

February 22, 2023



Art students explore curative plants and botanical research in the South

Common plants often seen in our own backyards were historically found in a medicine chest. Art students are exploring those curative plants, plus book and paper art, scientific and medical illustration, and early photographic processes this semester; their research will culminate in an exhibition.



Watch Blazers win scholarship money during UAB's Got Talent

See UAB students showcase their unique skills for scholarship money during UAB's Got Talent, hosted by Blazer Production Assistants and Blazer Spirit Council.

🕒 6:30 p.m. March 2
📍 ASC Sirote Theatre
📄 [Details online](#)



Can you really have a broken heart? UAB experts say yes

While many people think of a broken heart on an emotional level, Gregory Chapman, M.D., a cardiologist in the UAB Cardiovascular Institute, says a broken heart can affect the body on a physical level, causing temporary cardiac episodes or, in rare cases, even death.



Can you tell your story in six words?

Say It In 6 challenges you to tell your story — about your studies, your UAB experience or your life — using only six words and a visual aid in one of five categories: global engagement, leadership, love, persistence and social justice. Submit an entry online by Feb. 28; three students will win cash prizes of \$1,000, \$750 and \$500.

More news online

Get campus news at uab.edu/students, uab.edu/reporter and uab.edu/news and COVID-19 updates at uab.edu/uabunited. Check the [Campus Calendar](#) for more events on campus, and submit your own. If you have news you want to share, use the [Request Publicity form](#) online.

Things to know

🏆 Get active with URec intramurals:

- Pickleball — March 6-April 20; register by March 2
- Indoor soccer — March 6-April 20; register by March 2
- Softball — March 6-April 20; register by March 2
- Indoor volleyball — March 6-April 20; register by March 2

Don't miss these two upcoming job fairs:

Business Career Fair
Business students or alumni seeking part- or full-time jobs or internships can meet potential employers.
🕒 9 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m. Feb. 28
📍 CSOB
📄 [Register online](#)

Health & Social Sciences Career Fair
Any UAB students or alumni seeking part- or full-time jobs or internships in health care or social sciences fields can meet potential employers.
🕒 11 a.m. March 2
📍 HSC ballrooms
📄 [Details online](#)

Research & learning



Explore gender through the eyes of a primatologist

Frans B. M. de Waal, Ph.D., will explore how a distinction between cultural gender and biological sex is useful to draw attention to the eternal interplay between nature and nurture.

🕒 5 p.m. March 2
📍 HSC Alumni Theatre
📄 [Details online](#)



Don't miss the annual Black History Month Celebration

Learn about UABlack History, hear a performance by the Student Affairs ensemble and explore an interactive museum space.

🕒 noon Feb. 23
📍 HSC ballrooms
📄 [Details online](#)

Start with Health Equity: Eliminating Disproportionality in Maternal Health and in Blood Pressure Control
Eduardo Sanchez, M.D., chief medical officer for Prevention, American Heart Association, is the guest speaker.
🕒 12:30 p.m. Feb. 24
📍 virtual
📄 [Register online](#)

Paying for the Past: Understanding Why Governments Pay Reparations
Claire Greenstein, Ph.D., will share data from her international fieldwork to explain why governments implement reparations programs and why reparations are increasingly relevant and widespread.
🕒 11:45 a.m. March 3
📍 Sterne 174
📄 [Register online](#)

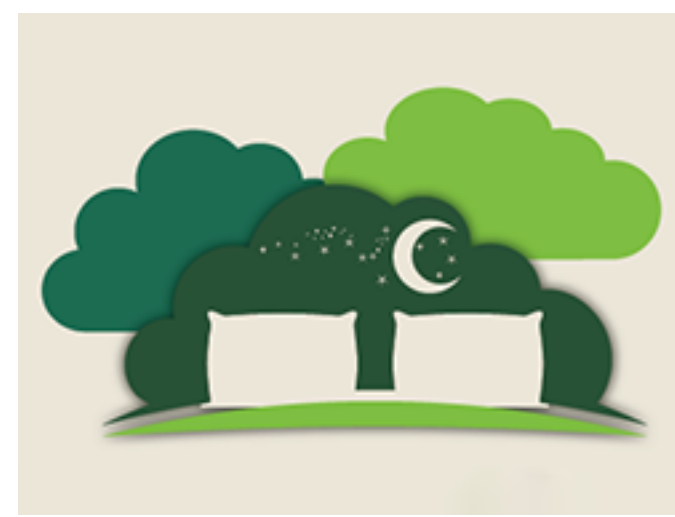
Mark your calendars



Attend the Health and Well-being Fair

Donate blood to the Red Cross, tie-dye T-shirts and enter to win a wellness package featuring Birmingham Barons and Birmingham Squadron tickets.

🕒 10 a.m.-2 p.m. March 7
📍 Campus Rec
📄 [Details online](#)



Struggling with sleeping well? This seminar can help

Learn how quality sleep is critical for favorable long-term health outcomes with Megan Hays, Ph.D., plus strategies for improving and optimizing sleep habits.

🕒 noon Feb. 28
📍 virtual
📄 [Register online](#)



Are you a musician? This free conference is for you

MUSE Conference attendees will hear from music industry professionals and participate in group discussions designed to inform and inspire. Food trucks will be on site.

🕒 March 9-10
📍 Alys Stephens Center
📄 [Register online](#)

Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead
Acclaimed as a post-modern dramatic masterpiece, the play is the inventive tale of Hamlet as told from two minor characters in Shakespeare's play.
🕒 Feb. 22-26
📍 ASC Sirote Theatre
📄 [Details online](#)

Department of Music Faculty Recital
Emily Jaworski Koriath will perform a free program of 21st-century works for mezzo-soprano with fellow UAB faculty and members of the Alabama Symphony Orchestra.
🕒 7 p.m. Feb. 24
📍 ASC Reynolds-Kirshbaum Concert Hall
📄 [Details online](#)

Wind Symphony and Symphony Band Concert
Hear a diverse free program of traditional wind band masterworks and contemporary settings.
🕒 7 p.m. Feb. 26
📍 ASC Jemison Concert Hall
📄 [Details online](#)

NAS Annual Scholarship Run
Get moving to support student scholarships during the annual run that has raised \$975,000 since 2007.
🕒 April 15
📍 The Battery, Homewood
📄 [Register online](#) (\$30 through March 4)

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