

More than 300 attend MVS Center opening



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ASI Announces New Officers for 2009-2010 Academic Year

With the academic year coming to a close, Associated Students Inc. (ASI) held elections last month for officers to serve in the upcoming year. ASI encompasses Student Government, Student Programming Board, the CI View student newspaper and The Nautical Yearbook.

The Student Government President for 2009-2010 school year will be Kevin Schallert, with Lauren Pollack serving as Vice President. In addition, there are nine new Student Government Senators who will be serving: Elizabeth Bingham, Brandon Dowling, Jennifer Mota, Jonathon Neira, Jennifer O'Neal, Pedro Sanchez, Rebecca Torres, Christine Wamba, and Douglas Whitesell.

Student Programming Board also has new officers. Serving as President will be Dana Lockwood, Director of Marketing and Advertising will be Dulce Carolina Lopez and Director of Finance, Elizabeth Quigley.

New ASI Board Members serving One-Year Term are Korri Faria and Eva Klein, while Amanda Van Noy has been elected to a Two-Year Term.

The Editors-in-Chief of The Nautical Yearbook and CI View student newspaper have been selected internally. Tristan Cassell will be heading the CI View, with Elysse Fasnell in charge of The Nautical Yearbook.

For more information contact Christine Thompson, ASI Support Coordinator at ext. 3273 or Christine.M.Thompson@csuci.edu.

Business Students Awarded Scholarships

Six CSU Channel Islands students were awarded scholarships at the sixth annual CPA /Law Society of Ventura County Scholarship Awards luncheon.

CSUCI students who won \$3,000 each were seniors Daniel Richard Pawelczyk, Dustin Erickson, Phuong Le, and Jenna Carlock, and juniors Sharlyn Sanders and Algie Klein Dadacay. All are majoring in Business with various emphases. The CPA/Law Society awarded a total of \$60,000 to twenty students representing CSUCI, University California Santa Barbara, Pepperdine University School of Law and Ventura College of Law. CSUCI students have been awarded scholarships by the CPA/Law Society scholarship program since its inception in 2004.



The CPA/Law Society is an organization of certified public accountants, attorneys, and other professionals who meet monthly to hear speakers on various topics of professional or personal interest.

Approved Administrative Policies

The following administrative policies have been approved by the President following recommendation from the President's Council.

AA.02.002 Policy on IRA Funding (Supersedes AA.02.001)

CM.03.002 Policy on Global Emails

FA.43.002 Policy on Motor Vehicle Use (Supersedes FA.43.001)

OP.01.003 Policy on Acquisition/Acceptance of Artwork, Antiquities and Artifacts

UA.11.001 Policy on University Alumni Groups

Policies may be found on the Administrative Policy Website at <http://policy.csuci.edu/>. Please direct questions regarding specific policies to the individual or area listed in the accountability section of each policy.

In Memoriam

John Spoor Broome – 1918-2009



A poster memorial and reprint of the *Ventura County Star* article of Mr. Broome's passing is available for viewing in the Library lobby.

Performing Arts Program presents “Once in a Lifetime”

Performing Arts students will perform “Once in a Lifetime” at the second-annual spring production in Malibu Hall, Room 140 from 8 – 10:30 p.m. “Once in a Lifetime” is a witty, wonderful, and wise-cracking comedy written by George S. Kaufman and Moss Hart and set when Vaudeville met Hollywood. The production satirizes the foibles of Hollywood as its starlets and moguls face the revolution of talking pictures (not recommended for children under 9 years of age). Come dance to live swing music at intermission. “Once in a Lifetime” is generously sponsored by the Martin V. Smith School of Business & Economics and CSUCI Instructionally Related Activities.

Performance Dates and Times are as follows: (performance is approximately 2 ½ hours in length)

Friday, April 17, 8 p.m.

Saturday, April 18, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Sunday, April 19, 7 p.m.

Thursday, April 23, 8 p.m.

Friday, April 24, 8 p.m.

Saturday, April 25, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$15 for the general public, \$10 for CSUCI faculty and staff, \$5 for non-CSUCI students and free for CSUCI students with ID. Reservations are highly recommended and may be made via Brown Paper Tickets at: <https://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/61424> or by calling 800-838-3006. Parking on campus is \$6; follow signs to permit dispensers and designated parking areas.

For more information contact Catherine Burriss, Assistant Professor of Performing Arts at catherine.burriss@csuci.edu or ext.3126.

Campus hosts ‘Discover CI’ Day

‘Discover CI’ Day, a yearly event designed to assist students in learning more about the University, will be held Saturday, April 18, from 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Students admitted for the fall 2009 semester, their families, as well as students who have applied to the University have been invited to attend.

Activities will include information sessions from student services and faculty representatives on topics such as completing the admission process, academic advising, student housing, financial aid, and academic programs. Campus tours, a University Marketplace (showcasing various student clubs and organizations), campus service departments, and representatives from all of the academic majors will be available. Current students, campus administrators and community service organizations participate as well. More than 2,000 are expected to attend this event.

Parking is complimentary and available on campus; however, participants are encouraged to use the parking available at the Camarillo Metrolink Station. Complimentary transportation to and from the campus will be provided on the CSUCI VISTA bus.

For more information about the event contact the Recruitment office, ext. 8520 or visit <http://www.csuci.edu/discoverci/>.

‘Battle of The Majors’ Week culminates with SPB Picnic

CSU Channel Islands Student Programming Board (SPB) is hosting their annual SPB Picnic on Saturday, April 18, from 3 – 8 p.m. in the North Quad on campus. The event serves as the culmination of the SPB’s “Battle of the Majors” week and features food, fun, family and music. The theme of this year’s picnic is “All 1 Earth.”

This year, John West, described as a barefoot musician from Louisiana, will be opening for the nationally-recognized power-pop band *Cute Is What We Aim For*, who will be headlining a concert scheduled in the evening. Local vendors from the surrounding community will showcase their goods and campus clubs will also be in attendance conducting fundraising, speaking to community members, and sharing information about what they do and their purpose on campus.

During “Battle of the Majors” week, students work together with members of their major to compete against other majors in various contests. Students earn points by participating in numerous activities and the major with the most points at the end of the competition reigns as champion. The victor of this year’s “Battle of Majors” will be announced at the SPB Picnic.

Admission is free for all CSUCI students, staff and faculty as well as children 12 and under. Admission for community members is \$10 and tickets may be purchased online at <https://csuci.ticketleap.com/Picnic> or, if still available on the date of the event, at the door. Parking on campus is \$6; follow signs to permit dispensers and designated parking areas.

For more information contact asi.spb@csuci.edu or Kirsten Moss, Associate Director of Access, Orientation and Transition Programs at ext. 3156.

Lacrosse Club hosts Marymount College

Experience campus history when the CSUCI Lacrosse Club hosts Marymount College in the University’s first intercollegiate athletic competition Sunday, April 19, at 2 p.m. on the Potrero Fields. There will be pregame rally at 12 p.m. at Anacapa Village. Hope to see you there!

For more information, please contact Lisa Racine, Housing & Residential Education at ext. 8961 or Nathan Avery, Campus Recreation at ext. 3266.



Fire in Chaparral Ecosystems Presentation slated

On Tuesday, April 21, the Environmental Science and Resource Management Program and Interdisciplinary Lecture Series at CSUCI will host the presentation “Fire & Chaparral: The Myths, the Reality, and the Balancing Act” in Aliso Hall, Room 150 from 7 – 9 p.m.

Dr. Robert Muller, Director of Research at the Santa Barbara Botanic Garden. Dr. Muller will present a current understanding of fire in chaparral ecosystems. The presentation is free and open to the campus community and public. Parking on campus is \$6.

Day of Silence Demonstration, Reflection planned

The Day of Silence is part of a national movement bringing attention to the silencing of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and queer (LGBTQ) individuals and their allies.

Check in will be from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. in the Broome Library Plaza. Participants will receive speaking cards explaining the reason for the silence, resources on how to inform others of their activism, and an armband to be worn throughout the day.

A Break the Silence Ceremony will take place at 5 p.m. at the Broome Library Plaza reflection pool, at which time campus community members, faculty and students will speak, followed by an open mic where all participants are encouraged to reflect and share about the impact and significance of the event by speaking, singing, reciting poetry or any other form of self-expression.

The Day of Silence demonstration reflects the silence caused by anti-LGBTQ harassment, prejudice, and discrimination. The Gay, Lesbian and Straight Education Network (GLSEN) 2007 National School Climate Survey found that 9 out of 10 LGBT students report verbal, sexual or physical harassment at school and more than 30% report missing at least a day of school in the past month out of fear for their personal safety. The Day of Silence helps bring us closer to making anti-LGBT bullying, harassment and name-calling unacceptable in America's schools. This year, we reflect on the 70 under 30 who have been killed because of perceptions of sexual orientation and gender expression between 1995 and 2008.

For more information, please contact the Multicultural and Women's & Gender Student Center at mwg.center@csuci.edu or call (805) 437-8407.

Leadership Dinner recognizes Community, Scholarship Awardees

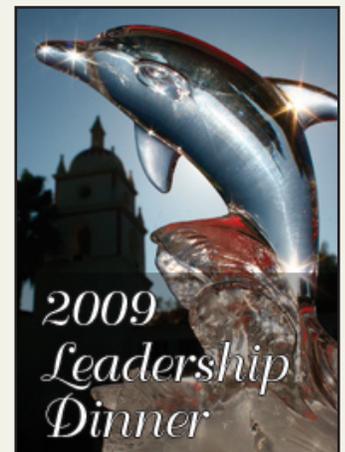
The Business & Technology Partnership (B&TP) 2009 Leadership Dinner, presented by the CSUCI Foundation and Santa Barbara Bank & Trust, will be held on Thursday, April 23 at the Embassy Suites/Mandalay Beach Resort in Oxnard. This event honors three individuals with leadership awards and recognizes five students with scholarships provided by the B&TP.

Harold Edwards, CEO of Limoneira Company, has been named the 2009 Business & Community Leader of the Year. Paul Glenney, Director of the Clean Energy Technology Center of AeroVironment, Inc. is the 2009 Technologist of the Year. And A.J. Bieszczad, Associate Professor of Computer Science, is the 2009 Faculty Leader of the Year.

Five \$3,000 student scholarships will be awarded to Christele Cardenas, math major; Alisha Leal, business major; Kerri Macias, nursing major; Eric Pham, math major; and Jean Remonida, biology major.

CSUCI faculty and staff can attend for \$75.00 per person (regular cost is \$150). Each faculty or staff member is eligible to purchase two tickets at this special rate and payroll deduction can be utilized to make this purchase even easier.

Tickets must be purchased in advance by contacting Dianne Wei, Finance Coordinator, University Advancement at ext. 8420.



CSUCI Exhibitions Gallery features ‘The Non-Objective Object’

The Art Program presents “The Non-Objective Object” beginning Thursday, April 23 and running through May 22 at the *CSUCI Exhibitions Gallery* located at 92 Palm Drive in Old Town Camarillo. Regular gallery hours are 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. There will be an artist’s reception at the gallery from 6 – 8 p.m. on Thursday, April 30. The reception is open to the public.

Non-objective art is art that is not representational, containing no recognizable figures or objects. The term is used to describe a type of abstract art that is concentrated on composing arrangements of lines, shapes, or colors. The exhibition features a group of four accomplished Southern California artists: Bonita Helmer, Ruth Pastine, Jack Reilly and Mick Reinman, all of whom share the commonality of non-representational abstraction in their paintings. Each artist offers a unique approach to similar visual and conceptual themes.

For additional information, contact the CSUCI Art Program at ext. 8570, art@csuci.edu, or visit the Web site <http://art.csuci.edu/gallery>.

“Storytime in the Springtime” continues

The John Spoor Broome Library continues to host “Storytime in the Springtime” Thursdays from 3 – 3:30 p.m. in the Children’s section of the Library. Storytime books will be read by Miss Shriya, a 10-year-old expert reader, who is part of the Broome Library’s kids reading to kids program. These events are free and open to the campus community and public.

An event flyer can be viewed at <http://www.library.csuci.edu/info/storytime.html>

For additional information contact Ellie Tayag, Assistant Professor of University Studies at elnora.tayag@csuci.edu or ext. 3140.

Panel to discuss Abu Grahaib

The campus will host a two-evening event to mark the fifth anniversary of the publication of the photographs from Iraq’s Abu Ghraib prison. An interdisciplinary panel discussion will be held on Thursday, April 23 from 6 – 8 p.m. in the John Spoor Broome Library, Room 1320. The panel will be made up of professors and students discussing torture and the impact of the photographs as seen through the lens of their disciplines, from political science to poetry. Refreshments will be served.

The critically acclaimed documentary “Ghosts of Abu Ghraib” will be shown on Friday, April 24 from 6 – 9 p.m. in Aliso Hall, Room 150. The show will be followed by a discussion and pizza. The events are free and open to the public. Parking on campus is \$6.

For more information contact Sarah Sentilles, University Studies Lecturer at sarah.sentilles@csuci.edu or ext. 2627.

Educators participate in Conference for Social Justice in Education

The School of Education will host the Conference for Social Justice in Education in the John Spoor Broome Library from 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. Saturday, April 25. The event gathers Ventura County and statewide teachers and learners to share, plan, discuss, question, compare, support and change what we do to achieve equity in our schools.

The day begins with registration and refreshments followed by a keynote speech and performances by prominent local educators. After a series of morning and afternoon sessions the day will conclude with a late afternoon performance by local students. All educators and students from all levels, pre-school through college, are encouraged to attend.

The event is free and open to the public as well as complimentary campus parking, but prior registration is recommended. Visit <http://www.education4liberation.com> for information on how to register and/or present at this conference.

For more information contact Eric Toshalis, Assistant Professor of Education at eric.toshalis@csuci.edu or ext. 3304.

Second-Annual Bracero Town Hall Meeting set

The Centers for Community Engagement and Multicultural Engagement, and the Chicana/o Studies and History programs will hold its second community town hall meeting on Tuesday, April 28 from 6 – 8:30 p.m. at Santa Paula High School.

Former Braceros and their families are invited to attend the town hall meeting to learn more about the Bracero Project, share their stories and experiences as well as share objects, including hand tools used during that time, clothing, photographs and documents, such as contracts, identification cards and letters. CSUCI will continue its collection of these important stories, contributing them to both the Smithsonian's collection and the University archives.

Included in this event will be a presentation about the Chicana/o Studies program and the program's involvement in the Bracero oral history project.

For additional information please contact Pilar Pacheco, Assistant Director, Center for Community Engagement at pilar.pacheco@csuci.edu or ext. 8851.

Around Campus



Grad Fest and Career Fair

The Grad Fest and Career Fair held this week on campus provided a one-stop shop for degree candidates to complete necessary applications and arrangements, purchase their cap & gown and other memorabilia, join the CSUCI Alumni & Friends Association, pick up parking passes and gather job information from more than 30 local companies.



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