Provost's Leadership Award for Partnership in Philanthropy

Nominations are being accepted for the Provost's Leadership Award for Partnership in Philanthropy, which recognizes a current or former faculty member's superior achievement in fundraising. The award recipient will be recognized at the 2007 Fall Conference. Faculty, staff and current students are eligible to submit nominations. A form is available at http://www.academicaffairs.calpoly.edu/provost/ProvostLIPAward.html.

Nominations should be submitted to Polly Harrigan, director of Advancement Programs, Heron Hall, Room 206 no later than 5 p.m. on June 15. Electronic submissions can be emailed to pharriga@calpoly.edu. For more information, please contact Polly Harrigan at ext. 6-6553.

Honors Day set for May 31

The Honors Program is hosting Honors Day on May 31 from 1 to 5:30 p.m. in the Bonderson Engineering Building, Room 107. The event highlights interdisciplinary research conducted by Honors students under the supervision of faculty members. This event is open to all faculty and staff. For more information, visit the Honors Program Web site at http://honors.calpoly.edu/invites/HonorsDayS2007.htm.

Spring Cleaning

An Information Security Forum, focusing on ways to safely dispose of and store information, is scheduled on Wednesday, May 30, from 11 a.m. to noon in the UU, Room 220. Faculty and staff are encouraged to attend this important training session, although attendance is subject to supervisory approval, based on the operational needs of the department. A question and answer session will follow the presentation. For more information, contact Vicki Stover, Information Security Officer, at vstover@calpoly.edu.

Time to submit textbook orders for fall 2007

Faculty members are encouraged to submit fall 2007 textbook orders (books and course packs) and supply lists to El Corral Bookstore by May 25. Include any orders for off-site (San Francisco, London, Spain, etc.) courses as soon as possible. On-time requisitions help ensure student success because books arrive on-time, more used books are available, and students receive more money at buyback. There are three ways to use the online faculty adoptions site:

- Access the Web site http://www.elcorralbookstore.com. Click on "Faculty & Staff." Click on "On-line Faculty Adoptions."

- Use direct access, http://www.elcorralbookstore.com/misc/faculty/adoptions.aspx


For more information or help after viewing the on-line tutorial, contact the bookstore's courseware office at ext. 6-1171 or go to http://www.elcorralbookstore.com and use the "Contact Us" link at the bottom of the page.
Employment

#101318 Administrative Support Coordinator II, College of Agriculture, Food and Environmental Sciences, Food Science and Nutrition, INTERNAL RECRUITMENT, $2,971-$4,461/month. Closes: June 12.

ASI: Candidates are asked to visit the Web at www.asi.calpoly.edu/ to complete an application and apply for any positions listed below. For position descriptions and applications, stop by the ASI Business Office, UU 212, or call ext. 6-5800.


Campus conversations on the assessment of student learning
On May 31, the Academic Assessment Council will host a one day series of conversations on program level assessment. The series will begin with a plenary session, led by the Provost, at 11 a.m. in the right wing of Chumash Auditorium. Hear about exciting work from colleagues or share personal experiences. All faculty and administrative staff are invited to attend a conversation(s) of their choice from noon to 4 p.m. For a complete schedule of conversations, visit http://www.academicprograms.calpoly.edu/whatsnew/assess_conv.html or contact the Academic Programs Office at ext. 6-2246 or acadprog@calpoly.edu.

Bella Montaña - Open Forum and Open House June 1-2
The Cal Poly Housing Corporation invites all campus employees interested in learning more about the Bella Montaña faculty and staff homes to attend an open forum on Friday, June 1, at 11 a.m. in Phillips Hall of the PAC.
The forum will include information about the homes’ features, the ground sublease terms, financing, the unique benefits of buying at Bella Montaña, and a question-and-answer session. An open house will be held Saturday, June 2, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Bella Montana, located at the northwest corner of Highland Drive and North Santa Rosa Street. The open house is an opportunity to visit the model home and a first chance to see the newly completed homes within the four-plex buildings. These new homes have either a balcony with beautiful views of the surrounding mountains, or a private, fully-fenced patio and yard area. For more information about Bella Montaña, visit www.BellaMontanaHomes.com.

Religious studies club to host ‘Scientology, without the Spin’ May 24
Due to Scientology’s celebrity adherents, the press often delivers bits and pieces about Scientology, but what do Scientologists actually believe? The Theisms-A RELS club has invited a representative of the Church of Scientology to share their worldview on Thursday, May 24, 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the Science Building, Room A12. For more information, contact Stephen Lloyd-Moffett at ext. 2475 or slloydmo@calpoly.edu.

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