

GH Chatter

The news of former CoBer Stephen Bushardt's upcoming move to the University of Texas at Tyler, where he will serve dean Harold Doty as management chair, continues to cause a stir. That Bushardt's wife recently filed a restraining order against him is also generating a lot of chatter. When these two former USM b-schoolers get together an exciting new chapter in CoB history promises to begin.

The CoB's "networking" (party?) participation in the USM Centennial affair seems humorous to some CoB faculty. If this occasion is representative of the CoB's participation in the 100th birthday party then CoBers may want to hide their faces at times during 2010.

How is the Parham Bridges search going? That question is on the minds of some who follow USMNEWS.net, and it has also generated some GH chatter. Finally, it appears, the CoB's brass have gotten a handle on the PB (real estate) chair and are going to make something positive happen with respect to it.

As for predictions for 2010, some are saying that the CoB will lose one or two more academic units (for fiscal 2011). Recent reports and editorials have speculated that MIS and fashion merchandising are the leading candidates.

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