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STUDENT TEAM LAUNCHING NASA COMPETITION DREAM

Alexis Lind has dreamed of building and launching rockets since watching “October Sky” in seventh grade. Now, as part of the College of Engineering and Applied Sciences’ Advanced Rocketry Club, her dream is coming true. The second-year aerospace engineering student and about 25 other club members will compete in the NASA Student Launch competition in April 2020. Western Michigan University’s team was one of 42 college teams, and the only Michigan school, accepted into the prestigious contest. [READ MORE](#)



GRAD’S JOURNEY TO SUCCESS FROM MALAYSIA TO WMU TO FORD

Sudesh Woodiga was a high school student in his native Subang Jaya, Malaysia, when he first heard about Kalamazoo and Western Michigan University’s College of Engineering and Applied Sciences. After reading about WMU’s Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering program, he knew he’d found where he wanted to get his higher education. [READ MORE](#)



TOP TEN REASONS TO MAKE A GIFT TO WMU

There are a number of ways you can help us elevate WMU and the student experience, and making a gift is one of them. Giving helps provide the experiences, curriculum, and spaces so that students can graduate, get jobs they love, and make a difference in their communities and all over the world. There are a number of reasons why Broncos give to WMU - here is our Top Ten. [READ MORE](#)



WMU STUDENT VOTING RATE SHOWS GROWING CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

Western Michigan University's voter turnout increased from 18.5% to 31.5% in the 2018 midterm election among students registered to vote. This and other findings were revealed as WMU joined more than 1,000 campuses in all 50 states to examine their student registration and voting rates as well as climate for political learning and engagement. [READ MORE](#)



WMU RECEIVES \$6.5M DONATION TO ADVANCE LEADERSHIP & STRATEGY

Western Michigan University has launched a center to advance the principle of mutual benefit in business. Led by two business faculty members who specialize in management, the innovative new center is founded on the premise that purpose and profit can be powerfully linked through the actions and strategies of leaders. [READ MORE](#)



GIVE A GIFT THAT GIVES TO TWO!

Do you know a passionate Bronco who loves all-things WMU? Honor them with a gift to WMU in their name and elevate the student experience. You can give to more than 2,000 different funds, programs, departments, colleges—or more—all across campus, which means you can choose to honor your loved one by supporting a cause close to their heart. [**READ**](#)

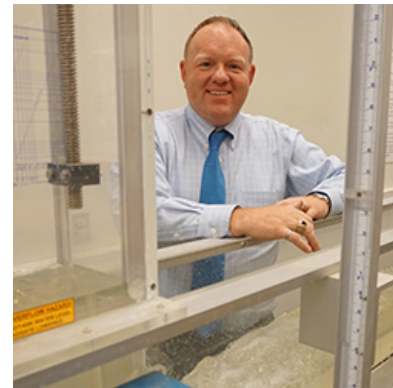
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CONGRATULATIONS FALL 2019 GRADUATES!



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DR. HAINS ELECTED ASCE FELLOW



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