Check it out — TRiO SSS Website

Not only do we have fancy new offices, we have a fully developed website with events, news, resources, and even an app to book our conference room! Check it out at www.montana.edu/triosss

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**TONIGHT! Pizza and Fun at the Rec Center with TRiO SSS**

Compete with TRiO Director Julian Collins over a game of bowling or join us for board games, pool, and pizza & salad. TRiO Scholars, bring a friend or your family; the fun is on us! We will be at the Rec Center in the basement of the SUB from 5-7 pm. It's a great time to get together and relax before the big push to semester's end.

Earn Champ Change just by attending. Also, earn extra Champ Change by attending any of the TRiO events. Find all on our Events at www.montana.edu/triosss/events

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**FRIDAY FOR LUNCH, 12:45-1:30**

**Research Is For Undergraduates, Too!**

During the Research Celebration on Friday, TRiO SSS will host a luncheon to discuss how any student can qualify to conduct research. Learn more about these programs and the Undergraduate Scholars Program.

Research
• cultivates students in all grade levels
• applies to all fields of study
• teaches the disciplines of research
• supports internships with stipends

The **Research Celebration** is Friday, April 15, 11 am to 4:30 pm, and the TRiO portion of this session is 12:45 to 1:30 pm in SUB Room 233.

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### End of the Semester Advising Appointments

We’re here to help you make the most out of your time at MSU, so make another advising meeting with Julian Collins or Megkian Doyle, and a follow-up with a financial advisor.

There is one more Financial Education workshop scheduled this month. You can **earn a $10 gift card** at Smith’s grocery store by taking advantage of financial counseling. It’s Loans 101, on 4/21, 5 pm, in SUB 168.

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**SAVE THE DATE  Moving Up & Moving On, TRiO End-of-Year Celebration**

We are hosting a semi-formal luncheon and celebration of all TRiO Scholars and the achievements made this year on **Thursday, April 28, noon to 1:30 pm**. Invitations are forthcoming, RSVP now here. Seniors graduating in May and December 2016 are welcome to invite friends and family, so stop by to pick up a few invitations.

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**Select Your Student Government; Elections are Today and Tomorrow**

The General Elections for ASMSU student government are Tuesday and Wednesday, April 12 & 13, and two TRiO Scholars are running! Vote online here. All you need is your student ID number.

**TRiO Scholar Katie Bertolino** is running for ASMSU Senate for the College of Letters and Science. She says, "Hey TRiO Scholars! Why is the pH of Youtube so stable? It’s always buffering... My name is Katherine Bertolino, and I hail from the tiny town of Roberts, MT. A junior studying Biochemistry, I am running for a position in senate to be the buffer between students and our student government. I am interested in hearing feedback, and am not afraid of attacking challenging topics. I have served in numerous offices, including as a senator for the Associated Students of Carroll College, and as the public relations chair for the MSU Collegiate Young Farmers & Ranchers. If you have questions, feel free to message me on Facebook at facebook.com/voteKatherineBertolino"

**TRiO Scholar Tanner Ballance** is running for Student Senate for the College of Engineering. Tanner wants
to represent his fellow Bobcats on issues that affect them and wants to be their voice on a campus experiencing rapid growth in the student body.

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**TRiO Times Prepares You for Finals Week**

Ok, so nobody can really prepare you for Finals Week, it's an individual process. We will do the best we can to offer you support and some helpful tips.

Here's a link to the first of several articles that we find useful, "Scientifically, The Best Ways to Prepare for Final Exams".

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**Something Funny Improv**

In the style of "Whose Line Is It Anyway," enjoy a free performance of hilarious improv on **Sunday, April 17th at 7 pm** in the Procrastinaor Theater. This may include adult content. TRiO Scholar Michael Jacubic is co-captain of the Something Funny Improv Club. More information at SomethingFunnyImprov@gmail.com

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**Champ Change Auction Is Coming Up**

Set an alarm because the Champ Change Auction is happening a week from now on Wednesday, April 20th from 5-8 pm. It's an online auction and prizes big and small from a paddle board to iTunes gift cards. A full list of auction items is [here](https://t.e2ma.net/message/6p12h/at6bst).

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**JOB$$$

**Check out Hire A Bobcat** for Job Listings [here](https://t.e2ma.net/message/6p12h/at6bst)

**From the Job Board**

Garden help needed, flexible hours, pays $10-12/hr. Lori.Lawson@montana.edu

Work with sled dogs, flexible hours. TopDog@narginen.com

**Forward Montana**
Field Fellowship will conduct civic engagement efforts at community events throughout the community from June 7th through August 26th. This will include but is not limited to voter registration, voter mobilization and event planning. Occasional travel and a willingness to work unconventional work hours will be necessary to fulfill the expectations of this position. You won't be tied to a desk, you'll meet lots of people, and you'll make change happen at the grassroots level. Apply here for the 2016 Summer Field Fellowship no later than May 1.

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