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Cal Poly Schedules Campus March To Honor Martin Luther King Jr.

In memory of Martin Luther King Jr., Cal Poly's Multicultural
Center and the Black Faculty and Staff Association will hold a
commemorative march at 12:30 p.m. Jan. 18 beginning at Dexter Lawn and
ending at Fisher Science Hall on campus.

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

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

As Washington's legislative assistant, Williams authored measures
concerning school violence prevention and safety; economic development,
public safety, law enforcement, prison reform and education.

He earned dual bachelor's degrees in sociology and African American
Studies at UC Davis. He also studied at the University of Ghana, West
Africa, and in Port au Prince, Haiti, as a visiting student scholar.

Williams served for two terms as a University of California Minorities
in Undergraduate Research in Letters and Science Scholar. He also was
named a National Undergraduate Research Scholar and received a
Sacramento Bee Journalism and Media Scholarship.

For more information on the march or talk, call the Multicultural
Center at 756-1405.

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