From the director

Welcome back. I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas break. We’re currently finalizing the full list of events sponsored by the Honors Program this spring, and will include it in next week’s CHP News. You’ll see that lectures, information sessions, panels, a film, play, concert, service project, and a trip to Washington DC are among the events. Let me give advance notice about our first event of the semester, a panel about the relationship between new digital technologies and learning on February 6. This is a timely and important topic, and I’m glad that several educators here will be sharing their thoughts about it with you.

Yours,

Jim LaGrand

A Message from your Honors Leadership Council: Film Contest

We are excited to announce that we are now accepting submissions for the 14th Annual Honors Film Contest! This year's theme is “Media and the Movies.” Please submit the name of a film addressing this theme along with a one-paragraph statement supporting your nomination to collegehonorsprogram@messiah.edu. The deadline is noon on Tuesday, February 18, 2020. The nominations will be judged based on their quality and how well they explore the theme. The winner will receive a $50 Amazon gift card and the film will be shown in Parmer Cinema on Tuesday, March 3, 2020 at 8:00 pm with a reception following. Remember that only one nomination is permitted per student and the film must be available on DVD or Blu-Ray. We encourage you to be creative! Find a film that explores the role and impact of the Media on society. It can be classic, current, foreign, or domestic. Use this opportunity bring a hidden gem to the Messiah community.