



May 30, 2017

Summer hours begin today, run through Aug. 18

This summer, in an effort to conserve energy, we will continue the practice of a modified work schedule with normal business hours for the campus of 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. with a 30-minute lunch break. These hours are effective today and continue through Friday, Aug. 18. As always, authorized supervisors may modify individual work schedules to address special situations.

As in past summers, this schedule enables the University to realize substantial budget savings by reducing energy consumption during the late afternoon hours when energy demand is highest. We hope that this change also permits many of our employees to get the most from the longer summer days.

If you have questions or concerns that cannot be answered by your supervisor or manager, please contact Chela Cholula, employee relations manager in the Office of Human Resources, at 278-6779 or cholula@csus.edu. Thank you.

Submitted by Human Resources

ASI welcomes new executive director

Associated Students Inc. (ASI) is proud to announce the hiring of Sandra Margarita Gallardo as the next ASI executive director. Sandra will take her position with ASI on Monday, June 12. Learn more about Sandra at goo.gl/w6Zqj3.

Submitted by Associated Students Inc.

USA general election voting ends today

Voting for University Staff Assembly representatives on campus committees will close at 4 p.m. today. Your vote will help determine who will represent staff on various campus committees. Go to csus.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_09uqWR6PCJ1TxhX to vote.

Directions for voting:

- Please ensure that cookies are enabled on your Internet browser.
- Nomination statements are provided for each nominee; please vote for only one candidate.
- You will be able to vote only once.

Please note that some committees are voted on only by the USA Board. Thank you for your participation.

Submitted by the USA Elections Committee

Staff Appreciation Picnic: Volunteers needed

Your University Staff Assembly (USA) needs help with our annual Staff Appreciation Picnic. Volunteers are needed Friday, June 2, the day of the event. Any small block of your time would be helpful. Please sign up at the following link if you are able to donate some of your time: csus.edu/usa/events%20%20activities/picnicvolunteersignup.html.

This year's Staff Appreciation Picnic is scheduled for 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Friday in the Main Quad. Contact your USA representative for complimentary tickets. Tickets for non-staff/non-MPP cost \$10 and are available from any USA representative. For more information, visit csus.edu/usa/events%20%20activities/Staff%20Picnic.html.

Submitted by the University Staff Assembly

Call for proposals: Faculty Scholarship (and Peer Review) Communities

The Office of Research Affairs invites faculty proposals for a pilot series of cross-disciplinary Faculty Scholarship (and Peer Review) Communities (FSCs). This initiative is designed to support faculty who are conducting research and scholarly activity by providing venues where faculty can come together across disciplines to engage with a shared topic, interest, or pursuit, and to offer peer review and advising on research projects. Each proposed FSC must identify a lead faculty moderator (or a team of two co-moderators) responsible for composing a syllabus of shared readings, setting meeting dates and times, leading discussions, and organizing member activities. Each moderator will receive \$1,000 in faculty research support funds (shared if a co-moderator) at the conclusion of the FSC.

For more details or to apply as a moderator, please go to csus.infoready4.com. Please direct questions to Nancy Sweet at nsweet@csus.edu.

Submitted by the Office of Research Affairs

Move to new campus server involves system downtime

To support the growth of campus information storage and data management, IRT will transition SacFilesSec (the S: drive) onto a new, larger server on Saturday, June 10. The move will take approximately eight hours, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The new server will provide additional storage capacity and improved information recovery options. To ensure a successful transition, this process does require downtime for a number of campus systems.

Departments have been notified, but please plan ahead, as the following applications and systems will be unavailable during the move: Go Anywhere, Level 1 Imaging, OnBase, Roboreg, Tableau, and the University Data Warehouse. Direct questions about specific systems involved to servicedesk@csus.edu or 278-7337. We appreciate your patience during this important transition.

Submitted by Information Resources and Technology

Library services downtime June 6-13

On Tuesday, June 6, the University Library will begin the final transition to a discovery system shared by all 23 libraries in the CSU. This project is the culmination of a three-year collaboration with the Chancellor's Office and all CSU libraries. Some library services will experience downtime from June 6 through Tuesday, June 13, as this transition is completed. For more information on downtime, visit library.csus.edu/ulms.

Submitted by the University Library

University Library's website is getting a new look and feel this summer

The University Library will launch a new website this summer. The site will incorporate a new look and feel that is brighter and more welcoming. It will be tablet- and mobile device-friendly. The interface for the OneSearch search engine also will be upgraded. The new search interface will be launched Tuesday, June 13, and the new website on Monday, July 10. More information is available at library.csus.edu/website.

Submitted by the University Library

Summer Conflict Resolution Workshop to begin June 19

Sacramento State's Center for African Peace and Conflict Resolution will present the 21st Summer Conflict Resolution Workshop from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. June 19-23. The training workshop aims to build conflict resolution skills in negotiation and mediation, as well as to provide fundamental knowledge of conflict theory and analysis. The training will be led by Ernest Uwazie, professor of criminal justice and director of the Center for African Peace and Conflict Resolution; and attorney Daniel Yamshon, a renowned mediator/arbitrator and conflict resolution trainer.

The summer workshop is organized in cooperation with the California Lawyers for the Arts/Sacramento Mediation Center and the Sacramento County Bar Association-ADR Section. Participants will be eligible to receive CEUs and MCLE credits. The fee is \$1,195. Applications can be obtained at csus.edu/org/capcr/2017, by emailing capcr@csus.edu, or by calling 278-6282.

Submitted by the Center for African Peace and Conflict Resolution

ECOLUTION Fashion Show at Golden 1 Center coming June 28

The Fashion Merchandising and Design Program in the Family and Consumer Sciences Department, the Student Fashion Association, and the Green Sports Alliance (GSA) will present the ECOLUTION Fashion Show at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 28, at Golden 1 Center. This show is part of the GSA 2017 Summit. The annual summit (greensportsalliance.org) is the world's largest and most influential gathering for the sports community to unite around sustainability, and brings together hundreds of industry stakeholders, policymakers, the media, educators, and politicians. The inspiration for this fashion show, which is free to all, is sustainability and sports.

To RSVP, please email Michelle.rockwell@albrechtco.com before June 10. Direct questions to Dr. Dong Shen at dshen@csus.edu.

Submitted by the Department of Family and Consumer Sciences

It's time to go bowling: Sac State Summer Bowling League

The 2017 Sacramento State Summer Bowling League is here. This eight-week league (June 8-July 27) is for novice bowlers, so all levels are encouraged to join. This is a handicap league based on a score of 200. University faculty and staff teams also may include family or friends. Teams can be formed with individuals who do not have a team but wish to play.

- Location: Capitol Bowl in West Sacramento (900 West Capitol Ave.)
- Start time is 5 p.m. Thursdays
- Show up 15 minutes early for "shadow practice"
- \$11 per player per night
- Three games per night
- Each team can have alternates to allow for substitutes or rotations
- Shoes can be rented for \$2 per night

Each team is responsible for a \$44 payment each night, even if fewer than four bowlers show up, so team captains need to confirm with their team members each week. Typically, if someone no-shows, they pay the \$11.

The goal is just to have a great time! If you are interested in playing, please contact Jeff Bingel at bingelj@csus.edu.

Submitted by the College of Business Administration

Next Estate Planning 101 is June 8

The Office of Planned Giving hosts Estate Planning 101 seminars throughout the year for members of the Sacramento State community who are considering their estate plans. Topics covered include wills, living trusts, estate taxes, probate, property and inheritance planning, special-needs trusts, and charitable gift annuities.

The next Estate Planning 101 seminar is from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Thursday, June 8, at the Leslie and Anita Harper Alumni Center. Reservations are required by Thursday, June 1. RSVP to giving@csus.edu or 278-2577.

Please visit csus.planningyourlegacy.org for more information on planned giving or the dates of future seminars. If you are interested in making a gift through your will or estate, or you have questions regarding Estate Planning 101, please call the Office of Planned Giving at 278-6989.

Submitted by University Development

Faculty professional activities

The latest faculty professional activities are available at csus.edu/news/articles/2017/4/1/Professional-activities,-April-June-2017.shtml.

Submitted by the Office of Public Affairs and Advocacy

Faculty Senate schedule

The Faculty Senate calendar is available at csus.edu/acse.

Submitted by the Faculty Senate