



JU Parent and Family Programs

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Plan Your Trip for Family Weekend, Oct. 12-14

Homecoming & Family Weekend is coming up on October 12-14, so book your flights, make your reservations and keep an eye out for an e-mail later this month with information on how to register for the weekend's events. This year we are featuring an expanded Student for a Day program, Lunch and Learns about internships and your student's job search sponsored by the Career Resource Center, a 5K run/walk and of course our Homecoming football game!

[Learn more about Homecoming & Family Weekend.](#)

Dates to Remember

June 25: Start of Second 6-Week Summer Term

June 28: [Davis College of Business Sunset Summer Business Social](#)

August 27: Start of Fall Semester

August 30: [JU Night at the Jumbo Shrimp](#)

September 5-14: Dolphin Travel Program: [Symphony on the Blue Danube](#)

October 12-14: [Homecoming & Family Weekend](#)

[2017-18 Academic Calendar](#)

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Career Resource Center: You Can Help!

Do you like the idea of helping JU students grow professionally and find awesome careers – maybe even with your company? The Career Resource Center is always looking for career/employment leads. Both jobs and internships are important to our students. If you think you can possibly assist with a recruiting relationship between your company and JU please contact the Career Resource Center. Some of their best leads come from within the JU family! Your assistance could be in hiring JU students or maybe simply brokering an introduction between your Talent Acquisition or University Recruiting team and JU's Career Resource Center. You can contact the Career Resource Center staff by phone or email: (904) 256-7054 or careers@ju.edu.



President's Corner

[Dr. Rinne Retirement](#)

Having served in higher education for nearly forty years, Dr. Henry Rinne, Dean of the College of Fine Arts will retire effective July 1st. The College has flourished under Dr. Rinne's leadership. Enrollment in all undergraduate CFA programs has increased steadily over the past three years with significant gains in music, dance, theatre, and film. Please join us in extending our very best wishes to Dean Rinne for his leadership and service!



Renovation of Sam Marks Chapel

The Sam Marks Chapel recently underwent a renovation to incorporate an interfaith prayer room and foot washing station. The renovation was inspired by student input, in an effort to meet the needs of our increasingly diverse student population. We have 11 faith-based student organizations on campus and our goal is to support their mission to enhance the spiritual growth of our students.



Campus Tree Planting



ASPIRE Campaign Progress

With your help, we've raised **\$119,907,128** of our \$120 million goal as of June 1, 2018. Thank you

Throughout the summer, JU is planting 43 trees on campus!

In February 2018, Jacksonville University received its official 2017 Tree Campus USA recognition from the Arbor Day Foundation, now holding this distinction for three consecutive years. We're well on the way to adding a fourth! Less than 350 college campuses across the nation have met [Tree Campus USA](#) requirements for this prestigious recognition. JU is among only 15 universities in Florida to bear the logo in recognition.

[Learn more about the JU tree planting and sustainability efforts at JU.](#)

for investing in JU students and faculty!

We are extremely close to reaching our goal for the [ASPIRE campaign](#). We invite you to consider participating in the final stretch of this bold effort by clicking the button below!

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