

# Saint Mary's Monthly

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Graduate School of Business and Technology Alumni Newsletter



## Program updates in business and technology

Michelle Wieser, Ph.D., dean of Business and Technology, has been leading one of the university's strategic initiatives to build new pathway programs in business and technology. This project has involved creation of a brand new program called [Saint Mary's Accelerators](#), which includes a series of building block certificates and credentials that can stand alone, stack into an existing full degree program, or stack onto one another to form an interdisciplinary master's degree. Saint Mary's will launch 10 new certificate programs this fall, with another handful to launch after the new year. All of them are financial aid eligible. These certificates offer a great way for alumni to add skills to their portfolio or redirect their careers. More information, including application instructions, will be posted soon. [Learn more here.](#)

## Free online events

Since April, Saint Mary's Alumni Association has offered a variety of online programming options. Over 35 classes have been held, allowing alumni to master a new skill, add to their career development toolbox, or take some time to unwind. More to come this fall. [View upcoming events here.](#)

Missed a previous session? No problem. [Videos are available on demand.](#)

## Faculty updates

Jeffrey Eng J.D., is the new program director for the M.A. in Organizational Leadership program. Eng has been teaching courses on talent management, change management, strategy and innovation, and the capstone at Saint Mary's since 2014. He is the senior vice president of Strategy and Legal Affairs for HRH Global Connections, LLC, a management consulting firm.

Amy Jauman Ed.D., was recently appointed program director for the M.A. in Human Resources Management program. Jauman has taught at Saint Mary's for seven years in the accounting and MBA graduate programs, as well as the DBA. Most recently she was the chief learning officer for the National Institute for Social Media.

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