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### Cybersecurity degree launched

Western Michigan University will offer a new Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity, a fully online program, this fall.

[Read about the degree.](#)



### Student entrepreneurs receive awards for innovation

Student entrepreneurs are being recognized for their innovative business ideas with the Brian Patrick Thomas Entrepreneurial Spirit Award and the Wendell Christoff Award.

[Read about the awards.](#)



### WMU teams claim top two spots at project management competition

Students placed first and second overall in THEProject competition hosted by the Western Michigan Chapter of Project Management Institute.

[Read about the wins.](#)



### Mentorship and externship in the era of COVID-19

While social distancing, peer mentors helped guide more than 130 pre-business students through the professional preparation required for the Business Externship Program, offered through the Zhang Career

Center.

[Read about their approach.](#)



### **Crafting the finance department for Bell's Brewery**

Accountancy alumnus Pat Gray, B.B.A.'89, who comes from a family of Broncos, recently retired as the CFO of Bell's Brewery, Inc.

[Read his story.](#)



### **Maximizing impact and empathy**

Shannon Lapsley, B.B.A.'09, has found that community impact and empathy are the things that ground her experiences, decisions and the direction she wants to see businesses move.

[Read her story.](#)



### **Class Notes**

Class Notes is a compilation of personal and professional accomplishments, news and reflections from the Haworth College of Business.

[Read the Class Notes.](#)

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