

Hate & Dishonor

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WEATHER: Haunted

DEANS CONVENE IN HUESTON WOODS TO SUMMON NEW PROVOST

The Office of Occult Opportunities (OOO) gathered over the weekend in a secluded grove to invoke an interim pact with another otherworldly provost.*

There is currently a nation-wide search for a new provost after a third-year dropout at Miami University mysteriously disappeared under administrative circumstances.

The Great and Powerful Provost of Os communicated with faculty from behind his curtain weeks prior to announce that he was asked to “follow the red brick road” and resign.

“Abandon all hope, ye who are employed here,” the ouija-mail read. “I would have gotten away with it, too, if it weren’t for you meddling professors and your union.”

OOO says that this jump scare comes as no surprise to faculty.

“This isn’t the first time a [virgin] has been sacrificed,” the deans incanted in hooded cloaks passed down by tenured ~~to~~ ~~re~~ ~~b~~ ~~e~~ ~~a~~ ~~r~~ ~~e~~ ~~r~~ ~~s~~ forebearers. “Drinks on me!”

The Redhawk Shrine was later burned as a ritual display of grand pageantry and tuition-funded pyrotechnics that would have rolled into the next fiscal year anyway.

*The provost is a ghost or other superficial being supposedly responsible for academic disturbances such as loud noises and objects thrown around; it is in charge of summoning and exorcising professors, too.

GIANT DOME OVER MIAMI UNIVERSITY IGNORED BY POPULACE

Ghost stories, crop circles, and unidentified fraternal idiots are popular hearsay in these parts, but the latest string of heifer abductions has been linked to a greater calamity that no one cares about: an impassable geodesic dome over campus.

Rather than dust off and restock ostentatious bookshelves with provisions of toilet paper-back books, the majority of students, faculty, and staff are, oddly enough, going about their new-normal lives as if nothing is out of the ordinary.

“[Miamians] already live in a bubble,” anthropology majors and experts weighed. “Being cut off from the rest of the world is fine; just continue to spread awareness and the problem will eventually go away.”

HALLUCINATING LIAR CLAIMS SHE SAW DEER WALK ON HIND LEGS

NORTH QUAD — Police have yet to release the identity of a frantic freshman who allegedly saw a deer walk and talk, but sources say she now claims to have video proof; government fact-checkers deny that claim, filing it as misinformation.

“I know what I saw,” the freshman lied. “Get your hands off me.”

The freshman in question has since transferred to an out-of-state, out-of-mind institution to pursue a better re-education.

Reader Beware — You’re in for a Par-ody. (It sounded better in my head.)

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MIAMI UNIVERSITY PHENOMENA DIVISION WEEKEND REPORT

MAP-1809: "Creeps"

Hughes-Pearson Threat Index: ΔTA

Miami Anomaly Protocol: "Blue light" emergency repulsors installed in various high-traffic locations across campus and atop patrol vehicles repel instances of MAP-1809, or MAP-1809-1. Standard flashlights are ineffective but provide momentary protection for personnel to egress to the safety of a substation. Absolute neutralization of MAP-1809-1 requires exposure to direct, natural sunlight.

Description: MAP-1809 is a [REDACTED] parallel to this reality that opens between 22:00 and 02:00 EST. (Expeditions into MAP-1809 are scheduled to begin on [REDACTED]/2024.) MAP-1809-1 are invisible entities that infrequently spawn from MAP-1809. MAP-1809-1 are averse to all forms of UV light, stalking victims at night.

Incident: K-9 "KILLER NINER" unit dispatched to "blue light" activation at [REDACTED] Hall. Malfunction of motion-sensor floodlights prompted patrol vehicles to utilize stroboscopic repulsors and block civilian activity. Mechanical canine deployment tracked the location of a cellular device and the university-issued identification of [REDACTED]. No instances of MAP-1809-1 reported. No person found. All four (4) eyewitnesses were administered rapid amnesialyzer tests.

FOIA/Public Record: Safety bulletin updated to explain the use of vehicular repulsors. Crime log describes the incident type as "drug violation" and disposition as "closed."

Disposition: Closed.

Addendum: DEI Taskforce "DAIMONS" received a field report that unknown subjects caused "property" damage to motion sensors across campus. "DAIMONS" then engaged with MAP-1809-1 instances, resulting in [REDACTED] student casualties next to the Armstrong Containment Center. To proactively control the situation, construction sites are being simulated across campus. MUPD archives pulled up internal emails between the terminated Dr. [REDACTED] and an unnamed whistleblower that detail similarities between MAP-1809, MAP-0221, and MAP-0513. This investigation is pending.

THIS IS AN EMERGENCY ALERT

Doppelganger radar confirms entities in your area. There are imposters among us. Hide. The seal is opened. And behold a pale bike: and his name that sits on it is Crawford.

SOCRATIC OR SATANIC? THIS DEVIL'S ADVOCATE OPENS PORTAL TO HELL

Imagine, if you will: a student-led discussion, a sort-of circle of school desks, and an inverted pentagram in the center.

(Actually, if you look at it from someone else's perspective, it looks like a normal pentagram — hypothetically, that is.)

While many students hesitate to conjure spirited debates, this comparative religion minor has made "cross-disciplinary" take on a whole new meaning.

"We were talking about women's rights," the devil's advocate articulated. "All I said was, 'What about women's wrongs?'"

The initiation was facilitated by the confessor, and other students were quickly sucked into the open-ended portal.

"To bounce off what the demon was chanting earlier," one student chimed in Latin. "It's important to understand issues as above, so below."

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Hate & Dishonor is just an urban legend. We are condemned to wander the campus until the end of time or until we get tired. The Oxford Observer doesn't know that we're watching them right now.

To report anomalous activity, [REDACTED] [REDACTED], or wipe your memory, make contact with us at hateaddishonor@gmail.com.