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# C.S.U.S.B. eAdvising Newsletter

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This information is provided to CSUSB undergraduate students by Advising & Academic Services, Undergraduate Studies, on a quarterly basis. It includes the latest university policy & procedure updates, academic advising tips, and campus web links.

## Refreshed and Ready

#### Hi Coyotes!

Now that Spring has sprung let's spring into action for a new quarter and start things off on the right foot.

Remember to use your syllabi and write all of your test dates and due dates in your calendar. Get to know your instructors and give them the chance to get to know you. Have you met with your faculty advisor yet? Now would be a great time to put that on your things to do list for the quarter. Meeting with your faculty will give you the chance to discuss major specific internships and research opportunities that may benefit you.

Being successful isn't something that just happens to lucky people; success comes to those who work for it. Let's all make Spring a successful quarter in spite of challenges and difficulty lets resolve now to overcome and persevere.

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You have almost made it through the entire academic year, just a few more weeks to go. Don't ease up now!



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# Coyote Advising Week for Fall 2013 Begins May 13th

Although advising is available year-round, in the week prior to registration students are encouraged to meet with advisors to make plans for the following term. This is the ideal time to ensure that all registration holds are addressed and to inquire about internships. Make certain that you and your advisor are reviewing the most recent copy of your Program Advising Worksheet (PAWS). For assistance accessing your PAWS feel free to utilize the tutorial in the <a href="MyCoyote Help">MyCoyote Help</a> portal.

Please make your advising appointments prior to your registration date so that you do not experience any challenges when your registration date and time arrive.

If you are unsure where to go for advising, please check the <u>CSUSB Academic Advising website</u>.

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### **Advising and Academic Services**



Want to know how we can help you?

- Help deciding on a major.
- Guidance if you've found yourself on Academic Probation.
- If you're a first year undeclared student our peer ad-

visors can help you to get adjusted.

- Information on how to register for classes that may overlap in time.
- Need to take some time off.
   Talk to us first, we can help.
- If has life taken an unexpected turn and you need to withdrawal from a class or quarter.

These are just a few of the ways we can be a resource to you. Stop by our office to find out more ways that we are working to make your degree pursuit a successful one.

Our office is now on Facebook and Twitter! For campus updates, deadlines, and upcoming events, don't forget to



and



## Submit Your Nominations

### **Outstanding Faculty Advisor 2012-2013**

Do you know of a faculty advisor who has gone above and beyond for their students?

Don't you feel its about time they were recognized for their hard work and dedication?

If so, please take the time to nominate them for the Outstanding Faculty Advisor Award.

The recipient's name will be announced at the Faculty Recognition Luncheon. The selected faculty member's name will be forwarded to the National Academic Advisors Association (NACADA) to serve as California State University San Bernardino's nominee for national recognition. The recipient will also have his/her name added to our CSUSB Outstanding Faculty Advisor Honor Plaque in UH-397. Additionally, the recipient will receive \$500 in travel funds and a designated parking spot.

For more instructions on how to nominate someone please visit our website by clicking the link above.

Submit nominations to UH-380 or E-Mail <a href="mailto:rnavarro@csusb.edu">rnavarro@csusb.edu</a> by 5:00 pm,

Monday, May 6,2013.

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## **The Student Success Peer Advisors**

The Student Success Peer Advising Team is a subset of the office of Advising Academic Services. The Student Success Team works with first time first year undeclared students as well as those who are considered "at risk". The Student Success Peer Advisors will also be an addition to the SOAR 2013 schedule, allowing smaller advising sessions for all new students. The Student Success Peer Advising Program provides a continuation to students' initial orientation with the campus. In this relationship students have the opportunity to build a rapport with SSPAs, Advising and Academic Services and the campus at large. Providing students with a guideline for how to go about deciding on a major, help with understanding their PAWS report, clarifying campus policies and procedures and referring students to various campus resources; SSPAs assist students with the transition to college life. To schedule an appointment just call 909.537.5034 or 909.537.5035



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**Tiffany** 

Wendy



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Alan



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## Congratulations to the Winter 2013

# The Dianna J. Pelletier Resiliency Scholarship Fund Winners Julia Kay Oberndorf

"Despite everything that happened, I still managed to get all A's and clear myself out of academic probation while studying hard and paying for my own education out of pocket."

### **Alexandra Alagiannis**

"Lets do this once and for all, lets make my parents and myself proud. I am stronger than this and I can achieve whatever I want to"



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### **Ombuds Services**

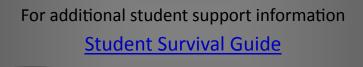
If you have any university-related issue, complaint or conflict, (click for the website) Ombuds Services & Gender Equity is a confidential, neutral, informal resource. You can work with the Director of Ombuds Services & Gender Equity, Tera Bisbee, one-on-one to discuss your situation and seek constructive, equitable options. The service is free. Make an appointment, call, e-mail or stop by: 909.537.5635, tbisbee@csusb.edu, Santos Manuel Student Union, room 202.

**Sexual Assault or Sexual Discrimination Can Happen to Anyone**. If you believe you are the victim of gender or sexual harassment, or sexual misconduct, or have witnessed and/or have information about such activity, report it to CSUSB's Title IX Coordinator, Tera Bisbee, Director of <a href="Ombuds Services & Gender Equity">Ombuds Services & Gender Equity</a>, 909.537.5635; for sexual assault, call **9-1-1** or University Police, 909.537.5165.

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## Veteran's Success Center

(909)537-5195 / BK 006

### **Stoles for Graduating Veterans**

Getting ready for graduation? The Veteran's Success Center now has beautiful stoles for veterans, ROTC cadets, active duty service members, reserves and California National Guard Members who will be graduating this spring 2013. The stoles are free of charge and will include a patch of your military branch and American flag patch. If interested, please contact Paula Akwaboah ASAP at the VSC on Tuesdays or Thursdays from 8 a.m. –noon (909) 537-5195 or via email: PaulaAkwaboah@gmail.com. Receive a free stole and show your military pride!







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### **Campus Tutoring Locations**

Need help with your homework?

Free tutoring is available at the <u>Learning Center</u> and you don't even need to make an appointment! That's not all! You can also receive tutoring via Skype. Stop by the Learning Center in UH 353 for more information.

### Subjects include:

Mathematics

Accounting Biology Economics Finance

### Student Health and Psychological Counseling Center

Chemistry

We are all well aware of our country's economic status since it has affected us or those close to us in several different ways. Some of those effects may have been emotional, physical, or even psychological. If the pressure of these times, your educational goals, or relationship situation are causing you stress and you would like someone to talk to, please consider making an appointment with a counselor in the Psychological Counseling Center here on campus.

Students can also visit the Health Center for physicals, vaccines, and contraception. CSUSB wants each of its students to know that they are not alone in their challenges and as a result has made provision to make sure you are served holistically. Coyotes travel in packs, so please remember we have your back.

Student Health Center (909)537.5241

Psychological Counseling Center (909)537.5040

### **Career Development Center**

This Spring, the Career Development Center will be hosting "Career Week" May 13<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>

- May 13- Beginning Résumé Writing 2-3p.m. \*Light Refreshments\*
- May 14- Pitch for Prizes (Professional Branding Workshop) 11a.m.-1p.m. \*Free Food\*
- May 14- Job Fair Success Workshop 2-3p.m. Light Refreshments
- May 14- Business meet-up in Redlands 9-11a.m. \*Free Food\*
- May 15- CAREER EXPO and Job Fair 10a.m.-2p.m.
- May 16- Going to Grad School? 10-11a.m. \*Light Refreshments\*
- May 17- Career Café (Career Center Open House) 11a.m.-1p.m. \*Free Food\*
- May 21- Alumni Career Panel 12-1p.m. \*Free Food\*

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