New Facilities Director Appointed
Juan M. Beltranena has been appointed Facilities Director for the University. He will be responsible for the construction and renovation of all academic and academic-related buildings on campus. He has deep experience in design and construction of laboratory and other educational facilities in California, including fifteen years at UC Santa Barbara and, most recently, at UC Merced.

For more information, contact Operations, Planning and Construction, x8462.

Academic Affairs Welcomes New Employee
The Academic Affairs Division would like to welcome Kathy Musashi. Kathy is the new Office Coordinator for the Dean of Faculty. Kathy joins us from St. John’s Seminary College in Camarillo.

For more information, contact Cindy Eaves, events coordinator, x8548.

Fitness Center and Gym Open for Summer
The Fitness Center and Gym will be open for the summer from 3:30–7:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. All faculty and staff are welcome to participate. There is no fee this summer for use. A fee will be instituted in the fall semester. All faculty and staff will be allowed to sponsor up to three individuals to use the Gym/Fitness Center.

For more information, contact Trae Cotton, director of student development, x8998.

Teaching Credential Program No Longer Accepting Applications
The closing date for admission into the teaching credential program was June 10. This was the last area at the University to close its application process; Cal State Channel Islands stopped accepting applications for freshmen on December 3 and accepted its last transfer application on May 1.

For more information, contact Academic Affairs, x8441.

Advising Center Workshops, June 23 – August 11
The Advising Center staff will be holding new student advisement workshops to introduce staff and acquaint students with the advising services offered. The workshops are designed to assist students with degree and major clarification, help with transfer articulation, and provide additional information.

For more information, contact the Advising Center, x8971.
Summer College Course to Begin June 30

Forty students from six Ventura County high schools will be attending the Cal State Channel Islands Summer College starting June 30. Sponsored by the Ventura County School District Migrant Education Program, the five-week learning community includes language skills instruction, career exploration, and a three-unit college course taught by William Adams, associate professor of anthropology.

For more information, contact Gary Berg, director of extended education, x8580.

Island View Freshman and Transfer Student Orientation Dates Scheduled

Island View Freshman Orientation dates have been scheduled for July 8/9, July 17/18, July 28/29, August 8/9, August 13/14, and August 21/22. The two-day orientation for all freshman students will be held from 9 a.m.–6 p.m. the first day and from 9 a.m.–3 p.m. the second day.

Island View Transfer Student Orientation dates have been scheduled for July 15, July 31, August 16, and August 20. Orientations for transfer students will have the following hours: July 15, 5–9 p.m.; July 31, 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; August 16, 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; and August 20, 5–9 p.m.

For more information, contact Toni Rice, coordinator of orientation, x8962.

Campus Construction Report

Construction activities during the second half of June continue in earnest and will have some impact on the campus community. Following is an update:

• Phase 1 of the student housing project started this week. You can expect heavy traffic along Potrero Rd. for the remainder of the summer. Excavation and compaction activities include heavy machinery and earth movers.

• East Campus construction continues at a good clip and will be the source of some minor inconvenience to the local residents. As always, please be careful and do not let children go into the construction area.

• The Science Building is almost complete. The lab fitup continues, and the systems in the building are being tested and balanced. However, the University has not received beneficial occupancy, and thus the building remains closed to the general public. If it is imperative that you visit your lab, please contact David Carlson, associate campus architect, at x8472 to arrange a visit.

• Renovation of the future Administration Building continues. Please be careful when walking in this area, and please stay out of the fenced area to avoid injuries.

• Buildings 17, 18, 32, and the D wing in the Bell Tower Building are also being renovated. Abatement and cleanup work is ongoing in all of these buildings, so please respect the construction barriers for your own safety.

For more information, contact Juan Beltranena, director of facilities, x8496.