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NOTE: For positions marked with an asterisk, qualified on-campus applicants currently in Bargaining Units 2, 5, 7, and 9 will be given first consideration.

ASI (University Union 212, ext. 6-1281)

CLOSING DATE: October 24

ASI Chumash Challenge, 1/2 time Temporary office assistant through December 31, $10.43-$13.53/hr.

ASI Children's Center, Temporary as­
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#73127: Department Head/Tenure­

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Charles Reed from Florida named CSU Chancellor

Charles Reed, chancellor of the State University System of Florida, has been named chancellor of The California State University system.

Reed succeeds Barry Munitz, who will leave the CSU to head the J. Paul Getty Trust in January.

Reed will begin his new job March 1 at a salary of $254,000.

As chancellor, Reed's most important responsibility will be to hire a man of his stature. "There could be no greater compliment to the California State University system, or any stronger testament to the extraordinary level of excellence currently in operation, than to have Chief Reed as my successor," Munitz said.

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Len Davidson of the University Center for Teacher Education, Al Landerweh from the English Department, and Bob Thompson of Agribusiness will talk about how they motivate themselves and their students. They will also discuss Great Minds, a teaching method that has worked well for them.
The presentation, in the Staff Dining Room, will be moderated by Don Maas of the UCTE.

Tablets of contents can be delivered electronically

Faculty members can get the tables of contents of their favorite journals delivered to their desktops using the University’s UnCover REVEAL electronic mail alert service.
To do so, a list must be created of journals for which the tables of contents will be sent each time a new issue is available. In addition, searches of the entire UnCover REVEAL database collection of 18,000 titles can run automatically every week.
Using REVEAL with the library’s Electronic Interlibrary Loan program and the Loan Arranger document delivery program, faculty members can instantly access the scholarly journal literature from their desktop.
To set up a REVEAL account, contact Patricia Sullivan at ext. 6-6237 or via e-mail at psulliva@calpoly.edu who will create a personal profile for you, or you can set up your own profile on the Web by calling up http://library. calpoly.edu/reveal.html.
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**Education after graduation focus of Nov. 7 event**

Students are invited to learn about post-baccalaureate education options and talk with representatives from more than 50 graduate and professional schools on Friday, Nov. 7.

The representatives will be on campus from 10 am to 1 pm in Chamah Auditorium as part of the Graduate School Admissions Process, co-sponsored by Career Services and the College of Science and Mathematics Student Council.

Later that day a panel discussion on “Technology and Its Impact on the Graduate School Admissions Process” will be held from 1:30 to 3 pm in San Luis Lounge in the UU.

Among the institutions to be represented are art, law, chiropractic, psychology, pharmacy, veterinary, and optometry schools, as well as colleges of engineering, business, accounting, environmental health sciences, education, international relations, and architecture.

For more information, call Career Services at ext. 6-2501.

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**Report deadline Thursday as of next week**

Next week the deadline to submit copy for the Cal Poly Report will change to Thursdays at 10 am.

The Report is changing to Wednesday distribution beginning Oct. 29.

The last Friday Report will be next week’s.

You can e-mail copy (it's the preferred way) to polynews@polymail, fax it to 6-6533, or mail it to the Communications Office, Heron Hall.

Questions? Call ext. 6-1511.

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**Foundation board to meet Oct. 24**

The Foundation Board of Directors will hold a regular meeting on Friday, Oct. 24, at 9:30 am in the Foundation Administration Building, Conference Room 124. This is a public meeting. For more information or to obtain a copy of the agenda, contact Al Amaral, foundation executive director, at ext. 6-1131. A copy of the agenda packet is available at the Kennedy Library Reserve Desk and the Academic Senate Office, Mathematics and Home Economics 143.

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**Give the university a piece of your mind**

We urge faculty members and staff to express their opinions or provide information about university affairs through the Report's new "Piece of Mind" section.

We hope to improve campus communication on individual issues and help explain universitywide policies and procedures.

Letters received by 10 am Thursday will be published in the next Wednesday's Report. Please keep them brief and submit them typed and double-spaced. Include your name, department and a phone number. Letters may be mailed to the Communications Office, Heron Hall; faxed to ext. 6-6533; or e-mailed to polynews@polymail.

We might need to edit letters for clarity and brevity.

— The editors
Course topics. This year's program goal is to launch five such courses. It is anticipated that minigrants will range from $1,000 to $1,500, depending on the complexity involved. Interested faculty members are encouraged to contact Sam Lutrin at ext. 6-5839.

**Cal Poly Choirs to perform Nov. 2**
PolyPhonics, one of the Music Department's premier performing ensembles, and the new Cal Poly Vocal Jazz Ensemble will present their fall concert at 3 pm Sunday, Nov. 2, in the Pavilion of the Performing Arts Center's Cohan Center. PolyPhonics, a 34-member mixed choir that has performed throughout the state, will perform works by Laszlo Halmos, Andre Thomas, Telemann and Manuel de Sumaya.

Cal Poly music professors and pianists William T. Spiller and Susan Azaret Davies will perform portions of the "Liebeslieder Waltzes" by Johannes Brahms. Under the direction of music professor Thomas Davies, the program will include solos by the university's top vocal students. Tickets cost $6.50 and $8.50 and can be bought at the Performing Arts Ticket Office from 10 am to 6 pm weekdays and from 10 am to 4 pm Saturdays. To order by phone, dial 6-ARTS (6-2787). The concert is sponsored by the Music Department and College of Liberal Arts. For more information, call the Music Department at 6-2607.

**Latin Day of Dead to be celebrated Nov. 1**
Music and dancing will highlight Cal Poly's celebration of Dia de los Muertos — the Day of the Dead — on Saturday, Nov. 1. Festivities will begin with an artist's reception for an exhibit and sale of pottery, sculpture and paintings. The reception will be from 4 to 6 pm in the Multi-Cultural Center in the University Union and will include music from the Vera Cruz area of Mexico and hors d'oeuvres from a local Mexican restaurant. Entertainment by the Folklorico Dancers, an African drum and dance team, and two bands playing traditional Mexican and modern Latino rock will run from 6:30 pm to midnight in the Recreation Center. For more information, call Everardo Martinez-Inzunza at ext. 6-5113.

**Service-learning minigrants available**
The Study-Service Connections program has faculty minigrants available for curriculum development that results in the addition of community-based service-learning components to general education and breadth courses. The program also provides:

- Funds for each participating faculty member to hire a student assistant for 10 hours a week.
- Help from the Community Service and Learning Center in locating or designing service options that relate to course content.
- Training from experts in the field.
- Assessment of the efficacy of the experience.
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Kwolton said her paintings involve "layering cultural symbols ... from different periods of Western history." One purpose is to investigate "the way symbols are currently used by consumer media to manipulate and change the viewer's perception."

Bortolazzo's striking metal sculptures evoke a sense of strength and grace. An artist-in-residence in the UV Gallery on Saturday, Nov. 1, from 4 to 6 pm.

The Galerie is open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10 am to 4 pm; Wednesday from 10 am to 7 pm; and Saturday and Sunday from noon to 4 pm.

For more information, call Galerie curator Jeanne LaBarbera at ext. 6-1182.

Campus community invited to review NCAAA self-study

A panel of the NCAAA Certification Steering Committee invites the campus to review Cal Poly's completed 1997 NCAAA Self-Study Report. Copies of the report are in the ASI, Academic Senate, Library, and Academic Programs Office.

The report was sent to the NCAAA on Sept. 26.

The NCAAA peer review team will visit campus Monday through Thursday, Dec. 1-4. Questions can be directed to co-chairs Phil Bailey at ext. 6-2226 or Vicki Stover at 6-2171.

Livestock Judging Team earns top honors

Cal Poly's Livestock Judging Team earned first place to five judging categories and swept all three top individual honors at the recent Los Angeles County Fair in Pomona.

The team took first in the beef, sheep, swine, and horse categories.

Kevin McKinzie, an animal science senior, was first among individual winners. Tricia Stever, an agricultural science senior, took second, and Clemente Ayon, a crop science senior, third.

Other individual winners were Melissa Hoeger, agricultural business senior; fifth; Lisa Rector, agricultural science senior; seventh; Michael Lau, agricultural science senior; eighth; Arienne Driver, agricultural science junior, tenth; and Tiffany Carter, agricultural business senior, fourteenth.

Correction

Kristy Pena of the Bioresource and Agricultural Engineering Department won an award for outstanding work from Rain for Rent in Bakersfield. In last year's Cal Poly Report, we mistakenly reported that Prisila Johnson of Food Science and Nutrition received the award.

We regret the error.

New Web page has info on CSU computer plan

A new page on Cal Poly's World Wide Web site has been set up to give the latest information on the CSU's joint project with GTE, Fujitsu, Hughes Communication and Technology to build a systemwide information technology infrastructure.

You can get to the page from the campus home page by clicking on "CSU Systemwide Internal Partnership (SIP)" on "What's New?" The direct address is www.calpoly.edu/~siteap.

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CLOSING DATE: January 15

#3619: Tenure-Track Position, Biological Sciences Departments (805/756-2788). Assistant professor-position professor in vertebrate systematics, starting September 1999. Applicants should be experienced field biologists who are well-versed in clastic and molecular systematics. Duties include student advising and directing students in undergraduate and graduate (M.S. level) research. Applicant must have a Ph.D. at time of hiring. Strong commitment to teaching is essential. For application send letter of interest and curriculum vitae to V.L. Holland, chair.

CLOSING DATE: December 1

#3622: Assistant/Associate Professor, Computer Science Department (805/756-2824). Opening(s) anticipated beginning fall 1999. Part-time and/or full-time. Division and master’s level courses in a specialty area; participate in ongoing curriculum development; perform research in main stream area of computer science; and perform service to the department, university, and community. Candidates must have a Ph.D. in computer science. Ph.D. in computer science or computer engineering is required. For application contact the Recruitment Committee, Computer Science Department (phone 805/756-2824, e-mail recruit@cs.calpoly.edu) Further information available at http://www.cs.calpoly.edu.

CLOSING DATE: December 1

#3664: Assistant Professor, Physical Education and Kinesiology (805/756-2788). Full-time position starting September 1998 (salary $34,150 to $43,584) with an emphasis in physical education and pedagogy disciplines; supervise student teachers, field placements, and undergraduate research. Also requires teaching in one or more major activity area(s). Ph.D. in P.E. or related field. Successful performance in physical education teaching expected required. Demonstrated teaching excellence in higher education and grades 7-12 is desirable. Also required experience working with diverse student populations. For application send letter of interest and curriculum vitae to V.L. Holland, chair. (Continued on page 3)

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Astridplane’s ‘Birds’ by Stage Nov. 4

Wild, wacky and just a touch irreverent is how the Aquila Theatre Company’s adaptation of Aristophanes’ classic comedy, “The Birds,” has been described.

This updated version of the 2,500-year-old satirical piece will be performed by one of London’s foremost producers of touring classic theater at 8 pm Thursday, Nov. 4, in the Performing Arts Center’s Coban Center.

Consultants picked for housing project

Cal Poly has chosen a San Francisco consulting firm to help decide where and how to build more student housing and how to finance it.

Gordon H. Chang & Partners will gather information and comments this fall on the proposal to build a new housing complex for possibly 610 more students. The consultants are to complete their detailed site, market and financial analyses by the end of the year.

“All options will be open for consideration,” said campus Housing and Residential Life Director Preston Allen. “The goal is to finance it. (Continued on page 3)