



SMU in the News
Highlights from March 23-30, 2015

Alumni

SMU alumnus Loy Williams shares his never-published photos of March 25, 1965, Selma-To-Montgomery march

<http://historynewsnetwork.org/article/158881>

and here

<http://www.religionnews.com/2015/03/24/photos-lost-images-march-selma-50-years-later/>

and here

<http://www.smu.edu/News/NewsIssues/Civil-Rights-Pilgrimage>

SMU alumnus Mike Martinez reaches for the stars with his collections

<http://katytrailweekly.com/12175/112985/a/local-collector-has-reached-out-for-the-stars>

SMU alumnus Mark Falkin, nicely profiled about his writing

<http://w3sidecar.tumblr.com/post/114551582445/mark-falkin>

SMU alumnus John Alexander exhibits his work at the Meadows Museum through June 28

<http://www.dallasnews.com/lifestyles/arts/columnists/michael-granberry/20150325-john-alexander-spirits-us-from-the-ridiculous-to-the-sublime.ece>

SMU alums Baxter and Amber Venz Box cash in with their startup business, rewardStyle

<http://www.bizjournals.com/dallas/print-edition/2015/03/27/cover-story-fashion-royaltiesdallas-startup.html>

SMU alumna Jenny Grumbles, nicely profiled for trash-to-treasure adventures

http://trendmag.trendoffset.com/publication/?i=251198&ver=html5&p=12#{%22page%22:12,%22issue_id%22:251198}

SMU alumna U.S. Air Force Technical Sgt. Hannah Rigg received a first-place prize in the Air Force Public Affairs Media contest

<http://www.dcmilitary.com/article/20150327/NEWS09/150329871/1052/news09&source=RSS>

SMU alumna Kathryn "Kit" Sawers to head \$100 million endowment campaign for the United Way

<http://www.dallasnews.com/business/columnists/cheryl-hall/20150328-the-queen-of-big-events-joins-united-way-to-head-100-million-endowment-campaign.ece>

SMU alumna Jen Mueller on how to use sports to increase business

<http://www.post-gazette.com/business/career-workplace/2015/03/29/WorkZone-Use-sports-to-get-the-ball-rolling-in-business/stories/201503290015>

SMU alumnus Erik Carter, photographing dogs in NYC

http://www.slate.com/blogs/behold/2015/03/29/eric_carter_leashes_and_longing_takes_a_look_at_the_tied_up_dogs_around.html

News

CNN

Jeffrey Engel, Dedman, we need a middle-class president

<http://www.cnn.com/2015/03/30/opinions/sutter-middle-class-president/index.html>

Al Jazeera

Jill Kelly, Dedman, includes her signature to an open letter criticizing *60 Minutes* reporting on Africa

<http://america.aljazeera.com/opinions/2015/3/open-letter-to-60-minutes-on-its-africa-reporting.html>

Anniston Star

Meghan Ryan, Dedman Law, reinstating electric chair may face court trouble

http://www.annistonstar.com/the_daily_home/dh_news/efforts-to-reinstate-electric-chair-may-face-court-trouble/article_aefe4c56-d1d9-11e4-8f26-fbcc65f7f5a7.html

CBS DFW

Cal Jillson, Dedman, politician's react to Ted Cruz's White House bid

<http://dfw.cbslocal.com/2015/03/23/tea-party-republicans-democrats-react-to-cruzs-white-house-bid/>

Contra Costa Times

Bernard Weinstein, Cox, residents want to know more about transporting crude by rail

http://www.contracostatimes.com/bay-area-news/ci_27801760/residents-pushing-more-information-crude-by-rail

and here

<http://www.advocate-news.com/general-news/20150327/residents-pushing-for-more-information-on-crude-by-rail>

D Magazine

Dr. Turner, to speak at the Dallas Country Club, in April, about "SMU and Park Cities: One Hundred Years of Developing Together"

<http://dhome.dmagazine.com/2015/03/april-is-the-month-of-the-home-tour/>

and here

<http://www.parkcitiespeople.com/community/dont-forget-pchps-lunch-coming-up/>

Daily Campus

Ernest N. Jouriles and Renee McDonald, Dedman, virtual training helps assertiveness
<http://www.smudailycampus.com/news/virtual-reality-training-program-aids-in-reducing-sexual-victimization>

Dallas Business Journal

Bernard Weinstein, Cox, is the Texas miracle coming to an end?
<http://www.bizjournals.com/dallas/print-edition/2015/03/27/is-this-the-beginning-of-the-end-for-the-texas.html>

The Princeton Review ranks the Guildhall No. 3 for studying game design
http://www.bizjournals.com/dallas/news/2015/03/24/here-s-how-we-rank-as-an-fbso-market-and-on.html?iana=ind_bank

Dallas Morning News

Most recent Meadows gift is a hit
<http://www.dallasnews.com/opinion/editorials/20150327-editorial-hits-and-misses.ece>

Maguire Center gives its annual J. Erik Jonsson Ethics Award to philanthropist Lyda Hill
<http://www.dallasnews.com/business/columnists/robert-miller/20150326-lyda-hill-to-receive-smus-j.-erik-jonsson-ethics-award.ece>

Ezra Greenspan, Dedman, finalist for the Texas Institute of Letters awards
<http://artsblog.dallasnews.com/2015/03/the-best-books-in-texas-texas-institute-of-letters-finalists-named.html/>

Bernard Weinstein, Cox, oil slide impedes job gains in Texas
<http://www.dallasnews.com/business/headlines/20150327-oils-slide-pushes-down-job-gains-in-texas.ece>

Deseret News

Matthew Wilson, Dedman, Sen. Harry Reid's retirement recalls his influence
<http://www.deseretnews.com/article/865625200/Sen-Harry-Reids-retirement-recalls-his-influence-on-Utah-Republicans-Democrats.html>

Foreign Policy

Chris Jenks, Dedman Law, Sgt. Bowe Bergdahl charged with desertion
<http://foreignpolicy.com/2015/03/25/army-is-charging-sgt-bowe-bergdahl-with-desertion/>

Fox DFW

Bernard Weinstein, Cox, lawmakers want states to decide fracking restrictions
<http://www.fox4news.com/story/28605892/some-lawmakers-want-state-to-have-final-say-on-fracking-restrictions>

Mike Davis, Cox, Amazon's new one-hour delivery service

<http://www.fox4news.com/clip/11280260/amazon-now-offering-one-hour-delivery-in-dallas>

International Business Times

Cal Jillson, Dedman, why did Cruz announce first?

<http://www.ibtimes.com/ted-cruz-president-2016-speech-why-did-he-announce-first-1856120>

KERA

John Selya, Meadows, Spring Dance Concert

<http://artandseek.net/2015/03/24/john-selya-tackles-tom-stoppard-and-pink-floyd-for-smus-spring-dance-concert/>

and here

<http://www.dallasnews.com/entertainment/headlines/20150320-john-selyas-trip-from-ballet-to-broadway-sharpened-his-choreographic-mind.ece>

and here

<http://www.worldartstoday.com/dance/best-selling-rock-album-inspires-broadway-veterans-new-work/>

Danny Buraczesk, Meadows, jazzes up the Spring Dance Concert

<http://artandseek.net/2015/03/24/danny-buraczeski-jazzes-up-smus-spring-dance-concert/>

Joshua Peugh, Meadows, choreographs new work for the spring concert

<http://artandseek.net/2015/03/24/interview-with-joshua-peugh-for-smus-2015-spring-dance-concert/>

Patheos

Stephanie (Sam) Martin, Meadows, dissenting opinion on “teachable moment” commentary by colleague Maria Dixon

<http://www.patheos.com/blogs/mariadixonhall/2015/03/dissenting-opinions-on-a-teachable-moment-part-ii-missing-the-big-picture-by-dr-stephanie-martin/>

Philanthropy News Digest

Meadows Foundation pledges \$45 million gift to SMU’s Meadows School of the Arts and Meadows Museum

<http://philanthropynewsdigest.org/news/meadows-foundation-pledges-45-million-to-smu>

Star-Telegram

Bernard Weinstein, Cox, drilling operations dropping

<http://www.star-telegram.com/news/state/texas/article16436972.html>

and here

http://www.yourhoustonnews.com/courier/news/barnett-shale-play-on-hiatus/article_d7e3a4d5-9726-5d90-a744-35fe81e85279.html#.VRf_8M8XBJ4.email

and here

<http://www.elkharttruth.com/news/national/2015/03/29/Barnett-Shale-play-on-hiatus.html>

TCU 360

Ezra Greenspan, Dedman, talks about William Wells Brown at TCU

<http://www.tcu360.com/news/2015/03/34028.smu-professor-examines-life-prolific-african-american-author>

Theatre Jones

John Selya, Meadows, Q&A with Meadows' artist-in-residence

<http://www.theaterjones.com/ntx/features/20150324121859/2015-03-24/Q&A:-John-Selya>

Meadows Spring Dance Concert nicely reviewed

<http://www.theaterjones.com/ntx/reviews/20150329110958/2015-03-29/SMU-Meadows-School-of-the-Arts/Spring-Dance-Concert-2015>

The Union

Alessio Bax, Meadows, nicely featured

<http://www.theunion.com/entertainment/activitiesandevents/15633888-113/rising-star-of-classical-world-set-to-take-gv-stage>