CAL POLY REPORT, JANUARY 16, 2002

Position Vacancies

STATE: The official listing of staff and management vacancies is posted at least two weeks prior to closing dates on Cal Poly's Web site at www.calpoly.edu. (Select "Employment." From the Cal Poly links drop-down box.) As a courtesy to our on-campus employers, job vacancies also are published in the Cal Poly Report. Positions marked with an asterisk indicate that qualified on-campus applicants in bargaining units 2, 5 and 7 will be given first consideration. Job applications must be received in Human Resources, Admin. 118, by 5 p.m. on the closing date.

#246-Analyst/Programmer/Founda- tion, Information Technology Service- Application Management, $3,000-4,791, Closing date: Jan. 25.


#248-Custodian, Housing and Busi- ness Services, $1,986-$2,578. Only persons presently employed on campus may apply. Closing date: Jan. 25.

FOUNDATION (Foundation Adm. Building, job line at ext. 6-7107). All Foundation applications must be received (not just postmarked) by 5 p.m. of the closing date. (No faxes.) Payroll Supervisor, 18.01-$26.11/hr. Closing date: Open until filled; review of applications begins Jan. 25.

Assistant Chef/Cook, Cook, Campus Dining: $8.64-$12.56/hr., 10-month position, summer off. Closing date: Open until filled; review of applications begins Friday (Jan. 18).

Assistant Supervisor, Light House, Campus Dining: $9.79-$14.19/hr. Closing date: Open until filled; review of applications begins Friday (Jan. 18).

Senior Pest Control Administrator, Pest Management Coordinator, Crop Science Department: $16.03-$21.20/hr. Closing date: Open until filled; review of applications begins Friday (Jan. 18).

ASSOCIATED STUDENTS INC. is accepting applications for the following positions. Complete position descriptions and applications are available at the ASI Business Office, UU 212, M-F, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. A resume will be required by 5 p.m. of the listed closing date. A/E/OE.


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Carrying a torch

Student to run with Olympic flame tonight

Cal Poly student and double lung transplant survivor Courtney Page is one of six Olympic torchbearers to carry the Olympic flame through campus this week.

The 22-year-old business major, who suffered from cystic fibrosis, is celebrating a string of victories way back to health after being added to the Olympic Torch Relay. She was chosen for her ability to inspire others through overcoming adversity, inspiring the Olympic movement.

The campus portion of the relay will begin at 7:10 p.m. Tuesday (Jan. 15) in front of the Library and proceed to Kingsport. For more information, see related story, right.

DATELINE

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Exhibits

University Art Gallery (Dexter): "50 Books/50 Covers," works by members of the American Institute of Graphic Artists. Through Feb. 3. Hours: 11 a.m.-4 p.m. daily plus 7-9 p.m. Wednesday.

Wednesday, January 16

Music: John Krause, BackStage Pizza, 11 a.m.

Thursday, January 17

Computer Science Colloquium: Students Andy Robijn and Jason Gavin (City and Regional Planning), "VirtualSLO," Erhart Ag 115, 5 p.m. Philosophy at Polka Poetry Party (University of Colorado at Boulder), "Islam, Women and Politics," PAC Philips Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, January 18


For more information, call the Multicultural Center at ext. 6-1405.

Olympic Torch to pass through campus

In honor of Cal Poly's Centennial, the Olympic Relay will pass through campus, beginning at approximately 7:10 p.m. at the Grand Avenue entrance. It will proceed to South Perimeter Drive and onto Campus Route. Way before existing on California Boulevard and on to points in San Luis Obispo.

Six of the roughly 22 Olympic torchbearers will carry the torch through campus. The route through campus will be decorated with green and yellow balloons.
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For more information and application forms visit www.education2career.net or call Paredes at 781-2670 ext. 113.

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Lincoln leads women’s softball to first win
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Students will be encouraged to work with their subject librarian as a follow-up to the clinic.

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**March Friday to honor Martin Luther King Jr.**

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After the procession, at 1 p.m., guest speaker Angelo Williams, former public policy and media consultant to California State Assemblyman Carl Washington of Compton, will talk about King.

Williams' presentation, titled "Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Invented the Internet! (How the Philosophy of Integration Opened America)," will be in Fisher Science 286.

For more information, call the Multicultural Center at ext. 6-1405.

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**Olympic Torch to pass through campus**

In honor of Cal Poly's Centennial, the Olympic Torch Relay will pass through campus, beginning at approximately 7:10 p.m. at the Grand Avenue entrance.

It will progress down South Perimeter Drive and onto Campus Road. Way before existing on California Boulevard and on to points in San Luis Obispo.

Six of the roughly 22 Olympic torchbearers will carry the torch through campus. The route through campus will be decorated with green and yellow balloons.