



CAMPUS NEWS



Pearland Campus opens new Health Sciences and Classroom Building

University of Houston-Clear Lake's expansion has made its way over to the Pearland Campus with the addition of the recently built Health Sciences and Classroom Building. [Read Article](#)

What The Signal would look like without freedom of the press

On Jan. 30, the Student Press Law Center celebrates Student Press Freedom Day. Without freedoms for a student press like UHCL's The Signal, the content we publish would look different. Here is a redacted version of our editorial "The discrediting of the press places democracy at risk" for a glimpse of what censorship of the student press would look like. [Read Article](#)

BAYOU THEATER

Bayou Theater's first fully staged production in over 20 years opening April

For the first time in over 20 years, the UHCL's Bayou Theater is producing a fully staged musical, "Roald Dahl's Willy Wonka," directed by Alex Malone, managing director of the department of theater and cultural arts, in collaboration with the Bay Area Houston Ballet and Theater. [Read Article](#)



TIMELINE: The history of the Bayou Theater

The theater was originally built as a venue for the school's dance and theater arts programs. UHCL disbanded the dance and theater arts program in 1992 due to budget constraints. The theater became a rental venue in 2000, hosting a wide variety of performances and community events. [Read Article](#)

[REVIEW: 'Peacocks and Porches' offers fresh and intimate look into woman's search for grace](#)

FEATURES

UHCL offers resources to alleviate food insecurities on campus



Food insecurity can be described as a state of being without access to nutritious, affordable food at a consistent rate. There are college students across the United States who lack a consistent flow of basic resources such as food. Students who attend UHCL are no exception. [Read Article](#)

Q&A: Student exhibition seeks to express the commonalities that connect one to others

"Progression: The Art of Healing" by Taylor Rodriguez, art and design major with a concentration in studio art, is the latest student-produced exhibition to be hosted at UHCL in Arbor North. Rodriguez, who has been a student at UHCL since fall 2015, is set to graduate this spring. [Read Article](#)

OPINIONS

COMMENTARY: Refillable water bottle stations more hygienic, eco-friendly than water fountains

Plastic water bottles are a huge cause of pollution and a waste of resources to manufacture. Why has UHCL not done more to alleviate this problem on campus? [Read Article](#)



COMMENTARY: BuzzFeed News allows America to step into a Watergate scandal in 2019

On Jan 17, at 10:11 p.m., BuzzFeed News published a new article in its ongoing investigation "The Money Trail." Some are quick to claim, and rightfully so, this article as proof that America is entering a new Watergate-esque period. [Read Article](#)



[COMMENTARY: The joy of a celebration is more important than its origins](#)

[COLUMN: Kingdom Heartbreak - It's \\$59.99 plus tax](#)

[REVIEW: Justin Timberlake brings 'Man of the Woods' tour to Toyota Center](#)

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INFOGRAPHIC: Learn about the Lunar New Year of the Earth Pig

Lunar New Year, also known as Chinese New Year, is the most important holiday in most of the East and South East Asian countries. Feb. 5 marked the beginning of the Lunar New Year of the Earth Pig. [Read Article](#)

[VIDEO: Exploring the spring 2019 Student Orgs Expo](#)

[INFOGRAPHIC: Women of the 116th Congress](#)

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INFOGRAPHIC: Hunger on college campuses proves to be major issue in higher education

Did you know over half of university students are food insecure? Find out the staggering statistics and what college campuses can do to combat student hunger. [Read Article](#)

#HawkHerStory

Who are some UHCL women (students, faculty, staff, alumni, administrators) you admire? For Women's History Month, The Signal will be sharing these notes of appreciation as part of our #HawkHerStory campaign.

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Recommendations