John Retallack, assistant professor of color science, was recently recognized for his contributions to the field of color science research. Retallack received a $200K grant from the United States Department of Agriculture to improve the WIC (Women, Infants, and Children) program. The grant will be used to develop a more tailored approach to nutrition programs for individuals and families, addressing specific needs and preferences. The grant is a testament to the importance of color science in various fields, including public health and nutrition.

The grant will be used to improve the nutritional assessment capabilities of the WIC program. This will allow for a more personalized approach to nutrition, taking into account individual dietary needs and preferences. The program will be trained on a three-year temporal competency-based training initiative, which will help to ensure that the staff is well-equipped to provide high-quality services.

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RIT hosts Sam E. Antar

If you’re looking for a captivating story about corporate ethics and strategy, you don’t have to look far. Sam E. Antar is coming to Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT) to speak about the dangers of fraud, how it thrives, and how to prevent it. The former CFO of Crazy Eddie’s is coming to RIT to share his insights on this critical topic.

Antar is known for his work in the fields of criminal justice, education, and leadership. He has been involved in various initiatives, including the creation of the RIT Office of Institute Audit, Compliance & Risk Management, which is responsible for ensuring that the university’s processes and procedures are in line with legal and ethical standards. He has also been involved in the creation of the RIT Innovation Institute, which is dedicated to fostering innovation and entrepreneurship.

Antar’s talk, titled “The Continuing Education of the Corporate Criminal,” will be held on February 12th at 6:30 p.m. in the Gordon Field House at RIT. The event is open to the public, and tickets can be purchased at the door. Make sure to secure your seat and learn from one of the most well-known corporate criminals of all time.

RIT Launches Color Science Ph.D.

Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT) has launched a new Ph.D. program in color science. The program is designed for students who wish to pursue advanced research in the field of color science, which is a specialized field that blends physics, chemistry, and visual perception.

The program will provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary to conduct research in areas such as color perception, color measurement, and color technology. Students will have the opportunity to work with leading experts in the field and will be encouraged to develop their own research projects.

The program is open to students from a variety of backgrounds, including those with degrees in physics, chemistry, mathematics, and psychology. The program’s goal is to produce graduates who are well-equipped to make significant contributions to the field of color science.

The program will include courses in colorimetry, color perception, and color technology, as well as opportunities for students to conduct research in areas of their interest. The program will also provide students with the opportunity to interact with industry partners and to work on real-world projects.

Women, children benefit from RIT nutrition research

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North Star showcases unity
Fashion show is unique mentoring experience

Courtnee Hill's career as an RIT student almost never began.

As Hill commenced her college search, she never considered RIT as a school to visit or attend—despite the fact that her mother, Virginia Carter, had graduated from RIT's Kate Gleason College of Engineering in 1978. Hill, now a third-year multidisciplinary studies major, has progressed through fundraising.

"That show really started my life," Carter says. "I'm amazed to see how far I've come with RIT's support. With some extra efforts to complement the neighborhood's character. The estimated $15,000 needed to cover the additional cost was generated through fundraising. The volunteers were asked to wield whatever tools they had previ- 

ous experience with, and some new ones as well, during the day. Most Habitat homes are one-floor- 

story houses constructed to fit Madison Ave. home, located in a historic preserva- 

tion district, required builders to move extra effort and time to complement the neighborhood's character.

"Working together was a lot of fun," says Sarah Remelt, staff assistant. "We combined our collective knowledge and skills so we could get as much done as possible. We really wanted to make every minute of our time at the house and I felt we did."

The Women Build program was established by Habitat for Humanity International to encourage women's involvement. Women groups have already built more than 800 Habitat for Humanity houses within the U.S. National Association for Homebuilders.

"I was in attendance to cheer Courtnee on during each of those shows. She and her mother, who is one of the RIT show's organizers, suggested that Carter design more clothes for the Unity Fashion Show. "I'm amazed to see how far I've come with RIT's support. With some people telling me that I couldn't do it, you get discouraged," Carter says.

"But then there was Courtnee and her mom saying that I can do it. They've always supported me."

Carter isn't the only high school student who will be a part of the show. There are six other stu- 

dents who are being mentored as well—and each has their own role in making the night a success. And Hill, undoubtedly, will have a huge smile on her face throughout it all.

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dents who are being mentored as well—and each has their own role in making the night a success.
Colón to head RIT legal affairs

Robert Colón, formerly assistant state attorney general, has been named RIT’s legal affairs officer.

Colón, who will report to James Watters, senior vice president for finance, administration, also serves as RIT’s Frederick H. Minett Professor last year.

In his role with the New York State Attorney General’s office, Colón oversees all functions of the Rochester regional office including supervising attorneys and staff members.

In addition, Colón helped to expand and solidify a relationship with the New York State Attorney General’s office. Prior to his work with New York state, Colón headed legal services inside Paychex, Inc.

“RIT has increasingly had the need to engage legal counsel in a wide variety of topics such as real estate, human resources, intellectual property, governance, conflict of interest and export control. Until now, RIT has utilized outside counsel to assist in these matters,” says Watters. “The increased complexity of the legal environment in which the university operates makes it a prudent time to build in-house capacity to ensure a cohesive and comprehensive posture. Robert will work to structure the appropriate balance of legal services necessary to protect the university community,”

Colón holds degrees from the University of Rochester and Harvard University.

NTID wins freedom award

RIT’s National Technical Institute for the Deaf was recently awarded the New Freedom Initiative Award from the U.S. Secretary of Labor Elaine Chao. This honor recognizes efforts to recruit, hire and promote people with disabilities and to incorporate the principles of President Bush’s New Freedom Initiative.

“Americans with disabilities are a valuable part of our workforce,” says Chao. “The New Freedom Initiative Award ceremony is a great opportunity to recognize the employers, organizations and individuals who have shown exceptional commitment to equal access and opportunity for Americans with disabilities.”

NTID, which serves deaf adults in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, was presented the award at the White House.

“PEN-International’s enormously successful efforts will improve the lives of deaf and hard-of-hearing people around the world,” says Alan Hurwitz, NTID CEO/dean and vice president of RIT.

“Defenders and education and career opportunities for deaf people around the world. Since NTID was established some 40 years ago, that trend has reversed, as 92 percent of NTID graduates who choose to enter the labor force find employment in business, industry, government, education and other fields that are commensurate with the level of their education and training.

“Education and technology have allowed people with disabilities more opportunities as well as a smoother transition into the work force,” says Alan Hurwitz, CEO/dean of NTID and vice president of RIT. “The benefits of hiring people with disabilities are universal.”

NTID recently made a voluntary contribution of $5,000 to the Henrietta Riviere Student Health Service.
Stained glass art speaks for itself, causing it to stand out in a crowded room or justifiably steal the spotlight. And when the artwork is a gift, its value is priceless.

A. Sue Weisler, photographer

Kaleidoscope Sunset, a glass, finally deciding on colors of yellow, orange, purple, blue, green, and during the unveiling on Jan. 18, was born, and Jeremiah Mothersell, emerged from a field of 12 finalists to win the 2007 OLLI members design stained-glass gift to home to where it belongs.

Correction

A headline in the Jan. 25 issue should have read “Cary publishes PAETEC history.”