



Stay up to date with what's happening at Eden!

The campus is already buzzing with activity this year. IT infrastructure upgrades that further expand the seminary's capacity to deliver asynchronous and synchronous courses seamlessly, are taking place. The faculty and staff are well into the planning of events for you to enjoy this spring. We hope you will visit the seminary often, on campus or online. Read on to find the perfect opportunity to join us. May God's grace bless you this Epiphany.

Please join us on Zoom for "Coffee with the President" on January 12, 2023 at 5:30 pm CT. You are invited to join Eden Seminary President Deborah Krause and United Seminary President Molly Marshall for a conversation. Join this informal meeting via Zoom to reflect on course sharing among seminaries now in process through the "Network Model" project. Connect with others in these seminary communities for mutual encouragement and energy. See you there! [Click here to register.](#)

(If you missed the last "Coffee with the President," in which the "Network Model of Theological Education," was explained by Dr. Krause, you may [watch it here](#)).

Eden Seminary involvement in "Just Peace" continues. Ukrainian President Zelensky's "Ten-Point Peace Formula" highlights "Just Peace." [Click here to read more.](#)

Eden Seminary's *NEXT Steps* "clergy cohort" begins January 17th. If you are a retired clergy member, or perhaps beginning to think about retirement, please consider joining us for a special one hour "orientation" to NEXT Steps, on January 10th. [Click here for details](#) or contact us at jschantz@eden.edu for more information. [Click here to read more about re-imagining your elderhood.](#)

Looking for more opportunities to engage with Eden Seminary's community of learners? Put the following dates on the calendar for you and your congregation or organization. And be sure to check out Eden's "[Events page](#)" for updates!

- February 21st, 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm CT Annual Bracke Lecture: "Co-Vocational Ministries" Seminar via Zoom
- March 11th, 9:00 am – 12:30 pm CT 3rd Annual Marilyn Stavenger Social Justice Symposium (Co-hosted by Peace UCC, Eden Seminary, Metropolitan Congregations United) Press Hall, Eden Seminary or via Zoom

Save the Date - Eden's Spring Convocation will be held April 13-14, 2023!

The "Herbster" event (for graduating classes 2018-2022) will take place Thursday, April 13th. We will also be celebrating the Class of 1973 on their 50th anniversary! Plan now to join us this spring as we fellowship, celebrate, and learn together. More details to come!

Eden is hiring! Find details and application portal for the "Director of Admissions and Financial Aid" position, [by clicking here.](#)

New 2023 Planned Giving opportunity! President Biden signed into law the "Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023," the omnibus spending bill that Congress passed at the end of its last session of 2022. The new law includes provisions of the Legacy IRA Act that expands the appeal of charitable gift annuities by allowing a charitable gift annuity to be funded with a qualified charitable distribution from your IRA. [Contact us to receive your personalized](#)

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