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#### **Student Housing Survey**

Student Affairs will be issuing a survey next week to currently enrolled CSUCI students to gain insight into various aspects of student housing. The survey will help to inform campus staff and consultants who are planning the future phases of student housing on the campus. The online survey will be posted on the University Web site and all surveys are to be completed by the February 10 deadline. A drawing will be held for all students who complete the survey and prizes will be awarded.

For more information, contact Ed Lebioda, assistant vice president for Student Affairs, at ext. 8547.

## CSUCI Professor Seeks Long-Term, Temporary Housing after La Conchita Mudslide

Joseph McNeil, lecturer in physics, is seeking long-term, temporary housing since his home is located in La Conchita. He is looking for a reasonably priced place to live in Ventura County, as close to the campus as possible for himself and a large, well-mannered dog and preferrably fenced. Interested individuals can contact Joseph at joseph.mcneil@csuci.edu.

#### Deadline for Spring 2005 IRA Funding Is February 28

The deadline for receiving applications for spring 2005 project proposals to be funded by the Instructionally Related Activities (IRA) Fund is February 28. The deadline for applications for the fall 2005 and spring 2006 academic year is March 31. The IRA Fund Committee approves funding for projects that are integrally related to the formal instructional offerings of the University that are associated with scheduled credit courses. Last fall, more than \$128,000 was used to fund projects such as the Campus Reading Celebration, the Fall Festival of Short Plays, the Museum of Tolerance Field Trip, Student Research Presentations, and many other lecturers and speakers.

For more information, contact Cindy Eaves, academic events coordinator, at ext. 8548.

#### Interviews for New Faculty to Be Held in February

The Academic Affairs Division will be conducting faculty recruitment interviews on February 4, 11, and 18 for approximately 52 candidates for positions in the disciplines of business, education, physics, biology, computer science, psychology, mathematics, digital library resource, chemistry, sociology, environmental science resource management, history, and physiology. Faculty who receive appointments would begin teaching in the fall of 2005.

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The library has recently purchased the entire electronic versions of annual reviews that highlight the best published articles for all science and social science fields. The valuable collection represents an intelligent synthesis of scientific literature that is useful for both faculty and students. Each publication includes all volumes. To find the annual reviews, go to the library's homepage and roll over to "Articles & Databases" and click on "Databases A-Z." A link has also been created for annual reviews in each appropriate academic major or program listed under "Resources by Subjects and Majors." In addition, instructors may post articles for students by using the external links section of Blackboard, or the library's Electronic Coursepack Program.

For more information, call Paul Adalian, dean of the library, at ext. 8577.

#### Campus Groups Sponsor Sex Education Talks

A series of sex awareness talks will be held on campus in mid-February, sponsored by Student Government, the Health Center, the Student Programming Board, and the Multicultural and Women's & Gender Center (MWGC). The talks include "Condoms and Candy," contraceptive information presented by the Health Center at the front of the Bell Tower, noon – 3 p.m., Monday, February 14; "Everything You Wanted to Know But Are Afraid to Ask," a question-and-answer session with a panel that includes Dr. Virgil Adams and Dr. Laura Forsyth, Bell Tower 1602, 2:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 15; lecture to be announced, Bell Tower 1602, 7 p.m., Wednesday, February 16; discussion on reproductive rights, hosted by the MWGC and facilitated by Planned Parenthood, at the MWGC office, 2:30 p.m., Thursday, February 17.

For more information, contact Student Government at ext. 2759.

#### CSUCI Rotaract Club Seeks Support for Charity Marathon Event

Members of the CSUCI Rotaract Club are asking the University community for its support of the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's Team in Training for the Rock 'n' Roll Marathon in San Diego in June of this year. Individuals may join the CSUCI Team in Training, which will run together every Saturday in Thousand Oaks, Ventura, and other areas until the June event. Trainers are available to help with proper gear, nutrition, hydration, and other issues. A nine-year-old honorary teammate who has leukemia will be present at a kickoff dinner to be held Saturday, January 29, in Carpenteria. Participants do not have to be members of the CSUCI Rotaract Club.

For more information, contact Christine Popok, lecturer in English and Business and Economics, at ext. 8978.

#### Dreamweaver Software Class Scheduled for February 17

A beginning Dreamweaver workshop conducted by Judy Swanson is scheduled for Thursday, February 17, from 10 a.m. – noon, in the library wireless classroom. To sign up or for more information, visit <a href="http://www.library.csuci.edu/forms/workshopsSpring05.php">http://www.library.csuci.edu/forms/workshopsSpring05.php</a>.

#### Construction Report

Bids for the construction of the Broome Library were received on January 11. The apparent winning proponent is the design/building team of PCL Construction/Gruen Associates. PCL is a construction industry leader established in 1906. The PCL family of companies is the largest general contracting organization in Canada and among the largest in the United States. Gruen Associates, established in 1946, provides architectural, interior design, planning, urban design, environmental assessment, landscape architecture, community participation, and transportation services worldwide.

For more information, contact Juan Beltranena, director of Facilities, OPC, ext. 8496.

### **Around Campus**

On Monday, January 24, the campus community and others celebrated the first day of the spring semester and the dedication of "Aspirations," the new fountain located on the Science Plaza. The fountain was a gift to the University from the John Spoor Broome family.



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