



October 2, 2017

Our Promise Campaign concludes – thank you!

The 2017 Our Promise campaign has concluded on our campus, wrapping up the 60th year of California State Employees giving at work. Thank you again for the generosity of your time and hard work to help make this year's campaign a real success.

Submitted by University Enterprises Inc.

MLK 50th anniversary celebration is Oct. 16

On Monday, Oct. 16, Sacramento State hosts its 50th anniversary commemoration of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s visit to the campus, celebrating his 1967 speech to the University. The day's theme is "Empathy, Equality, and Esteem." The daylong program will include a film screening, keynote addresses by broadcaster and author Tavis Smiley at noon and 7:30 p.m., a unity march, concert, and workshops. Join us to celebrate this very important day of honoring the life and legacy of Dr. King and his impact at Sacramento State. To register for this event, please visit csus.edu/saseep/mlk/50th. Note: Guests attending the concert and evening keynote will need to RSVP and download their tickets using Eventbrite. The direct links to download tickets is drmartinlutherkingjr730pmlecture.eventbrite.com and jjhairstonconcertsacstate.eventbrite.com.

Submitted by the MLK 50th Committee

Join us for MLK 50th anniversary fundraising brunch

To kick off the 50th anniversary of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s historic speech at Sacramento State, a brunch fundraiser will be held from 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. in the University Union, Redwood Room. The theme for the event is "Esteeming Those Who Came Before Us: Celebrating the Life of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr." Join this opening celebration, which will feature Inky Jonson, world-renowned speaker and motivator. All proceeds will go toward student scholarships. To purchase a ticket, visit commerce.cashnet.com/csusacevent and click the MLK Jr. Center link.

For more information about the lineup of events for the MLK 50th, please visit csus.edu/saseep/mlk/50th.

Submitted by SASEEP

Library's Department of Special Collections hosts MLK exhibit reception Oct. 10

To commemorate the 50th anniversary of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s 1967 visit to then-Sacramento State College, the University Library's Department of Special Collections and University Archives is hosting "Civil Rights Sacramento." The exhibit of original archival materials regarding Dr. King's visit is on display through Friday, March 2. All are invited to attend a reception to celebrate the exhibit from 3 to 5 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 10.

Submitted by Library Administration

Campus celebrates Indigenous Peoples Day on Oct. 9

The campus community is invited to join us Monday, Oct. 9, to celebrate the culture and history of the Native American people. The program begins at 8:30 a.m. in the University Union Ballroom with an opening prayer led by Mary Tarango, chairperson, Wilton Band of Miwok. A series of lectures, panel presentations, and a premiere of the film *More Than A Word* (morethanawordfilm.com) follows. The film analyzes the NFL's Washington football

team and its use of the derogatory term "R*dskins," and examines the history of Native American cultural appropriation. The film previews from 7 to 9 p.m. The filmmakers, brothers John and Kenn Little, will be available after the screening to discuss and share insights on making the film.

A reception and cultural presentation will be held in Ballroom II in honor of the filmmakers. The reception begins at 5:30 p.m. All events are free and open to the public. Contact Dr. Brian Baker (baker@csus.edu) or David Ortega (ortegad@csus.edu) for a listing of the day's events.

Submitted by Ethnic Studies/Native American Studies and SASEEP

Sixth annual Criminal Justice Convocation coming Oct. 10

The Division of Criminal Justice holds its annual convocation, "The Future of Justice VI: Guns, Violence and Public Health," from noon to 3 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 10, in the University Union Ballroom. Dr. Deanna Wilkinson, from The Ohio State University, is the keynote speaker. Following the keynote will be a panel discussion featuring Drs. Jennie Singer and Ryan Getty of the University's Division of Criminal Justice and Dr. Bill Durston, president of Americans Against Gun Violence. Opening and keynote lecture are from noon to 1:30 p.m., followed by the panel Q&A from 1:30 to 3 p.m. The event is free to the campus and the community.

Submitted by the Division of Criminal Justice

Provost's Student Research Fall Forum coming Nov. 6

Central to the University's mission is the promotion of discovery through research, scholarly, and creative activity by our faculty and students. The Provost's Student Research Fall Forum offers undergraduate and graduate students the opportunity to present their research, scholarly, and creative activities to the campus community in poster presentation format, 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 6, in the University Union, Redwood Room. Posters will be grouped in rotating sessions of 90-120 minutes with mixed cohorts of undergraduate, master's and doctoral students.

For more information, visit csus.edu/studentresearchcenter. Questions can be directed to student.research@csus.edu.

Submitted by the Student Research Center

Dreamer Resource Center free legal consultation schedule finalized

Attorneys from McGeorge School of Law and Opening Doors will be available for free legal immigration consultations at the Dreamer Resource Center in River Front Center 1027 throughout the fall semester. The consultations are open to students and their families, staff, faculty, and community. Drop-in consultations are on a first-come, first-served basis Fridays through Dec. 15 as follows:

- 2 to 5 p.m. Oct. 6 and Nov. 3
- 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Oct. 13, Oct. 27, Dec. 1 and Dec. 15
- Noon to 3 p.m. Oct. 20, Nov. 17 and Dec. 8

If you have questions, please call 278-7241.

Submitted by the Dreamer Resource Center

Dreamer programs offer emotional support for undocumented students

The Dreamer Resource Center offers two continuing programs to lend emotional support to undocumented students and their families.

"Let's Talk" invites students to drop in without an appointment and informally talk with a counselor. These mini consultations allow students to ask questions and address everyday concerns. The counselor is a certified Dreamer Ally and has experience working with undocumented students and students from mixed-status families. Students can drop in between 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Thursdays in River Front Center 1027.

"Dream Connections" is a supportive social network open to undocumented individuals and those from mixed-status families in the campus community. The group meetings provide a space for peer-to-peer support and an opportunity to share concerns regarding Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA), immigration status, family dynamics, academics and other concerns. Join from 3 to 4 p.m. Mondays in River Front Center 1027.

Submitted by the Dreamer Resource Center

Host a 'Dinner with Dreamers'

In an effort to support Sacramento State undocumented students and students from mixed status families, the Dreamer Resource Center is coordinating "Dinner with Dreamers." This activity is an opportunity for staff, faculty, and administrators to host students for dinner (or lunch) in their home. "Dinner with Dreamers" reinforces the inclusive nature of our campus in a welcoming, caring and intimate way. The goal of the activity is to connect students, particularly those new to campus, to the University community and help them build a network of support while engaging in safe and empowering dialogue. Groups can be as small as three and as large as 10. If you are interested in participating, please contact Viridiana Diaz at viridiaz@csus.edu.

Submitted by the Dreamer Resource Center

Education doctorate information session is tonight

The Doctorate in Educational Leadership Program will host a prospective student information session from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 2, in Douglass Hall 208. Alumni become educational leaders in schools, community colleges, general education environments, and community organizations. Program Director Dr. Julian Vasquez Heilig will host the information session, with faculty and alumni sharing experiences in the program. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please contact the Ed.D. office at 278-2282 or edd@csus.edu. RSVP to attend this and subsequent sessions at bit.ly/SacStateDoc.

Submitted by the Doctorate in Educational Leadership Program/College of Education

Celebration on Tuesday marks Placer Hall's 20th anniversary

Sacramento State and the United States Geological Survey (USGS) are celebrating 20 years of science research and education collaboration, particularly the 20th anniversary of Placer Hall, from noon to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 3. Placer Hall is home to our amazing Department of Geology and several world-class research units of USGS. The opening of Placer Hall led to the creation of many joint science and student research opportunities for the campus and USGS, with particular benefit to students and faculty in Geology, Biological Sciences, and Environmental Studies.

All students, faculty, USGS employees and campus members are welcome to join us. Please make time to stop by for celebratory activities and learn more about how you can take part in this dynamic research partnership.

- Noon to 2:30 p.m. – Poster sessions and tour of Placer Hall labs.
- 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. – Panel discussion: Collaborative Science Opportunities: Past, Present, and Future, University Union, Hinde Auditorium.

Submitted by the Office of Research Affairs

Legislative change is topic of 'Queers Take Charge!' event Tuesday

The PRIDE Center invites the University community to "Queers Take Charge," from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 3, at the Multi-Cultural Center. We'll discuss the political climate at this free event, as well as current bills being pushed through Congress. We've invited some very invested speakers to inform you how to become more politically active. We hope to see you all there.

Submitted by the PRIDE Center

Tickets still available for Staff Awards Luncheon on Friday

The 2017 Staff Awards Luncheon is from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 6, in the University Union Ballroom. Tickets and tables remain available for purchase. A ticket is required for all attendees. Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased from Michelle Williams at mwill@csus.edu or 278-6685. Payment is due when reservations are made. We accept cash, checks, or a copy of the direct payment or check request form. Ticket sales will end at 5 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 4. For more information, visit csus.edu/usa/lunchpreliminary.

Submitted by the University Staff Assembly

'Historical Perspectives on America in Crisis' discussions continue this semester

The Department of History this fall continues its lunch-hour discussion series "Historical Perspectives on America in Crisis," launched last spring in the aftermath of the presidential election.

This semester we will host two panel discussions on topics of current interest and concern. The first, from noon to 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 5, in the Global Lounge, addresses Russian-American relations and will feature a visiting scholar from the Russian Academy of Science in Moscow, as well as faculty members from the University's departments of History and Political Science. The second, from noon to 1:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 27, in Mendocino 1003, will be led by a panel of faculty from the Department of History and will address current controversies surrounding Confederate and other monuments in the United States. Both events are open to the public.

Submitted by the Department of History

Noted feminist group Guerrilla Girls performs Thursday

University Union UNIQUE Programs is pleased to announce a special performance by Guerrilla Girls, a nationally recognized group of feminist activist artists, at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 5, in the University Union Ballroom.

Guerrilla Girls perform anonymously in gorilla masks, keeping the focus on the issues instead of their identities. They use humor and outrageous visuals to expose gender and ethnic bias, as well as corruption in politics, art, film, and pop culture. The group also is known for undermining the idea of a mainstream narrative by revealing subtexts and overlooked facts. They attack discriminatory practices, meanwhile pushing their reinvention of the word "feminism."

Submitted by the University Union

PRIDE Center panel discussion will feature stories of coming out

Join the PRIDE Center from 10:30 a.m. to noon Wednesday, Oct. 11, in The WELL's Terrace Suite for a panel discussing coming-out stories. This is a great opportunity to get to know more about the LGBTQ+ community. You will learn a bit more about panelists' subjective experience with coming out in a Q&A format.

Submitted by the PRIDE Center

Join us in celebrating Associate Registrar Kris Trigales' retirement

A retirement reception honoring Associate Registrar Kris Trigales will be held from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18, at Epicure Restaurant. Please RSVP to Sarah Powers at spowers@csus.edu by Friday, Oct. 13.

Submitted by Student Affairs

Advising Summit Planning Committee seeks members

The Academic Advising Center seeks staff and faculty to help plan the third annual Advising Summit, scheduled for April 25, 2018, at the University Union. If you are interested in participating in this exciting campus-wide event, please contact Jazzie Murphy, director of Academic Advising, at jazzie.murphy@csus.edu. Committee meetings begin in October.

Submitted by the Academic Advising Center

Fifth annual Constitution Bowl coming Nov. 7

The Center for California Studies, in collaboration with the Project for an Informed Electorate, host the fifth annual Constitution Bowl from noon to 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 7. Pizza and drinks will be served for all attendees. Field a team and show off your knowledge of the state and federal constitutions, and win a gift card for the Hornet Bookstore! For more information or to register a team, visit csus.edu/calst or call 278-6906.

Submitted by the Center for California Studies

Homecoming tickets for current and emeriti faculty and staff

President Robert S. and Jody Nelsen invite current and emeriti faculty, staff, and their families to the Homecoming Festival and football game Saturday, Oct. 14. The Hornets will take on the Idaho State Bengals at 6 p.m. at Hornet Stadium.

Current and emeriti faculty and staff may reserve up to four complimentary game tickets through the Homecoming website at csus.edu/homecoming/faculty-staff.html. Visit csus.edu/homecoming for more information on all Homecoming Week activities. Stingers up!

Submitted by University Advancement

Homecoming Golf Cart Parade on Oct. 14

Sac State's annual Homecoming Golf Cart Parade is back and bigger than ever. Sign up to decorate your golf cart for a chance to win the grand prize trophy and yearlong bragging rights. Golf Cart Parade participants will take part in the Hornet Walk during the Oct. 14 Homecoming Festival and loop around the Hornet Stadium track at halftime.

To join the fun, contact Gladys Glaude at gladysg@csus.edu or (916) 278-4952. Visit csus.edu/homecoming for more information. Stingers up!

Submitted by University Advancement

MBA Application Lab coming Nov. 14

Interested in applying to our self-paced MBA program that offers the lowest available tuition and fees for an Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business-International accredited graduate program in the Sacramento region?

If so, join us for our upcoming MBA Application Lab, 6 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 14, in AIRC 1016 and work with the MBA Program Services team to successfully complete your MBA application before our Feb. 1 deadline. Also, keep in mind that an undergrad degree in business is not required for our program.

Seating is limited and registration is required. RSVP at surveymonkeys.com.

For more details, please visit csus.edu/cba/graduate/mba. If you have additional questions, please contact MBA Program Services at 278-6772 or cba-MBAadmissions@csus.edu.

Submitted by the College of Business Administration

Friends of the Library's Book Bin is open this week

The Friends of the Library operates a Book Bin on the University Library's lower level on the first full week and third week of each month from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays. Gently used hardback and trade paperback books are \$2 each of three for \$5. Mass paperbacks are \$1 each. Artwork, music scores, audio recordings, long-playing records, etc. also are available. Cash or check only.

The Book Bin is open this week, Oct. 4-6. Come in and browse. All proceeds support the Library.

Submitted by Friends of the Library Book Bin

Orthopedic Pro Bono Clinic serves the campus and community on Wednesdays

Did you know that the University offers free orthopedic treatment for students, faculty, staff, and the public? The Orthopedic Pro Bono Clinic is run by students and faculty from the Department of Physical Therapy for people with musculoskeletal injury or pain. Patients are examined and treated by students in the Doctor of Physical Therapy program under the supervision of a licensed physical therapist. The clinic is in Folsom Hall 1066.

Appointments are from 11 a.m. to noon or noon to 1 p.m. Wednesdays. Patients generally are seen for three sessions, including a complete examination, treatment, and home exercise prescription. For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact Karen Salatti at karen.salatti@csus.edu or 278-6426.

Submitted by the Department of Physical Therapy

Next MBA information session is Oct. 26

Did you know that an undergraduate degree in business is not required to get your MBA? We invite students to join the MBA Program Services Office for an MBA Information Session from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 26, in The WELL's Terrace Suite to learn more about Sac State's Master of Business Administration Program. This will be a great opportunity for students to expand their horizons and learn how an MBA could help them advance and excel in their careers. Refreshments will be provided.

To reserve a seat for the session, RSVP at surveymonkeys.com/r/MBAOctober26. For more details, please visit csus.edu/cba/graduate/mba. If you have additional questions, please

contact MBA Program Services at 278-4501 or cba-MBAadmissions@csus.edu.
Submitted by the Master of Business Administration Program

Football program seeks student videographers for 2017 season

The Hornet football program is seeking students to film practices and games, beginning immediately. The position is voluntary. This would be a tremendous opportunity for anyone who is interested in sports video or hoping to break into collegiate athletics. Students' primary duties would be to film practices and games, assist with card drops, and occasionally help with input and transfer of video into our computer system.

Interested students need to be reliable and punctual. Practices generally run from 8 to 10 a.m. Tuesday through Thursday, and walk-throughs generally are at 6 p.m.

The position begins immediately. Those interested may contact Justin Lantz at (304) 851-2733 or justin.lantz@csus.edu.

Submitted by Sacramento State Football

Training for making online updates to University Catalog available Oct. 19-20

A new process for updating CourseLeaf University Catalog content will be introduced this fall following the successful launch of the 2017-18 catalog. Beginning with the 2018-19 catalog, departments will be empowered to submit specific content updates online in CourseLeaf. This transition moves the campus away from paperwork and multiple reviews, and will deliver greater accuracy and efficiency. To provide tools and resources to department designees, we will hold the same 90-minute training session multiple times on Thursday, Oct. 19, and Friday, Oct. 20, in AIRC 2007. Please reserve your seat at csus.edu/courseleaf-training by Monday, Oct. 16, and plan to bring a small catalog change for hands-on practice. Please contact Kaitlyn Ehrmantrout at catalog@csus.edu if you have questions. We look forward to seeing you there!

Submitted by Academic Affairs

University Policy Manual updates

In accordance with CSU Executive Order 713, the Campus Planning Council Policy (ADM-0184, csus.edu/umannual/adm-0184) and the Minor Design Change Committee Policy (ADM-0185, csus.edu/umannual/adm-0185) is now implemented for the campus community to adhere to all university space that is in consideration for future design and is subject to the assignment and reassignment for the common good of the University. To learn more about both policies, visit csus.edu/umannual/adminpolicies.

Submitted by the Office of the Vice President for Administration/CFO

Violence in the workplace prevention training

This is a one-hour presentation, with additional time for questions, on information regarding University policy on violence in the workplace, applicable campus statistics, crime prevention information, reporting practices, and available resources. The course will give attendees information on how to prepare for, recognize, document, and report incidents in their respective areas as it pertains to violence in the workplace or unacceptable behavior. Materials will be provided. Class participation every three years is required of all faculty, staff, and student employees by Cal-OSHA and Sacramento State.

- 9 to 10 a.m., Monday, Oct. 9, University Union, Summit Room (third floor)
- 9 to 10 a.m., Tuesday, Nov. 21, University Union, Hinde Auditorium

To RSVP for the training, please email barnettk@skymail.csus.edu.
Submitted by the Sacramento State Police Department

Building coordinator/floor marshal training

Annual two-hour training sessions are scheduled for the following dates/times:

- 9 to 11 a.m., Wednesday, Oct. 11, University Union, Lobby Suite (first floor)
- 9 to 11 a.m., Wednesday, Nov. 1, University Union, Lobby Suite (first floor)

Attendance is mandatory for all members of the building emergency preparedness teams, building coordinators, floor marshals, and faculty who have responsibilities during a disaster or emergency. All members of the Building Emergency Preparedness Teams are required to attend the training on a yearly basis. Seating is limited to the first 150. Register on Learner Web at csusac.learnerhall.com.

Submitted by the Sacramento State Police Department

Campus disaster/emergency preparedness training

A two-hour overview of disaster preparedness on campus has been scheduled for the following dates/times:

- 1 to 3 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 19, University Union, Hinde Auditorium
- 10 a.m. to noon, Tuesday, Oct. 24, University Union, Summit Room (third floor)
- 9 to 11 a.m., Thursday, Oct. 26, University Union, Hinde Auditorium

The training is mandated by the state and the CSU. All Sacramento State faculty, staff, and student employees must attend during their first year of employment and every three years thereafter. Seating is limited to the first 150. Register on Learner Web at csusac.learnerhall.com.

Submitted by the Sacramento State Police Department

Faculty professional activities

The latest faculty professional activities are available at csus.edu/news/articles/Professional-activities.

Submitted by University Communications

Faculty Senate schedule

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

Submitted by the Faculty Senate

Human Resources

Open Enrollment ends Friday

The CSU annual Open Enrollment period ends Friday, Oct. 6. Open Enrollment is your annual opportunity to review and update your current benefits for the upcoming year. You can enroll, change, or cancel CalPERS health, dental, vision, Flexcash, Dependent Care Reimbursement (DCRA), Health Care Reimbursement (HCRA), or voluntary benefits plans.

Please carefully review all benefits plan options and costs before making any enrollment decisions for yourself and family members. Download the Open Enrollment Guidebook for 2018 for important information about plan changes, an overview of available CSU benefits, and the 2018 premium rates. For comprehensive, up-to-date information, visit

cyou.calstate.edu/openenrollment. To download the Open Enrollment Worksheet, visit csus.edu/hr/departments/benefits/openenrollment.

Catastrophic leave donation

Sacramento State employees may voluntarily donate to other employees up to a maximum of 40 hours of sick or vacation leave credits in one-hour increments each fiscal year. Bargaining Units 1, 10 and 11 may donate only up to 16 hours per fiscal year. If employees are interested in donating time, a form can be obtained at csus.edu/hr/forms.html#disability by visiting the Human Resources Disability Leaves office in Del Norte Hall, Suite 3004, or by calling 278-3522.

The Benefits Office currently has the following employee on an approved CAT Leave:

- Shene Ogbe – Housing Coordinator’s Office (vacation only)