assaults (not aggravated): 0
Robbery: 0
Sex offenses: 0
Stolen property (receiving): 0
Vandalism: 0
Weapons violations: 2
All other offenses: 0

Engineering programs earn accreditation  
Dr. Thomas Briggs, associate professor of computer science and engineering, works with freshman Brooke Scott in one of their department’s labs. The university’s computer engineering and software engineering programs recently earned national accreditation from ABET (Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology Inc.). SU is the only university in the State System to have three bachelor’s degree programs in engineering and to have accredited computer and software engineering programs.

SU is ranked nationally again by U.S. News  
Shippensburg University again is listed among the top 100 universities in the northeastern United States in annual rankings by U.S. News & World Report.

In the 2017 edition of “Best Colleges,” Shippensburg is tied for 95th in the regional university category among all institutions in the North, which encompasses 11 states and the District of Columbia.

Shippensburg is tied for 28th among public regional universities in the North. It is also the third highest among the 14 universities in Pennsylvania’s State System of Higher Education.

Promotion letters of intent due Nov. 1  
Faculty who are considering applying for promotion this year must email their letters of intent by Nov. 1.

Letters must be sent to Dr. Alice Armstrong, co-chair of the University-Wide Promotion Committee, at ajarmstrong@ship.edu, as well as to the faculty member’s department chair, DPAC chair and dean.

All information that was distributed at the promotion application information meeting now is available on the S: drive. Look in S/Public/Faculty/University-Wide Promotion Committee.

Sample promotion applications are available for review in Lehman Library. Present your faculty ID at the circulation desk to request the room key.
Coming soon...

Sept. 28  Field hockey hosts IUP, 4 p.m.
Sept. 29  The Purple Xperience, 8 p.m., Luhrs Performing Arts Center
Sept. 30  Volleyball hosts Slippery Rock, 7 p.m.
           The Amernet String Quartet, 7:30 p.m., Old Main Chapel
Oct. 1    Volleyball hosts Edinboro, 1 p.m.
Oct. 4    University Curriculum Committee, 3:30 p.m., LL106
           Field hockey hosts West Chester, 4 p.m.
           Domestic Awareness Month film: “Telling Amy’s Story,” 7 p.m.,
           Orndorff Theatre
Oct. 5    Men’s soccer hosts Seton Hill, 4 p.m.
           Women’s soccer hosts Seton Hill, 6:30 p.m.
Oct. 6    Fashion’s Night Out, 6 p.m., Fashion Archives and Museum
Oct. 7    ABBA The Concert: A Tribute to ABBA, 8 p.m.,
           Luhrs Performing Arts Center
Oct. 8    Field hockey hosts Slippery Rock, 11 a.m.
           Men’s soccer hosts Mercyhurst, 1:30 p.m.
           Women’s soccer hosts Mercyhurst, 4 p.m.
           for the people of the longhouse,” 6:30 p.m., Orndorff Theatre
Oct. 11   Lecture: “A Vision of Aging Services in Pennsylvania,” 3:30 p.m.,
           Old Main Chapel
           Volleyball hosts Millersville, 7 p.m.
Oct. 12   Rodgers + Hammerstein’s Cinderella, 7:30 p.m.,
           Luhrs Performing Arts Center
Oct. 14   Volleyball hosts West Chester, 7 p.m.
           The Price is Right Live!, 8 p.m., Luhrs Performing Arts Center

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For more details on athletic events, visit shipraiders.com.
CALL TO ORDER AND ATTENDANCE

Liz Fisher, Chair, called the April meeting of the University Forum to order at 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 28, 2016, in Lehman Library 106. The following members or alternates were present: Joseph Catania, Matthew Cella, Debra Cornelius, Brendan Finucane, Liz Fisher, Leslie Folmer-Clinton, Claire Jantz, Barbara Lyman, Kate McGivney, Sue Morin, Marc Renault, Rick Ruth, Roger Serr, MaryEllen Spooner, David Topper, and Curt Zaleski.

Others present: Phillip Diller, Sara Grove, Bob Hale, Billy Henson, José Ricardo, Melissa Ricketts, Matthew Shupp, Toru Sato, Mark Spicka, Robert Stephens, and Sarah Stokely.

Fisher began the meeting with introductions of the outgoing and incoming Forum members.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

On a Ruth/Renault motion, the minutes of the meeting held on April 12, 2016, were approved. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Correspondence with the University President

Fisher reviewed correspondence with the University President from the April 12 meeting.

Minutes of the University President’s Cabinet

The minutes of the President’s Cabinet meeting from March 28, 2016, were reviewed. There were no comments or questions from members of the University Forum.

Planning and Budget Council

Lyman reported the Planning and Budget Council met on April 13, 2016.

University Budget Update – Lyman reported discussions were held and observations made concerning the budget which included discussion on the 5% increase in state allocations, progress being made to reduce the structural deficit in academic affairs, communication to students regarding the per-credit tuition model, and use of increased funding as it becomes more available.

Academic Affairs Budget Update – As colleges/departments are planning for the next fiscal year budget, direction was provided advising them not to make cuts that are unsustainable and to ask for money if more is needed.
ITS/Enrollment Management – It was reported that the recruitment cycle is tracking within the parameters of the last couple years and that the current focus of the team’s effort is to increase the yield rate. It was also reported that IT is implementing the new Hobsons CRM (software package). It will provide a robust communication tool to better support the enrollment process.

AMP/MSCHE - There have been no further updates from MSCHE.

University Strategic Plan – The USPC postponed their April meeting so that EMT could have an in-depth look at how their divisions would align with the goals and planning of the USP.

SH Action Plan – Lyman said the plan was presented to the Board of Governors at their meeting on April 7th and the plan seems to have been well received.

Lastly, the Planning and Budget Council welcomed Ed Pitingolo and thanked MaryEllen Spooner for her service.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Student Affairs Committee

No report.

Student Association

No report.

Graduate Student Association

Spooner reported elections are scheduled for next week. The members of the Forum congratulated Spooner on her assignment at the University of Alaska in Fairbanks, AK.

University Curriculum Committee

Zaleski reported the University Curriculum Committee (UCC) met on April 26, 2016. The following proposals were presented to Forum as informational items:

15-269 SCM 315 Strategic Procurement (Minor Revision)
15-270 SCM 355 Managing Quality and Continuous Improvement (Minor Revision)
15-271 SCM 380 Data Mining for Supply Chain Management (Minor Revision)
15-272 SCM 390 Strategic Warehouse Management (Minor Revision)
15-279 MBA 580 Health Care Financial Management (New Course)
15-280 MBA 581 Health Information Technology (New Course)
15-281 MBA 582 Health Care Law (New Course)
15-282 MBA 583 Health Care Strategic Management (New Course)
15-293 ELP 514 Practicum I Leadership Field Experiences at the Building Level (Minor Revision)
The following proposals were presented to Forum for approval:

15-095  Business Core (Program Revision)

Zaleski moved UCC proposal 15-095. Zaleski reported the revision is streamlining core courses within the program, which allows more flexibility to transfer students. Motion carried.

15-223  Letter of Completion/Certificate Programs (Program Revision)

Zaleski moved UCC proposal 15-223. Zaleski reported the revision is to be compliant with the new BOG policy. Motion carried.

15-278  MBA Concentration in Health Care Management (Program Proposal)

Zaleski moved UCC proposal 15-278. Stephens reported this is a new concentration with four new courses in the health care area. Health Care Management was identified as a high priority area of concentration after consult with focus groups, alumni, and business groups. Morin asked if regular faculty would teach. Stephens responded health care law is a specialized topic and while some faculty can help they will be looking at adding some adjuncts. Stephens added he is confident they can find well qualified individuals. Motion carried.

15-285  Graduate Certificate in Health Care Management (Program Proposal)

Zaleski moved UCC proposal 15-285. Stephens reported this is a graduate certificate of the same four course as above. You do not need to be enrolled in the MBA program. Motion carried.

15-286  Supply Chain Logistics Management Letter of Completion (Program Revision)
15-287  Advanced Supply Chain and Logistics Management Certificate (Program Revision)

Zaleski moved UCC proposals 15-286 and 15-287. Zaleski reported UCC proposal 15-286 puts the program into moratorium. UCC proposal 15-287 is changing the credits to match BOG policy. Motion carried.

15-288  Business: Supply Chain Management (Program Revision)

Zaleski moved UCC proposals 15-288. Sato reported UCC proposal 15-288 modifies the elective choices; expanding options to help double major students. Motion carried.

15-289  Business: Logistics Management (Program Revision)

Zaleski moved UCC proposal 15-289. Sato reported the revision is modifying the elective courses so that students will be able to double major in another business area. Motion carried.

15-290  B.S. in Economics with a Data Science Concentration (Program Revision)
Zaleski moved UCC proposal 15-290. Zaleski reported the revision is adding a new concentration in economics that would make students more marketable and added that there is not any impact on the department regarding resources. Motion carried.

15-291 Master of Science - College Student Personnel (Program Revision)

Zaleski moved UCC proposal 15-291. Shupp reported the revision is implementing a new leadership elective course. Motion carried.

15-294 Educational Leadership-Practicum (Program Revision)

Zaleski moved UCC proposal 15-294. Diller reported the change is to meet a PDE requirement of 360 hours of fieldwork and to have the two 180 hour blocks back to back at the end of the program. Motion carried.

15-295 Department of Management and Marketing (Program Revision)

Zaleski moved UCC proposal 15-295. Zaleski reported the department’s name change is the Department of Management, Marketing, and Entrepreneurship. Motion carried.

15-296 Department of Accounting, Management Information Systems & ITBE (Program Revision)

Zaleski moved UCC proposal 15-296. Zaleski reported the department is dropping ITBE from its name. Motion carried.

Zaleski moved to approve changes to the UCC Manual, which includes adding deadlines for proposals. Motion carried.

Zaleski reported Billy Henson was elected as UCC chair for the upcoming academic year and Mathew Cella was elected as secretary.

NEW BUSINESS

Approval of the University Strategic Plan 2016-2021

Lyman reported University Strategic Plan has been reviewed by the Executive Management Team, the Planning and Budget Council, and the President’s Cabinet. Lyman is requesting a review by the University Forum with all comments and feedback returned by May 5, 2016. The plan will be presented to the Council of Trustees at their May 20, 2016, meeting. Lyman added the document needs to be reviewed but a formal vote is not needed. Cornelius added that the plan was reviewed by the APSCUF Executive Committee.

Discussion followed regarding a side by side review of the Academic Master Plan with the University Strategic Plan to ensure there are no inconsistencies.
Approval of Code of Conduct

On Serr/Cornelius motion, the language was updated regarding proprietary regulation in the Code of Conduct. Motion carried.

Appreciation for Departing Forum Members

Fisher moved to recognize the service of departing Forum members. Cornelius recognized Fisher for her dedication as Forum Chair the past two years.

Election of University Forum Officers for the Academic Year 2016-17

The meeting was turned over to APSCUF/SU President Brendan Finucane to run elections for Academic Year 2016-17. On a Grove/Spicka motion, Hale was nominated for Chair; the motion was seconded and passed. Hale was elected Chair for the 2016-17 Academic Year. Spicka/Ricardo nominated Grove as Vice-Chair; the motion was seconded and passed. Grove was elected Vice-Chair for the 2016-17 Academic Year. Traci Moyer was nominated for Secretary; the motion was seconded and passed. Traci Moyer was elected Secretary for the 2016-17 Academic Year.

Grove/Ricardo nominated Spicka and Grove/Ricardo nominated Jantz as the two faculty representatives to serve on the Planning and Budget Council; the motion was seconded and passed. Jantz and Spicka were elected by the membership.

Forum Membership

Lyman reported President Harpster has appointed the following five administrators to serve on the University Forum: Folmer-Clinton, Lyman, Ruth, Serr, and Topper.

Election of Planning and Budget Committee Members

Serr nominated Ruth and Mindy Fawks as the two administrators to serve on the Planning and Budget Council. Serr requested the exception continue to have Fawks serve due to the retirement of the Vice President of Administration and Finance and the fact that Topper and Fawks are equally splitting the duties. The motion and exception was seconded and passed. Ruth and Fawks were elected by the membership.

Election of Forum Executive Committee

Serr nominated Lyman and Ruth to serve on the Executive Committee of the University Forum. The motion was seconded and passed. Lyman and Ruth were elected by the membership.
ADJOURNMENT

The first meeting for the University Forum for AY 2016-17 is Tuesday, September 20, 2016.

All meetings will be held in Lehman Library 106 at 3:30 p.m. Please notify Dynel Miracle if you are unable to attend a given meeting. On a Finucane motion, seconded by Morin the meeting adjourned at 4:29 p.m.

MINUTES Prepared by Dynel Miracle, Recording Secretary