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News

Budget, Expenditures, and Financial Information report available online

As part of President Robert S. Nelsen's commitment to provide the campus community with transparency in budget and financial information, the Annual Report for Budget, Expenditures, and Financial Information is available at www.csus.edu/aba/budget/annual-report-15-16.html. This report includes financial details for the 2014-15 fiscal year such as the distribution of expenditures by campus divisions, All University Expenses, and other restricted funds. It also contains some historical facts and figures on campus budgets, enrollment, and the campus's deferred maintenance needs. Additionally, this report has the budget information for the 2015-16 fiscal year.

The report is prepared by our Budget Planning and Administration unit and is available on that office's website. The report is divided into chapters so you can download the portions that are of most interest to you.

Submitted by the Office of the President

Hornet Honor Code Task Force conducts focus groups

The Hornet Honor Code Task Force is conducting focus groups to gather input for the development of a Hornet Honor Code. The purpose of creating a Sacramento State honor code is to establish an agreed-upon set of principles and guidelines that will encourage honesty, integrity, and mutual respect among students, faculty, staff, and administration. The input obtained from the focus groups will be used to inform the task force as to what should be included in a Hornet Honor Code. Participants will be entered into a drawing to win a \$50 gift card for the Hornet Bookstore. Focus group times and dates:

- Faculty: 10 to 11 a.m. today and Monday, March 14, University Union, Coastal Room
- Students: 9 to 10 a.m. Tuesday, March 8, University Union, Sequoia Room; 11 a.m. to noon Monday, March 14, University Union, Coastal Room
- Staff: 10 to 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 8, University Union, Coastal Room; 9 to 10 a.m. Friday, March 18, University Union, Delta Room
- Community: 8 to 9 a.m. Tuesday, March 8, University Union, Sequoia Room; 8 to 9 a.m. Friday, March 18, University Union, Delta Room

Please sign up at www.csus.edu/student/it/HornetHonorCode.

Submitted by Student Affairs

Jody Nelsen to keynote Women of Influence Awards on March 15

You are cordially invited to attend the sixth annual Women of Influence program from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 15, in the University Union, Redwood Room. This program celebrates the contributions of inspiring women on the Sacramento State campus. The planning committee is excited to announce that Jody Nelsen is this year's keynote speaker. She is on the board of the Sacramento Family Justice Center Foundation, while also serving on the advisory board for the Associated Students Inc. (ASI) Food Pantry. Previously, she was

executive vice president for finance and administration at Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi.

The program also includes exciting performances from Sacramento State students, followed by inspirational closing remarks from Lisa Cardoza, President Robert S. Nelsen's chief of staff.

The Women of Influence program is sponsored by Housing and Residential Life, ASI, Student Organizations and Leadership, the Residence Hall Association, the Women's Resource Center, and Student Affairs. Contact Aja C. Holmes, Ph.D., with your questions at aja.holmes@csus.edu or 278-6655.

Submitted by Housing and Residential Life

30 students selected for young Latino voter social media survey

Capital Public Radio's Innovation Lab is pleased to announce that 30 student journalists have been selected to participate in an experimental social media campaign called 100 Young Voters. The campaign seeks to listen to the voices of young Latino voters and find out what issues and candidates will get their votes in the 2016 elections. Follow this project @CapRadio on Instagram or #100YoungVoters on Twitter and Instagram. Read more at bit.ly/1RKPxTr.

Submitted by Capital Public Radio

Author Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz to speak Wednesday

The Department of History, in conjunction with the Native American Studies Program and as part of Native American Culture Week, will host a presentation by Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz, author of *An Indigenous Peoples' History of the United States*, at 5 p.m. Wednesday, March 9, in the University Union, Hinde Auditorium. In addition, a student panel will address the topic "Challenging Assumptions in History Education" as a prelude to her presentation. A reception and book signing will take place at 5 p.m., followed by the student panel at 6 p.m. and Dunbar-Ortiz's talk at 7 p.m.

Submitted by the History Department

PRIDE Center invites campus community to Academic Engagement Presentations

The PRIDE Center invites students, staff, and faculty to join its volunteer-supported Academic Engagement Presentations program. Faculty and campus groups request these presentations for their classrooms or group meetings. Presentations include LGBTQIA narratives/panels, current events discussions, and a history presentation. Each semester, we receive about 15 presentation requests, requiring a large pool of volunteers. If you or someone you know is interested, please direct them to our upcoming volunteer trainings. You'll gain more information about the program, and you'll be certified to participate! If you have questions, please email the PRIDE Center at pride@csus.edu.

Upcoming trainings are from 2 to 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 16; 10:30 a.m. to noon Tuesday, March 22; and 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 29. All trainings are at the PRIDE Center/Women's Resource Center space, located on the first floor of the University Union next to Round Table.

Submitted by the PRIDE Center

Yolo judge to discuss her journey to the bench in Serna Speaker Series

The Serna Center Speaker Series will present Judge Sonia Cortés, speaking on "My Journey to the Bench: A Farmworker's Daughter's Story," from 3 to 4:15 p.m. Wednesday, March 16, at The WELL's Terrace Suite.

Cortés is Yolo County's first Latina/o Superior Court judge, having been appointed by Gov. Jerry Brown on July 16. She immigrated to the United States from Mexico at age 4. She is the eldest of three sisters, her parents are former farmworkers, and she lived in public housing during her early years. The Yolo County native is the first in her family to graduate from high school, college, and law school.

RSVP for the event at <https://goo.gl/bxeep>. If you have any questions, contact the Serna Center at 278-4512 or email serna-03@csus.edu.

Submitted by the Serna Center

State traffic safety agency partners with SHCS in anti-DUI campaign

In partnership with Student Health and Counseling Services, the California Office of Traffic Safety is making its way to Sacramento State. In an effort to promote this year's anti-DUI campaign – centered on designated sober drivers – OTS has selected Sacramento State as one of six partnering colleges throughout California.

For this year's campaign, OTS will be encouraging students to download its free DDVIP mobile app, available for download in the iTunes and Google Play stores. Today, students can swing by Serna Plaza, in front of the Hornet Bookstore, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. to score free food, prizes, and a chance to win two VIP concert tickets just for downloading the DDVIP app. The app can be used to spoil designated drivers with freebies at nearby bars and restaurants. Download it today – the free perks await!

Submitted by Student Health and Counseling Services

Union Gallery seeks entries for Student Purchase Awards exhibit

The University Union Gallery is looking for student artists for its annual Student Purchase Awards exhibit from Monday, March 28, through Thursday, April 21. Entries will be accepted for \$5 per submission from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday, March 14; 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 15; and 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 16, at the Union Gallery on the second floor. After students submit their artwork, off-campus visual arts professionals are chosen to judge the submitted work. Three Best of Show awards are selected solely on the basis of artistic quality and are awarded a cash prize. Purchase Awards recipients are chosen using the following criteria: artistic quality, adaptability into the University Union permanent collection, and the relative price of the piece. Those pieces then become part of the Union's permanent collection and will be displayed for years to come. For more information and to enter, visit theuniversityunion.com/gallery/show/2016-student-purchase-awards.

Submitted by the University Union Gallery

Guardian Scholars Program seeks donations for Jewelry Resale

Time to clean out your jewelry box! The Guardian Scholars Program will accept jewelry donations for our second Guardian Scholars Jewelry Resale Event on Tuesday, April 26, outside Lassen Hall. We'll be accepting donations until the day before the event! All proceeds help fund the Guardian Scholar Healthy Food Pantry and Emergency Fund. Contact Alex Hill at alex.hill@csus.edu if you have additional questions.

Submitted by the Guardian Scholars Program

Results of the Listening to Students Study available online

To learn more about the needs of students from a variety of backgrounds and educational paths, including this week's section, "Listening to Student-Athletes," please visit www.csus.edu/saseep/listeningtostudents.

Submitted by the Department of Communication Studies

2016-17 Instructionally Related Activities (IRA) call for proposals

The 2016-17 Instructionally Related Activities (IRA) call for proposals is now posted at www.csus.edu/ira. New programs submitting a proposal for IRA funding are recommended to attend an IRA training workshop, which is designed to familiarize program advisors with the process and criteria for IRA funding. The optional trainings are scheduled to take place from 3 to 4 p.m. Thursday, March 10, and 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Friday, March 11. RSVP to Margaret Hwang at mh227@csus.edu or 278-2537. If program advisors are unable to attend either optional workshop, or have any questions regarding the IRA program, please contact Hwang.

Submitted by Administration and Business Affairs

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, 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. Training is in the University Union, Hinde Auditorium:

- 9 to 10 a.m. Thursday, March 17
- 1 to 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 20
- 9 to 10 a.m. Thursday, May 12

To RSVP for the training, please email barnettk@csus.edu.

Submitted by the Sacramento State Police Department

Building coordinator/floor marshal training

Annual two-hour training sessions will be held from 9 to 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 29, and Tuesday, May 10, in the University Union, Hinde Auditorium, covering the following:

- Program overview and history
- Multi-Hazard Emergency Plan/Building Emergency Action Plan
- ICS/interaction with first responders
- Pandemic/infectious disease threat
- Responsibilities of building coordinators, floor marshals, and faculty
- Evacuation procedures/rally areas and evacuation chairs
- Active shooter preparedness
- IFAN
- ENS

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. Seating is limited to the first 150. Register by emailing gnagywb@saclink.csus.edu.

Submitted by the Sacramento State Police Department

Faculty professional activities

The latest faculty professional activities are available at

www.csus.edu/news/articles/2016/1/4/Professional-activities,-January-March-2016.shtml.

Submitted by the Office of Public Affairs and Advocacy

Faculty Senate schedule

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

Submitted by the Faculty Senate

Security tip: Protect those passwords

All CSU users must exercise care by choosing passwords that are difficult to compromise or access. Failure to do so can jeopardize CSU systems and information. For example, words commonly found in the dictionary, birthdays, or anything related to the user's personal life should not be used. This does not rule out passwords that are easy to remember; for example, combining numbers or punctuation with one or more words could produce an easy-to-remember, hard-to-guess password.

Submitted by the Information Security Office

Human Resources

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 www.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 employees on an approved CAT Leave:

- Brendan Lindsay, History
- Martin Biskowski, Anthropology
- Susan Wycoff, Education
- Marcelino Coelho, Facilities Services
- Noreen James, Center for Collaborative Policy