Welcome to the summer edition of TIAA Institute Update, featuring new research on women’s economic equality and higher education leadership. You’ll also find highlights from the new Public Lecture – including a webinar link – about our 2022 Samuelson Award, and more. We hope you find this information valuable and welcome your questions or comments. Contact us at TIAInstitute@tiaa.org or join the conversation on Twitter @TIAInstitute.

With best regards,
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Featured research: Women’s Voices of Expertise and Experience

Gauging Title IX’s impact
Women have made great strides since Title IX’s passage in 1972, but society still has a long way to go before reaching full gender parity. To commemorate this landmark legislation’s 50th anniversary, the Institute is publishing research-based insights from women leaders and others that explore women’s economic equality from various dimensions. Read more

More studies to explore

NQEDI and strategic governance: An action framework for boards and senior higher education leaders
In a pre-academic world, how should higher education leaders think about digital technology to promote student access and success? Read more

Leveraging higher education real estate assets as a strategy for success
Significant public investment and concerns about the cost of higher education have led innovative institutions to seek new revenue sources, including using land as a strategic asset. Read more

The pandemic and access-oriented private nonprofit colleges
How have two years of pandemic-era constraints affected access-oriented institutions and the underrepresented populations they serve? Read more

2022 TIAA Institute-GFLEC Personal Finance Index

Personal liquidity is key to sound financial decision making, but many Americans struggle to grasp basic levels of personal finance. In May, the Institute and GFLEC hosted a webinar on the correlation between financial literacy and financial well-being, using insights from the 2022 P-F Index report. CNBC’s Michelle Fox moderated the session and export commentary was provided by Antonia Lizárraga and Andrea M. Meler (SPEX). Gabe Artis, Ewaisa (TIAA) and Paul Vafeas (TIAA) moderated. Watch the webinar.

2022 Samuelson Award applications

The Institute is now accepting applications for the 2022 TAA Paul A. Samuelson Award. Named in honor of the Nobel Laureate and former GFLEC Trustee, the Samuelson Award is given by the Institute each year to recognize an outstanding research publication that helps advance Americans’ financial well-being. Read more

Coming soon: 2022 Women’s Leadership Forum

On September 16, the Institute will host its 15th annual Women’s Leadership Forum, a distinguished gathering where women leaders in higher education and other sectors explore shared experiences. This year’s forum will be held virtually and still examine issues of gender equality. Read more

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