

The following articles appeared in local and selected national news outlets and contain significant references to the University of Washington. These headlines do not include routine coverage of sports events.

National news

7/28/2015 - *New York Times*

[Ann Rule, best-selling author of true-crime books, dies at 83](#)

UW alum Ann Rule, whose 1980 study of the serial killer Ted Bundy set her on the road to writing dozens of best-selling true-crime books, has died.

7/28/2015 - *Washington Post*

[Ann Rule, doyenne of true-crime writers and profiler of Ted Bundy, dies at 83](#)

Ann Rule, a doyenne of the true-crime genre, died July 26 at a hospital in Burien, Washington. Rule's courses of study at the University of Washington are referenced.

7/29/2015 - *Washington Post*

[How you talk to your baby now can help develop their social skills when they are older, says new research](#)

The environment a child grows up in as an infant and toddler can have a major impact on how they interact with others as they age. UW's Patricia Kuhl, co-director of the Institute for Learning & Brain Sciences, is quoted, and UW research is referenced.

7/28/2015 - *Fox News & Business*

[Instead of curbing drinking, college kids try to curb consequences](#)

A new UW study suggests taking protective measures allows students to feel comfortable drinking more, not less. Lead author Melissa A. Lewis, professor of psychiatry and behavioral sciences, is quoted. [This Reuters story appeared in multiple outlets]

7/29/2015 - *Fox News & Business*

[Why is Sony Corporation entering the drone market?](#)

Sony recently announced the formation of a new subsidiary, Aerosense, which will build sensor-equipped drones. UW's Ryan Calo, assistant professor of law, is quoted.

7/28/2015 - *Fox News & Business*

[Ancient huts may reveal clues to Earth's magnetic pole reversals](#)

The destruction of huts in Africa 1,000 years ago may have left clues to understanding the magnetic poles' periodic reversals. UW's Ron Merrill, professor of Earth and space sciences, is quoted.

7/29/2015 - *MSN.com*

[8 proven ways to make your child smarter \(slideshow\)](#)

Methods to raise children's IQ scores are presented. University of Washington research on children's language skill building is referenced. (Slide 1)

7/28/2015 - *Grist Magazine*

[Warming waters are destroying your salmon burger](#)

Warming Columbia River water has killed or will kill more than 250,000 sockeye salmon this spawning season. UW's James J. Anderson, professor of aquatic and fishery sciences, is quoted.

7/28/2015 - *Huffington Post*

[Blog: Why turning to mindfulness helped me better focus in my business and family](#)

"We constantly need to recharge and refresh our memory to keep ourselves focus(ed) on the...goal," writes Lisa Froelings. UW's David M. Levy, professor of information, and his meditation research are referenced.

Regional news

7/29/2015 - *Seattle Times*

[Consumer Reports: Seattle-area hospitals get low marks for stopping infections](#)

The latest Consumer Reports ratings add categories for how well hospitals avoid passing along potentially deadly infections and it finds many could stand to improve. The UW and Harborview medical centers' ratings are referenced.

7/29/2015 - *Seattle Times*

[Want a personalized college tour? Students start new peer-to-peer service](#)

Campus Sherpa is a network that matches current college students with prospective ones for independent tours; UW is one of 60 schools where the program operates. Joyce Palmer, assistant director of admissions, is quoted.

7/29/2015 - *KPLU-FM 88.5 NPR News & All That Jazz*

[State agency adding human well-being to Puget Sound health indicators](#)

How humans are thriving and benefiting are critical parts of the Puget Sound clean-up equation, according to new research. UW Tacoma's Kelly Biedenweg, lead social scientist and instructor of ecosystem services, is quoted.

7/28/2015 - *KOMO-TV ABC 4 and Radio 1000*

[Seattle was oh-so-close to having an officially wet July](#)

Seattle beat a record for wettest July 26th on record with nearly an inch of rain in hours; however, that rain was localized to the area where they measure rain. UW's Mark Albright, a research meteorologist, and the Harris Hydraulics Lab are referenced.

7/28/2015 - *KIMA-TV CBS 29 Yakima*

[Tuition drops 20 percent at Central Washington University](#)

Tuition will drop 20 percent at Central Washington University over the next two years. A tuition reduction at the University of Washington is referenced.

7/29/2015 - *Crosscut*

[Questions raised about number of minorities receiving alcohol, pot citations](#)

A UW analysis of Seattle Police Department citations suggest that racial disproportionality is perhaps more deeply seated in enforcement practices than officials would like to believe. UW's Katherine Beckett, professor of sociology, is quoted.

7/29/2015 - *Spokane Spokesman-Review*

[Editorial: Researchers will bolster public health commitment](#)

"What could be more fundamental than understanding the forces that contribute to poor health," writes the editorial board of the Spokesman-Review. The University of Washington's Partnerships for Native Health Program is referenced.

7/28/2015 - *Everett Herald*

[State's top aerospace adviser leaves Olympia to join WSU](#)

Washington's aerospace policy director, Alex Pietsch, is leaving Olympia to join Washington State University as an industry liaison. The Everett University Center, where the University of Washington intends to hold classes, is referenced.

7/29/2015 - *Seattle Weekly*

[Review: Hold these truths: A hometown hero at ACT](#)

ACT Theatre is presenting Hold These Truths, a play about Gordon Hirabayashi, a then-UW student who openly defied federally mandated curfews and internment.

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