

Staff Employee of the Week

Cortez Smith

Cortez Smith, coordinator of evening and weekend operations for Student Centers and Activities oversees the hundreds of events that take place in Squires Student Center each year. His colleagues recognize him for his dedication to the mission of Student Centers and Activities, and overwhelming desire to serve the students of Virginia Tech. Smith is considered the primary contact during the evenings and weekends at Squires Student Center which are some of the busiest times in the facility. Some of his regular responsibilities include onsite building management, supervising student employees, event systems, and general facility support. In his free time Smith enjoys college and professional sports as well as spending time with his family. He is also known by his colleagues to have a passion for working with and mentoring students. "Smith is an integral part of the Student Centers and Activities Facility and Operations Vision Team," said Scott Reed, associate director. "He handles any situation with ease and keeps Squires Student Center up and running during some of the most crucial times."

