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Introducing the College of Education, Sport, and Human Sciences

UAH has renamed its College of Education as the College of Education, Sport, and Human Sciences. The change reflects the college's significant growth and evolving mission over the past decade.

"This new name reflects the full scope of who we are today," said Dr. Beth Quick, who has served as dean of the college since its founding in 2014. "Over the past 11 years, we've grown from offering just two undergraduate degrees to a broad range of academic programs, including sport & fitness management and child, family and community development."

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UAH College of Business, Keel Point celebrate $100K collaboration, welcome returning professor

The College of Business and Keel Point, an independent wealth advisory firm, recently celebrated the start of their new $100,000 collaboration – the Keel Point Professorship in Family Wealth – and welcomed the return to UAH of the professor who will fill that role, Dr. Frank Mullins.

“The Keel Point Professorship in Family Wealth is important and impactful,” said UAH President Dr. Charles Karr. “When you have a name like Keel Point associated with UAH, it’s a stamp of approval, not just for our faculty but also for prospective students and other faculty members we’re trying to recruit. We really appreciate this, and we’re excited about joining with you and serving this role. Certainly, we are extremely excited that Dr. Mullins will be serving as the inaugural Keel Point Professor in Family Wealth.”

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UAH student group set to launch new instrument payload on NASA rocket to study harnessing reentry heat and converting it to electrical energy

The Terminus Spaceflight Research Group, a subset of the Space Hardware Club at UAH, is set to send a new payload into space. The student group aims to loft a CubeSat-like device that will examine the potential of producing electrical energy by harnessing the heating experienced on reentry of the vehicle, as well as performing biological experiments.

“We believe the data taken from our experiment can be used to inform the design and testing of future planetary reentry vehicles,” said Maria Chytka, an aerospace engineering student and Terminus project lead. “If proven feasible, this application could then be used in future reentry missions, such as missions to Venus, Mars, Titan or increasing the electrical efficiency of any shorter-term Earth missions.

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UAH alumnus John Blevins honored with Samuel J. Heyman Service to America Medal

Dr. John Blevins, a UAH alumnus, has received the Samuel J. Heyman Service to America Medal, or “Sammie,” considered the highest honor for career federal employees. He holds two degrees from UAH and has served the U.S. space program for 26 years since coming to work at Marshall Space Flight Center in 1999.

“It is an incredible honor to be recognized with a Sammie,” Blevins said. “This honor is truly about the incredible engineering teams that I get to lead across the country that are committed to achieving the ambitious space exploration goals of our great nation.”

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Make your mark: Raymond B. Jones Engineering Building Topping Out Ceremony

Join us for the raising of the final beam on the Raymond B. Jones Engineering Building. This milestone marks the dedicated efforts of the construction workers as the structural steel phase is complete. All faculty, staff, students and alumni are invited to sign the final beam before it is installed.

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Show your Charger pride at the Trash Pandas game on Aug. 13!

Join us for North Alabama Colleges Night at the Rocket City Trash Pandas game, proudly sponsored by UAH. Wear UAH gear to show your Charger pride, enjoy a night of baseball and celebrate all things Rocket City!

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SAVE THE DATE: Family and Friends Weekend

Join us for a special weekend celebrating parents, siblings, extended family, friends—and alumni! Enjoy campus events, connect with the Charger community and explore Huntsville together.

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