

### Alumni Panel Presentation

After our buffet lunch, our panel of distinguished alumni will discuss the transition from Lafayette student leader to successful professional.

Moderator: **Rebecca Rosenbauer '84**, Director, Computer-Aided Engr Labs; **Dana Ferrarri '94**, Senior Scientist, Guilford Pharmaceuticals Inc; **Matthew Stauffer '95**, Psychiatry Specialty Manager, Wyeth Pharmaceuticals; **Amy Spanbauer '98**, Communications Director, Deputy Chief of Staff for a Congressman; **Shawn Tilger '94**, VP Marketing, Comcast Spectacor; **Uneeda Williams '96**, Information Security Policy Manager, AT&T; **Yolanda Wisler '98**, Artist and Educator

### Block III Workshops 2:05 – 3:00 PM

#### 10. Alumni Roundtable Discussions

You will have an opportunity to meet with the members of the alumni panel face-to-face for small group discussions. This is your chance to ask them questions and speak with them on a more personal level.

#### 11. Discover YOU!

This interactive session will focus on helping you discover more about yourself so that you can determine what major and/or career path is right for you. We will explore your VIPS (values, interests, personality and skills) and show you how each of the four dimensions is important as you look to plan your future.

**Susan Heard**, Associate Director, Career Services  
**Alana Galle**, Assistant Director, Career Services

#### 12. Collaboration: A LINC to the Future

This session will include interactive conversation about the benefits of co-sponsorship when working with other student groups. You will discuss a "Win/Win" scenario and will be introduced to the student group LINC (Lafayette Intercultural Networking Council).

**Elliot Sokalsky**, Assist. Dir., Resident Life/Greek Advisor  
**Jacobi Cunningham '03**, LINC Council Leader

### Recognition Reception 3:00 – 3:30 PM

The 2003 Lafayette Leadership Institute is a program of the Office of Student Activities made possible by the:

#### Class of '68 Leadership Fund

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Coordinator, Landis Community Outreach Center

# Lafayette Leadership: A New Dimension

February 8, 2003



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## Registration & Breakfast

9:30 – 10:00 AM

Marquis Hall Lobby & Bergethon Room

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**Keynote Address: 10:00-10:40AM**

### The Ideal College Experience

President John Fry '82 will reflect on his experience as a Lafayette student and recent member of the College's Board of Trustees. He will discuss how his nearly twenty-five year association with Lafayette has shaped his life and prepared him for his role as the President of Franklin & Marshall College.

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**Block I Workshop: 10:55 – 11:50 AM**

#### 1. Keynote Follow-Up

An opportunity to continue a small group discussion with President John Fry.

**John Fry '82**, President, Franklin & Marshall College

#### 2. The Research Dimension for Lafayette Student Leaders

This session will identify research opportunities in which student leaders, like yourself, may participate with faculty. The benefits of pursuing such opportunities will be discussed among a panel of student researchers.

**David Veshohy**, Director, Research Services

**Sarah Gately '03**, AB Geology

**Jen Katzenstein '03**, BS Neuroscience

**Guangxi Wang '03**, BS Electrical & Computer Engr

**Ashely Weismiller '03**, BS Electrical & Computer Engr

#### 3. The Process of Programming

Leading a group to successful programming can be a major challenge for emerging leaders. This session will take you through the basics of planning meetings and events on campus. Topics will include reserving rooms, catering, funding sources, publicity and more!

**Amy Ahart '97**, Special Assistant to Dean of Students

**Farah Arabe '04**, Head Resident Advisor

**Robin Yudkevitz '03**, Music Chair, LAF

#### 4. Leadership : Traits, Styles and Overcoming Adversity

If we are to learn how to become effective leaders, we must not only synthesize a combination of traits with a leadership style, but also learn to conquer adversity and emerge stronger. Explore what makes a quality leader with three alums who were also successful student leaders.

Moderator: **Lita Vislochy '00**, Assist. Director, Residence Life

**Michael Higdon '99**, Legislative Assistant

**Ashley Cherry '98**, Director, Mailing Services, Carleton

Communications, Inc

#### 5. Let Your Voice Count : Developing an Advocacy Initiative

Learn to be an advocate for issues ranging from diversity, hunger, poverty, environment, welfare reform, social justice to basic voting rights. You will learn about available resources through the Landis Community Outreach Center and national advocacy organizations.

**Diane Elliott '74**, Associate Director, Meyner Center for

Public Service

**Julie DeMotte '96**, Assistant Regional Director, Church

World Service

**Char Gray**, Director, Landis Community Outreach Center

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**Block II Workshop: 11:55 AM– 12:50 PM**

#### 6. Living and Studying in a Global Village

This discussion will illustrate the benefits of multinational and multiethnic experiences and points of view. It will inform you how to take advantage of Lafayette's on-campus multicultural resources, and how to plan for studying abroad.

**Rado Pribic**, Prof. and Chair, Int'l Affairs Program  
**Members of the International Students Association and International Association Club**

#### 7. Networking-It's not just who you know...it's how you do it!

This session will provide aspiring professionals with a comfort level for the interview experience through an awareness of what to expect, procedures, preparation, and etiquette. It will be presented within a pre-interview, interview, and post-interview format.

**John Leone**, Director, Alumni Affairs

**Jackie Jones**, Assistant Director, Annual Fund

**Susan Heard**, Associate Director, Career Services

**Megan Kintzer '01**, Annual Fund Assistant

#### 8. Trustees : Their Impact on You

This session will introduce the role of the Board of Trustees at Lafayette College, its purpose, structure, size, organization and committees, and the manner in which the Board operates. Trustee Ed Ahart '69 will discuss how significant alumni involvement can provide a path to selection as well as provide examples of recent Board issues that have been of interest to students: tuition, merit aid, long term facilities issues, athletics, alcohol and Greek life.

**Ed Ahart**, '69, Managing Partner of Schenck, Price, Smith & King/ Lafayette Trustee

#### 9. A Moral Compass : The Prerequisite for Leadership

In order to lead, a leader must have a moral and ethical framework from which to operate. Leading requires making choices as well as exercising moral and ethical reasoning with those for whom the leader has responsibility. This workshop will examine these issues as they affect leadership and allow you to explore your own moral and ethical positions on several leadership issues.

**Alan Childt**, Prof. and Head, Department of Psychology

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### Lunch & Alumni Panel Presentation

12:50 – 2:00PM

Bergethon Room, Marquis Hall