

Corporate Education



Troy E. Wright

“I’d rather try and fail than grow old saying, ‘I wish I had’”

When I was a child, all the “older people” would say to me, “ Boy, when I was your age, I wish I had done this, or I wish I had done that. I wish I had ” It was

then when I decided that if I had in my power to prepare and do something good for my life, excuses were not going to control me. When you are a child, let’s say 7 or 8 years old, teens 15 or 16 seems old. When you turned 15 or 16, adults 25 to 35 were considered old. Back then, your Dreams were to sing or play in a famous band, be a professional athlete, a ballerina, or a movie star. However, as you got older, the reality of those things began to fade and what you were qualified to do became more important. Unfortunately, many hopes are dashed because of a bad environment, laziness, lack of faith, money, or support. Sadly, then hard work and determination to reach your goal become secondary. However, the good news is, as long as you have breath in your body, you should never give up on your dreams. Yes, you have to make adjustments as you get older, and your dreams may change from being the Ballerina to owning your own company, but if the only thing stopping you is an education, you will live your life saying, “I wish I had ” It is important to live and not give up on what you know you can do if you make the sacrifice. The reality is, if getting an education can change your life today, why wait until tomorrow?

Library Leadership in a Digital Age



Patrick Byrnes
Library Director

Earlier this year, in March, I had the opportunity to attend the Library Leadership in a Digital Age Institute, sponsored by the Harvard Graduate School of Education, in Cambridge, Massachusetts. This institute, which

included about 100 participants, from across the United States and around the world, truly offered participants much insight into this fascinating and critical topic. [Read More](#)

FNU Spotlight – Grad!



Daniel Diaz

In 2010, Daniel Diaz and two other high school friends started the Tropical Smoothies business in Florida. Danny is also a real estate investment entrepreneur, who in view of the housing and financial crisis decided to “have a plan B.” He enrolled in the respiratory therapy program at Florida National University and graduated with honors in June of 2012. [Read More](#)



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James L. Knight Center – May 19

FNU Corporate Partner



Mara Falero



Jetstream Federal Credit Union is a not-for-profit, cooperative financial institution, serving its members since 1947 with a wide range of services to meet all their financial needs.

Mara Falero has been working at Jetstream Federal Credit Union for over 19 years. She is currently the Vice President of Marketing and Communications and oversees the Marketing, Business Development and Member Call Center Departments.

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New Team Member / Education Consultant



Carolina Naveira

I am honored to work at such a prestigious entity as Florida National University. I bring to this university 39 years of teaching and administrative experience from the Miami-Dade County Public Schools system; my previous employer. My principal role as an Educational

Consultant is to unite forces with the Miami-Dade County Public Schools, in order to bring Dual Enrollment opportunities for students through Florida National University. The legislature has passed the bill offering high schools students the option to receive either a “scholar” or a “technical” high school diploma upon graduation. At Florida National University, our doors are open to receive all interested students in preparation to become successful citizens of this community.

Allied Health Division on the Go!



Roger de Francisco

Facilitating service programs with organizations, including Reading Time, Ultrasounds for the Community at the FNU Ultrasound Laboratories, and PCT Hospital Volunteers at Jackson Memorial North Pasteur Medical Center. By providing additional education, real-world experience and personal growth, service projects are championed by FNU for their ability to accelerate and enhance developed well-rounded students.

School Leadership Award

Congratulations to Chemistry Professor Roger de Francisco, who has received a Miami-Dade County Award. Florida National University invests in the

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