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Engineering Students Conduct Outreach to Support STEM Education

As part of National Engineers Week, Cal Poly's Society of Women Engineers will visit 15 local fourth-grade classrooms to help ignite an early interest in science, technology, math, and all things related to engineering. The goal is to spark an interest in engineering at an early age through hands-on activities and fun demonstrations. Visit the Cal Poly News website for information about the [classroom visits](#) or more on [National Engineers Week events](#).

Campus Conversations Series Events to be Held in February

The campus community is invited to attend upcoming events in the Campus Conversations Series.

- Office of Student Affairs: "Assisting Students in Distress," from 2 to 3:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, in the Baker Center (Building 180), Room 107.
- Office of Academic Affairs: "Academic Affairs Updates and Q & A," from 3 to 4 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, in Science (Building 52), Room E27.

The full schedule of Campus Conversations can be [found here](#).

Faculty & Staff

Diversity and Inclusivity Faculty Mentors Announced

The Office of the Provost and the Office of University Diversity & Inclusivity have announced three Diversity and Inclusivity Faculty Mentors: Robert Flores (College of Agriculture, Food & Environmental Sciences), Camille O'Bryant (College of Science & Mathematics), and Jennifer Teramoto-Pedrotti (College of Liberal Arts). In their roles as mentors, they will provide support, leadership and guidance to Cal Poly students from diverse racial and ethnic backgrounds. To learn more about the new endeavor, email diversity@calpoly.edu.

Cal Poly Cat Program Hosting Pet Adoption Feb. 14-16



The Cal Poly Cat Program will host an adoption event from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday, Feb. 14, through Sunday, Feb. 16, as part of National Adoption Weekend. The event will be held at PetSmart at 1530 Froom Ranch Way, off Los Osos Valley Road. For more information, contact Edie Griffin-Shaw at ext. 6-5220.

Diverse Faculty and Staff Recruitment Resources Now Available

Faculty and staff conducting employee recruitments are encouraged to direct all candidates to the faculty and staff section of the Office of University

Diversity & Inclusivity (OUD&I) website. Candidates will find links to the diverse Faculty Staff Associations and a list of diverse faculty and staff who have offered to answer questions candidates might have about working and living on

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the Central Coast. For more information, visit the [OUD&I website](#).

LGBTQIA Faculty/Staff Association to Launch Luncheon Series on Feb. 19

The LGBTQIA (Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Queer/Questioning Intersex Ally) Faculty/Staff Association is kicking off an informal luncheon series for faculty and staff. The first event will be held from noon to 1 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 19, in UU 216. Adam Serafin, Pride Center assistant coordinator, and Erin Echols, Cross Cultural Centers assistant director, will speak about how queer-identified students and students with multiple-identities are being served and how faculty and staff can support them. The presentation will be followed by unstructured time for introductions and visiting. Visit the Dean of Students Office [website](#) for information about becoming a member or to be added to the group's email list. For more information about the event, email LGBTFSA@calpoly.edu.

Retired Faculty & Staff Luncheon Set for Feb. 19

A luncheon and program for Cal Poly Retired Faculty & Staff Club members, prospective members and guests will be held at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 19, in the Rossi Grand Lobby of the Performing Arts Center. The program will feature Doug Cerf, interim dean, and Jonathan York, associate professor of entrepreneurship, both from the Orfalea College of Business. Cerf and York will be joined by Cal Poly students for an update on the Orfalea College of Business and the Center for Innovation & Entrepreneurship. Reservations are required. RSVP by Feb. 12 to Gail Simmons at 805-462-9148 or gsimmons@calpoly.edu. For additional information on this program or past and upcoming programs and activities, visit the [Retired Faculty & Staff Club website](#).

Feb. 25 Instructional Innovation Showcase to Focus on Inclusivity

Cal Poly faculty will share innovative teaching practices that promote diversity and inclusivity at the Center for Teaching, Learning & Technology's Instructional Innovations Showcase from 4 to 6 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25, in the Advanced Technology Lab (Building 7). The program will feature Jody Lisberger, the Susan Currier Visiting Professor in Women's & Gender Studies, "Bringing In/Bringing Out Diversity in the Classroom;" Lizabeth Schlemer, professor of industrial and manufacturing engineering, "Mastery Grading: Respecting Students' Values Through Autonomy;" and Camille O'Bryant, professor of kinesiology, "Personal Awareness Activity to Help Break The Ice." A discussion will follow. Wine and cheese will be served.

Statisticians and Pharmacometricians Conference to be Held Feb. 25-27

The Cal Poly Statistics Department and the UC San Francisco Department of Bioengineering and Therapeutic Sciences are hosting the fourth annual Pacific Coast Statisticians and Pharmacometricians Innovation Conference to be held Tuesday, Feb. 25, through Thursday, Feb. 27, in the Performing Arts Center Lobby and Pavilion. Faculty and students interested in the development and evaluation of pharmacological therapies and medical research are welcome to attend any or all program sessions. Registration fees are waived for students and faculty, so feel free to drop in to any session and encourage students to attend. There will also be opportunities between sessions for faculty and students to meet industry professionals from Amgen, Genentech, Novartis, Pfizer, Amylin and others. For more information, visit the [event website](#).

Campus Climate Survey to go Live Feb. 26

Current faculty, staff and students are asked to take the Campus Climate survey beginning Feb. 26. The kick-off event will be held from noon to 1 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 26, in the UU Plaza. The confidential survey will provide a comprehensive look at the attitudes, behaviors and standards that shape the Cal Poly experience. The goal is to better understand how the campus community handles issues of diversity and inclusivity, to foster an environment in which everyone can be successful. The Campus Climate Working Group, composed of faculty, staff and students from across



campus, worked with Rankin and Associates to create the survey specifically for Cal Poly. To learn more about the survey, visit the [Campus Climate Survey Web page](#).

Professional Development Session Supporting First Generation Students to be Held Feb. 28



Faculty and staff are invited to attend a First Generation Professional Development Conversation from 3 to 5 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, in the Advanced Technology Lab (ATL), (Building . The event is hosted by the Orfalea College of Business in collaboration with the Office of University Diversity & Inclusivity; the Center for Teaching, Learning & Technology; University Advising; Student Academic Services; University Housing; and the University Writing & Rhetoric Center. The event includes a discussion designed to foster practices that support Cal Poly's first generation students,

cultivate further professional development activities, and offer an opportunity for fellowship between faculty and staff committed to this student population. The event will conclude with a wine and cheese reception. To register, [click here](#). For more information, contact Emily Sager at ext. 6-2601 or esager@calpoly.edu.

Career Services Hosts Industry ‘Meet-ups’ Every Tuesday in February

Career Services will host “meet-ups” where students can hear from professionals about opportunities in niche industries. The events will be held from 11 a.m. to noon each Tuesday in February in Student Services (Building 124), Room 117. Lunch will be provided. Faculty and staff are encouraged to share the opportunity with students. Topics include “Careers in Public Service” on Feb. 18 and “Careers in Big Data” on Feb. 25. Reservations are required through MustangJOBS via the Cal Poly portal. For more information and a list of featured industry guests, go to the [Career Services website](#).

PowerSave Campus to Promote Conservation Efforts

PowerSave Campus is hosting the seventh annual Hall Energy Competition in student dorms through the end of February. The “Red Brick” halls will compete against each other to see which dorm can most successfully reduce energy and water usage. The campus community is also invited to reduce energy and water usage in various ways, including taking shorter showers and by unplugging electronic devices and turning off lights when not in use. The group is asking faculty and staff to encourage students and co-workers to support the effort by announcing the competition, sharing energy and water saving tips, or having a class discussion about ways to reduce environmental impact. For more information about conservation on campus, go to the [Administration & Finance website](#). For more information about the student competition, visit the [PowerSave Campus dashboard](#).

Application for Student Aid Deadline is March 2

The Financial Aid office asks faculty and staff to remind students that the Free

Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) deadline is Sunday, March 2. To apply for federal or state aid or Cal Poly Scholarships, students must complete the FAFSA every year. For more information, call ext. 6-2927.

Applications Available for 2015 Cal Poly-Led Programs

The International Center invites faculty from all colleges to apply to teach on a Cal Poly-Led Study Abroad Program. There are openings for winter, summer and fall programs in 2015, including: London - summer and fall quarters; Peru - summer quarter; Spain - summer and fall quarters; and Thailand - summer quarter. The center is looking for faculty with strong teaching records who can offer general education, major and/or specialty courses appropriate to a specific program. For more information, applications and deadlines, visit the [International Center's website](#) or contact Jennifer O'Brien at ext. 6-7321 or jeobrien@calpoly.edu.

Open Labs on Online Tool to Submit Proposals for the 2015-17 Catalog

The Office of the Registrar is hosting open labs for using the new online Curriculum Management tool to submit proposals for the 2015-17 catalog. The labs will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. every Friday through Feb. 21, as well as March 7, in the Kennedy Library Learning Commons' computer lab, (Building 35, Room 217). For those unable to attend a session, alternative arrangements can be made by emailing catalog@calpoly.edu. User guides are available on the [Curriculum Handbook](#) website.

PolyData Dashboards Upgrade Scheduled for March

The PolyData Dashboards environment will be upgraded to the latest version of Oracle Business Intelligence Enterprise Edition 11g in March. The upgrade includes enhancements to navigation, pivot tables, search functionality, column sorts and many new features. All dashboards and user-saved selections will be upgraded and will continue to operate as in the previous version. Dashboards should remain available during the upgrade. For training materials and more information on PolyData Dashboards, visit the [PolyData](#) website, contact the ITS Service Desk at ext. 6-7000, or email polydata@calpoly.edu.

Scholarship for Children Attending Cal Poly

This year, Cal Poly software vendor iModules will award 13 scholarships for \$1,500 to students enrolled in secondary or higher education institutions that are clients of iModules. If your child attends Cal Poly or another iModules client, they may be eligible. The application deadline is April 1. For more information, visit the [scholarship website](#).

Workshops Offered in Hybrid and Online Teaching and Learning

The Center for Teaching, Learning & Technology (CTLT) is offering a series of online workshops in February that cover topics related to hybrid and online teaching and learning. The workshops meet online for a two-week period, during which faculty will explore relevant topics; interact in an engaging, collaborative environment; and grow in knowledge and skills in the online course environment. For more information, see the [CTLT website](#).

Online Training Library Now Available for Faculty and Staff

Information Services is providing state employees access to the tutorial resources at lynda.com. The training modules are created and presented by real-world professionals and cover a wide range of topics, including software, creative and business skills. This on-demand, self-paced learning service is free and available at work or home. For convenient one-click access to lynda.com, go to the portal and click "Customize" in the upper-right corner. In the search box, type "Training." Click on "Training Resources" to login. You can also add a tab to your portal for easy access. For help adding the tab to your portal, contact the Service Desk at ext. 6-7000.

Campus Announcements

PolyPlanner: New Software Makes Course Demand Information Available to Colleges

PolyPlanner is a new course planning tool designed for undergraduate students. It will help students map out the courses they need to graduate by interfacing with their Degree Progress Report (DPR), pre-populating it with courses already taken, and listing the courses they need to complete for their major. Students will be able to drag and drop courses into the future terms they plan to take them. In addition, PolyPlanner will provide colleges with course demand information for future terms so the courses offered can be better aligned with those that students plan to take. PolyPlanner was released to undergraduates in early February and is required for all undergraduates. For more information on PolyPlanner, go to the [Registrar's Web page](#).

Career Services to Host Careers in Transportation Event Feb. 13

Career Services will host professionals from the fields of alternative transportation, transportation planning and logistics to discuss their career paths, how the fields are changing and emerging, and potential opportunities. The event will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 13, in UU 220. Speakers include the transportation planner for the City of Portland Bureau of Transportation, the Central Valley regional director for the California High-Speed Rail Authority, and head of logistics for Caylym Technologies International. Following the panel, attendees will have the opportunity to network and engage in informal discussion. Through the Emerging Markets Project, Career Services seeks to connect students with new areas of employment and facilitate collaboration and dialog across campus and between students and professionals. This program is made possible by Student Success Fee funding.

Proposed Changes to North County Express Service to be Discussed Feb. 18

The San Luis Obispo Regional Transit Authority (RTA) has announced changes that might affect Route 9 (North County) Cal Poly commuters. A public meeting to discuss the proposed changes will be held at Cal Poly from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 18, in the Administration Building, Room 133. Public meetings will also be held in Paso Robles on Feb. 12 and Atascadero on Feb. 13. The new plan would eliminate all non-express routes that serve the campus, while express service will continue and may be enhanced. For more information on proposed changes or public meetings, visit the [RTA website](#) or contact Aimee Wayatt at awyatt@slorta.org or 805-788-2706.

Mental Health Training Offered Feb. 20-21

An eight-hour mental health first aid training course will be held from 12:30 to 5 p.m. Thursday and Saturday, Feb. 20-21. Lunch will be provided. The public education program is an interactive certification course that helps attendees identify, understand and respond to signs of mental illnesses and substance-use disorders. Participants learn a five-step action plan to help an individual in crisis connect with appropriate professional, peer, social and self-help care. Participants may bring their own lunch or snacks. The training is offered through the support of the California Mental Health Services Authority (CalMHSA), funded by the voter-approved Mental Health Services Act (Prop. 63). For more information about this and other mental health-related trainings, visit the [CalMHSA website](#), or contact the CalMHSA campus coordinator, Hannah Roberts, in Counseling Services at hrober02@calpoly.edu.

Feb. 22 Dinner and Auction Event to Benefit RPTA

The Recreation, Parks & Tourism Administration (RPTA) Department is hosting its annual dinner and auction fundraiser. The event includes the Around the World Dinner and Auction on Saturday, Feb. 22, at the Pismo Beach Golf Course. The event is open to the public, though tickets are required. The fundraiser supports the RPTA Academic Quiz Bowl team's attendance at the National Recreation and Park Association Congress, scholarships, and efforts to recruit top faculty. The auction includes a getaway to Costa Rica and a stay at the Dolphin Bay that includes spa treatments. For



more information, email the department at rpta@calpoly.edu or [purchase tickets online](#).

American Red Cross Courses in CPR/AED set for Feb. 25

Learn how to save a life by taking an American Red Cross CPR/AED (automated external defibrillator) course from 6 to 10 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25, at the Recreation Center. Participants will earn a two-year certification after completion. The course fee is \$60 per participant. No prior medical knowledge is necessary. Register at the Recreation Center front desk or [online](#). For more information, call ext. 6-1366.

Career Services to Host Exhibit on Emerging Job Markets Feb. 17-28

Career Services will present the exhibit "Emerging Markets," Tuesday, Feb. 18, through Friday, Feb. 28, in the Community Gallery on the first floor of the Kennedy Library. The exhibit will highlight the expanding fields of social media, clean energy, food, transportation, and other emerging job markets. Through the Emerging Markets Project, Career Services seeks to connect students with new areas of employment and facilitate collaboration and dialog across campus and between students and professionals. This program is made possible by Student Success Fee funding.



Makers of All Kinds Sought for Cal Poly Co-Produced SLO Mini Maker Faire

Applications are being accepted until Feb. 28 for maker-exhibitors in the second annual SLO Mini Maker Faire, co-produced by Cal Poly. The SLO Mini Maker Faire celebrates do-it-yourself (DIY) creativity and tinkering. Artists, performers, scientists, crafters and engineers are being sought. Participants of all ages come together to make, create, learn, invent, recycle, build, think, play and be inspired by celebrating arts, crafts, engineering, food, music, science and technology. The event will be held from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 10, in Mission Plaza and is free and open to the public. For more information, go to the [Cal Poly News website](#).

Cal Poly Inclusive Excellence Council Meetings

The Office of University Diversity & Inclusivity announces Inclusive Excellence Council (IEC) meetings on Feb. 20, 25 and March 13. The mission of the IEC is to serve as an advisory council to the president on diversity and inclusion issues on campus by assessing, evaluating and providing strategic solutions to enhance the campus environment. Faculty, staff and students are welcome to attend council meetings. For times and locations, see the [Office of University Diversity & Inclusivity website](#).

3rd Annual Diversity and Inclusiveness Colloquium to be Held March 4

The Office of University Diversity & Inclusivity will host the [third annual Diversity and Inclusiveness Colloquium](#) in partnership with the San Luis Obispo Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday, March 4, at the Performing Arts Center in Harman Hall. The theme is "Civil Rights in the 21st Century: How to Engage

Citizens." The evening will begin with a community resource reception at 5:30 p.m. The colloquium will begin at 6:30 p.m. The keynote speaker will be Superior Court Judge Ginger Garrett. Panelists include participants from Cal Poly, Cuesta College, and the San Luis Obispo community. The evening will incorporate personal and professional reflections on how to engage in social justice. For more information, email diversity@calpoly.edu.

Capacity Building Workshop to be Held on Wednesdays

Faculty, staff and students are invited to participate in the continuing Capacity Building workshop series. The workshops for winter quarter will focus on change in complex adaptive systems and will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. Wednesdays in Kennedy Library, Room 511. All are welcome, even if attendance is intermittent. For those who might be new to the series, the workshop is intended to create a safe space to learn about change within ourselves and with respect to the university as an organization. Attendees can learn how to identify their own change models and how they might think differently about internal and external paradigms. As part of the exploration of systems, the group will discuss organizational transformation from a social and ecological perspective and compare those concepts to existing change models. A 2012 paper titled "A Theory of Transformative Agency in Linked Social-Ecological Systems" from the Journal of Ecology and Society will be used as a guide. For more information, email Dianne DeTurrís at ddeturri@calpoly.edu.

Employee Service Awards Luncheon to be Held March 5

State, Corporation and ASI employees who had milestone service anniversaries in 2013 will be honored at the Annual Service Awards Luncheon from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 5, in Chumash Auditorium. Phil Bailey, dean of the College of Science & Mathematics, will serve as the master of ceremonies. Seating is limited and tickets are \$12. Tickets are available from Tracy Watson, ASI, at ext. 6-1292; Dawn Rudder, Fiscal Services, at ext. 6-5871; or Jennifer Luedtke, Cal Poly Corporation, at ext. 6-1122. A "Taste of Asia" buffet will be served, including Mongolian beef, teriyaki chicken, fried and white rice, stir-fry vegetables, vegetable egg roll, dessert and a beverage.

Lifeguard Recertification Courses to be Offered at Recreation Center

ASI will offer lifeguard recertification sessions this spring. Three sessions will be held: March 8-9, March 29-30, and April 26-27. Participants only need to attend one session for credit. The classes will include 12.5 hours of lifeguarding, first aid and CPR/AED for the professional rescuer training. Participants must be 16 or older, hold current certifications, and attend all classes in their respective session for recertification. Courses are \$95 for Recreation Center members and \$110 for the San Luis Obispo community. Register at the Recreation Center front desk or [online](#). For more information, contact aquatics@asi.calpoly.edu.

Employment Equity Facilitator Workshops Scheduled Winter Quarter

Employment equity facilitator workshops for winter quarter are scheduled from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Monday, March 24, in Fisher Science (Building 33), Room 290. Martha Cody, director of Employment Equity, will lead the workshops. She will be joined by Jen Myers from Academic Personnel and Chrystal Pope from Human Resources. Myers and Pope will answer questions and provide information on the faculty and staff recruitment processes. Sumi Seacat will be available to answer questions about institutionally sponsored H-1B visas for foreign faculty and staff. To enroll, contact Seacat at sseacat@calpoly.edu or ext 6-7387.

Free Legal Consultations Available

ASI has contracted with San Luis Obispo attorney Jeff Radding to provide free legal advice to currently enrolled students and faculty and staff, including ASI and Corporation staff. The free consultations are 15 minutes and available on the first and third Fridays of each month in the ASI Business Office Conference Room on the second floor of the UU, Room 212. To schedule an appointment, call ext. 6-1281.

Campus Administrative Policies Update

Cal Poly is continuing a comprehensive review of Campus Administrative Policies (CAP), replacing the Campus Administrative Manual (CAM). For more information on CAP and proposed draft policies, go to the [CAP Web page](#).

Statistics Department Provides Consulting Service Winter Quarter

The Statistics Department provides a statistical consulting service to the university community to facilitate research design and data analysis in a wide variety of disciplines. Consulting services will be available through March 14. The consulting service is intended to support projects and research of Cal Poly faculty and staff and provide assistance for students working on senior projects and graduate research. Kevin Ross and Heather Smith are serving as consultants. They are available to advise on data collection, experimental design, and analysis of research projects. In addition, the consultants will be available to lead seminars or tutorials on requested topics and offer advice on various computer packages available at Cal Poly. If there is a special area of statistical inference that is of interest to a group in your department, contact Ross or Smith to arrange possible lectures on that subject. Faculty, staff and students interested in utilizing the consulting service are encouraged to access the [Statistics Department Web page](#) for office hours, to schedule appointments outside those hours or other information, including what to bring to a consulting session.

Choose Well with the New Nutrition Calculator

Wondering how many calories you eat each day? Need a way to find gluten-free food options on campus? Campus Dining has a new nutrition calculator that allows people to make educated food choices. To use the calculator, visit the [Cal Poly Dining website](#).

Daily Markdowns: Save on Select Products at the University Store and Cal Poly Downtown

Visit the University Store and Cal Poly Downtown to take advantage of their daily markdowns. Save up to 75 percent on select apparel, gift and supply items in the stores.

University Store Accepting Textbook Adoptions for Spring Term

The University Store is accepting textbook adoption requisitions for spring term 2014. Submissions are requested as soon as possible. Early textbook adoptions give staff more time to purchase used textbooks, which are in high demand. To submit textbook adoptions, either:

- Order through the [Textbook Adoption website](#) or
- Email courseware@calpoly.edu with the following information: ISBN number, author and title of courseware, and whether the book is required, recommended, optional, a study guide, etc.

For more information or assistance about textbook adoptions, contact a representative at ext. 6-1171.

Cal Poly Meats Featured at Campus Market's Barbecue Wednesdays

While supplies last, Campus Market will be serving Cal Poly linguica and bratwurst sandwiches at its barbecue event on Wednesdays from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., in front of the market. For more information, see the [Campus Market Web page](#).

Have an Action Station at Your Next Catered Event

Spice up your next event with a chef-attended pasta or mash-tini bar from University Catering. During February and March, you can also treat your guests to an interactive food experience with an omelette action station that includes a variety of meats, cheeses and toppings to build their own breakfast omelette. For more information, contact a catering sales representative at ext. 6-1177, or go to the [Cal Poly Catering website](#).

Tired of Your Same Sack Lunch? Grab Lunch at 19 Metro for as Little as \$5.25

All-you-care-to-eat lunch is available at 19 Metro station for as little as \$5.25, only with Fast Pass. Get yours today on the [Campus Dining website](#).

Bella Montana Faculty and Staff Housing Community

Visit the Bella Montana Homes [website](#) for available homes for sale.

Events

'Challenging the Myth of Disposable Women' Talk to be Feb. 12

Visiting Cal Poly Professor Jody Lisberger will deliver a presentation titled "Teaching to Disrupt Gender: Challenging the Myth of Disposable Women" at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 12, in Philips Hall in the Performing Arts Center. Lisberger is the recipient of Cal Poly's 2013-14 Susan Currier Visiting Professorship for Teaching Excellence Award. Her talk will explore her thoughts on the function of mainstream understandings of gender in historical and contemporary contexts. For more information, go to the [Cal Poly News website](#).

Benefit Performances of 'Vagina Monologues' to be Held Feb. 14-16

The Gender Equity Center will host the 11th annual production of "The Vagina Monologues" at the Performing Arts Center Pavilion. Performances will be held at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 14 and 15 and at 3 p.m. Feb. 16. "The Vagina Monologues" is an award-winning play written by author and activist Eve Ensler, who conducted numerous interviews with women about their experiences and feelings regarding sexuality, empowerment, and life as a woman. The show will benefit V-Day, a global movement to end violence against women and girls by raising funds and awareness through benefit productions of this play and other artistic works. Tickets are \$20 for the general public and \$15 for students and include parking. Tickets are on sale at the [Performing Arts Center website](#) or ticket office.



Cal Poly Science Café to Present 'A Map for the Future: Measuring Radiation Levels' on Feb. 14



The Kennedy Library will host Yoh Kawano, UCLA GIS coordinator, from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 14, in the second floor Café Lounge. Kawano will discuss his work with the Radioisotope Center at Niigata University, including a vehicle-mounted radiation monitoring system using a real-time GPS receiver, dosimeter and laptop. The Radioisotope Center partnered with the Institute for Digital Research and

Education at UCLA to develop a public web-based interface to inform citizens about radiation levels in their communities. Kawano will bring the radiation monitoring system to Cal Poly. Kawano will also talk about the explosion at the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station after the Great East Japan Earthquake of March 2011. In that framework, he will explore the question, "What if we could provide data to allow people to make their own assessments about the safety of their communities?" For more information, visit [Kennedy Library Out Loud](#).

University Art Gallery to Exhibit Photography of Vivian Maier through Feb. 14

The University Art Gallery will exhibit photography of the late Vivian Dorothea Maier (1926-2009) through Feb. 14. Maier was an American amateur street photographer who was born in New York City but grew up in France. After returning to the U.S., she worked for approximately 40 years as a nanny in Chicago. During



those years, she took more than 100,000 photographs, primarily of people and cityscapes in Chicago, although she traveled the world. Her photographs remained unknown and mostly undeveloped until they were discovered in 2007 by Chicago historian and collector John Maloof. Following Maier's death, her work began to receive critical acclaim. Her photographs have been exhibited in Belgium, Britain, Denmark, Germany, Norway and the U.S. For more information, go to the [University Art Gallery website](#).

Ukelele Master to Perform at the PAC Feb. 16

Ukelele virtuoso and composer Jake Shimabukuro will perform at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 16, in Harman Hall in the Performing Arts Center's Christopher Cohan Center. Known for his fast and complex finger work, Shimabukuro combines elements of jazz, blues, funk, rock, bluegrass, classical, folk and flamenco into his musical style. He garnered international attention after his performance of "While My Guitar Gently Weeps" [was posted to YouTube](#) without his knowledge. For tickets, visit [PolyTix](#) or call ext. 6-4849.

Cal Poly Choirs and Guests to Perform 'Songs of Travel' Feb. 22



Choral music from around the world — with some pieces to be sung in their original languages — will be featured at the Cal Poly Choirs' Winter Concert at 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, in Harman Hall of the Performing Arts Center's Christopher Cohan Center. Guest artists will include the Cal Poly Arab Music Ensemble and the Canzona Women's Ensemble. PolyPhonics and the Cal Poly Arab Music Ensemble will present the same program they will perform at Carnegie Hall in New York City at the World Projects 2014 New York Choral Festival in

March. Thomas Davies, conductor of PolyPhonics, and Ken Habib, director of the Arab Music Ensemble, will lead more than 100 instrumentalists, singers and dancers in the program. For more information, go to the [Cal Poly News website](#).

Arab Music Ensemble Winter Concert to be March 1

The Cal Poly Arab Music Ensemble and special guest artists will perform a program of music and dance from the Eastern Mediterranean and larger region at 8 p.m. Saturday, March 1, in the Performing Arts Center. Highlighting the program will be a collaboration of the Arab Music Ensemble and PolyPhonics, Cal Poly's premier chamber choir. Totalling about 100 combined instrumentalists and singers, the combined groups will present "An Arabic Musical Suite after 1001 Nights." The pieces are examples of the muwashshah genre, one of the oldest continuously performed art music genres in the world. The set will conclude with a dabke, or Levantine line dance. The night will also feature music from interconnected cultures of the larger region, including Azeri, Bulgarian and Farsi folksongs. Proceeds will benefit the Arab Music Ensemble



and PolyPhonics' concert tour in March to give the showcase performance at the World Projects 2014 New York Choral Festival at Carnegie Hall and concerts at the City University of New York Graduate Center and in Philadelphia's Historic District. For more information, go to the [Cal Poly News website](#).

Athletics

For an overview of last week's action, upcoming competition, up-to-date sports information, photos and videos, visit www.gopoly.com.

Women's Basketball

vs. Cal State Northridge, Thursday, Feb. 13, at 7 p.m.
Mott Athletics Center

vs. Long Beach State, Saturday, Feb. 15, at 4 p.m.
Mott Athletics Center

Baseball

vs. Kansas State,
Friday, Feb. 14, at 6 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 15, at 6 p.m.
Sunday, Feb. 16, at 1 p.m.
Baggett Stadium

Wrestling

vs. Arizona State, Friday, Feb. 14, at 7 p.m.
Mott Athletics Center

Women's Tennis

vs. Santa Clara, Sunday, Feb. 16, at 11 a.m.
Mustang Courts

Job Vacancies

Executive Employment Opportunities

The complete listing of executive vacancies is posted on the [Cal Poly Jobs website](#). To apply, go online and complete the application form. Submit all requested application materials as attachments to your online application. Salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience. For assistance, call Human Resources at ext. 6-6574.

#103152 - Dean, College of Agriculture, Food & Environmental Sciences (Administrator IV). Open until filled; review begins March 10.

State Employment Opportunities

The complete listing of staff and management vacancies is posted on the [Cal Poly Jobs website](#). To apply, go online and complete the application form. For assistance, call Human Resources at ext. 6-2236.

#103132 - Director of Advancement, College of Liberal Arts, (Administrator I)
College of Liberal Arts. Salary is commensurate with experience. Open until filled. Review begins March 7.

#103151 - Financial Analyst, (Administrative Analyst/Specialist - Non-Exempt) Library Services – Administration, \$3,245-\$5,193 per month. Anticipated hiring range \$3,245-\$3,750 per month. Close date Feb. 19.

#103153 - Administrative Coordinator (Administrative Support Coordinator II), College of Architecture & Environmental Design – Architecture, \$3,074-\$4,615 per month. Open until filled. Review begins Feb. 20.

#103154 - Administrative Assistant (Administrative Support Assistant II), College of Architecture & Environmental Design – Architecture, \$2,505-\$3,758

per month. Open until filled. Review begins Feb. 20.

#103160 - Financial & Data Manager (Administrator I), College of Architecture & Environmental Design. Salary is commensurate with experience. Open until filled. Review begins March 10.

Faculty Employment Opportunities

Candidates are asked to visit the online [employment website](#) to complete an application and apply for any of the positions shown below. Submit all requested application materials as attachments to your online application, unless otherwise specified in the ad.

There are no new job opportunities at this time.

Corporation Employment Opportunities

Cal Poly Corporation is a separate corporation operating in concert with the university to provide a diverse range of services and resources to students, faculty and staff. To view job postings and/or apply for any regular-benefited position at the Cal Poly Corporation, visit the [Corporation website](#). For assistance, contact Human Resources at ext. 6-1121.

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There are no new job opportunities at this time.

ASI Employment Opportunities

Candidates are asked to visit the [ASI website](#) to complete an application and apply for positions listed below. For more information, visit the ASI Business Office in UU 212 or call ext. 6-5800.

There are no new job opportunities at this time.

