

SCS TODAY | November 11, 2020

[A late-day M-W-F bulletin from the SCS Dean's Office]

Today is Veterans Day, a day for all of us to honor and recognize the service and sacrifice of all those who have served to defend our nation and safeguard our democracy.

SCS NEWS

— I shared news about this important collaborative effort which resulted from the current pandemic previously, and the effort continues with a new pilot program. Ashley Patton and [CS Pathways are committed to providing free wifi to area students](#) by partnering with Meta Mesh Wireless Communities, the University of Pittsburgh and others to provide free, high-speed internet access primarily to school-age children for remote instruction. [Learn more about the Every1online pilot program here.](#)

— Katerina Fragkiadaki, an assistant professor in the Machine Learning Department, is one of 36 scientists and engineers nationwide – one of two from CMU – who [will receive funding this year through the Air Force's Young Investigator Research Program](#). Giulia Fanti, an assistant professor in the Electrical and Computer Engineering Department who has a courtesy appointment in the Computer Science Department, also won a YIP grant.

— Haiyi Zhu and Geoff Kaufman, both faculty members in the Human-Computer Interaction Institute (HCII) are the [inaugural recipients of junior professorships](#) funded by a gift from HCII Professor Jason Hong and his wife, Shelley Zhang. The professorships are named in honor of two prominent, longtime faculty members [Daniel Siewiorek](#) and [Robert Kraut](#).

Until Friday,
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All of us share [A Tartan's Responsibility](#) and as members of the CMU community we must do our part to prevent the spread of COVID-19. If you plan to come to campus, you must complete the [CMU Self-Assessment Survey](#). Even if you're not coming to campus, CMU Community Health & Well-Being strongly encourages daily completion of the survey.

REMEMBER YOUR RESOURCES

CMU Coronavirus [Updates & Information](#) and [FAQ](#) | CMU [Health Services](#), 412-268-2157

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