



STEVENS
INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
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Latest news, media coverage and events

JUNE 2016



Thousands Gather to Celebrate Stevens' 144th Commencement

Nearly 5,000 family members, friends and invited guests attended the graduate and undergraduate ceremonies May 25 to celebrate the achievements of more than 2,000 bachelor's, master's and doctoral degree recipients.

- [Commencement Speakers](#)
- [First in Class](#)
- [Photos and Messages From the Class of 2016](#)

Alumni Weekend Opens With Celebration of Frank Semcer '65

The generous gift made by the chairman of MICRO, a Somerset, New Jersey manufacturer of precision metal and plastic components and devices, adds momentum to the [Power of Stevens Campaign](#). The gift will help establish a



new Multi-Disciplinary Tissue Engineering Lab as part of the Center for Healthcare Innovation, as well as a faculty chair within the Center and scholarships for student researchers.



Track Star Amy Regan '16 Repeats as Double NCAA Champ

The Stevens senior continued her dominance of middle-distance NCAA track championships with victories in the 5,000 and 10,000-meter races at the NCAA Division III outdoor track championships in Waverly, Iowa in May.



Stevens Dean Honored By Defense Industry With Prestigious Award

Dinesh Verma, dean of the School of Systems & Enterprises and executive director of the Systems Engineering Research Center, received the Edward M. Greer Award from the National Defense Industrial Association (NDIA) in May.



New Faculty Chair to Lead Stevens Computer Science Department

Giuseppe Ateniese, the new director of Stevens' Department of Computer Science, occupies the newest faculty chair at Stevens, established by Stevens Trustee Emeritus Dave Farber '56 M.S. '61 and his late wife, Gloria.



President's End of Semester Address

President Nariman Farvardin recounts a busy and eventful semester, including the launch of the Power of Stevens Campaign, the naming of Kelland Thomas as the new dean for the College of Arts and Letters and the annual showcase of senior design projects at this year's Innovation Expo.

Stevens Through the Years

The SS Stevens, a 473-foot, 14,893-ton ship, served as a floating dormitory from 1968 to 1975 for approximately 150 students. Moored on the Hudson River at the foot of campus across from New York City, the world's first collegiate floating dormitory became one of the best-known college landmarks in the nation for a time. Following the sale of the ship, the Class of 1975 presented funds to the school for the preparation of a site on Wittpenn Walk where one of Stevens' six-ton anchors was placed in tribute to "the Ship." On the day the SS Stevens was towed away, the alumni association recounted sentiments in its journal like this one: "She disappeared into the fog and into our hearts."



In the News

The New Yorker

[What Presidents Talk About When They Talk About Hiroshima](#)

CBS New York

► [Concerns Mount About Rip Currents as Swimmers Pack Beaches](#)

The Jersey Journal

[Stevens Institute of Technology Grads Receive Diplomas in 2016 Commencement Ceremony](#)

myCentralJersey

[Stevens Receives Generous Gift From Alumnus Semcer, Wife](#)

Hoboken Patch

[Hoboken Students Get STEM-med Out At Stevens Institute of Technology](#)

CBS New York

▶ [Beach Replenishment an Ongoing Battle in Shore Towns Hit Hard By Sandy](#)

NJTV News

▶ [Propeller Fest: Region's First Tech, Business Summit](#)

NJBIZ

[First Propeller Festival is All About Ideas, Founder Tells Hoboken Crowd](#)

GhanaWeb

[Ghanaian Inducted into U.S. Inventors Hall of Fame](#)

Events

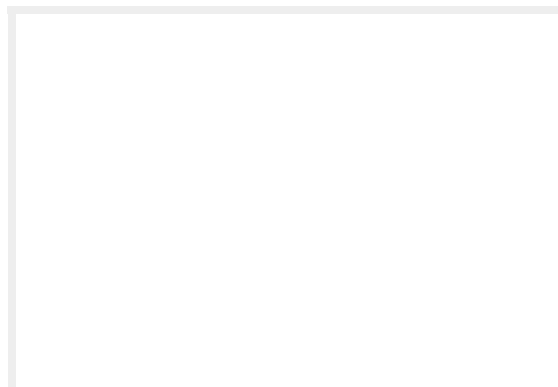
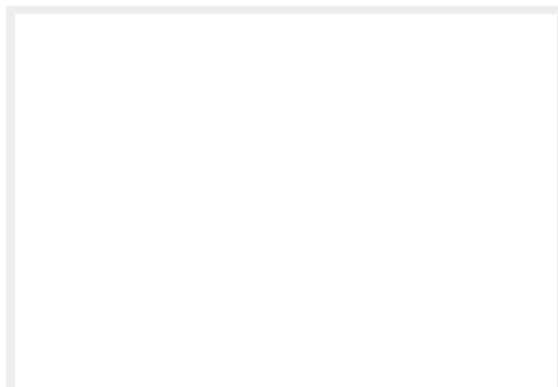
6/21/16: [From Idea to Exit: How to Launch and Grow a Start-up](#)

7/19/16: [Your Business Plan – Your Road to Success](#)

8/6/16: [Graduate: Stevens Open House](#)

Stevens on Social Media

The Class of 2016 took to social media to share their excitement on achieving one of the most important milestones in their lives. Stay connected to what's going on at Stevens - "Like" us on [Facebook](#) or follow us on [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#) and [LinkedIn](#).





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all of our seniors that graduated today! We
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