

THE ACADEMY MONITOR



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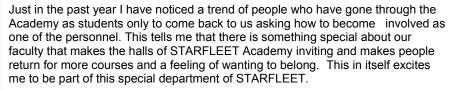
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Greetings from the great Halls of Learning, Starfleet Academy!

From the Principal's Office

It would be an understatement to say that I am excited about how much the Academy has grown since I took over this seat. The growth has absolutely nothing to do with me, except maybe allowing the personnel and newcomers the freedom of sharing ideas and creation.



STARFLEET Academy as with the rest of STARFLEET is made up of volunteers who have real lives, real jobs, real families, and yet in their hectic real lives they enjoy coming to work for you, the members, each and every day. If the staff enjoys volunteering their free time to the Academy, it will be apparent to our students/members who walk through our virtual halls and that is why we've been getting such an influx of interest.

One extra sentence or two that has been added to practically on every exam is the request for your opinion of the exam/course no matter if it is positive or negative. We can only make improvements if we know they need to be made and the extra pat on the back is very rewarding as well.

If you haven't been on STARFLEET Academy's website for a while, do so and click onto the course catalogue. I'm not kidding when I say there have been numerous additions to colleges as well as new colleges for your educational pleasure.

So come on down, good luck in any of the courses you take and have fun.

Until we meet again,

Admiral Peg Pellerin, SFA Commandant academy@sfi.org 1-888-734-8735 EXT. x705

"Everyone must row with the oars he has." - English proverb







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AROUND THE ACADEMY

"The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more you learn, the more places you'll go." ~~ Dr. Seuss



PROMOTIONS

- A Congratulations to David Hines to Commander
- A Congratulations to Kevin R. Plummer to Commander
- A Congratulations to Jacinda Thorsen to Captain
- A Congratulations to Tyler Carr to Commander





SNIPPET



YOU KNOW WHO AT 24



AROUND THE ACADEMY

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The most OUTSTANDING student for the month of June 2013 is:

Lori Winterhoff

The most OUTSTANDING student for the months of July 2013 and August 2013 is:



Congratulations!



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If you have knowledge, let others light their candles by it.



ACADEMY STAFFCOLLEGE NEWS

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DEANS:

Peg Pellerin = Leadership Studies Franklin Neman III = Asst. Dean, IOLS Carol Thompson = Science Fiction Studies Ros Haywood = Asst. Dean, IOSFS

Glen Diebold = Military Studies (Double deanship with Police, Fire & Rescue)

Bruce O'Brien = Asst. Dean, IOMS Lee Vitasek = Asst. Dean, IOAS Josephine Fisher = Alien Studies

DIRECTORS:

Bruce O'Brien = Starship Operations

Matthew Miller = Archeology & Anthropology

Tyler Carr = Security & Cadet Security

John Kolous = Security in Trek

Alexsander Rodner = Intel in Movies

Jill Tipton = Cadet Science Fiction Studies & Cadet Spooky Friends

Carol Thompson = NCIS & Science fiction on TV - Alien Contact & American Sci-Fi Writers

Ros Haywood = UK Sci-Fi Writers & College of English

Franklin Newman II = Bridge Officers' Program

Fran Brock = Academy Degree Program

Cyndi Valdez = Vampires and Werewolves

David Hines = Medical Knowledge

Daniel Toole = Abnormal Psychology

Bryan Jones = JAG

Donald Dobrin = Federation Studies & Cadet Federation Studies & Law Enforcement History

Oliver Savander = NIMS

TJ Allen = Fire and Rescue Training & Basic Firefighting

Lee Vitasek = Food Knowledge

Rosa Jackson = Entertainment Knowledge

Leo Rogers = Fire Rescue: Hazmat

STAFF:

Cher Schleigh = Staff Spreadsheet



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Do you hear the name 'William Shakespeare' and have to repress a shudder (do you even bother to repress the shudder? LOL)

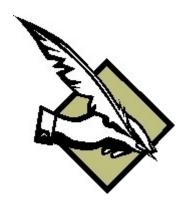
There are new courses in the College of William Shakespeare (Institute of Performing Arts and Entertainment) to help you!

Yes, there are still courses on the individual plays - and more are in the pipeline - but now there are some even more basic ones for you to enjoy. They are all Level 1 and no essays:

- Characters: multiple choice; which character is which?
- One Man and His Theatre: multiple choice, t/f, short answer; Shakespeare's bio and the Globe Theatre
- Quotable Quotes: short answer; 25 famous quotes; who said this and in which play?
- Shakespeare in Star Trek: short answer; TV and movie trivia
- Tragedy, Comedy, History?: short answer; categorize plays into tragedy, comedy, or history

O Student, Student - wherefore art thou, student?

Commodore Ros Haywood Director, College of William Shakespeare



College of English

http://acad.sfi.org/courses/arts/coe.php

by Commodore Ros Haywood, Director

Do you drive? Are you a pedestrian? Then you (hopefully) know the rules of the road. Do you write emails? Post to the Academy Yahoo list? Then you (hopefully) know the rules of punctuation. And you didn't even realise it!

"I sat through English lessons at high school," you mutter. "Never again!" Ah, but you never had lesson manuals quite like these. All tinged with a Star Trek flavo(u)r, these extremely short courses on things like punctuation, grammar, and paragraphs will leave you feeling "that wasn't so hard, after all!"

If you want to go further, the College of English has its own School of Proofreading, covering spelling, fonts, and different types of errors. And remember:

The huamn mnid deos not raed ervey lteter by istlef, but the wrod as a wlohe. The oredr of the ltteers in the wrod can be in a total mses but you can sitll raed it wouthit any porbelm.









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Hello everyone.

Some of you may remember an award I started about three years ago, called the Cadet Star Award. For those of you who don't remember, let me refresh your memories.

Cadets (6 to 18 yrs of age) who take courses from the college offerings within the Institute of Cadet Studies must complete a college with Honors &/or Distinctions. When doing so, they receive a congratulatory letter from myself as well as a special certificate and a gold star pin. They can complete as many colleges as they want, earning more letters, certificates and pins.

If a cadet completes any college within the Adult Institutes with Honors and/or Distinctions and only 1 Pass, the cadet will also earn the Cadet Star Award.

Some of the older cadets (13 to 18) have never attempted the colleges within the adult institutes because they didn't know they were allowed to. So, please pass this on.

I do hope with these incentives that we start seeing more of our younger members start getting involved at STARFLEET Academy.

Peg Pellerin SFA Commandant <u>admiralpeg@gmail.com</u> academy@sfi.org



CADET PREPARATORY COLLEGE

Drum roll please......I am pleased to announce that we have recipients to the Cadet Honor Star Awards:

Clair Bressie - Cadet College of Borg Technology

7/28/13	Aiden Bressie - Cadet College of Borg Technology
7/28/13	Charlotte Wilson- Cadet College of Borg Technology
7/28/13	Sam Wilson- Cadet College of Borg Technology
7/28/13	Sean Smith - Cadet College of Borg Technology
7/28/13	Liam Wilson - Cadet College of Borg Technology
8/13/13	Michael Hardegree-Ullman - College of
	Geographical Science & Ferengi Orientation
	College (adult colleges)
9/02/13	Charlotte Wilson - Cadet College of Law
9/24/13	${\it Kendalyn\ Jarrett-Cadet\ College\ of\ BorgTechnology}$
9/30/13	Sam Wilson—Cadet College of Math
9/30/13	Sean Smith—Cadet College of Math
9/30/13	Kendalyn Jarrett—Cadet College of Math

Remember those of you who direct Cadet Colleges that when you have a Cadet who has fully completed a Cadet College with Honors and/or Distinctions to let me know so I can send that Cadet the same Award. They can earn as many awards as there are Cadet Colleges.

I'd love to see a Cadet weighed down by loads of star pins.

Peg Pellerin
SFA Commandant
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Blue Squadron Leader

Claire Bressie

Blue Squadron Assistant Leader Katherine Lightheart

Blue Squadron Members:

Cdt Cardassian Orientation College - Katherine Lightheart

Cdt College of Borg Technology - Claire Bressie

Cdt College of Federation Studies - Aiden Bressie

Cdt College of Law - Claire Bressie

Cdt College of Mathematics – Katherine Lightheart

Cdt College of Sci-Fi Studies - Martin Lightheart

Cynthia Lightheart

Cdt College of Security - Claire Bressie

Cdt College of Spaceflight - Claire Bressie

Cdt College of Spooky Friends - Quinton Davis

Cdt College of Superheroes - Cynthia Lightheart

Cdt College of XenoStudies - Katherine Lightheart

Cdt Preparatory College - Holly Stokes

Cdt Vulcan Academy of Science- Katherine Lightheart

Cdt Vulcan Orientation College - Elizabeth Nicholson

Gold Squadron Leaders:

College of XenoStudies - Beverly Lightheart

Cynthia Lightheart Jessica Lightheart Katherine Lightheart Martin Lightheart, Jr.

Gold Squadron Assistants: College of Security - Lorna Bergin Matthew Bergin

Gold Squadron Members:

Cdt College of Borg Tech. - Claire Bressie

Aiden Bressie

Cdt College of Fed. Studies – Cynthia Lightheart

Jessica Lightheart Katherine Ligtheart

Martin Lightheart, Jr.

Katherine Lightheart Cdt College of Mathematics -

Martin Lightheart, Jr.

Cdt College of Sci-Fi Studies - Cynthia Lightheart

Jessica Lightheart

Katherine Ligtheart

Martin Lightheart, Jr.

Cdt College of Superheroes -Cynthia Lightheart

Jessica Lightheart Katherine Ligtheart

Martin Lightheart, Jr.

Cdt College of XenoStudies -Cynthia Lightheart

Jessica Lightheart

Katherine Ligtheart

Martin Lightheart, Jr.

Cynthia Lightheart Cdt Vulcan Academy of Sci. -

Jessica Lightheart Katherine Ligtheart Martin Lightheart, Jr. Klingon Warrior Academy - Richard Boudreau

Raymond Boudreau

College of Intelligence in Movies - Jerome Conner

Kara Conner

College or Starship Ops. - Richard Childers

Jane Childers

College of Sci-Fi Cinema:

Alien Contact - Angel Hollifield

Donna Hollifield

Gary Hollifield, Jr.

Gary Hollifield, Sr. Jacob Hollifield

College of United Kingdom - Angie Smith

- Marie Smith

College of Dr. Who - Deanna Bressie

Claire Bressie

Mary Lightheart

Red Squadron Leader: **Michael Caruso**

Red Squadron Assistant Leader:

Franklin Newman III

Red Squadron Members

Andorian Orientation College - Ian Bowen

Bajoran Orientation College – Melissa Toole Caitian Orientation College – Derek Allen

Cardassian Orientation College - David Phillips

College of Borg Technology - David Phillips

College of XenoStudies - David Phillips

Ferengi Orientation College – David Phillips Klingon Warrior Academy – Debbie French

Orion Orientation College – Joshua Wabindato

Romulan Orientation College – Randolph Allen

Ghe Gorn Academy - Michael Caruso

Vulcan Orientation College - Michael McDonald

College of Down Under - Angie Smith

College Foreign Language Knowledge-Josephine Fisher College of United Kingdom – Angie Smith

College of Buffy & Angel - Robert DiMatteo

College of Charmed - Bryan Jones

College of Fantasy Realm - John Radle

College of Macabre – Robert DiMatteo

College of Superheroes - E. Jerry Beaulieu

College of Vampires & Werewolves- Franklin Newman III

College of ZOMS and MUMS - Thomas Pawelczak

College of History -Larry French, Sr.

College of North American Indians- Franklin Newman III

College of Bond, James Bond - Wayne Killough, Jr.

College of Burn Notice - Jordan Reinleib

College of Cryptography - Frances Brock

College of Intelligence in Movies - Edward Wandall

College of Intelligence on Television-Wayne Killough, Jr.

College of Intelligence Operations - Stephen Satonick



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College of Intelligence Operations - Stephen Satonick College of Intelligence in Sci-Fi - David Hines

College of Military Intelligence - James Herring

Officer Command College - Tyler Carr

Flag Officer School - Jordan Reinleib

SF Officer Leadership College - David Lynch

College of Abnormal Psychology - Wayne Killough, Jr

College of Animal Knowledge - Eric Schulman

College of Food Knowledge - Franklin Newman III

College of Medical Knowledge - Eric Schulman

SF Acad. College of Medicine - Michael Hess

College of Psychological Perspectives – David Hines

College of Vertebrate Biology - Franklin Newman III

Milit. Knowledge: A Nation's Beginnings - Richard Hewitt

CoMK: The Civil War – Adam Wenclewicz

CoMK: Coming of Age - Richard Hewitt

CoMK: The Electronic Age - Josephine Fisher

CoMK: Military Trivia - Josephine Fisher

College of Military Movies – Thomas Pawelczak

College of Security - Ralph Brigham

College of Security in Trek - Darren Woodward

College of Starship Ops - James Hutley

College of Strategy & Tactics - Randolph Allen

College of Survival Skills - Stephen Satonic

College of Action & Drama – Thomas Pawelczak

College of Cinematic Comedy - Kris Dobie

College of NCIS - Deanna Bressie

College of Sherlock Holmes - James Herring

College of Emergency Technology - Jordan Reinleib

College of Evidence - James Herring

College of Firefighting & Rescue Tech. - Jordan Reinleib

College of Law Enforcement(LE) - Melissa Tolle

College of LE History - Robert Westfall

College of LE Resource - Stephen Satonick

College of World-Wide LE Agencies - James Hadley

College of Sci-Fi Cin: Alien Contact - John Radle

College of Sci-Fi Cin: Artificial Intell. - Max Poston

College of Sci-Fi Cin: Science - Michael Caruso

College of Sci-Fi Cin: Space Travel – Patricia Baxter

College of Sci-Fi Cin: Time Travel - Gary Amor

College of Star Wars - Michelle Lussier

College of Alien Nation - Wayne Killough, Jr.

College of Babylon 5 - Michael Caruso

College of Battlestar Galactica - Steve Tweed

College of Doctor Who - Victor Swindell

College of Farscape - John Radle

College of Irwin Allen - Steve Tweed

College of Sarah Jane Adventures - Richard Hewitt

College of Sci-Fi Television- Franklin Newman III

College of Stargate - Louise Hup

College of V - Carol Thompson

College of Spec. Ops. in Movies - John Radle

College of Spec. Ops. Resources - Megan Schroeder

College of Spec. Ops. Training - Barbara Paul

College of Spec. Ops. Units – Barbara Paul

Chaplain Services College of Spirituality - Bill West College of Archaeology/Anthropology – Jordan Reinleib

College of Chemistry – Frances Brock College of Computer History – Troy rutter

College of Engineering – Jason Schreck

College of Geographical Science - Eric Johannson

College of Mathematics - Marcelo Guerra

College of Physics - Frances Brock

College of Spaceflight History - Jason Schreck

SF Officer's Radio School - Émilee Dockery

Vulcan Academy of Science - Barbara Paul

College of Federation Studies - Steve Tweed

College of Parallel Studies - Michael Caruso

College of Star Trek Actors - Josephine Fisher

College of Star Trek Literature – Robin Woodell-Vitasek

College of Temporal Physics - Michael Caruso

College of Treknology - Judith Waidlich

College of Classic Detective Mysteries - James Herring

College of Communications - David Phillips

College of Economics - Daniel Toole

College of English -Aron Coutu

College of Genealogy - Victor Swindell

College of Humor – Michael Caruso

College of Law – Jeffrey Triz

College of Mythological Studies - Roon Marchant

College of Unusual Knowledge – Eric Johannson



ANNUAL ACADEMY AWARDS

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SFA STAFF & FACULTY AWARDS for 2012:

Commandant's Star Award: Wayne Killough, Jr. – Coordinator, Support Services

Support Staff Member of the Year: Cher Schleigh – Chief Publication Services (SFA newsletter – Monitor) Course Development Committee

Dean of the Year: George Ann Wheeler – Institute of Science Fiction on TV

Assistant Dean of the Year: TJ Allen – Institute of Police, Fire and Rescue

Institute of the Year: Institute of Police, Fire and Rescue: Dean, Glen Diebold Assist. Dean, TJ Allen

College of Emergency Technology: Director, Glen Diebold Assist. Dir., Bryan Jones

College of Evidence: Director, Glen Diebold Assist. Dir., Jeffrey Triz

College of Fire Fighting & Rescue Studies: Director, Glen Diebold

College of Fire Fighting & Rescue Technology: Director, Glen Diebold Assist. Dir., Bryan Jones

College of Law Enforcement: Director, Glen Diebold Assist. Dir., Thomas Pawelczak

College of Law Enforcement Assets: Director, Glen Diebold Assist. Dir., Jeffrey Triz

College of Law Enforcement History: Director, Glen Diebold Assistant. Dean, TJ Allen

College of Law Enforcement Resources: Director, Glen Diebold Assist. Dir., Jeffrey Triz College of World Wide LE Agencies: Director, Glen Diebold

College of the Year: College of Military Knowledge : Director, Glen Diebold

Director of the Year: Glen Giebold

College of Animal Knowledge

College of Foreign Language Knowledge

College of Medical Knowledge

College of Military Knowledge: A Nation's Beginnings

College of Military Knowledge: The Civil War College of Military Knowledge: Coming of Age College of Military Knowledge: The Electronic Age College of Military Knowledge: Military Trivia

College of Emergency Technology

College of Evidence

College of Firefighting & Rescue Studies: Basic Firefighter

College of Firefighting & Rescue Technology

College of Law Enforcement
College of Law Enforcement Assets
College of Law Enforcement History
College of Law Enforcement Resources

College of Worldwide Law Enforcement Agencies

Assistant Director of the Year: Joanne Schoenthaler College of Bond James Bond College of Military Intelligence

Congratulations

Carol Thompson

Lifetime Membership Award







ACADEMY INFORMATION

Further information about the Academy, its staff and faculty, courses offered, and scholarships will be found at the following website:

http://acad.sfi.org/courses/index.php





SO YOU WANT TO BE A DIRECTOR

Basic requirements are: Be at least 18 years of age and have taken OTS and OCC.

To assume a vacancy, you must pass all of the exams in the College, or if a large college, 75% of the exams.

To direct a College of your own creation, first check the College Catalogue to make certain your idea is not already being used.

If the concept is not being used elsewhere, submit a College outline, exam, and key to the Course Development Contact, Carol Thompson at: betazoid@mosquitonet.com

She will determine where your College fits within the Academy structure and introduce you to your Dean, who will lead you through the approval process.



<u>ACADEMY GRADUATES</u>

JULY 1, 2013 THRU SEPTEMBER 30, 2013



5,256 graduates = Approx. 1,778 per month avg.

NUMBERS FOLLOWING THE NAMES ARE APPROXIMATE. THESE INDICATE NUMBER OF EXAMS COMPLETED IN EACH INSTITUTE

ALIEN STUDIES

Adam Dolphin (7) Anthony Hufford (6) Brad Qualls (2) Bryan Jones (2) Bryan Teske (2) Carol Harper (10) Craig Brown (3) Craig Cameron (3) David Goldsberry (11) David Kennedy **David Miller** Eilidh Montgomery (2) Elizabeth Worth (3) Erica Turrigianni Frances Brock (12) George Hildebidle Heather McNevin (2) James Anthony Jason Emery (2) Jeff Agnew Jeffery Swan (2) Jenni Moody (3) Jeremy Mayes (24) Jeremy Skelton JLA Watson John Hancock (5) Josef Melech-Solomon Justin Cross (5) Kaleign (6) Laura Sardeson Lauren Peterson Lorna Bergin Matthew Bergin (10)

Max Poston (4)

Melissa Hadley

Michael Timko

Mickey Cupkie

Mitch Dunn (3)

Randell Lesh

Norbert Kessen (4)

Ramona Harvey (6)

Rianna Melton (6)

Rob MacDonald

Robert DiMatteo

Roon Marchant

Sarah Beller

Steve Lezak

Tyler Carr

Richard Childers (3)

Savannah Swint (2)

Shasta Crossman

Steven Wilkey (3)

Timothy Kirshman

Ted Ochsenhirt

Valerie Hiughes

Michael Caruso (17)

Michael Hardegree-Úllman (7)

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Ariel Vitali **Beverly Lightheart** Bill Rowlette (28) Calvin McLearn (2) Christina Doane Cynthia Valdez (2) David Phillips (3) Ed Wandall Elizabeth Worth (8) Eric Johannson (12) Frances Brock Jane Childers Jeanne Wilson (5) Joseph Fuller (3) Josephine Fisher (28) Kaleign (6) Kathleen Hamilton Leo Rogers (6) Marie Smith (2) Mary Lightheart Matthew Bergin (16) Max Poston (4) Michael Hardegree-Ullman (6) S. Griswold Scott Stone

FANTASY, HORROR & SUPERNATURAL

Aleksander R°dner (8) Ashura Lewis Bill Rowlette (66)

CADET STUDIES

Aiden Bressie (3) Barbara Paul (28) Bill Rowlette (4) Charlotte Wilson Claire Bressie (3) Era Childers (3) Ethan Rendleman (2) Frances Brock (2) George Ann Wheeler (13) Jessica Lightheart Josephine Fisher (6) Katherine Lightheart (2) Kendalyn Jarrett (4) Laurens Cranssen (3) Leo Rogers (5) Liam Wilson Preston Rogers (2) Robert Childers (3) Sam Wilson (4) Sean Smith (6) Trinity Rogers (2)

FANTASY. HORROR AND SUPERNATURAL

Bryan Jones (9) Calvin McLearn (3) Charlotte Wilson (2) Chelsea Czekalski Cher Schleigh (14) Christopher Travis Colin Gabbert Curtis Riemann Cynthia Valdez (22) David Goldsberry (2) Donna Jarrett (2) Elizabeth Ennis (3) Elizabeth Worth (4) Eric Johannson Erik Stubblefield (11) Faith Eheart (2) Frances Brock (7) Franklin Newman (23) George Ann Wheeler (8) Gordie Fox Hooper (3) Huston Huddleston (4) Isabel Valdez (12) Jane Childers Jane Childers Jason Howell Jennifer Kronicz (5) Jeremy Skelton (3) John Wilson (6) Josephine Fisher (5) Kaleign (14) Kathleen Hamilton (6) Kendalyn Jarrett (3) Larry French (14) Laura Sardeson (4) Leo Rogers (5) Liam Wilson Lori Winterhoff Marie Smith Matthew Miller Maxwell McCoy Michael Hardegree-Ullman Nick Elder Patricia Lewis (5) Robin Woodell-Vitasek (4) S. Griswold Sean Washburn Shawn Garcia Thomas Clark TJ Allen (3) Troy Rutter

Wayne Killough (6)

HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT

Mark Polanis (4) Anne Miller (4) Kaleign (2) John Hancock Julie Taucher Laura Sardeson (2) Patricia Lewis (2) Elizabeth Worth Jane Childers Adam Wenclewicz (3) Pea Pellerin (3) Barbara Paul (3) Matthew Miller (2) Frances Brock (3)

INTELLIGENCE & ESPIONAGE

Alan Goulet Aleksander R°dner (27) Alisha Smiddy Anne Miller (3) Benjamin Salisbury (3) Bill Rowlette (42) Bryan Teske Christopher Travis Colin Gabbert David Goldsberry (39) Eric Johannson (4) Frances Brock (4) Franklin Newman (4) George Ann Wheeler (15) George Ann Wheeler (8) James Herring (5) Jane Childers (5) Jeffery Swan (2) Jeremy Skelton (2) John Gilfillan (3) John Hancock (5) John Hardy Josef Melech-Solomon Josephine Fisher Judy Waidlich (4) Kaleign (19) Kathy Hench (3) Lee Vitasek (3) Leo Rogers (4) Lori Winterhoff Marie Smith (3) Mary Lightheart Matthew Bergin Max Poston (3) Michael Brown (8) Nancy Hall Paul Dvl (6)

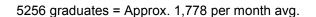
Perry Brulotte

Ronald Coleman



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Shirley Graham Thomas Clark (2) Thomas Guertin Troy Rutter Wayne Killough (4)

LEADERSHIP STUDIES

Abbie Martin-Jones Adam Hudson Adam Wenclewicz (2) Allie Henson Amanda Larson Anni -Zig- Potts Anthony Hufford Art Lobdell Ashura Lewis **Aunisty Hudnall** Bernard Dacey Beth Perkins Betty O'Brien Brandan Keel **Brandon Ross** Brian Miller Brian Seymour Bryan Teske Caitlin Bleau Calvin McLearn (2) Carl Krampitz Carol Harper Carolyn Donner Cathy Williams Channie Cooper Chloe Nodwell Christopher Gal Christopher Germanio Christopher Mulroonev Christopher Sham (2) Christopher Travis **Christy Wines** Clemma Ruble Colin Gabbert Craig Brown **Curtis Lacey** Daniel DeArmond **Daniel Motes** David Eckel David Francoeur (2) David Goldsberry (3) David Griffin

David Hines

David Lynch

Derek Allen

David Nottage (5)

David Pilkington

LEADERSHIP STUDIES

Diana Sanderson Dominic Cheski Douglas Best Ed Wandall (2) Elizabeth Ennis Eric Schulman (2) Erica Turrigianni Ethan Rendleman Frank Kiernan Gareth Collier Gary Smith Gary Thompson Gavin Watts George Sheldon Gregory Gilliland Heather McNevin Ivy Knott James Anthony James Farlow (2) James Furgerson (2) James Herring (2) Jane Childers Jason Campbell Jason Emery Jason Garrett Jason Howell (4) Jason Schreck (4) Jeff Agnew Jeff Dickens Jeffery Swan Jeffrey Guillot Jeffrey Hughes Jennifer Hampton Jim Gorman Jim Simonson JLA Watson Joel Jenkins John Brogan John Koulos Jordan Schoen Josef Melech-Solomon (4) Judy Waidlich (2) Kaleign (8) Katie Crane Keith Rombach Kelly Adams Kelly Williamson Ken Cunning Kenneth Cheek Kenneth Price Kenneth Robison Kit Roberts Lara Schilling Larry French (2)

Laura Perkins

Lauren Peterson

Lauren Bell

LEADERSHIP STUDIES

Lee Johnson

Locke Mackenzie Lorna Bergin Lt. Colonel Ronald Ryder Luis Rodriguez Pinto Lydia Brown Magdalena Das Marcelo Guerra Marcus Cupps Margaret Sivewright Maria Dutilly Marion Dobie Martha Walters Martin Bray Mary Severson Matthew Mercado Max Poston Melissa Russell Michael Denman Michael Garcia (4) Michael Hardegree-Ullman Michael McGraw Michelle Kandel Mickela Cupkie Mickey Cupkie Mie Egede Madsen Morgan LeFey Nancy Knight Neal Fisher Norman Liddell Pamela Nery Pete Meanev Raechel Watts Ramona Harvey Rebecca Bonham Renee Wike Richard Barnett Robert Efurd Robert Marshall Robert Quereau Robert Schumaker Robin Goldblum Ronald Coleman Roon Marchant Russell Ruhland (3) Scott Peter (5) Sean Washburn Shaun Moon Shon Elliott Stephen Hancock Steve Lezak Teresa Cox Tiffany Johnson Tim Heilers Villate McKitrick Wayne Killough

William Gerber

Winter Guite

LIFE SCIENCE Adam Wenclewicz (7)

Alfred Smith Andrea Matthews (22) Angela Landry (3) Anne Miller (9) Anthony Hufford (2) Barbara Paul (42) Betty O'Brien **Brittney Corral** Bryan Jones (4) Bryan Teske Carol Harper (3) Cindy Buxton Daniel Toole (27) David Hines (12) Debbie TPlon Fee (2) Ed Wandall Elizabeth Worth (5) Erica Turrigianni Frances Brock (25) Franklin Newman (7) George Hildebidle (5) Heather McNevin Isabel Valdez (7) Jane Childers (22) Jeanne Wilson (28) Jim Simonson (5) Kaleign (4) Laura Sardeson (7) Lee Vitasek (20) Matthew Bergin Max Poston (5) Megan Schroeder (2) Melissa Hadley (2) Mike Vivian Nicholas Kirschner Pamela Nery Patricia Lewis (13) Patricia Lewis (3) Robert Quereau Robin Woodell-Vitasek (24) Rosa Jackson (13) Rusty Peace Sandra Stocks Sarah Beller Stacey Linebaugh Cress William Gerber (3)

MILITARY STUDIES

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Jeffery Swan

Jeffrey Guillot (7)

Jeremy Mayes (3)

MILITARY STUDIES

Jeremy Skelton (4)

John Brogan (17)

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MILITARY STUDIES

Scott Peter (3)
Sean Washburn
Sebastian Greenwood (4)
Shaun Moon (7)
Steve Lezak (7)
Ted Ochsenhirt (3)
Thomas Clark (6)
Tracy Clark (2)
Tyler Carr (7)
VALERIE HUGHES (11)
Vincent Mack (9)
Wayne Killough (50)
Winter Guite (2)

PERFORMING ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Aleksander R°dner (8) Allen Anderson Bill Rowlette (102) **Brittney Corral** Bryan Jones (35) Carol Thompson (26) Carolyn Donner Chelsea Czekalski Cher Schleigh Daniel DeArmond David Phillips (3) Elizabeth Worth (15) Eric Johannson (2) Erik Stubblefield (15) Frances Brock (23) Franklin Newman (87) George Ann Wheeler (88) Gillian Shearwater James Herring (6) Jane Childers (12) Jason Lane Jeremy Skelton (2) Josef Melech-Solomon Josephine Fisher (18) Kaleign (15) Kristie Devine Larry French (44) Lee Vitasek (2) Leo Rogers (16) Matthew Bergin (20) Max Poston (8) Michael Caruso Patricia Lewis (25) Richard Childers (6) Richard Hewitt (3) Robin Woodell-Vitasek Ros Haywood (13) Rosa Jáckson (13) Scott Stone

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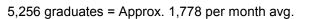
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Allen Anderson (3)
Betty Ann Leverence
Darlene Fairweather
David Goldsberry
Donna Jarrett (4)
Frances Brock (3)
Franklin Newman (7)
Gary Amor (7)
Gillian Shearwater
Jane Childers (2)



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SCIENCE FICTION IN CINEMA

Jennifer Kronicz (3)
Jeremy Skelton (2)
John Hardy
Kaleign (7)
Laura Perkins
Matthew Bergin (8)
Richard Childers (2)
Robin Woodell-Vitasek (2)
Thomas Pawelczak
Troy Rutter (4)
Wayne Smith

SCIENCE FICTION STUDIES

Carol Thompson (22) Carolyn Donner (7) Frances Brock (3) George Ann Wheeler (3) Josephine Fisher (7) Patricia Lewis (11) Richard Hewitt Ros Haywood (9)

SCIENCE FICTION ON TELEVISION

Allen Anderson (6) Beverly Lightheart Bill Rowlette (20) Bobbie Baxter (2) Cynthia Valdez David Goldsberry (3) Debra Kummer (2) Ed Wandall (2) Elizabeth Worth (5) Erica Turrigianni Franklin Newman (7) George Ann Wheeler (4) James Anthony (2) James Cecil (15) James Herring (2) Jayden Tyronian (2) Jeffery Swan (3) Jennifer Kronicz (9) John Hancock (2) John Hardy Josephine Fisher (2) Kaleign (11) Karen Kessen (11) Leo Rogers (2) Martin Lightheart Mary Burke Matthew Bergin (17)

SCIENCE FICTION ON TELEVISION

Michael Garcia (13) Mickey Cupkie Nicholas Kirschner (7) Pamela Nery Patricia Baxter (5) Patricia Lewis (3) Ruth Lane (3) Shawn Gregory (2) Stacey Linebaugh Cress Steve Tweed (2) Susan Durham Tony Durham Trinity Rogers Tyler Carr Victor Swindell (4) Wayne Killough (7)

SPECIAL OPERATIONS

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SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

Allen Anderson (8) Angie Smith (3) Anthony Hufford (2) Betty O'Brien (3) Bill Rowlette (5)

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STAR TREK STUDIES

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Alfred Smith Allen Anderson (5) Anne Miller (3) Bill Rowlette Carolyn Donner (2) David Goldsberry (2) David Lynch David Nottage David Pitts (87) Eric Johannson Frances Brock (5) George Ann Wheeler (6) Jeff Dickens Jeffery Swan (2) JLA Watson Joseph Fuller (4) Josephine Fisher Juanita Stone (2) Julie Taucher (3) Kaleign (43) Karen Hoagland Keira Russell-Strong Kris Dobie (5) Laura Perkins Laura Sardeson (2) Lori Winterhoff (3) Mark Polanis Matthew Bergin Melissa Hadley Michael Lewis Norbert Kessen Pamela Nery Patricia Lewis (30) Percy Ahuriri Richard Fornash (2) Richard Hewitt (5) Ronald Coleman

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ANN C. CRISPIN

<u>StarTrek.com</u> is saddened to report the passing of Ann C. Crispin, better known to millions of book aficionados as A.C. Crispin. Crispin, she was the acclaimed, award-winning author of numerous books, including the iconic *Star Trek* titles *Sarek*, *Yesterday's Son* and *Time for Yesterday*. Her non-*Star Trek* work included her own, original *StarBridge* series, as well as tie-in novels set in the realms of *Star Wars*, *V, Alien* and *Pirates of the Caribbean*. Crispin had waged a long battle with bladder cancer and, on September 3, she took to her Facebook page to thank her fans for their good wishes and prayers, but also to reveal that the end of the battle was near.

<u>StarTrek.com</u> spoke to Crispin in 2011 and asked her, among other things, what she felt she added to the lore of Vulcans in general and to Spock, Sarek and Zar specifically through the *Trek* novels and comic book she wrote. She replied, "From the beginning I was fascinated -- pardon the pun -- by Mr. Spock and Vulcan. As a child of the 60's, the idea that Vulcans were strong, and capable, anything but wimps, yet their entire planet embraced pacifism, really inspired me. Also, Mr. Spock was smart, and I identified with his intelligence, yet (also) his "apartness." He was a character pulled between worlds... this is a characterization a writer can really sink her teeth into! So I worked very hard at being able to set inside the skin of my Vulcan characters, and write them in a way that was true to their nature, yet made them understandable and allowed readers to empathize with them. I also loved Mr. Roddenberry's optimistic vision of the future. I wanted to go live in that future, and I was able to, at least for as long as it took to write my novels. As for Zar, it seemed to me when I watched "All Our Yesterdays" that the episode cried out for a sequel... so I sat down and wrote it. Regarding adding *Trek* "lore"... I suppose I was able to add a bit. I recall inventing a rather nasty weapon from the time of Surak that Romulans still used for Sarek... a senapa, I believe it was called. That was fun."

Crispin, who was in her early 60s, is survived by her husband, the author Michael Capobianco, and a son from a previous relationship. All of us at <u>StarTrek.com</u> extend our condolences to Crispin's family, friends and many admirers.





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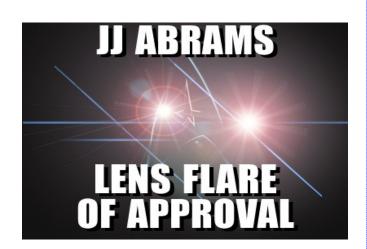














FOR THE FANGIRL



Looking for that special gift for the Star Trek fan in your life who has everything? Well now it's easy, get them to agree to marry you then buy this...

We may have found that perfect gift for the Trekkie in your life. Valerie Lazutina who runs <u>Etsy Shop</u> has designed an engagement ring modeled after the famous Starfleet insignia.

The insignia is instantly recognizable – even to non-fans - and is certainly an alternative take on the second most important ring you'll ever wear.

The ring is available in sterling silver, 14K white gold or yellow gold via <u>VaLa Jewellery</u>, and is "studded with a 3mm round brilliant white sapphire. Why not a diamond? According to CBC News, sapphires are commonplace gemstones in the fictional series, which makes a white sapphire much more fitting than a diamond. (With a starting price of \$500, not only does a sapphire better suit the Trekkie theme, but lack of diamond also makes the ring fairly affordable compared to others on the market.)" write the Huffington Post.

Lazutina told <u>HuffPost Weddings</u> that she designed the ring for a client who wanted a Star Trek-inspired engagement ring for his girlfriend: "He wanted to propose to her at the Sci-fi Convention in Colorado in front of Jonathan Frakes, Commander William T. Riker on "Star Trek: The Next Generation".

The rest, as they say, is history and the ring is now available for everyone after she received numerous other requests...

Marriage... the final frontier

- See more at: http://www.followingthenerd.com/toyscollectibles/star-trek-engagement-ring-for-the-ultimate-fangirl/#sthash.2Jz1CyPR.dpuf



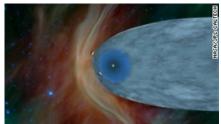


YONGER I LEWES SOLM SYSTEM

(CNN) -- At the edge of the heliosphere, you wouldn't know by looking whether you left the cradle of humanity behind and floated out into interstellar space. You would just see unfathomably empty space, no matter which side of the invisible line you were on. But scientists now have strong evidence that NASA's Voyager 1 probe has crossed this important border, making history as the first human-made object to leave the heliosphere, the magnetic boundary separating the solar system's sun, planets and solar wind from the rest of the galaxy. "In leaving the heliosphere and setting sail on the cosmic seas between the stars, Voyager has joined other historic journeys of exploration: The first circumnavigation of the Earth, the first steps on the Moon," said Ed Stone, chief scientist on the Voyager mission. "That's the kind of event this is, as we leave behind our solar bubble."

A new study in the journal Science suggests that the probe entered the interstellar medium around August 25, 2012. You may have heard other reports that Voyager 1 has made the historic crossing before, but Thursday was the first time NASA announced it.

The twin spacecraft Voyager 1 and 2 were launched in 1977, 16 days apart. As of Thursday, according to NASA's real-time odometer, Voyager 1 is 18.8 billion kilometers (11.7 billion miles) from Earth. Its sibling, Voyager 2, is 15.3 billion (9.5 billion) kilometers from our planet.



Voyager 1 is being hailed as the first probe to leave the solar system. But under a stricter definition of "solar system," which includes the distant comets that orbit the sun, we'd have to wait another 30,000 years for it to get that far, Stone said.

Another milestone for long after we're gone: The probe will fly near a star

in about 40,000 years, Stone said.

How do we know?

Voyager, currently traveling at more than 38,000 miles per hour, never sent a postcard saying "Greetings from interstellar space!" So whether it has made the historic crossing or not is a matter of controversy. "The spacecraft itself really doesn't know," Stone said. "It's only instruments that can tell us whether we're inside or outside."

Further complicating matters, the device aboard Voyager 1 that measures plasma -- a state of matter with charged particles -- broke in 1980. To get around that, scientists detected waves in the plasma around the spacecraft and used that information to calculate density. Vibrations in the plasma came from a large coronal mass ejection from the sun in 2012, resulting in what Stone called a "solar wind tsunami." These vibrations reached the area around Voyager this spring.





Measurements taken between April 9 and May 22 of this year show that Voyager 1 was, at that time, located in an area with an electron density of about 0.08 per cubic centimeter.

In the interstellar medium, the density of electrons is thought to be between 0.05 and 0.22 per cubic centimeter. The particles of interstellar plasma were created by the explosions of giant stars, and carry the magnetic field of the galaxy, scientists said. Last year, between October 23 and November 27, researchers calculate that Voyager 1 was in an area with an electron density of 0.06 per cubic centimeter. That's still within the interstellar space range, and it means that over time the spacecraft passed through plasma with increasing electron density.

The study, led by University of Iowa physicist Donald Gurnett, suggests that the plasma density is about 30 times higher in the interstellar medium than in the heliosphere, which is close to what scientists thought based on other kinds of measurements. The boundary is called the heliopause.

When did it happen?

Scientists have been using several kinds of measurements to figure out if and when Voyager 1 had reached the interstellar medium. Evidence from particle data had already pointed toward the conclusion that the probe succeeded. In late July and early August of 2012, scientists saw dips in the concentration of particles made in the solar system, and peaks in particles made outside.

"If you just looked at that data, you'd think it's pretty clear that we've actually crossed a boundary. We're no longer in the place where the solar system particles are being made, and we're actually out in the interstellar medium," said Marc Swisdak, associate research scientist in the Institute for Research in Electronics and Applied Physics at the University of Maryland. Swisdak was not involved in the new study, but has worked with Voyager data. Magnetic field measurements suggested otherwise. Researchers had expected to see stark changes in magnetic field direction when the probe crossed out of the heliosphere, but that wasn't supported by measurements from the probe.

Swisdak and colleagues published a modeling study suggesting that the particle data is more relevant, and that the magnetic field might not change as much as people thought. They proposed a crossing-over date of July 27 -- about a month sooner than the new study. The specific date will likely be debated for some time, Swisdak said. One possible explanation is that if the heliosphere is analogous to an air-conditioned room, Voyager stepped through the doorway into a hot room on July 27. For a month it was in a metaphorical room with a mixture of hot and cold air, and finally entered the truly hot part on August 25.

Puzzles still surround the magnetic field at the edge of the heliosphere, Stone said, and "We're going to be prepared to have more surprises."





TONGER I LEVES SOLAR SYSTEM

What else is out there?

Voyager 1 has only 68 KB of memory on board -- far less than a smartphone, said Suzanne Dodd, Voyager project manager. Scientists communicate with the spacecraft every day. "It's the little spacecraft that could," she said in a NASA press conference.

The probe now has a totally new mission, Stone said. "We're now on the first mission to explore interstellar space," he said. "We will now look and learn in detail how the wind which is outside, that came from these other stars, is deflected around the heliosphere." Wind -- made of particles -- from these other stars has to go around the heliosphere the way a water in a stream flows around a rock, Stone said. Scientists are Interested in learning more about the interaction between our solar wind and wind from other stars. Natural radioactive decay provides heat that generates enough electricity to help Voyager 1 communicate with Earth. The first science instrument will be turned off in 2020, and the last one will be shut down in 2025, Stone said.

Both Voyager probes carry time capsules known as "the golden record," a 12-inch, gold-plated copper disc with images and sounds so that extraterrestrials could learn about us. Let's hope they can build appropriate record players.

Voyager 2 will likely leave the heliosphere in about three to four years, Stone said. Its plasma instrument is still working, Stone said, so scientists can directly measure the stellar wind's density, speed and temperature. That also means that when it crosses out of the heliosphere, Voyager 2 will send a clearer signal. At that time, it will join its twin in the vast nothingness between stars that used to be beyond our reach.





Photographing Star Trails

Star trail photographs usually use long-exposure times to capture the path that stars take across the night sky. (Actually the earth is what's moving) They make for amazing photographs that almost look like a special effect from a movie. Would you like to be able to capture a shot like this?



There's a lot you need to know to make this type of photograph turn out, like why a whole bunch of 30 second exposures is really better than one long one. Or why cold nights are much better than warm ones for capturing the perfect image. You'll also need technical details like why you need a longer time for wide angle lenses and what the best ISO is. It's a lot information, so I think I'll just show you the video tutorial I made on the subject: http://www.backcountry/gallery.com/photography_tips/how-to-photograph-star-trails/ It's posted on my OTHER website, Backcountry Gallery.: http://www.backcountry/gallery.com/.



Steve at Worldstart.com





National Geographic: Education

I love to stumble upon excellent teaching resources randomly in my internet adventures. I was looking up Geo-Literacy, and ended up on the National Geographic's Education site which is filled to the brim with awesome teaching resources and even had the information I needed.

Like all National Geographic sites, there are a lot of navigational choices you can make to explore the site. Along the top of the page you'll find a black navigation strip with the categories Teaching Resources, Reference and News, Mapping, MEdia, Collections, Get Involved, and Geo-Literacy. You can also find lots of interesting tidbits on the main page! There's the Fast Facts, the scrolling featured topics, and Quote right beneath the navigation strip. Below those you'll find featured content from each of the categories on the navigation strip.

I really liked the thematic maps that you can get to by clicking on the <u>third slide</u> on the scrolling featured content. You can filter them by Grades & Ages, Intended Audience, Archive, and Map Types. I also really enjoyed the Mapping section where you'll find even more maps and the MapMaker Interactive application that you can use to create your own custom thematic map.

Another really cool feature of the site is that they offer a <u>free class</u> that starts up in October.

I think this is a really handy resource for anyone who is teaching science, social studies, or geography! Go check it out today!

http://education.nationalgeographic.com/education/

~Amanda





Hack College

In my area the campuses are starting to fill up with students again, as the last week of August and first week of September hail the beginning of the Fall semester. With that in mind, I wanted to share the Hack College site which is full of useful tips for everyone from college freshman to graduate students to degree holders who need help after graduation.

I found this site by stumbling across its Guide section. The section is devoted to career guides, where you can find tips on How to Become "insert job title here" or Getting and Using "insert degree here". Each guide lays out the path from the degree you should get to how to make your way in the world after you've obtained it.

Right now if you check out the main page of Hack College, you'll notice that they've also figured out that now is when school is starting and as such have laid out all kinds of useful articles for college freshmen. You'll find everything from how to be a better roommate to money tips to choosing the right equipment to succeed in school.

Now I wasn't a traditional college freshmen, so a lot of the information provided wouldn't have been pertinent to me, but I have helped a lot of college freshmen transition to college from high school and a lot it is very valid for that situation. So if you know someone who's off to college this fall send them this link! I could write a three page letter on things I wish I knew before I was college senior that would have been helpful for the whole college experience.

Besides the featured articles which you can navigate blog style, if you scroll down the page you'll also find a Hack Colleges Pages section where you can find links to even more useful Information, like oh say the Guides section I mentioned earlier.

Go check it out today, and be sure to share it with any college students you know.

http://www.hackcollege.com/

~Amanda



Scientists are working on a new type of computer memory which would allow the safe and long-term storage of hundreds of terabytes of data. And by long term, they mean theoretically forever.

Using high speed lasers, they have been able to record and retrieve information from glass, leading to the discovery of what its inventors endearingly call Superman memory crystals.



This impressive data storage system developed by University of Southampton researchers will have practically unlimited lifetime and a storage capacity of up to 360TB of data – the equivalent of 580,000 CDs.

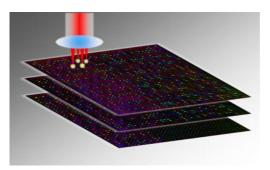
While regular hard drive memory can last a couple of decades and is vulnerable to strong temperature variations, moisture, magnetic fields, this memory crystal is extremely dense and durable, having the potential to last indefinitely. The nanostructured glass crystal used in the research can also withstand temperatures of up to 1,800° F.

How it works

The data is written on the memory crystal, which is about the size of a normal CD, with a femtosecond laser (femtosecond stands for a millionth of a billionth of a second).

The information is encoded in five dimensions – the dimensional position of the glass nanostructures plus intensity and polarization of the laser beam, making for what researchers named 5D data storage.

The process used practically changes the manner in which light travels through glass and thus creates polarized light which can be read with a polarizer and an optical microscope, just like the data in optical fibers.



Researchers have already been able to successfully record and retrieve a 300kb text file. Interestingly enough, the memory crystal would work just like a rewritable disc, meaning that the stored information can be erased and replaced with new data. The current writing speed is 12 Kbit/s, but scientists hope this can rise to about 8 Mbit/s and even several Gbit/s with future research.

This Superman memory crystal can have multiple uses in fields for storage of high capacity important data. Not to mention the obvious use any sci-fi fan has already considered: storing the entire history of humankind for the next generations or for some alien race that may stumble upon our planet long after humans are extinct.





Philosophy Of Housecleaning

I don't do windows because I love birds and don't want one to run into a clean window and get hurt.

I don't wax floors because I am terrified a guest will slip and get hurt then I'll feel terrible (plus they may sue me.)

I don't mind the dust bunnies because they are very good company, I have named most of them, and they agree with everything I say.

I don't disturb cobwebs because I want every creature to have a home of their own.

I don't Spring Clean because I love all the seasons and don't want the others to get jealous.

I don't pull weeds in the garden because I don't want to get in God's way, HE is an excellent designer!

I don't put things away because my husband will never be able to find them again.

I don't do gourmet meals when I entertain because I don't want my guests to stress out over what to make when they invite me over for dinner.

I don't iron because I choose to believe them when they say "Permanent Press".





STARGATE REBOOT?

Emmerich Talks "Stargate" Trilogy Reboot

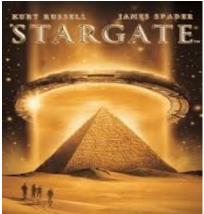
While 1994's "Stargate" film inspired the popular TV spin-off franchise, filmmaker Roland Emmerich was not involved in the small screen version.

Indeed, Emmerich and writer Dean Devlin had originally planned a trilogy of which the 1994 film was the first. Too much time has passed though to bring back actors like Kurt Russell and James Spader.

Instead, Emmerich says he's considering a big screen reboot of the franchise, and idea which he tells Digital Spy that rights owner MGM is interested in: "I originally wanted to make it a trilogy. Now, after all this time, I couldn't do a trilogy anymore because the actors look totally different. That would not work.

We are talking...we went to MGM, who has the rights, and we proposed to do a sequel, but as a reboot. We want to reboot it as a movie, and then do three parts. And that's what we're doing right now. Pretty soon, we are going to have to look for a writer and star."

It's not known at this time if he will return to direct, or only serve as a producer on the project.









NAME THE MOVIE



















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Dear Students:

Lots of changes are happening and more colleges are being developed every day. Kudos to the CDC for keeping things running the way they should and congratulations to George Ann Wheeler for taking over the CDC Assistant to Carol Thompson!

As for other things, Philadelphia, PA was the recipient of flash flooding and I got hit. Be careful if you have mold, protect yourself by wearing gloves and masks when you are cleaning up. Also, it is recommended that you wash your hands when finished and/or preparing food (this should go without having to say it.)

Well, back to cleaning up.

Have fun learning!

Best Wishes.

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"Your talent is God's gift to you. What you do with it is your gift back to God." ~~ Leo Buscaglia cherschleigh@gmail.com

