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### **Series of Open Public Forums on Situation in Iraq To Begin at Cal Poly Wednesday**

SAN LUIS OBISPO -- A series of daytime and evening "town meetings" on the situation in Iraq will be held at Cal Poly during the next two weeks, with the first on Wednesday (April 2) from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the Christopher Cohan Center's Philips Hall (Room 124).

Co-sponsored by Cal Poly's divisions of Academic Affairs and Student Affairs, the meetings will provide an opportunity for members of the university and local communities to express their views on the subject.

A moderator will preside at each meeting, and each person's remarks will be limited to about two minutes, depending on the number who wish to speak.

Other forums are scheduled for 11 a.m.-noon Thursday (April 3) in Room 220 of the University Union, 11 a.m.-noon April 8 in Room 220 of the University Union, and 7-8:30 p.m. April 9 in the Christopher Cohan Center's Philips Hall. If interest continues, additional meetings will be held.

The forum schedule is available at <http://www.academics.calpoly.edu/IRAQ/meetings.htm>. For more information, call Academic Programs at 756-2246.

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