

SCHEDULE

STARTUP WEEK

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3

MONDAY, APRIL 1 – FRIDAY, APRIL 5

1 MILLION CUPS

9:00AM-10:00AM | [TEXAS TECH INNOVATION HUB](#)

This community-led program takes place at the Innovation Hub on the first Wednesday, every month. Showcasing local businesses, 1 Million Cups provides a platform for entrepreneurs to share their journeys and receive constructive advice on how to take their startup to the next level.

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PAUL SINGH MEETS WITH WEST TEXAS STARTUPS

INVITATION REQUIRED TO ATTEND.

THURSDAY, APRIL 4

KEYNOTE LUNCHEON FT. PAUL SINGH

GROWING THE INTERSECTION OF TECH, ENTREPRENEURSHIP, & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

11:30AM-1:00PM | [OVERTON HOTEL AND CONFERENCE CENTER](#)

Join us for an enriching discussion as investor, Venture Capitalist, and entrepreneur, Paul Singh shares valuable insights into the dynamic landscape where technology, entrepreneurship, and economic development converge.

MORE DETAILS COMING SOON!

STARTUP EXPO

11:00AM-2:00PM | [OVERTON HOTEL AND CONFERENCE CENTER](#)

The Startup Expo is a dynamic showcase of innovation, bringing together cutting-edge startups from various industries to present their groundbreaking products and services. Attendees can explore a diverse range of startups, spanning technology, healthcare, sustainability, SaaS, and more.

TEXAS TECH ACCELERATOR COMPETITION

3:00PM-5:00PM | [TEXAS TECH INNOVATION HUB](#)

Listen to Texas Tech Accelerator Competition finalists pitch their innovative startups as they compete for entrance into the 2024-2025 Accelerator Program. The one-year program provides each startup team with a \$25,000 grant, experienced mentors, access to the Innovation Hub's extensive network, and hands-on monthly workshops. And for the first time, finalists will compete for a spot in the NEW Industry Advancement Technology (iAT) Accelerator Track!

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FRIDAY, APRIL 5

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TEXAS TECH ACCELERATOR COMPETITION AWARDS RECEPTION

5:00PM-7:00PM | [BUDDY HOLLY HALL](#)

Who will win \$25,000 and entrance into the Texas Tech Accelerator Program? Be the first find out at this heart-pounding awards reception! This year, the Awards Reception audience will have the opportunity to select one Texas Tech Accelerator Competition finalist as the winner of the \$500 People's Choice Award. We hope you'll join us cheering on these West Texas entrepreneurs!

[LEARN MORE & RSVP!](#)

RED RAIDER IDEA COMPETITION

5:00PM-7:00PM | [TEXAS TECH INNOVATION HUB](#)

Join the Texas Tech Innovation Hub for this one-minute pitch competition that'll launch your journey to entrepreneurship. The 2024 Red Raider Idea Competition encourages participants to think outside the box and share their most innovative ideas for a chance to win up to \$2,000 in cash prizes. For the first time ever, the Red Raider Idea Competition will highlight finalists in an in-person event during Discoveries to Impact's Startup Week!

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RESEARCH WEEK

MONDAY, APRIL 8 – FRIDAY, APRIL 12

MONDAY, APRIL 8

SOLAR ECLIPSE VIEWING

Join us for an unforgettable celestial event as we bring you a live stream of the total solar eclipse on April 8th. Don't miss this rare opportunity to experience the wonder of nature from the comfort of your own home. Tune in and be part of this extraordinary cosmic spectacle! [Learn more about solar eclipses online.](#)

[WATCH THE LIVESTREAM ON APRIL 8TH](#)

TUESDAY, APRIL 9

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH CONFERENCE

9:00AM-5:00PM | [FRAZIER ALUMNI PAVILION](#)

One of the Nation's largest interdisciplinary undergraduate research conferences, the URC is a wonderful celebration of the rich undergraduate research and creative activities landscape at Texas Tech.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

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CISER SCHOLARS BANQUET

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THURSDAY, APRIL 11

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH CONFERENCE BANQUET

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ENGAGEMENT WEEK

MONDAY, APRIL 15 – FRIDAY, APRIL 19

TUESDAY, APRIL 16

NAVIGATING CAYUSE ELECTRONIC RESEARCH ADMINISTRATION SYSTEM

**2:00PM-3:30PM | TEACHING, LEARNING, & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
CENTER, room 153**

Learn ways to develop and incorporate engaged scholarship into your faculty dossier. This session will be presented by Vice Provost Rod Williams. Zoom is available for remote participants!

LEARN MORE & REGISTER!

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP SYMPOSIUM SIGN-IN

9:00AM-9:50AM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, COURTYARD

Registration begins, sign in and receive your name badge

SESSION A1: UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

10:00AM-11:15AM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING

Undergraduate Mentors Encourage STEM Career Aspirations with Underrepresented K-12 Students

Presenters: Marcela Ortiz, Dr. Jessica Spott., Allison Eubanks

This presentation will focus on utilizing community-university partnerships to improve undergraduate STEM education. Discussion will include the benefits and findings shown when undergraduates serve in a mentor role with STEM projects in public schools with underrepresented students. Presenters will highlight important pedagogical elements for mentorships with undergraduates that show identification tools, best practices, and reflections about mentorship as complementary strategies in STEM programs. The presentation will include testimonies from students, research results, highlights from the 10-year history of the TTU/LISD Middle School STEM Challenge programs.

The Nature of Philanthropy at MSU Texas: A Collaboration between the College of Business, the Honors Program, Philanthropists, and Local Nonprofits

Presenters: Sonia White, Steve Garrison

This presentation will delve into the successful collaboration between the interdisciplinary and service-learning course Nature of Philanthropy and Giving, offered at MSU Texas. We will talk specifically about how the service-learning pedagogy plays a critical role in this course by providing multiple opportunities for self-reflection and applying classroom learning to real-world scenarios. Other discussion topics include how funding was raised and the ongoing relationship with the funders, building trust with local nonprofits, and evaluating success.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

SESSION A2: COMMUNITIES AND TECHNOLOGY USE

10:00AM-11:15AM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING

Revisiting the 'Lonely Crowd' Hypothesis in the Age of the Internet and Social Media: A Visual Urban Ethnographic Study

Presenter: Venus Bayat

'New Media' technologies owe their existence to digitalization and are now widely accessible for personal use as communication devices and infrastructures. Given that

new yet artificial forms of interaction now exist through social media, allowing everyone with a cellphone to experience a feeling of being 'alone together'; the representation of loneliness and what it means in today's age is vital to understanding emotional wellbeing. During this session, the presenter will elaborate on the Urban Visual Ethnography methodology to document behaviors in authentic urban environments. Participants will deepen their understanding of the intersection between contemporary technology and the prevalent issue of loneliness in society.

Connecting College Town Communities through Immersive Technology and Direct Interaction of Students and Local Communities

Presenters: Sadaf Alikhani, Seyed Alireza, Dr. Asma Mehan

College towns contain mixtures of students and locals, tied to the institute's urban life. Due to students' health, community engagement must be prioritized in these towns. However, technology is often blamed for distancing people. A paradoxical use of it, specifically immersive technology, a youth favorite, can be the solution by focusing on the technological narratives of the institute-related materials to improve community cohesion. This strategy shaped connections between students and locals and among past, present, and future. In this presentation, the impact of immersive technology will be studied and compared in two college towns, Lancaster, UK, and Lubbock, USA.

KEYNOTE LUNCHEON & AWARDS CEREMONY FT. TERENCE COFFIE, MSW

11:30AM-1:15PM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, RED RAIDER BALLROOM

In his address, Terrence Coffie will speak about the importance of community collaboration for achieving social change, as "those closest to the problem are also those closest to the solution." He will share inspiring stories of communities creating positive change together, discuss key insights, and highlight common challenges as well as strategies for overcoming them.

SESSION B1: 2024 PRESIDENT'S ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS WINNERS

1:30PM-2:55PM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, RED RAIDER LOUNGE

President's Excellence in Engaged Scholarship in Creative Activity Award Recipient Disaster Day

Presenter: Dr. Mallory Prucha

President's Excellence in Engaged Scholarship in Engaged Service Award Recipient Burkhart's Mobile Autism Clinic

Presenter: Dr. Jennifer Hamrick

President's Excellence in Engaged Scholarship in Engaged Teaching Award Recipient

Writing for Life: Blending Narrative and Criminal Defense

Presenter: Dr. Leslie Jill Patterson

President's Excellence in Engaged Scholarship in Engaged Research Award Recipient

Examining the Quality of Work-Based Learning Experiences Provided in Secondary Family & Consumer Sciences

Presenter: Dr. Cynthia Miller

President's Excellence in Engaged Scholarship in Engaged Research Award Recipient

Development of a Resilience Roadmap for the Rio Grande Valley Region

Presenter: Dr. Ali Nejat

President's Emerging Engaged Scholarship Award Recipient

Using Literacy to Increase Levels of Empathy Correctional Workers Feel Toward Prisoners and Their Families

Presenter: Dr. Kyle Roberson

President's Emerging Engaged Scholarship Award Recipient

Civic Leadership Academy: Assessing the Needs of Communities

Presenter: Dr. Jason Headrick

President's Exemplary Program Award Recipient

Engaged Research in National Defense, Human Health, and Environmental Protection

Presenter: Dr. Seshadri Ramkumar

COMMUNITY PARTNER NETWORKING FAIR

1:30PM-2:55PM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, SUB COURTYARD

Attendees can connect with potential partners, learn about available services, and explore opportunities for collaboration on projects or initiatives that benefit the community. Through networking and building relationships, participants can leverage each other's strengths to address common challenges and enhance the well-being of the community.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

SESSION C1: ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP FACULTY FELLOWS 2023-2024

3:10PM-4:30PM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING

A+STEM: Engaging High School Students into Community-Based Projects

Presenter: Dr. Mihwa Park

As we confront the urgent need to prioritize humanity-centered and environmentally friendly practices globally, student should be afforded more opportunities to engage in solving real-life problems and contribute to their communities. The primary goal of the A+STEM project is to offer high school student an authentic inquiry experience by involving them in the design of an architectural model that contributes to their neighborhood and community.

Landscape for Learning: Reimagining Childcare 'Playgrounds' as Nature-Based Informal Learning Environments

Presenter: Dr. Muntazar Monsur

A childcare outdoor environment is often viewed just as a 'playground' and its potential to become an informal learning environment is overlooked. Nature, a constant source of environmental knowledge, can increase the learning affordances of an outdoor environment. However, designing/implementing low-cost natural interventions requires engaged collaborations between childcare professionals, educators, and landscape designers. This presentation highlights an ongoing collaboration between Texas Tech faculty and students with the Early Learning Centers of Lubbock to increase children's interaction with nature to advance early informal learning.

THURSDAY, APRIL 18

ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP SYMPOSIUM SIGN-IN

8:00AM-8:50AM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, COURTYARD

Registration begins, sign in and receive your name badge

SESSION D1: ADULT AND STUDENT LEARNER ENGAGEMENT

9:00AM-10:15AM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, Red Raider Lounge

Examining the Role of Reaching Assistants in Higher Education

Presenter: Ali Azizi

This presentation will delve into the multifaceted role of Teaching Assistants in higher education, examining their impact on student learning and academic engagement. Drawing from personal experience and reflections, the session explores the challenges and opportunities faced by TAs, ranging from meaningful pedagogical engagement to potential deskilling through automated grading tasks. This presentation aims to provoke critical dialogue on enhancing the effectiveness and value of TAs in modern educational settings.

THURSDAY, APRIL 18

Presenting Artificial Intelligence to the Community: A Learning Experience in Engagement

Presenter: Dr. Lopamurda Roychoudhuri

This presentation describes the making of 'Demystifying Artificial Intelligence and Raising Questions,' a presentation at the Lifelong Learning Center of Midwestern State University. The goal is to provide an insider's view of Generative AI to this community, debunking myths, demonstrating its capabilities, and raising ethical questions.

Youth Participatory Study: Immigrant Youth in a Critical Literacy Classroom

Presenter: Dr. Jin Kyeong Jung

This presentation showcases the perspectives of Korean American adolescents engaged in a civic literacy classroom aimed at civic engagement. Undertaken with students from three Korean schools in West Texas, this participatory project empowers adolescents to utilize their diverse cultural, linguistic, and historical resources. Through cosmopolitan literacies and reader-response projects, they actively contribute to community building and become engaged civic partners.

SESSION D2: COMMUNITY-BASED NUTRITION EDUCATION

9:00AM-10:15AM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, Matador Room 227

Nutrition Education Program Among Resource-Poor Women in Rural Guatemala: Lessons Learned

Presenters: Dr. Wilna Oldewage-Theron, Sarah Bryant, Jersson Hernandez, Savannah Hunnicutt

Using the socio-ecological framework, a desk-top needs assessment was conducted to determine the socio-demographic and economic, as well as health and nutritional status of households in the rural areas of Chiquimulila in Guatemala. This information was used to develop and test a community-based nutrition education intervention among women living in the village of Guayables. The presentation will focus on the development and implementation process as well as pitfalls and lessons learned by TTU undergraduate nutritional sciences students collaboratively working with groups of women in Chiquimulila.

Culinartistry with samTM: Bridging Research, Community, and Commercialization for Senior Health

Presenters: Dr. Allison Childress, Dr. Shannon Galyean, Dr. Michelle Alcorn

This innovative community engagement initiative merges nutrition research with culinary medicine, targeting the specific dietary requirements of senior adults. Integrating findings from studies conducted at TTU, participants engage in interactive cooking demonstrations tailored to address aging-related health concerns. Moreover, the project extends beyond education, providing a platform for the commercialization of research outcomes. Through a synergistic approach, the project not only enhances nutritional awareness among older adults but also facilitates the translation of research into tangible products, fostering sustainable health solutions for aging communities.

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Session E1: Building Engaged Scholarship Communities

10:30AM-11:45AM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, Matador Room 227

Negotiated Knowledge: Co-Constructing Research and Collaborative Publishing in a Long-Term Engaged Scholarship Partnership

Presenters: Dr. Mellinee Lesley, Amy Higgins, Savannah Terry, Johnanna Keene, Elizabeth Stewart

This presentation will feature the perspectives of community partners and university researchers who have been involved in a seven-year engaged scholarship collaboration in a high school setting. Through examining our practices with co-constructing a research design and publishing together, we will distill how we identify common research questions, address research from both individual and collective perspectives, and balance power and voice in publishing. This discussion will draw on Armer et al.’s (2020) framework for co-constructed scholarship and discuss how the creation of scholarly products is an important measure for evaluating the outcomes and impacts of engaged scholarship.

Growing in Our Practice: Engaging While Advancing Scholarship Through Purposeful Development of Professional Learning Processes

Presenter: Dr. Charity Embley, Dr. Michael Ladick, Dr. Elizabeth Davis Jones, Dr. Shona Rose, Dr. Crystal Dail Rose

Professional development sets its goals in shared decision-making leading to the construction of new development. However, in k-12/post-secondary settings, it generated a space where inequity is fragmenting every interaction. Corollary, professional learning is beset with expectations that rarely attend to the unique experiences of the individual. To address such tensions, 11 doctoral/ post-doctoral individuals examined their experiences with culturally responsive pedagogy, content area/disciplinary literacies, multilingualism, English learners, border pedagogies, blended learning, effective feedback, cosmopolitan critical literacy, and digital literacies. This session will present how authors overcame these nuances by undertaking a process that is individualized, intentional, and grounded in logical applications.

Session E2: Curricular Engagement

10:30AM-11:45AM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, Red Raider Lounge

Art, Environment, Sustainability

Presenter: Carol Flueckiger

This presentation promotes Texas Tech's Interdisciplinary Sustainability Minor by showcasing one project from the Art, Environment, Sustainability classroom at Texas Tech University. For this project, students make artwork about energy by working with Flower Power, a wind turbine company invested in climate change communication.

TTU Social Work Program and Lubbock Impact Working Together: Where We Have Been, Where we are Now, and Where We Are Going

Presenters: Dr. Debra Lavender-Bratcher, Becky Robertson

This workshop delves into the TTU Social Work Program's collaboration with Lubbock Impact, exploring the past, present, and future endeavors, as it relates to community engagement and outreach. The social work program integrates student learning into the curriculum that enhances community engagement, clinical services, and research. The BASW students at the Free Medical Clinic attend the free clinic to develop interviewing skills that include engagement, assessment intervention and evaluation. The MSW students develop, distribute, and analyze an ongoing needs assessment of services at Lubbock Impact.

SESSION F1: PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT STRATEGIES

12:00PM-1:30PM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, MESA ROOM 217

Sexism | Cinema: An Engaged Scholarship Film Series

Presenters: Dr. Dana Weiser, Dr. Don Lavigne, Dr. Elizabeth Sharp, Dr. Jessica Smith

This session will introduce attendees to the Sexism | Cinema engaged scholarship film series. Since 2015, our interdisciplinary team has screened films featuring woman-identified protagonists at the Alamo Drafthouse Theatre. Through our community partnership with the Alamo, thousands have attended our screenings and engaged in meaningful discussions about sexism, racism, classism, cissexism, heterosexism, and other systems of oppression, with a focus on combatting myths about sexual violence. In this presentation, attendees will learn about the catalyst for creating the series and experiences of attendees, the theoretical underpinnings of the film series, and feedback from our attendees

The Southwest Collection: Archiving a History of Community Engaged Scholarship

Presenters: Austin Allison, Assistant Librarian for Bibliographic Services; Katelin Dixon, Section Manager for Special Projects and Audiovisual Services; Elissa Stroman, Oral History Assistant Archivist; Robert Weaver, Manuscript Archivist; Southwest Collection/Special Collections Library.

Since 1955, the Southwest Collection/Special Collections Library of the Texas Tech University Libraries has preserved the history of the Southwest, and beyond, within its archives. Communities of all sizes and demographics are represented within its holdings, and materials are freely accessible to TTU students, faculty, and the general

public for research purposes. Throughout its almost seventy-year history, the archives have fostered teaching opportunities, created new research materials, and built long term partnerships with a wide range of communities. Four participants will speak to the collecting scope and holdings of the archives, and how their current work contributes to Texas Tech University's goals of community engaged scholarship. This session will introduce attendees to the breadth and depth of resources housed at the SWC/SCL and opportunities for other future collaborations.

Meet the (Texas Tech University) Press

Presenters: Joanna Conrad, Managing Director, Texas Tech University Press

Texas Tech University Press will describe the seven signature programs they use to practice outreach and engagement on campus, in the local community, and throughout our region, nation, and globe.

Partnership Opportunities at the National Ranching Heritage Center

Presenter: Julie Hodges, Helen DeVitt Jones Endowed Director of Education, National Ranching Heritage Center

Gain a brief overview of public programming offered at the National Ranching Heritage Center that may provide good opportunities for partnering on engaged scholarship projects.

SESSION G1: LUBBOCK ARTS AND INTERSECTION RESEARCH

1:45PM-2:30PM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, Red Raider Lounge

Perish and Publish: Opportunities for Engagement in Death Studies

Presenters: Jerylme Robins, Assistant Director for Center for Transformative Undergraduate Experiences; Garret Langlois, Head of Research at LAIR, Ph.D. Candidate; Tali Russell, President of Red Raider Power Paranormal

Death studies offers truly interdisciplinary research, and uniquely effective opportunities for engagement and scholarship. Lubbock Arts and Intersections Research group provides students freedom and support to break new academic ground. Raider Power of Paranormal is an extracurricular outlet for students intrigued by paranormal-themed topics. In four years, these organizations invested over \$20,000 into death studies, served 400 students, formed 23 community partnerships, and yielded: one newly discovered manuscript, one peer-reviewed journal article, one invited talk, one panel discussion, four exposition or festival collaborations, seven workshops, seven educational productions, eight museum or site visits, and eight poster presentations. This is their story...

SESSION G2: GRADUATE STUDENT ENGAGEMENT & IMPACTS

1:45PM-2:30PM | STUDENT UNION BUILDING, MESA ROOM 217

Evaluating Multi-Level Impacts of an Occupational Therapy Program's Community-Engaged Doctoral Capstone Projects

Presenter: Dr. Laurie Stelter, Assistant Professor, Department of Rehabilitation Sciences, TTUHSC

This presentation describes how a graduate program integrates student engagement during the completion of their doctoral capstone and how the program evaluates the impact of the doctoral capstone at the community, organization, service recipient, and profession level.

INNOVATION WEEK

MONDAY, APRIL 22

MONDAY, APRIL 22 – FRIDAY, APRIL 26

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) SUMMIT

8:00AM-5:00PM | [TEXAS TECH INNOVATION HUB](#)

Explore the game changing potential of artificial intelligence (AI)! This two-day AI Summit will feature dynamic speakers, engaging workshops, and expert panelists with topics in AI in healthcare, food supply, and higher education.

[LEARN MORE & REGISTER!](#)

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) SUMMIT NETWORKING EVENT

5:00PM-7:00PM | [TEXAS TECH INNOVATION HUB](#)

Attendees must be registered for the AI Summit.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

INNOVATION LAUNCHPAD PANEL DISCUSSION

2:30PM-6:00PM | TTUHSC ACADEMIC EVENT CENTER

Get ready to explore the cutting-edge world of innovation with the Discoveries to Impact: Innovation Launchpad Panel Discussion! Panelists will unveil the process behind patent protection, startup formation, licensing new technologies, and forming industry partnerships.

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INNOVATIVE RESEARCH POSTER SHOWCASE

2:30PM-6:00PM | TTUHSC ACADEMIC EVENT CENTER

Come and meet students from Texas Tech Health Sciences Center, the TTU College of Engineering, and the Rawls College of Business. Also, learn more about the local Sling Health Chapter, a university Student Life-supported pre-incubator program that unites student teams with clinicians and local entrepreneurs to begin healthcare solution development and commercialization in the areas of device, diagnostics, and digital health. Attendees will have the opportunity to browse the posters and vote on their favorite projects. Attendees will vote on 2 awards: Best Research Project by a Healthcare Student and Best Research Project by an Engineering Student. The projects that receive the highest votes in each category will win the \$500 People's Choice.

NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

THURSDAY, APRIL 25

TEXAS TECH ACCELERATOR GRADUATION & RIBBON CUTTING

3:00PM-6:30PM | [TEXAS TECH INNOVATION HUB](#)

Join the Innovation Hub for an afternoon celebrating the remarkable accomplishments of our Texas Tech Accelerator Cohort 6 and welcome the incoming 2024-2025 Texas Tech Accelerator cohort.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 26

CISER ALUMNI RETREAT

INVITATION REQUIRED TO ATTEND.

SATURDAY, APRIL 27

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