

# NEWSLETTER

Missouri State | INCLUSIVE EXCELLENCE SCHOLARS

SEPTEMBER 25, 2023



## NAVIGATING THE NOW

TRADITION, INNOVATION AND WISDOM IN A WORLD OF CHANGE

Public Affairs 2023-2024

### PUBLIC AFFAIRS CONFERENCE 2023

#### Schedule of Events

<https://publicaffairs.missouristate.edu/2023/schedule.aspx>

#### Habitat for Humanity ReStore - One Day Left

There is only one more IES volunteer day at the Habitat for Humanity ReStore in Springfield. Signup [here](#) to volunteer on Tuesday, Sept. 26th. You must have the [Habitat for Humanity](#) and [MSU](#) Waivers filled out and submitted to [MulticulturalServices@MissouriState.edu](mailto:MulticulturalServices@MissouriState.edu) before your shift.



#### Only 3 more Group Connect sessions left this semester

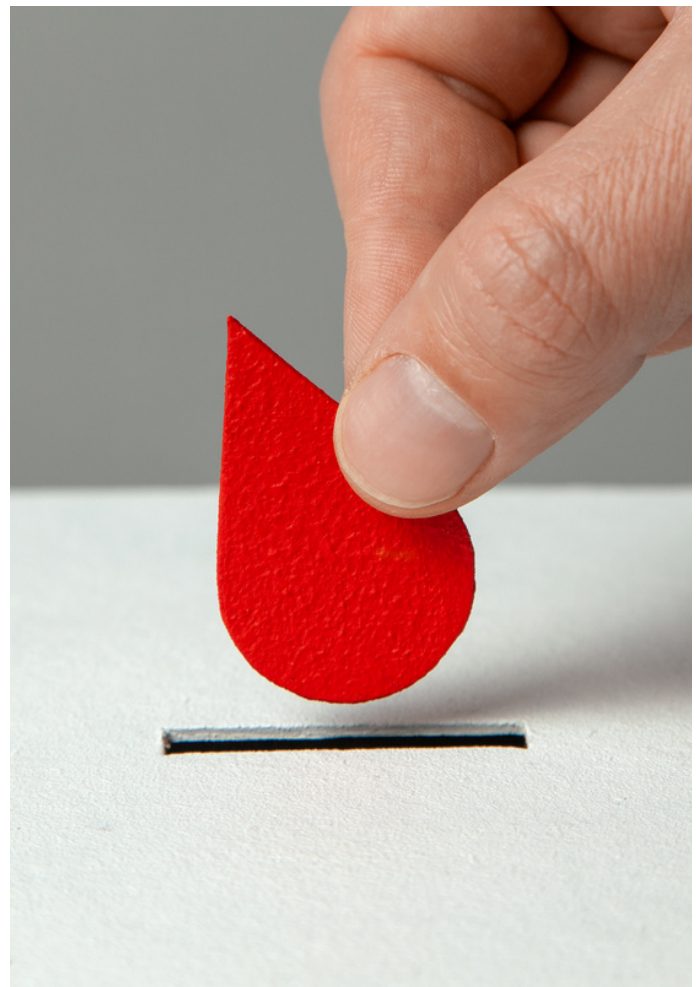
Two of the last three Group Connects require you to signup because space is limited. Those are on [10/10](#) and [11/6](#). The one on 11/1 is another Zoom session. Make sure you signup soon so you don't miss your opportunity to attend.



# DONATING BLOOD/ PLASMA

## Gain Service Hours by donating blood and/or plasma

Did you know that you can earn service hours by donating blood and/or plasma. Every time you donate, you can earn 1 service hour. To find a blood donation center or drive, go to: <https://www.redcross.org/give-blood.html>. To find a plasma donation center, go to: <https://www.biolifeplasma.com/> or to <https://www.cslplasma.com/>.



## Want to be a SOAR Leader next Summer?

Applications are now open for next Summer's SOAR Leaders. The deadline to apply is 10/21. To apply and find out more information, go to: <https://www.missouristate.edu/NewBears/becomeaSOARleader.htm>

# SAVE THE DATE

## President's Meeting with Students

Come join President Smart as he discusses current affairs in relation to Missouri State University with students. There will also be a Q & A at the end of his presentation. The event will be held on **Wednesday, October 25th at 3:30 PM in the Union Club.**



# This week

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**SERVICE OPPORTUNITY:**

Tres Vidas  
PSU Theater  
4:00 PM

**EVENT:** Tres Vidas

PSU Theater  
6:00 PM

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**SERVICE OPPORTUNITY:**

Habitat for Humanity ReStore  
2410 S. Scenic Ave.  
9:00 AM - 5:30 PM (Signup is required)

**EVENT:** Dance Demo

North Mall  
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

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No activities scheduled. Go to the IES Blackboard "Events" folder to find other possible events.

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**EVENT:** Movie Night

MRC  
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

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# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Participants needed for a Word Retrieval Psychology Study!

## Benefits of Participation:

- Students in the Inclusive Excellence Scholarship program can fulfill one Multicultural Service events requirement
- Students enrolled in Introduction to Psychology (PSY-121) can receive two research credits for their grade requirement

## Risks of Participation:

- No physical or emotional risk involved

## Participation in the study involves:

- One survey completion of 5 mins upon registration
- One 30 min in person session in the MRC

## Participants should meet the following criteria:

- Must be 18 to 40 years old
- Racially Identify as either White or Black

Opportunities to participate available weekly throughout the Fall '23 Semester.

**Register at either the following link,  
Sona, or the QR code**

**[https://missouristate.col.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_8uMpcxeWRTjTkp0](https://missouristate.col.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_8uMpcxeWRTjTkp0)**

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