

# CAL POLY

## REPORT

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### Council recognizes Cal Poly support

A surge of alumni contributions helped lift private support of U.S. colleges and universities to a record \$8.5 billion in 1986-87. Alumni giving rose by 28.5% and accounted for half the estimated \$1.1 billion increase in total support, the largest year-to-year gain ever recorded by the Council for Aid to Education.

The alumni and non-alumni donor groups each gave more than \$2 billion for the first time, according to CFAE estimates. Meanwhile, foundation support rose 11% to \$1.5 billion, and business corporations boosted their grants to higher education by 7% to \$1.8 billion, even though corporate charitable contributions generally have been slowing down over the past two years.

(Cal Poly was recognized as the No. 2 comprehensive public institution in the country with nearly \$12 million raised in voluntary and corporate support for 1986-87.)

### Academic Senate endorses Prop. 71

The Academic Senate has endorsed Proposition 71, one of two June 7 ballot initiatives which could have a major impact on the state's educational funding.

Prop. 71 would potentially allow higher funding levels for all state services assuming increased revenue. Prop. 72 would lead to shifts of expenditures from the General Fund to transportation programs initially at the expense of other programs.

The net effect of Prop. 71 would be to return to a budget environment where revenue is the primary

determinate of funding levels, not an external ceiling. The principal feature of Prop. 72 includes provisions which would gradually earmark over a three-year period, revenue generated from the state sales tax on gasoline, currently used for General Fund purposes, for public streets and highways. In the short run there would be an immediate loss to the General Fund, which could grow to more than \$700 million by 1991-92.

The Cal Poly library has accumulated material on both propositions. Interested faculty and staff are urged to read the material held in the Reserve Room.

### Retirement reception

President Baker, the school deans, and administrative staff will host a campuswide retirement reception to honor employees who have announced their intention to retire. The reception will be held on Wednesday, June 1 from 3 to 5 pm in Chumash Auditorium.

### Warten scholarship

A memorial scholarship fund has been established in honor of Dr. Ralph M. Warten, professor of Mathematics, who was killed in an automobile accident last month.

A member of the Mathematics Department since 1968, he was scheduled to retire at the end of Spring Quarter. He won a distinguished Teacher Award in 1976-77.

Donations may be sent to University Relations, Adm. 411. Checks should be made out to the Cal Poly Foundation with a notation that the gift is for the Ralph M. Warten Memorial Scholarship Fund.



### Job search service available to students

A new job search service will be available to Cal Poly students and alumni on Monday, May 23. Coordinated by the Placement Center, Springboard Job Fair is scheduled late in the year to meet the last minute requisitions of employers and students.

Employers who have career, summer, or co-op positions available will be in Chumash Auditorium from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Interested students and alumni are invited to attend. During the open forum, employers will schedule individual interviews for the afternoon.

Between 20 and 40 employers are expected to participate, representing engineering, retail, pharmaceutical, public service, architecture, insurance, child care, and restaurant management industries. Positions are also anticipated in agriculture, horticulture, and marketing.

On May 16 the Placement Center will make available a Springboard Job Fair Bulletin, listing the employers and positions represented at the job fair as of that date. Since employers will be able to schedule up to the day of the job fair, there will be unpublicized opportunities as well.

Faculty and staff are invited to refer any employers with job openings to the Placement Center for participation. Posters and information are available from Shel Burrell, Placement, ext. 2501. Presentations to classes and organizations concerning the job fair can also be scheduled through the Placement Center.



## **'Mind and Memory' to be lecture topic**

Dr. Edward S. Casey, trained in philosophy of mind, philosophical psychology, and phenomenology, will discuss "Mind and Memory" on Friday, May 13. The State University of New York, Stony Brook, philosophy professor will speak at 11 am in UU 220.

Casey will give a phenomenological analysis of mind and memory in relation to such vital concepts as time, space, place, imagination, and emotion.

A world-famous scholar in the field of phenomenology, Casey earned an undergraduate degree at Yale University, and two advanced degrees from Northwestern University.

Casey previously taught at UC Santa Barbara, Yale, and Rutgers University.

The lecture is sponsored by the Philosophy, Art and Design, and Psychology and Human Development Departments.

## **Spring concert set by Symphonic Band**

David Shostac, principal flutist of the Los Angeles Chamber Orchestra, will be the guest artist for the annual spring concert of the Cal Poly Symphonic Band.

The program is scheduled for Saturday, May 14, at 8 pm in Chumash Auditorium and will also feature the Cal Poly Sax Quartet and the Percussion Ensemble.

Shostac has been an artist/faculty member at the Aspen (Colo.) Music Festival since 1982, and he has appeared as soloist at the Hollywood Bowl, Casals Festival of Puerto Rico, and New York's Lincoln Center.

A member of the Cal State Northridge faculty, Shostac has performed in recital with Roberta Peters, Dame Joan Sutherland, and Victoria de los Angeles.

The concert, under the baton of William Johnson of the Music faculty, will feature works by Beethoven, Alfred Reed, Richard Wagner, Percy Grainger, William H. Hill, and John Philip Sousa.

General admission tickets are \$6 for adults and \$3 for students and golden agers. They can be purchased at the UU Ticket Office, at Boo Boo Records locations in San Luis Obispo, and from members of the band.

Tickets can also be reserved by calling ext. 5792 or ext. 2607 on weekdays. They can be picked up immediately prior to the performance at the UU Ticket Office.

## **Claremont University president to speak**

Dr. John Maguire, president of the Claremont University Center and Graduate School, will discuss "Instituting Change in the University" on Thursday, May 19.

The talk, at 11 am in Fisher Science 286, is sponsored by the School of Professional Studies and Education, the Teacher Education Institute, and Phi Delta Kappa, a professional fraternity in education.

Maguire, who has been head of Claremont since 1981, is the final speaker in the Innovative Teacher Education Lecture Series.

A native of Alabama, Maguire earned an undergraduate degree in philosophy from Washington and Lee University (Va.), and two advanced degrees from Yale University.

He was a Fulbright Scholar at Edinburgh University in Scotland. He also studied at the University of Tübingen in Germany; Silliman University in the Philippines; and UC Berkeley.

In 1978 the American Council on Education and Change Magazine selected Maguire as one of the "100 Emerging Leaders of American Higher Education."

## **Foreign Languages professor to speak**

Dr. Alberto Urista, a member of the Foreign Languages Department, will speak this month in the 1987-88 Arts and Humanities Series.

Known on campus as Alurista, he will discuss "The Constitution of Freedom in Chicano Poetry: Icon and Curse" on Thursday, May 19, at 11 am in UU 220. Sponsored by the School of Liberal Arts, the theme for this year's series is "Freedom and the Constitution."

Alurista earned an undergraduate degree in philosophy, and two advanced degrees in Spanish literature from the University of California at San Diego.

A former member of the Romance Languages Department at Colorado College, he has also taught at San Diego State, University of Texas at Austin, and Southwestern Junior College.

The Mexico City native has had a number of poems published in collections, journals, magazines, newspapers, and poetry anthologies. He is also a writer of short stories, essays, literary criticism, and books for children.

A former Ford Foundation Fellow, Alurista earned a California Arts Council Fellowship for Creative Writing, and he was invited to the third International One World Poetry Festival in Amsterdam, Holland, in 1980.

## **Cultural fest planned for Theatre lawn**

Fun, food, and music with a global theme will set the mood at the first Cal Poly Cultural Festival on Saturday, May 14.

The event will take place from 1 to 5 pm on the lawn adjacent to the Theatre.

Sponsored by the Multi-Cultural Center and Students for Social Responsibility, the mini-fair is an opportunity to meet the various cultural clubs of the university.



## Lecture by director Martin Benson set

In conjunction with the Cal Poly presentations of "Dog Logic," Martin Benson, co-artistic director of the South Coast Repertory Theatre in Costa Mesa will be the special guest of the Theatre and Dance Dept. on Friday, May 13.

While at Cal Poly, Benson will visit the directing class taught by Michael Malkin, who is directing the production of "Dog Logic." Those interested in hearing Benson should call Malkin, ext. 2030, for further information.

## Conference scheduled

The fourth annual Student Academic Services Counselors' Conference will be held on May 20 in Chumash Auditorium. The purpose of the conference is to update counselors on the latest admissions information regarding underrepresented students.

This year the conference will be held in conjunction with Relations with Schools Transfer Day, and the theme will be "Today for Tomorrow."

Faculty and staff are invited to attend the coffee/open house from 8-8:30 am and the alumni/student panel discussion from 10:35 to 11:35 am.

## Two comedians plan performance May 16

Comedians David Naster and Taylor Mason are set to appear for the "Comedy Commandos" show on Monday, May 16, at 8 pm in Chumash Auditorium.

Naster says his comedy career began when he got his grade school classmates to laugh by stuffing half an orange in his mouth.

Years later he became a regular at The Comedy Store in Los Angeles and has headlined at some of the major clubs in the

United States including The Improvisation in Los Angeles and Caroline's in New York City.

Mason, an accomplished ventriloquist, joined the Second City Theatre in Chicago as musical director. He began writing comedy material for the company, then turned to working on his own stand-up comedy material and became a regular at Zanies Comedy Club.

Tickets for the show are \$2 for students and \$3 for the public. They are available at the UU Ticket Office and in San Luis Obispo at Boo Boo Records.

The presentation is sponsored by the Special Events Committee of the ASI.

## 'Galerie T'n'T' will mix art and music

Take a few minutes out of your hectic day to unwind and treat yourself to the finer things in life, fill your senses with art, music and good company! The UU Galerie is making this possible with "Galerie T'n'T" — an informal setting of art, light refreshments, pleasant conversation and live music for all to enjoy.

The first "Galerie Tea and Talks" is scheduled for 4 pm (tea time!) Thursday, May 19. Each T'n'T will feature a selection of art work, as well as guitar, mandolin, or piano music.

Galerie Director Jeanne LaBarbera said Galerie T'n'T is perfect if you're looking for a distinctive place to meet friends, relax, or just do something nice for yourself.

"Get the instant lift that only art can give!" recommends LaBarbera. "Everyone is invited," she adds, "And best of all, it's free!"

Regular Galerie hours are Monday through Wednesday, 10 am to 5 pm; Thursday, 10 am to 8 pm; Friday, 10 am to 4 pm; and weekends noon to 4 pm. For more information call LaBarbera at ext. 1182.

## German students need housing

Housing accommodations are needed for eight West German students who will be visiting Cal Poly for about six weeks this summer.

Currently, eight Cal Poly Architecture students are studying in Stuttgart, West Germany, and they are provided housing at no cost by West German hosts.

Hosts are not expected to provide food or entertainment for the visitors. The German students will be in San Luis Obispo from about June 19 through August 1.

Both groups of students are collaborating on an architectural project that might become a model for future faculty and student exchanges between Cal Poly and the University of Stuttgart.

If you are able to offer accommodations to one or more students, contact Kim McGrew, ext. 1316.

## Committee meeting

The Nominating Committee of the Cal Poly Foundation board of directors will meet this afternoon (May 12) to propose a slate of officers and a new director for the full board to vote on at its meeting of Friday, May 20. The committee will meet at 3:15 pm in the Foundation Administrative Conference Room.

## Ag retiree reception

The School of Agriculture will host a reception for faculty who have or will be retiring this year. The reception, on Tuesday, May 24, will be held in the Staff Dining Room from 3-5 pm. Those being honored include: Dick Birkett, Wes Conner, Frank Fox, Bob Hooks, Dick Johnson, Bill Michaud, Dean Piper, and John West. Cal Poly faculty and staff are invited to stop by and say goodbye to old friends.



### Dateline

#### THURSDAY, MAY 12

**Play:** "Dog Logic." Continues Friday and Saturday, May 13-14. Theatre, 8 pm.

#### FRIDAY, MAY 13

**Speaker:** Edward S. Casey (State University of New York, Stony Brook) will discuss "Mind and Memory." UU 220, 11 am.

#### SATURDAY, MAY 14

**Cultural Festival:** Lawn adjacent to Theatre, 1-5 pm.

**Concert:** Spring Band Concert, Chumash, 8 pm. (\$)

#### MONDAY, MAY 16

**Comedy Show:** "Comedy Commandos" presents David Naster and Taylor Mason. Chumash, 8 pm. (\$)

#### TUESDAY, MAY 17

**Cultural Views:** Kris Morey (Food Science and Nutrition) will discuss "Foods of India." UU 217D, 11 am.

#### WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

**Books a la Cart:** Library, 10 am-3 pm.

**Books at High Noon:** Marjorie Snow (Academic Senate) will review "A Mind of Her Own: The Life of Karen Horney" by Susan Quinn. Staff Dining Room, noon.

**Film:** "Lady and The Tramp," Chumash, 7 pm. Second showing follows. (\$)

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#### FRIDAY, MAY 20

**Film:** "The Mission," Chumash, 7 pm. Second showing follows. (\$)

#### SATURDAY, MAY 21

**Concert:** Liz Story (pianist) will perform in the Theatre. 8 and 10 pm. (\$)

### Position Vacancies

Vacant staff positions at Cal Poly and the Cal Poly Foundation are announced in this column and are posted outside the respective offices. Contact those offices (State: Adm. 110, 805-756-2236) — Foundation:

mobile unit near the Fire Department (805-756-1121) for applications and additional position details. Both Cal Poly and the Foundation are subject to all laws governing affirmative action and equal employment opportunity. Cal Poly hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. All eligible and interested persons are encouraged to apply. Applications must be received by 5 pm or postmarked by the closing date.

#### State

#### CLOSING DATE: 5-25-88

**Building (Carpet) Maintenance Worker**, \$1981-\$2167/month; temp. 6/13/88-12/30/88; hours 7:30 am-4 pm M-F, but may vary due to special circumstances, Housing & Conference Services.

**Clerical Assistant II-A**, \$1385-\$1634/month, Plant Operations.

**Clerical Assistant II-D**, \$609-\$718.50/month, half-time/10-12 Pay Schedule, leave replacement 6/16/88-6/15/89 with possibility of being permanent, Ornamental Horticulture.

**Staff System Software Specialist**, \$3299-\$3982/month, Administrative Systems.

#### CLOSING DATE EXTENDED: 6-22-88

**Slide Curator I-C**, \$1578-\$1888, Art and Design.

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Candidates for positions on the faculty of the university are presently being sought, according to Jan Pieper, director of personnel and employee relations. Those interested in learning more about the positions are invited to contact the appropriate dean or department head. Salaries for faculty commensurate with qualifications and experience (and time base where applicable), unless otherwise stated. This university is subject to all laws governing Affirmative Action and equal employment opportunity including but not limited to Executive Order 11246 and Title IX of the Education Amendments Act and the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Cal Poly hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. All eligible and interested persons are encouraged to apply.

#### CLOSING DATE: 5-26-88

**Lecturers (part-time)**, Ornamental Horticulture is seeking to compile a

list of individuals who wish to be considered for part-time lecturer positions for 1988-89. Quarterly assignments will be made from this list. Possible positions in landscape design, contracting, or management; and other undergraduate courses in O.H. Master's degree in appropriate discipline required; Ph.D. in appropriate discipline preferred.

#### CLOSING DATE: 6-10-88

**Lecturers (part-time)**, Social Sciences. Possible assignments for either Fall, Winter, and/or Spring Quarters 1988-89. Department is establishing a pool of applicants for possible positions in anthropology, geography and sociology. Ph.D. preferred; M.A. considered. Apply to Dr. Warren DeLey, Head, Social Sciences Dept., Part-time Pool.

#### CLOSING DATE: 6-18-88 or until position is filled

**Lecturer (full-time)** in finance, business administration, 1988-89 academic year. Corporate finance plus one other area of teaching. Access to CRSP and Compustat tapes. Teaching at undergraduate and MBA levels. Ph.D. or A.B.D. nearing completion required. Candidates for this positions may also apply for tenure-track position effective Fall 1989.

#### CLOSING DATE: 6-24-88

**Lecturer (full-time)**, Ornamental Horticulture, 1988-89 academic year. Duties may include teaching park planning and management, landscape design, plant materials, and other undergraduate courses in O.H. Master's degree required; Ph.D. preferred, in ornamental horticulture or closely-related field with emphasis in landscape design, landscape management plus professional experience in the landscape industry and teaching experience.

### CPR schedule

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