

CHISME

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CLRC Undergraduate Program

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UCSC goes to NACCS

Twenty-four UCSC undergraduate students attended the Annual National Association of Chicana and Chicano Studies Conference in Chicago, March 20-23rd. UCSC presented an undergraduate panel, three graduate student panels, two faculty panels and one community panel (Barrios Unidos). We were very well represented at this year's meetings. Next year the NACCS Conference will be in Sacramento and we hope to send even more students. CHISME will keep you posted on how to get involved in planning for the NACCS Conference as well as how to participate next year. Special thanks to Rosie Cabrera (SAA/EOP) as well as Vice Chancellor Francisco Hernández, Larry Trujillo and the CLRC, SOAR office and the Provosts from Oakes, Cowell, College 8, Porter and Merrill for their support.

THIRD ANNUAL MEChA FORUM

Nuestro Futuro Construido por Nuestros Sueños. Speakers include: Profesora Yvette Flores-Ortiz, Chicana Studies, UC Davis; Profesor Larry Trujillo, Community Studies/CLRC, UCSC; Ed Gómez, Student Regent; and Magdaleno Rose-Avila, Director of Cesar Chávez Foundation, UFW. Thursday, **April 25, 1996 from 7-9 p.m. Kresge Town Hall.** Refreshments served. For more information, call Dominick @ 471-9456.

CLRC Undergraduate Research Program

This program offers students the opportunity to participate with faculty and graduate students in the following research clusters: "Global Restructuring and Latinos," "Comparative Race and Ethnicity" and "Chicano/Latino/Latin American Studies." Interested students will participate in a 2 unit seminar taught by Larry Trujillo and Kathryn Blackmer-Reyes this **Spring**. You will learn the most advanced on-line methods for research including: multimedia resources, CD roms, world-wide web as well as data bases specific to Latin America/Latino/Chicano Studies. You will be assigned a faculty mentor and begin doing research in the research cluster of your choosing. For more info. call Larry @ x5608 or stop by the CLRC.

CHICANA/LATINA PIPELINE TARDEADA

Come join us at a Tardeada to introduce the Chicana/Latina Pipeline and network with Chicana/Latina students, staff, faculty and community activists. The primary goal of the Pipeline Project is to improve retention rates among Chicanas/Latinas and inspire the pursuit graduate studies. We will also celebrate Chicana/Latina graduating seniors and introduce new staff and faculty. The Tardeada will be on **April 24th, 4-6p.m.** @ the Women's Center. For more info. call Melissa @x5652 or

CLRC COLLOQUIUM SERIES

"MESTIZAJE: FROM THE PLANTATION TO THE BLACK ATLANTIC," Lourdes Martínez-Echazabel, Associate Professor of Literature@UCSC. Tues. April 23, 4-6pm @ Merrill College, Baobab Lounge.

"LA ONDA CHICANA: CHICANO MUSIC AND A SENSE OF PLACE," Larry Trujillo, CLRC Undergraduate Coordinator and lecturer in Community Studies @ UCSC. Tues. April 30, 4-6pm. @ Merrill College, Baobab Lounge.

"OH SAY CAN YOU SEE (ME)?: THE STAGE OF QUEER/CHICANA," Luz Calvo, graduate student, History of Consciousness & "SPANISH/ENGLISH BILINGUAL PRESCHOOL CHILDREN ARE NOT LINGUISTICALLY CONFUSED," Sandra Pacheco, graduate student, Psychology. Tues. May 14, 4-6pm. @ Merrill College, Baobab Lounge.

MISCELLANEOUS

VOLUNTEERS WANTED!!
You can become involved with the ALTO Counseling Center, Familia Center y otros. A list of volunteer work is available at CLRC/Casa Latina. *Así que* this is an opportunity to help out *la comunidad*.

"CHICANO: The History of the Mexican-American Civil Rights Movement." April 12-19, 9-11p.m. on PBS.

THE FUTURE OF UCSC IS IN YOUR HANDS. A list of available positions to work on committees that advise the Chancellor and the Academic Senate are available at CLRC/Casa Latina. Deadline: April 14.

Organizations

MEChA meets Wed. @ 8:00 p.m., at the Student Center. Contact Adrian D., 459-0749 or <ahdorris@cats>.

UNA meets Tues. @ 8:00 p.m., at the Science Library RM215. Contact Maya C., 425-3776 or <mayac@cats>.

CHE meets every other Mon. @ 9:00 p.m., at the Science Library. Contact Jaime, 425-0495 or <jaimer@cats>.

ESP Meetings time and place T.B.A. Contact Juani L., 429-5657 or <juanipst@cats>.

LOSMEXICAS meets @ Mon. 7-10 p.m., Fri. 6-8 p.m., & Sun. 4-7 p.m. at the dance studio east field. Contact Alberto G., 457-9673 or <oldog@cats>.

KAPPA PHI TAU HERMANDAD Meetings time and place T.B.A. Contact Eliceo H., 459-9491 or <cheo@cats>.

SIGMA LAMBDA ZETA meets Sun. @ 7:30 p.m., at the Student Center or T.B.A. Contact Evonne R., 427-3873.

MADRES LATINAS meets Fri. @ 7:00 p.m., 313 Family Student Housing. Contact Carmen C. @ 459-6708

CHICANO/LATINO GRADUATING COMMITTEE meets every other Thursday @ 8:00 p.m. in the Student Center. Contact Sobeida Vizcarra., 426-5657 or <sobi@cats>.

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Graduate Informational Program is an information resource for graduate schools, internships, GRE and MLAT. Located at SAA/EOP office 254 Hahn Student Center. Office hours: **8-4p.m. Mon.-Fri.**

POLITICAL ACTIVISM IN HIGHER EDUCATION. Faculty of color discuss the integration of "activism" and "academia." This event is an attempt to entice students interests in becoming faculty members. Faculty members will be present to answer questions. Oakes Learning Center, **April 24, 7:00p.m.** For more info. contact the SAA/EOP Office.

ACADEMIC SUCCESS WORKSHOP SERIES. Check these out! The Coalition for Student Academic Success is sponsoring workshops for you. Take time to do something for yourself.

MANAGING YOUR TIME WISELY, Thurs., **April 18, 3:00-5:00pm @ SAA/EOP Crown Annex.**

MAKING THE MOST OUT OF OUR CLASS NOTES, Mon., **April 22, 3:30-5:00pm @ 325 McHenry Library.**

READING WITH MUSCLE: EFFECTIVE READING STRATEGIES, Thurs., **April 25, 3:30-5:00pm @ SAA/EOP Crown Annex.**

HOW NOT TO FREAK OUT WHEN YOU SPEAK, Mon., **April 29, 3:30-5:00pm @ 325 McHenry Library.**

PREPARING FOR THE GRE/LSAT/MCAT, Thurs., **May 2, 3:30-5:00pm @ SAA/EOP Crown Annex.**

DEALING WITH DIFFICULT SITUATIONS: COMMUNICATING SKILLS FOR EVERYDAY LIFE. Mon., **May 6, 3:30-5 @ 325 McHenry Library.**

TORTS AND COURTS: IS LAW SCHOOL FOR ME? Thurs., **May 9, 3:30-5, Crown Annex.**

For more info. contact SAA/EOP @ x2296.

El ANDAR FOUNDATION presents el TEATRO de la ESPERANZA'S "When EL CUCUI walks." At the Henry Mello Center for the Performing Arts, **April 12, 8:00p.m** For ticket info. call 429-6758 or stop by CLRC.

San Francisco Museum of Modern Art is having an exhibit of works done by Frida Kahlo and Diego Rivera from **April 18th-Sept. 8th.**

UFW Strawberry Pickers' March Watsonville, **Sunday, April 21st!**

Become part of the UFW's struggle for social justice and join the estimated 10,000 to 15,000 workers who will march on the 21st. We are hoping that 200 or more UCSC students will participate! Carpools will be leaving from campus -- time and date TBA. A UCSC/ UFW student support committee is forming. We are currently organizing a rally for **Wed., April 17th** to kick off a nation-wide "Fast For Life" and mobilize support for this march. Get involved and be a part of history! ¡SI SE PUEDE! Planning meetings for this event will be on-going. For more info. contact Claudia @ 457-8837, <ccw@cats> or Alma at 429-6635, <almitah@cats>.

FAMILIA CENTER

Familia Center is a bilingual, bicultural, community-based resource center serving low-income and Latino residents of North Santa Cruz County. Familia Center has assisted thousands of community members to meet their basic human needs for shelter, food, clothing, and employment. The volunteers and staff work to instill the sense of empowerment and hope which is so often lost to those who struggle with poverty, cultural exclusion and racism on a daily basis. Familia Center is located at 711 East Cliff Drive or call 423-5747.

CAMPUS & COMMUNITY EVENTS

The 1996 National MEChA Conference will be held at The University of Texas-Pan American, Edinburg. April 11-14. For more info. contact Adrian Dorris @ 459-0749 or <ahdorris@cats>.

Reach Out ! Watch for the upcoming phone campaign to Fall 1996 admits. Admitted SAA frosh and transfer students will need to be contacted. Hey *gente*, let's not be all talk. Get involved in opening up the eyes of our future *raza* students. Help wake them up and smell the *chocolate*. Don't just say you're involved, get involved! *Esperamos su llamada*. Sessions begin April 8-17. For more info. contact Pablo @ x4260 or e-mail: pabl@cats.

Rosemary Demsey will be speaking at Oakes Learning Center on April 11 @ 6:00 p.m. She will give a speech entitled, "Stopping the Politics of Hate."

ESP will be having their spring *pachanga* on April 12 @ the Oakes Learning Center. Our own Profe T (Larry Trujillo) will be the DJ. A fundraiser for the *escuelita* in the Beach Flats .

Careers, Internships & Summer Jobs Fair, Friday April 19, 10a.m. -2p.m @ West Field House. Over fifty companies and government agencies represented.

Chicano/Latino Men's Support Group. We are mostly students, some staff and a few faculty who meet once a week to discuss issues in a friendly supportive environment. All our mtgs. for spring quarter will take place at the College 8 Red Room, every Mon. 6-8 p.m. Beginning April 8. For more info. contact Daniel @ x3627.

CHICANA/LATINA SUPPORT GROUP. To be held on Wed. 1-2:30 p.m. @ Oakes, Room 233. Starting April 24. Facilitator, Peg Shemaria, x4481.

L.A. Cucaracha, April 24, 8 p.m. Merrill Dining Hall.

Banana Slug Fest will be on April 20. It is an all day event.

Mes de la Raza movie series, for the entire month of May. Location TBA.

Poster Art of *El Movimiento Chicano* from the collection of Larry Trujillo. Exhibition opening, May 3rd, 4-7 p.m. @ *La Galería de Casa Latina*, Merrill College. Food, drink and *música del movimiento* by D.J. Profe T.

MEChA's 10th Annual Parent Student Conference will be held on May 4, at Cowell College. For more info. contact Carolina Lara @ 423-3771 or Lorena Velásquez @ 457-1673.

Merrill Tardeada on May 5, 2-7p.m by the Taquería. Come celebrate Cinco de Mayo.

IRON CIRCLE NATION & E.L.A.C. MEChA presents the "2nd Annual Northern Southern Winds Recognizing No Borders." May 11-12. For more info. call E.L.A.C. MEChA @ (213) 265-8753.

UCSC SPRING POW-WOW will be held on May 18-19. For more info. call Adrian D. or Anndie O. @ 459-0749.

ATTENTION ! Chicano/Latino Graduates Class of '96. Chicano/Latino Graduation meetings this Spring every Thurs., 8 pm @ the Student Center.

INTERNSHIPS

Chancellor's Undergraduate Internship Program (CUIP). As students we have a unique perspective and energy that can rejuvenate any unit on campus. It gives us a chance to really make changes for the improvement of our learning environment and the campus community. Applications and info. at all colleges. Deadline: April 12.

Institute for Recruitment of Teachers.

An intensive four-week program at Phillips Academy during summer which helps participants refine their writing, analytical and oral skills. Applicants must be majoring in Humanities, Social Sciences or Education and must be considering a career at the high school or university level. For more info. contact the CLRC/Casa Latina. Deadline: **April 15.**

Summer 1996 Internship Opportunities in Mexico. *Campamentos*: Youth Volunteer & Service Work camps from Mexico City to Puebla. For more info. contact the CLRC/Casa Latina. Deadline: ASAP.

Internship in Foreign Policy. The National Security Archive, an independent, non-profit research institute and library seeks a student intern to assist part-time on a project concerning "History of the Guatemalan Armed Forces." For more info. contact the CLRC/Casa Latina.

San Lorenzo Valley High School is seeking a bilingual/bicultural student to be a mentor support person for high school and junior high students. Position available immediately for Spring and Fall quarter. For more info. call Sheila Carrillo @ 458-4101

Los Angeles Mexican Cultural Institute has summer internship opportunities for undergraduate bilingual/multicultural students. The institute is seeking to fill two summer internships. Both interns will develop and design a visual display depicting traditional Mexican holiday festivals in L.A. For more info. contact the CLRC/Casa Latina. Deadline: April 26.

FELLOWSHIPS & PROGRAMS

SAA/EOP Summer Fellowship: SOAR Summer Opportunities For Academic Research. Check this out! This is a must program for graduate school preparation. See Rosie Cabrera or any SAA/EOP counselor for details. Deadline: April 22.

Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute, Inc. Fellowship Program. Interest in public policy or health related fields. For more info. contact the CLRC/Casa Latina. Deadline: April 16.

AT&T Hispanic Fellowship Program at the Library of Congress, Washington, DC. Two fellows will be selected to work full time (40 hrs. per week) assisting the Hispanic Division of the Library of Congress. Duties entail doing bibliographical research and working closely with primary source materials and publications. For more info. contact the CLRC/Casa Latina. Deadline: April 12.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Golden State Minority Scholarships. For juniors and seniors with declared majors in business and a GPA of 3.0 or above. Request application from: Golden State Minority Foundation, 1055 Wilshire Blvd. Suite 1115, Los Angeles, CA 90017. **Deadline: ASAP.**

Gloria and Joseph Mattera National Scholarship. Fund for Migrant Children. Applications available at CLRC. **Deadline is through out the year.**

Council on Legal Education Opportunity. For students who have or will have completed their undergraduate degree and are pursuing a law degree. For more info. come to CLRC/Casa Latina. **Deadline: April 15.**

Latin Business Foundation. Must be residing in California and demonstrate financial need. Field interest must be in accounting, architecture, computer science, economics/management, finance, law, marketing, teaching. For info. and applications come to CLRC/Casa Latina. **Deadline: April 15.**

Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers Foundation. Interest must be in engineering/science. Demonstrate financial need. For more info. come to CLRC/Casa Latina. **Deadline: April 15.**

Public Relations Society of America (PRSA) National Minority Scholarship Fund. Must be a junior. For applications and info. come to CLRC/Casa Latina. **Deadline: April 17.**

American G.I. Forum of the U.S. Hispanic Scholarship Fund HEF. For more info. contact Isabelle Ogaz Tellez @ (505) 243-7551/247-4910. **Deadline: April 30.**

Joel Frankel Memorial Scholarship Fund. For students pursuing field studies in Latin America or within Spanish speaking communities in the U.S. Applications available in the LALS Program office 101 Casa Latina @ Merrill College. **Deadline: May 1.**

League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC). For more info. contact Program Director @ (202) 408-0060. **Deadline: On-going.**

National Hispanic Scholarship Fund (NHSF). For more info. contact Dora Robles @ (415) 892-9971. **Deadline: April 1- June 15.**

Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities (HUAC). For more info. contact Antonio Hernández @ (210) 692-3805. **Deadline: On-going.**

Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers Foundation. For more info. contact Kathy Borunda @ (213) 888-2080. **Deadline: On-going.**

Hispanic Public Relations Association (HPRA) Scholarships. For more info. contact Octavio Nury @ (714) 453-0116. **Deadline: On-going.**