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COLLEGE NEWS

AAF HONORS CCI ADVERTISING MAJOR



Advertising senior **Alexis Foster** is among the fifty finalists for the American Advertising Federation's Most Promising Minority Student award. Foster will travel to New York for the awards ceremony February 1 – 3, 2012. + [read more](#)

JEM SENIOR CHANELLE PRICE EXCELS ACADEMICALLY AND ATHLETICALLY

The honors on and off the track keep coming for **Chanelle Price**, UT Lady Vol track and field athlete and CCI JEM senior. Her honors this year alone include: USTFCCA Indoor All-American in the 800m and DMR and outdoors with 800m, All-SEC Indoor and Outdoor First Team, Lady Vol Outdoor Most Valuable Track Athlete, Capital One Academic All-American and Academic All-District IV, SEC Track & Field Co-Scholar-Athlete of the Year, member of USTFCCCA All-Academic Track & Field and SEC Academic Honor Roll. Her story was first told in the Spring 2011 issue of SCOOP, see



<http://www.scoopmagazine.org/?p=673> .



CONTINUING PRIORITIES

- Faculty support including faculty chairs and professorships
- Scholarships/fellowships
- A diversity program endowment
- Support Study abroad/ internationalization programs
- A WUTK endowment
- The College Fund



UPCOMING EVENTS

- **February 8**, Knoxville Planned Giving Seminar
- **February 29**, 34th Annual Research Symposium
- **March 1**, Birmingham Alumni Reception
- **March 2**, Experience

RENTSCH JOINS COMM STUDIES FACULTY



Joan R. Rentsch recently joined CCI's School of Communication Studies as a professor of communication and director of the Organizational Research Laboratory. [+ read more](#)

ALUMNI & FRIENDS

BOV SPOTLIGHT: MARTHA (MISSY) WALLEN (B.S. / CS '74)



Missy Wallen currently serves as the Tennessee State President for BB&T (Branch Banking & Trust Company). Room 314 of the Communications and Information Building bears her name (along with BB&T's). Serving on the Board of Visitors (BOV) since 1999, she has been a friend and mentor to the college. She resides in Knoxville with her husband Joe where they raised their two daughters. [+ read more](#)


TOP DOG ALUMNI STORIES



Sandra McLean (B.S./JEM 2011) has been invited to be a science writer at the Beckman Initiative for Macular Research Conference in Irvine California January 26 – 28, 2012. [+ read more](#)

5 MEMORABLE SUPER BOWL COMMERCIALS

Nicole Pollard gives her opinion of five memorable Super Bowl commercials in this article for ksl.com, <http://www.ksl.com/?sid=18985358&nid=1011>. Super Bowl

Take a look and then tell us your pick for the most memorable Super Bowl commercial of all time, <http://www.cci.utk.edu/webform/most-memorable-super-bowl-commercial>. 

Diversity Banquet

- **March, 29**, Charlotte Alumni Reception
- **April 13**, Board of Visitors Spring Meeting
- **April 24 - 27**, Social Media Week

RECENT GRAD?

Congratulations and welcome to the ranks of CCI alumni! Please stay in touch and let us know how you're doing. Click to update your information.

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