



July 10, 2017

**College of Education to hold open forum sessions for associate dean candidates**

Open forum sessions for candidates for the two associate dean positions in the College of Education will be held Thursday, July 13, and Friday, July 14. Interested members of the campus community may join faculty, staff, and students of the College of Education for the sessions. All sessions will be in the University Union, Orchard Suite III (second floor).

Campus Community Forums - Associate Dean for Student Success

- 9:30-10:30 a.m. July 13: Dr. Stephanie Biagetti, chair, Teaching Credentials, College of Education, Sacramento State
- 12:30-1:30 p.m. July 13: Dr. Ana Garcia-Nevarez, faculty, Undergraduate Studies in Education, College of Education, Sacramento State
- 3:30-4:30 p.m. July 13: Dr. Karen Davis O'Hara, chair, Undergraduate Studies in Education, College of Education, Sacramento State

Campus Community Forums - Associate Dean for Research and Engagement

- 11 a.m.-noon July 14: Dr. Vajra Watson, director, Research and Policy for Equity, and founder of Sacramento Area Youth Speaks (SAYS), University of California, Davis
- 3-4 p.m. July 14: Dr. Pia Wong, faculty, Teaching Credentials, College of Education, Sacramento State

If you would like to submit feedback regarding the candidates, please submit your comments by 4 p.m. Monday, July 24, using the following link:

[https://csus.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_1S9zDIBGSNG2Mol](https://csus.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_1S9zDIBGSNG2Mol).

*Submitted by the College of Education*

**Call for proposals: SOAL's Fall 2017 Leadership Conference**

Student Organizations and Leadership invites faculty and staff to submit proposals for its Fall Leadership Conference. This year's conference will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 22, in the University Union, with "Leadership: Beyond the Title" as its theme. Topics covered in the workshops will relate to leadership development, relationship-building, and humility. If you are interested in presenting a session, please complete the Leadership Conference Session Proposal form at [orgsync.com/1983/forms/257802](https://orgsync.com/1983/forms/257802) by the end of today.

*Submitted by Student Organizations and Leadership*

**Space still available at Peak Adventures Youth Camps**

Peak Adventures Youth Camps still have limited space available this summer! Send your kids to camp with convenient on-campus drop-off and pickup.

Weeklong outdoor youth camps are offered for children ages 9-17. For younger kids, activities include scavenger hunts, arts and crafts, games, water activities, and more. Older kids have the choice to backpack for a week or experience a new activity each day, ranging from the Challenge Center on campus to outdoor rock-climbing and whitewater rafting. Drop them off in the morning with a lunch and let the adventures begin!

Youth camps meet at Sac State and include all technical equipment and a camp T-shirt. The cost also includes transportation, entry fees, and friendly, qualified staff. Space is limited. Call 278-6321 or email [peakinfo@csus.edu](mailto:peakinfo@csus.edu) for availability.

*Submitted by ASI Peak Adventures*

### **Free summer Koru Mindfulness classes available for staff, faculty, students**

Student Health and Counseling Services is offering free Koru Mindfulness sessions in July and August. Beyond simply decreasing your stress, this course offers approaches and skills to help you find more satisfaction in your daily life. The course, consisting of four classes, is designed to help you learn mindfulness through the practice of specific skills that calm and focus your mind, and through the practice of meditation. If you are feeling pressured and stressed, or are just interested in learning a new skill that can enrich your life, these classes are for you.

- Session 1 (faculty/staff only): 11 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Mondays, July 17, 24, 31, and Aug. 7.
- Session 2 (open to all): 1 to 2:15 p.m. Thursdays, July 20 and 27, and Aug. 3 and 10.

Register at [sacstateshcs.wufoo.com](http://sacstateshcs.wufoo.com). For more information, contact Jason Cataldo at [jason.cataldo@csus.edu](mailto:jason.cataldo@csus.edu).

*Submitted by Student Health and Counseling Services*

### **Click 'accept' for wireless certificate change on July 20**

To provide continuous Wi-Fi security for our campus users for years to come, IRT will launch a new Wi-Fi certificate on Thursday, July 20. A Wi-Fi certificate is like a "digital passport" that encrypts your login credentials and securely connects you to our wireless network. This change will not affect any network functionality you currently have, but on July 20 (or when you arrive back to campus), your devices may prompt you to accept the new certificate or connect automatically if your device is set to ignore certificates.

Clicking "accept" or "connect" when prompted is a one-time action and is not spam or phishing. To guide you through this change, we've included instructions and images of what your window or pop-up may look like for different devices at <https://csus.service-now.com/service/kb?kb=KB0012436>. Once the new certificate is accepted, you'll be Wi-Fi ready! Need help? Contact the IRT Service Desk Team at 278-7337 or [servicedesk@csus.edu](mailto:servicedesk@csus.edu).

*Submitted by Information Resources and Technology*

### **New Office of Institutional Research website is live**

The Office of Institutional Research has updated its website with a fresh, new look. It displays five different overarching sections, each with reports, research, or information conducted in the department. The five sections are the Data Center, Assessment, Survey Reports, Research Projects, and Retention and Graduation. The easily accessible website provides a myriad of reports and statistical analyses about Sacramento State. In addition, data sets not available online can be requested through the data request form on the website.

The updated website can be viewed at [csus.edu/oir](http://csus.edu/oir). For more information, please contact the Office of Institutional Research at 278-6566.

*Submitted by the Office of Institutional Research*

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

The University Library is launching a new website this summer. The site incorporates a new look and feel that is brighter and more welcoming. It is tablet- and mobile device-friendly. The interface for the OneSearch search engine also is being upgraded. The new search interface was launched June 13, and the new website goes live today. More information is available at [library.csus.edu/website](http://library.csus.edu/website).

*Submitted by the University Library*

### **Join us to celebrate ECS Computing Services Director Mike Wimple's retirement**

A retirement reception honoring ECS Computing Services Director Mike Wimple will be held from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 19, in Riverside Hall 2018. Please join us in celebrating Mike's career spanning 36 years in the College of Engineering and Computer Science. Refreshments will be served. To RSVP, please email [denise@csus.edu](mailto:denise@csus.edu) by Wednesday, July 12.

*Submitted by the College of Engineering and Computer Science*

### **Don't miss the summer Dreamer Ally Training**

Staff, faculty, and student employees who work with undocumented students and students with mixed-status families can RSVP now for the summer Dreamer Ally Training. It is scheduled for Tuesday, Aug. 8, from 9 to 11 a.m. in the University Union, Foothill Suite (third floor). The training provides an overview of past and recent federal and state policies that impact undocumented students on a day-to-day basis, the unique conditions experienced by these students, activities to better understand the needs of this population, and tools to become allies and ultimately advocates for undocumented students and students with mixed-status families at Sacramento State.

Seating is limited. RSVP at [summerdreamerallytraining.eventbrite.com](http://summerdreamerallytraining.eventbrite.com).

*Submitted by the Dreamer Resource Center*

### **Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Representative training offered for Fall 2017**

Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Representative (AA/EOR) training sessions for faculty have been scheduled during the Fall 2017 semester for:

- Thursday, Aug. 10, 9-11 a.m. or 1-3 p.m.
- Thursday, Aug. 24, 9-11 a.m. or 1-3 p.m.
- Tuesday, Sept. 12, 9-11 a.m. or 1-3 p.m.
- Monday, Oct. 23, 9-11 a.m. or 1-3 p.m.
- Thursday, Nov. 2, 1-3 p.m. only

All trainings will be held in Library 11. Per the University Appointment, Retention, Tenure, and Promotion (ARTP) policy, training is required at least every three years for each AA/EOR and each department or equivalent unit chair in order to prepare them for their hiring responsibilities. However, all faculty are encouraged to take the training. The AA/EOR will serve to advise search committees on issues of affirmative action and equal employment opportunity, based on training and advice from the Office of Human Resources and the University Counsel. The goals of this training are to raise greater awareness of, and sensitivity to, diversity issues in the hiring process.

To RSVP, please email the Office for Equal Opportunity at [equalopportunity@csus.edu](mailto:equalopportunity@csus.edu) and include your name, department, and the training session for which you are registering.

If you have questions, you may contact the Office for Equal Opportunity at 278-5770 or [equalopportunity@csus.edu](mailto:equalopportunity@csus.edu).

*Submitted by the Office for Equal Opportunity*

### **Volunteers needed for CSU counselor conference**

Admissions and Outreach will host the annual CSU Counselor Conference on Friday, Sept. 29. We are looking for students, faculty, and staff to fill volunteer positions, including setup, cleanup, check-in, parking, and room monitoring. All volunteers must attend a one-hour prep meeting before the event.

All volunteers will receive breakfast, lunch, and a free T-shirt. If you are interested, please fill out the form at [docs.google.com](https://docs.google.com). If you have any questions, please contact Holly Siino at [hollysiino@csus.edu](mailto:hollysiino@csus.edu).

*Submitted by the Center for College and Career Readiness*

### **Student Research Center seeks 2017-18 faculty associate**

The Student Research Center at Sacramento State is hiring one faculty associate for the 2017-18 academic year. The scope of work will focus either on student issues related to research or on faculty issues related to research with students. To apply:

[csus.edu/studentresearchcenter/for-faculty](http://csus.edu/studentresearchcenter/for-faculty).

The center, which was founded last fall with support from Research Affairs and Academic Affairs, exists to broaden opportunities for students and faculty to collaborate on authentic research, scholarship, and creative activities. The center provides support through innovative programming, including workshops and dissemination events. It also serves as an informational hub for student research by coordinating across preexisting programs that support student research.

*Submitted by the Student Research Center*

### **Next MBA information session is July 19**

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. Wednesday, July 19, in Tahoe Hall 1009 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 [surveymonkey.com/r/MBAJuly19](https://surveymonkey.com/r/MBAJuly19). For more details, please visit [csus.edu/cba/graduate/mba](http://csus.edu/cba/graduate/mba). If you have additional questions, please contact MBA Program Services at 278-4501 or [cba-MBAadmissions@csus.edu](mailto:cba-MBAadmissions@csus.edu).

*Submitted by the Master of Business Administration Program*

### **Instructional lab for MBA Program applicants coming in August**

Are you interested in applying for our self-paced MBA program that offers the lowest available tuition and fees in the Sacramento region for an AACSB-International accredited graduate program? If so, join us for our MBA Application Lab from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 3, in Tahoe Hall 1009 and work with the MBA Program Services team to successfully complete your MBA application before our deadline of Friday, Sept. 1. Keep in mind that an undergraduate degree in business is not required for our program. Seating is limited, and you must be registered to attend, so RSVP today at [surveymonkey.com/r/AppLabAug3](https://surveymonkey.com/r/AppLabAug3).

*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 Tuesday, Aug. 1. 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. August camp practice times vary, but most will run from 9 to 11 a.m., with walk-throughs around 5 p.m., Monday through Saturday. During the regular season, 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](mailto:justin.lantz@csus.edu).

*Submitted by Sacramento State Football*

**Faculty professional activities**

The latest faculty professional activities are available at [csus.edu/news/articles/Professional-activities](http://csus.edu/news/articles/Professional-activities).

*Submitted by the Office of Public Affairs and Advocacy*

**Faculty Senate schedule**

The Faculty Senate calendar is available at [csus.edu/acse](http://csus.edu/acse).

*Submitted by the Faculty Senate*