Staff Employee of the Week

Eric Margiotta

As the operations manager for <u>Student Centers and Activities</u>, **Eric Margiotta** has the opportunity to impact the lives of thousands each day. He oversees progressive building management systems and resources to support <u>Squires Student Center</u>, <u>Johnston Student Center</u>, and the <u>Graduate Life Center</u>. His colleagues recognize him for his leadership skills, work ethic, and his overwhelming desire to enrich the lives of students.

"In addition to his every day responsibilities, he leads tenant relations, emergency response programs, and facility improvement projects as needed to aide in providing a clean, safe, inviting, and service oriented operation," said Scott Reed, associate director. "Eric is a vital part of the Facility and Operations Vision Team."



He is also involved in several types of professional development, and currently serves as chair of the Association of College Unions International (ACUI) Region VI Conference, which will be held at Virginia Tech next Fall. He also serves as co-chair of the Student Centers and Activities Student Staff Development Committee. In his free time he enjoys poetry, hockey, and is known for wearing fun, colored socks.

"Eric advances building management and operations perspectives towards a group visioning process for space management, functionality, and facility updates. His efforts continue to improve the lives of students, employees, and the entire Virginia Tech community."