Mansfield University history class conducts research at Holocaust Memorial Museum
Monday, October 30, 2017
In order to develop a clearer understanding of the subject matter in his “Nazi Germany and the Holocaust” class, Mansfield University associate professor of history Andrew Gaskievicz took the entire class to the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington D.C. to conduct research at the museum’s library on a major paper assignment.
*The (Williamsport) Sun-Gazette*

California University Applause
Sunday, October 29, 2017
At the first-ever ALL IN Challenge Awards ceremony, California University of Pennsylvania received a Best in Class Award for having the most improved student voting rate within the four-year, medium-size public institution category. Cal U also earned a Bronze Seal for achieving a student voting rate between 50 and 59 percent.
*The (Uniontown) Herald-Standard*

State System universities’ tuition is significantly less
Monday, October 30, 2017
The Oct. 26 editorial “Keystone Stakes: State Universities, Already Pricey, Can’t Be Cut Loose” discusses the precarious situation involving higher education in Pennsylvania, pointing to a recent national report that indicates the state’s public universities charge the third-highest tuition and fees in the United States. The problem with the report is that it combines Pennsylvania’s state-owned universities — the 14 universities that constitute Pennsylvania’s State System of Higher Education — with the four so-called “state-related” universities, which also receive some state support. Pennsylvania is unique in this designation, which results in significantly skewed national comparisons such as those prepared annually by the College Board.
*By Kenn Marshall (letter to the editor)*

State grants for college students to decline for spring semester
Saturday, October 28, 2017
Some college students may have to pass up buying as much as a semester’s worth of pizza this spring to offset a reduction in their state grant. Due to an unanticipated increase in the number of grant recipients, the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency is informing financial aid officers about the need to lower spring grant awards their students are receiving.
*By Jan Murphy, The (Harrisburg) Patriot-News*

Articles from subscription sites:

**Kutztown receives $500,000 for scholarships**
Edward Malcolm "Ed" Snider is perhaps best known as founder of the Philadelphia Flyers pro hockey team, but he also left a bequest aimed at helping urban kids succeed in life. "Ed Snider did a lot of wonderful things," philanthropist Robert O. Carr said Monday at Kutztown University.  
*Reading Eagle*