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## Cal Poly Report — November 12, 2014

### News

#### Cal Poly Adds \$1.4 Billion to Region's Economy, New Study Indicates

Cal Poly contributes more than \$1.4 billion to the economy of San Luis Obispo and Northern Santa Barbara counties, according to a new analysis prepared for the university. The first survey since 2003 indicates the university payroll of \$254 million and other expenditures help stabilize the fiscal health of San Luis Obispo and Northern Santa Barbara counties and that Cal Poly students make additional contributions to the community's economic vitality. Not only do the more than 19,000 students purchase goods and services from local businesses, they also pay more than \$11 million in local taxes while providing more than \$2 million in volunteer labor to a host of nonprofit organizations from Paso Robles to Santa Maria. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly News website](#).

#### Pay for Cal Poly Education Grads Ranks in Top 10

Cal Poly alumni are among the highest paid graduates in the field of education, according to the College edition of USA Today online, based on salary data provided by PayScale. The ranking includes data from specialties, including student counseling, special education, curriculum development and others. For more information, visit the [USA Today College edition](#).

#### Nov. 20 Lecture to Highlight Updated CSU Sustainability Policy

Michael Clemson, energy and sustainability program analyst for the CSU, will discuss updated aspects of the system's sustainability policy from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 20, in the Advanced Technology Lab (Building 7). Hosted by the College of Agriculture, Food & Environmental Sciences' Center for Sustainability, the talk will cover key aspects of the policy that the CSU board of trustees adopted in May for the statewide system. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly News website](#).



### Faculty & Staff

#### Marketing & Communications Names Director of Media Relations



Matt Lazier (B.S., Journalism, '97) was named the director of media relations for Marketing & Communications, part of the Advancement Division serving the entire university. Lazier worked as a reporter and as the city editor for the San Luis Obispo Tribune, before he joined Cal Poly staff in 2008 as a communications specialist for the then-Public Affairs Department. Lazier has served as the editor of Cal Poly Magazine since coming to campus, and has been acting as the interim director of media relations for more than a year.

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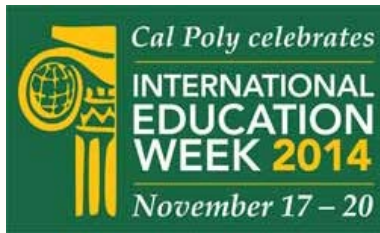


### **Business Faculty to Host Finance Research Day on Nov. 14**

The first Finance Research Day will be held by Orfalea College of Business faculty and graduate students in collaboration with Santa Clara University's Leavey School of Business. The event will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday, Nov. 14, in the Business Building (No. 3), Room 206. Professors from both institutions will present and review a series of research papers. The theme is empirical corporate finance. The event will allow the universities to expand collaborative research efforts and extend them to other business areas, including economics. For more details, visit the [OCOB website](#).



### **International Education Week to Begin with Internationalization Symposium on Nov. 17**



The Cal Poly International Center will host an Internationalization Symposium from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday, Nov. 17, in Chumash Auditorium. It is the first in a line-up of events for International Education Week, Nov. 17-21. The symposium will present trends in the internationalization of higher education and international initiatives

underway at Cal Poly. Department heads and program directors are encouraged to identify faculty representatives to join the discussion about moving internationalization efforts forward. The event is co-sponsored by Provost Enz Finken. Space is limited to the first 100 participants. RSVP to [international@calpoly.edu](mailto:international@calpoly.edu) or ext. 6-1477 by Friday, Nov. 7. For more information, including the agenda and list of faculty presenters, visit the [International Center website](#).

### **Cross-Disciplinary Input Sought for Prospective New Degree in Health Science; Forums to be Held Nov. 20 and 25**

The Kinesiology Department will hold two campuswide open forums to discuss the development of a new degree, a Bachelor's of Science in Health Science. The forums will be held from 11:10 a.m. to noon Thursday, Nov. 20, and Tuesday, Nov. 25, in the Baker Center (Building 180), Room 114. The new degree path would prepare students with the knowledge, skills and abilities to meet the increasing demand for a trained workforce in some of the fastest-growing career areas, including community and public health, health promotion, and disease prevention. The Kinesiology Department seeks to collaborate on the development of the new degree, with possible connections to biological science, microbiology, nutrition, psychology, sociology, statistics, environmental studies and sustainability, occupational safety and health, city and regional planning, public policy, and more. For more information, contact Kris Jankovitz at [kjankovi@calpoly.edu](mailto:kjankovi@calpoly.edu) or Heather Starnes at [hstarnes@calpoly.edu](mailto:hstarnes@calpoly.edu).

### **Legal Update on Internships to be Held Dec. 2**

Career Services invites staff and faculty to attend InternBridge's Internship Legal Update for Higher Education from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 2, in Student Services (Building 124), Room 117. Presented by some of the nation's leading experts in employment law specific to internships, cooperative education and volunteerism, the presentation will provide a comprehensive look at diverse legal issues influencing students' transition to the world of work and will include practical, hands-on methods to implement best practices, policies, programs and concepts. For more information, visit the [Internbridge website](#). To RSVP, email [crinaldi@calpoly.edu](mailto:crinaldi@calpoly.edu).

### **Nominations for Distinguished Teaching Award Due Dec. 5**

The nomination period for the 2014-15 Distinguished Teaching Award is open through Friday, Dec. 5. Any student or alumnus may submit one or more

nominations on the [nomination website](#). Nominations should include the professor's name, department, and a supporting statement containing evidence of merit based on the criteria listed for this year's award.

### **Workshop on Course Design to be Held Dec. 18-19**

Get a jump start on course planning before the winter break. The Center for Teaching, Learning & Technology (CTLT) is hosting a two-day workshop, Camp Course Design, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Dec.18-19. The workshop will support instructors and staff in the course-proposal process, including drafting and review sessions on course learning objectives, aligning objectives with assessments and extended course activities, and syllabus design. All instructors and staff who are interested in proposing new courses or redesigning a current course are welcome to participate. Lunch, resources and stipends will be provided. Enrollment is limited to 25. For more information, visit the [CTLT website](#).

### **Retirement**

**Pat Hosegood Martin** (M.S., Physical Education, '83) will retire after almost 32 years at the Cal Poly Corporation. Currently the associate human resources director, she also enjoys the honorary title "Director of Fun." She was Cal Poly's first employee to graduate through the Cal Poly-UCSB joint Doctorate Program in Educational Leadership. She enhanced countless employee careers through trainings and professional development courses and taught first aid and CPR to more than 1,200 people. A celebration in honor of her dedicated service will take place from 2 to 4 p.m. Monday, Dec. 1, in the Performing Arts Center Lobby.

### **Previously Announced Retirements**

**Donna Amos** will retire after 34 years of service to Cal Poly. A retirement reception will be held from 4 to 6 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 18, in the Performing Arts Center Lobby.

### **Campus Announcements**

#### **Last Campus Climate Report Workshops to be Held Nov. 12-13**

The Campus Climate Survey found that the majority (80 percent) of the students, faculty and staff report being "comfortable" or "very comfortable" with the university's campus climate, and 86 percent of students are satisfied with their academic experience. But 22 percent of the Cal Poly community have experienced some form of exclusionary treatment on campus. The Campus Climate Working Group is offering an opportunity to all campus community members to participate in two remaining workshops to discuss the report and possible courses of action.

#### **Campus Climate Workshop Dates – Open to all faculty, staff and students**

- Wednesday, Nov. 12, 10 to 11:30 a.m., UU 220
- Thursday, Nov. 13, 1 to 2:30 p.m., UU 220

The Campus Climate Working Group will collaborate with the Office of Diversity & Inclusivity during winter quarter to develop one to three assessable action items to implement in 2015-16. The Campus Climate Report is available on the [Campus Climate Survey website](#). Send inquiries to [diversity@calpoly.edu](mailto:diversity@calpoly.edu).

#### **MS Office 365 OneDrive Now Available**

Information Technology Services (ITS) has announced that Microsoft's OneDrive is now available to faculty, staff and students. A component of the Cal Poly Office 365 suite, OneDrive provides 1 TB (terabyte) of cloud storage. OneDrive allows users to upload and share files, in addition to creating and editing Office documents through a Web browser. OneDrive also features the ability to co-author Office documents in real-time and provides automatic versioning and document history. For information on this new service, documentation and additional demonstration sessions, please see the [ITS Service Desk website](#).

#### **Seminar on Retirement Income Strategies to be Held Nov. 19**

Human Resources will hold the seminar "Retirement Income Strategies" three times, from 11 a.m. to noon, noon to 1 p.m. and 4 to 5 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 19, in UU 219. The seminar will address the new retirement realities, the five risks associated with retirement (longevity, healthcare, inflation, investment and withdrawal) and how the essential income planning process can help manage those risks. It is ideal for employees approaching retirement. Attendance is subject to supervisory approval and based on departmental operational needs. The presentation will be delivered by Michael Barragan of Valic Financial Advisors. To register, visit the [Valic website](#) and use code 4116SAN11AA.

#### **Mechanical Engineering Senior Design Expo to be Held Nov. 20**

Student solutions to real-world design challenges will be on display at the Mechanical Engineering Senior Design Expo from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 20, in the Bonderson Projects Center (Building 197). The expo will showcase posters and prototypes from 20 student team projects completed by more than 60 graduating mechanical engineering seniors. The Senior Design Expo is the culminating presentation of the year-long Mechanical Engineering capstone senior design project classes. Projects are sponsored by nonprofits, including the Center for Vocational Building Technology; local businesses, including Really Right Stuff and Wolfpack Gear; and national corporations, including GAF, Raytheon and Solar Turbines. The event is free and open to the public. For more information, contact Peter Schuster at [pschuste@calpoly.edu](mailto:pschuste@calpoly.edu).

#### **CLA Food Drive Being Held Through Nov. 21**

The College of Liberal Arts is holding its third annual CLA Food Bank Drive through Friday, Nov. 21. CLA departments, including students, are encouraged to engage in friendly competition for the benefit of community members in need. Again this year, CLA student clubs will compete for the best-decorated collection barrel. Food and monetary donations are welcome from campus and the surrounding community. Last year, the drive generated food and financial contributions equivalent to 5,742 pounds of food — a 75 percent increase from the 2012. The college looks to exceed that amount this year. For more information, visit the [CLA website](#).

#### **Center for Community Engagement Hosts Annual Gift Drive Nov. 17-Dec. 3**

The Center for Community Engagement (CCE) will launch its annual holiday gift drive Monday, Nov. 17, through Wednesday, Dec. 3. Trees across campus will be decorated for the season and adorned with gift requests from local youth. The gifts will be distributed through six local agencies that focus on families and children. The target price range for donated gifts is \$15 to \$20. Gifts should be wrapped and delivered to the CCE office in the Science Building (No. 52), Room E22. Awards will be given for most gifts collected by a single group, best wrapping, most Mustang spirit, most unique wrapping, and most environmentally friendly wrapping.

#### **Open Science Cafe Entries Due Dec. 1**

Kennedy Library is launching its second annual Open Science Cafe competition, a program opportunity for student leadership and Learn by Doing. One student proposal will be awarded a \$3,000 budget and \$500 stipend to create a Cal Poly Science Cafe experience. This is an opportunity for students to gain project management experience from start to finish. The event can relate to any discipline; it does not have to be about science. The application deadline is Dec. 1. For more information, visit the [Kennedy Library website](#), or contact Karen Lauritsen at ext. 6-7549 or [klaurits@calpoly.edu](mailto:klaurits@calpoly.edu).



#### **Daylong Workshop on Financial Wellbeing to be Held Dec. 5**

The Department of Wellbeing, Health & Counseling Services is presenting "Financial Wellbeing: Learn To Build Wealth at Any Age" from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday, Dec. 5. The workshop will help participants explore opportunities to

thrive financially, develop financial skills, enhance financial vocabulary and create strategies to succeed financially. [Click here](#) to register. For more information, contact Hannah Roberts, coordinator of campus wellbeing, at [hrober02@calpoly.edu](mailto:hrober02@calpoly.edu).

### **Mental Health First Aid and Suicide Intervention Workshops to be Held in December**

The Department of Wellbeing, Health & Counseling Services is offering three trainings to educate the campus community about how to respond to a mental health crisis.

— Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) will teach attendees how to recognize the signs of addiction and mental illnesses, implement a five-step action plan to assess a situation and provide help, understand the impact of mental and substance use disorders, and identify local resources. MHFA will be offered from noon to 5 p.m. Monday, Dec. 1, and Tuesday, Dec. 2. A second training will be offered from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday, Dec. 8, and Tuesday, Dec. 9.

— Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST) is an intensive, interactive and practice-dominated course designed to help people recognize risk and learn how to intervene to prevent the immediate risk of suicide. ASIST will be offered from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 4, and Friday, Dec. 5. Reservations are required. Attendees must attend both sessions of each respective training. For more information, contact Hannah Roberts, coordinator of campus wellbeing, at [hrober02@calpoly.edu](mailto:hrober02@calpoly.edu).

### **Holiday Meals and Pies Available at Village Market Through Nov. 21**

This holiday season, treat your family, friends and coworkers to a special selection of holiday meals; pies, including gluten-free and vegan pumpkin pie options; and seasonal side dishes from Village Market. Orders can be placed [online](#) through Nov. 21; by calling ext. 6-1959; or at Village Market, located in Poly Canyon Village. A selection of seasonal sides will also be available in the deli case daily, including cornbread stuffing and butter-whipped Yukon gold potatoes.

### **Bella Montana Faculty and Staff Housing Community**

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

### **Submission Guidelines Updated for Cal Poly Report**

Submission guidelines for Cal Poly Report have been updated. Submissions should be emailed to [polynews@calpoly.edu](mailto:polynews@calpoly.edu) with "Cal Poly Report" in the subject line no later than 12:30 p.m. the Thursday prior to any respective edition. Submissions should be in text format with the name of the event, the time, day, date and location included first, followed by a summary, any related link and contact information. Submissions should be a maximum of 200 words and may be edited for brevity or style. Some types of submissions are shorter, such as retirement announcements, which are typically about 80 words. Images are welcome and should be attached as jpgs. The submission guidelines are available online on the [Marketing & Communications website](#).

## **Events**

### **Events to be Held Through Nov. 14 for Veterans Awareness Week**

The Veterans Success Center will honor, engage and thank military veterans and dependents of veterans for their service during Veterans Awareness Week, set for Monday through Friday, Nov. 10-14, in the UU Plaza. For more information, visit the [Veterans Success Center website](#).

— Wednesday, Nov. 12, 11 a.m. to noon: Veterans, members of the Student Veterans Organization (SVO) and dependent students of veterans receive a free meal pass, courtesy of Campus Dining.

— Thursday, Nov. 13, 11 a.m. to noon: The Veterans Success Center and Cal Poly Club Sports will showcase their partnership. Visitors are welcome to visit the booth to learn more about the Veterans Success Center.

— Friday, Nov. 14, 11 a.m. to noon: Football coach Tim Walsh will speak about his family's military service history, his previous position as football coach at West Point Military Academy, and his commitment to Cal Poly and student

success.

— Saturday, Nov. 15: Members of SVO and ROTC will go as a group to the football game against UC Davis.

### **Theatre & Dance Department to Present 'Betty's Summer Vacation' Nov. 13-15, 20-22**

The Cal Poly Theatre & Dance Department will present its fall production, "Betty's Summer Vacation," at 8 p.m. Thursday through Saturday, Nov. 13-15 and 20-22, in Spanos Theatre. "Betty's Summer Vacation" is an outrageous play and a dark spoof commenting on the media's obsession with sensationalizing events and its ability to cater to our fascination with notorious behavior. The play explores how people respond to horrific acts — sexual abuse, rape, incest, castration and dismemberment — in disturbingly funny, astonishing and unabashedly truthful ways. The story surrounds a strange cast of characters that includes a sex-crazed "hunk," an introvert, a degenerate flasher, and a raging drunk desperate for male affection. On opening night, patrons will be eligible to win a free iPad mini. Faculty and staff of the Theatre & Dance Department are not eligible to win. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly News website](#).

### **Poli Sci Department Presents Talk on 'Social Media and City Size: Communication Channels and 21st Century Governance'**

The Political Science Department will host Michael Jensen for a talk on "Social Media and City Size: Communication Channels and 21st Century Governance" at 1 p.m. Friday, Nov. 14, in the Baker Center (Building 180), Room 114. Jensen is a research fellow at the Anzsog Institute for Governance (AnzIG). Prior to his position at AnzIG, he was the Juan de la Cierva Postdoctoral Fellow in the Department of Political Science; a researcher at the Institute for Government and Public Policy at the Autonomous University of Barcelona; and a visiting scholar at the Internet Interdisciplinary Institute in Barcelona and the New Political Communication Unit at Royal Holloway, University of London. For more information, contact Andrea Nash at [anash@calpoly.edu](mailto:anash@calpoly.edu) or visit the [Political Science Department website](#).

### **Tour the Cal Poly Pier in Avila Beach on Nov. 15**



Bring the kids and the camera and tour the Cal Poly Pier in Avila Beach from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Nov. 15. The fall open house will feature interactive displays, including special touch tanks with live marine creatures, microscopes for viewing ultra-small sea creatures, a "Discover Scuba" experience and more. Cal Poly professors and students will be on hand to explain their ongoing research into local

marine life, including protecting Morro Bay's ecosystem, sustaining local fisheries, and mapping ocean currents on the Central Coast. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly News website](#).

### **Forbes Pipe Organ Series to Begin with Dorothy Riess on Nov. 16**

Dorothy Riess will launch the Forbes Pipe Organ Recital Series with a performance at 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 16, in Harman Hall in the Performing Arts Center's Christopher Cohan Center. The program will feature an eclectic mix of original compositions, transcriptions and classical organ repertoire, including Bach's Prelude and Fugue in B minor, Stravinsky's "Petrouchka," and Wagner's "Pilgrim's Chorus." Tickets range from \$20 to \$34; student prices range from \$16 to \$27.20 Student pricing is available to faculty and staff. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly Arts website](#).

### **'King Lear' to Reign on Nov. 18**

Cal Poly Arts will present "King Lear" at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 18, in Harman

Hall in the Performing Arts Center's Christopher Cohan Center. Considered Shakespeare's greatest tragedy, the performance will be presented by one of England's premier theater companies on a traveling Elizabethan stage, inspired by paintings and etchings from Shakespeare's time, when touring was prevalent. The actors will perform dual roles in this fast-paced adaptation and will break the boundaries between the stage and the audience. The delivery of the verse and the interaction with the audience will derive from a traditional Globe approach. Faculty and staff can get a 20 percent discount by selecting the student option when purchasing tickets. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly Arts website](#).



#### **RPTA Student Projects Include Nationwide Premiere on Nov. 20**



As a class project, Recreation, Parks & Tourism Administration students are helping to organize a premiere to benefit the Special Olympics of San Luis Obispo County. The evening includes a showing of "The Hunger Games: Mockingjay, Part I" before the movie opens nationwide. The movie will be shown at 7 p.m. Nov. 20, at the Fremont Theatre.

Tickets are \$25. The doors will open at 6 p.m. Ticket holders can watch the previous two "Hunger Games" movies Nov. 20 starting at 1 p.m. The second movie will end around 6 p.m., to allow people to grab a bite to eat before the "Mockingjay – Part 1" premiere starts at 7 p.m. For more information, call the Special Olympics of San Luis Obispo County at 805-544-6444.

#### **Hearst Lecture Series to Feature Mexico City-Based Architect on Nov. 21**

The College of Architecture & Environmental Design will host Wonne Ickx, an architect at Productora, a Mexico City-based



architectural studio led by four architects of different nationalities, as part of the Hearst Lecture Series at 4 p.m. Friday, Nov. 21, in the Business Building Rotunda (Building 3, Room 213). Ickx will share work distinguished by an interest in precise geometries, the production of clearly legible projects with limited gestures, and the search for timeless buildings in their material and programmatic resolutions. In 2011 the studio co-founded LIGA, Space for Architecture Mexico City, a platform that promotes emerging Latin-American architecture. The studio is collaborating on international projects with artists from around the world. For more information, visit the [CAED website](#).

#### **A Cappella Ensemble to Perform Nov. 21-22**

Cal Poly's newest a cappella ensemble, That's The Key, will perform its first concerts of the academic year at 6 p.m. Friday, Nov. 21, and 2 p.m. and Saturday, Nov. 22, in the Davidson Music Center (Building 45), Room 218. The title of the concert, "That's The (tur)Key," celebrates the Thanksgiving holiday. The group is comprised of 17 students from various majors singing original arrangements of popular music. For more information, visit the [Music Department website](#).

#### **Cal Poly Arab Music Ensemble to Perform on Campus Nov. 22**

The Cal Poly Arab Music Ensemble will be joined by the Zaryab Ensemble, Ballet Theatre San Luis Obispo, and other guest artists during its Fall Concert at 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 22, in Harman Hall in the Performing Arts Center. The

program will feature music and dance from Egypt, Lebanon, Iran and the extended region. Music Department faculty member Ken Habib directs the 35-member Arab Music Ensemble. Two of his original compositions of Arabic art music will also be on the program. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly News website](#).

### **Cal Poly to Present Bandfest on Nov. 23**



Nearly 300 students will perform at Cal Poly's annual Bandfest at 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 23, in Harman Hall in the Performing Arts Center's Christopher Cohan Center. The concert will feature Cal Poly's Wind Orchestra, Wind Ensemble, and the Mustang Marching Band in an evening of works for the modern wind band and the traditional stadium marching band. A portion of the concert will include a special arrangement of the national anthem by American film composer John Williams, a tribute to the 200th anniversary of Francis

Scott Key's writing "The Star Spangled Banner" during the Battle of Baltimore at Fort McHenry. For more information, visit the [Music Department website](#).

### **Tenor Christopher Campbell to give Vocal Master Class Dec. 2**

Tenor Christopher Campbell, who has a career in opera and oratorio, will present a vocal master class at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 2, in the Pavilion of the Performing Arts Center's Christopher Cohan Center. Several leading Music Department voice students will perform and be critiqued. Staff member Paul Woodring will accompany the students on piano. Campbell has performed throughout the U.S. with such respected opera companies as Glimmerglass Opera, New York City Opera National Company, Opera Pacific, San Francisco Lyric Opera, and Long Beach Opera, among others. The master class is free and open to the public. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly News website](#).

### **Cal Poly Arts Presents Encore Performance of Audra McDonald on Dec. 3**

Cal Poly Arts presents an encore engagement with singer Audra McDonald at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 3, in Harman Hall in the Performing Arts Center's Cohan Center. Winner of a record-breaking six Tony Awards and two Grammy Awards, the Broadway superstar and "Live From Lincoln Center" host will entertain guests with favorite show tunes and songs from her new album, "Go Back Home." Faculty and staff can get a 20 percent discount by selecting the student option when purchasing tickets. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly Arts website](#).

### **Fall Jazz Concert Set for Dec. 5**

Cal Poly's big bands and jazz combos will present their annual Fall Jazz Concert at 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 5, in the Spanos Theatre. The student musicians will demonstrate how jazz is being reinvented by today's young jazz artists. Tickets to the concert are \$12 for the public and \$9 for senior citizens, students and Jazz Federation members. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly News website](#).

### **History Lecturer, Author to Discuss Her Work Dec. 5**

Kathleen Cairns, a lecturer in Cal Poly's History Department, will discuss her new book, "Hard Time at Tehachapi: California's First Women's Prison," at 10 a.m. Friday, Dec. 5, in Kennedy Library, Room 111-H. Cairns will talk informally about her book and will discuss it with Sociology Assistant Professor Ryan C. Alaniz. A question-and-answer session about the book will follow. The talk is part of the Conversations with Cal Poly Authors series. The event is free and open to the public. Coffee and light refreshments will be served. For more information, visit the [Kennedy Library website](#).

### **Cal Poly Choirs to Present 'A Christmas Celebration' Dec. 6**

The Cal Poly Choirs will present their annual holiday spectacular, "A Christmas



Celebration," at 8 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 6, in Harman Hall of the Performing Arts Center's Christopher Cohan Center. PolyPhonics, the University Singers, and the Cal Poly Early Music Ensemble will present holiday favorites and some new works. Music Professor Thomas Davies will conduct the performance. The Cal Poly Brass Ensemble, conducted by Christopher J. Woodruff, and Cal Poly's two student-led a cappella ensembles — Take It SLO and That's the Key — will add to the festive performances. Staff members Susan Azaret Davies and Paul Woodring will accompany the choirs and will also perform solo works for piano and organ. For more information, visit the [Cal Poly News website](#).

#### **Cal Poly Symphony, Guest Artists to Perform Operatic Highlights Dec. 7**

The Cal Poly Symphony and soprano Ciera Lamborn and tenor Christopher Campbell will perform what is considered to be some of the greatest opera music ever written at the symphony's Fall Concert at 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 7, in Harman Hall in the Performing Arts Center's Christopher Cohan Center. Titled "Symphony at the Opera," the concert will begin with three orchestral works. Both guest artists will perform solo arias from Puccini operas. Tickets are \$12 and \$14 for the public and \$9 and \$12 for senior citizens and students. For more information, visit the Cal Poly News website, or call the Music Department at ext. 6-2406.

#### **A Cappella Group Take It SLO to Present Two Holiday Performances on Dec. 7**

Take It SLO, one of Cal Poly's a cappella ensembles, will present its annual Holiday Concert at 1 and 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 7, in Room 218 in the Davidson Music Center (Building 45) on campus. The 17-member vocal ensemble will perform a variety of songs designed to raise the holiday spirit, plus some new works and old favorites, all arranged by students. The group's members represent a variety of majors on campus. For more information, visit 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](http://www.gopoly.com). Students always get in free. Faculty and staff discounts available.

#### **Football**

vs. UC Davis  
6:05 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 15

#### **Men's Basketball**

vs. San Francisco State  
7 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 18

### **Job Vacancies**

#### **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.

**#103468 – General Engineering Program Coordinator**, (Administrative Support Coordinator I), College of Engineering - General Engineering Program, \$2,846-\$4,268 per month. Open until filled. Review begins Dec. 5.

**#103465 – Administrative Analyst/Specialist – Non-Exempt**, Office of Equal Opportunity. \$3,288-\$5,263 per month. Open until filled. Review begins Nov. 20.

**#103467 – Administrative Support Coordinator I**, College of Agriculture, Food & Environmental Design - BioResource & Agricultural Engineering, \$2,846-\$4,268 per month. Open until filled. Review begins Nov. 20.

#### **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 openings 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. All positions have excellent benefits, including medical, dental, vision, life insurance, retirement, paid sick leave/vacation and holidays. To view job postings and/or apply, visit the [Corporation website](#). For assistance, contact Human Resources at ext. 6-1121.

**Lead Software Architect**, Institute for Advanced Technology and Public Policy, \$54,912-\$79,560 annually.

**Communications Manager**, Center for Innovation & Entrepreneurship, \$17.16-\$24.90 per hour.

**Grant Program Assistant**, Teacher Quality Partnership Grant, \$16.18-\$23.47 per hour.

**Custodian**, Campus Dining, \$13.37-\$20.07 per hour.

**Custodial Assistant**, Campus Dining, \$9.30-\$13.52 per hour.

#### **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 openings at this time.

