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Olympian Shannon Miller to speak in Jeff Johnston Auditorium!



Shannon Miller
7-Olympic Medalist

The NASNTI theme for 2026 is Wellbeing and Resilience. Your wellbeing matters—and SSC is here to support you! SSC has been making the mental health of their students a priority with valuable resources to help you succeed in college. On Thursday, September 10, 2026, at 11:00 am, NASNTI is excited to end its final grant year and welcome to the Jeff Johnston Auditorium stage, 7-Olympic Medalist, **Shannon Miller**!

In January of 2011, Shannon was diagnosed with a rare form of ovarian cancer. She had the baseball sized tumor removed successfully and followed up with an aggressive chemotherapy regimen. Shannon is currently cancer-free and continues to be a strong advocate for early detection, awareness, research and survivorship.

She is the Founder & CEO of Salto Health, which connects cancer survivors with the products & services often needed during the cancer journey enabling survivors to easily share those needs through personalized gift registries helping loved ones to provide meaningful, timely, and personalized support. Shannon is the mother of two, cancer survivor, author and sports analyst but she will forever be remembered for her focus, determination, and as the leader of the Magnificent Seven! Below, continue to read her amazing story.

Shannon has won an astounding 59 international and 49 National competition medals. Over half of these have been gold. She is the first US gymnast to win back-to-back World All-Around Titles, with a total of 9 world medals. Her tally of five medals (2 silver, 3 bronze) at the 1992 Olympics was the most medals won by a US athlete in any sport. At the '96 Games, she led the "Magnificent Seven" to the US Women's first ever Team Gold and for the first time for any American gymnast, she captured Gold on the Balance Beam.

After retiring from Olympic competition, Shannon received her undergraduate degrees in marketing and entrepreneurship from the University of Houston and her law degree from Boston College. Shannon remains a part of the gymnastics and Olympic communities as an analyst and commentator. After, Mrs. Miller's presentation, the audience has an opportunity to ask questions and end with a photo opt! **See you there!**

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