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PA Digest

February 28, 2019

SPOTLIGHTS

IMPORTANT DATES

Deadline for Financial Aid/Scholarship Applications is Saturday

Students can access the scholarship application through their MyCoyote student portal.

Fill out your SOTEs

It is again time to fill our Student Opinion on Teaching Effectiveness or SOTE's. Those of you in online classes please look for the email giving you a link to the form and **PLEASE** fill it out. This is the best way for you to share your compliments and concerns over teaching and I **READ THEM!**

Registration Updates

We opened a second section of PA 662 Human Resource Management which will be offered on campus Wednesdays

Note that the [February 11 PA Digest](#) lists all electives planned for the next 5 quarters as well as listing the concentration they apply to.

2019-20 Comprehensive Exam Schedule Set

Fall 2019 Friday, October 18, 2019

Winter 2020 Friday, January 31, 2020

Spring 2020 Friday, April 24, 2020

Quarter/Semester Planning Sheets

I need these filled out by all MPA students- even if you are graduating before semesters. 76 of you have completed this so far. Download the [Q2S MPA PLANNING SHEET](#) in Word- type in your course plan and return it to mpainfo@csusb.edu. Thanks.

Note: You are not held to this. You can change. This is just a planning tool for making the transition to semesters.

Which Catalog will I follow?

Those of you who will graduate in Fall 2020 or later have the choice of following the current or new catalog requirements. Most of you will want to follow the current requirements, but if you are in Cybersecurity or want to have the new Nonprofit Management Concentration, you will want to follow the new requirements.

March 2 Financial Aid and Scholarship Application Deadline

March 12 Business Madness - internship/career Fair

March 25-29 Spring Break

April 1 Cesar Chavez Day - Campus Closed

April 6 Comprehensive Exam Review

April 2 Spring Quarter Begins

April 26 Spring Comprehensive Exam

April 27 Spring Advancement to Candidacy Advising

May 11 Pi Alpha Alpha Induction

OPPORTUNITIES

Part Time Legislative Field Rep

The City of San Bernardino is recruiting for a part time position in the Mayor's office. [See the listing HERE](#)

Senator Morrell Internship Opportunity

Senator Mike Morrell invites students to apply for an internship with his office. Check out his [FLYER](#) for details.

WRCOG Fellowship 2019

The 2019-2020 Western Riverside Council of Governments Fellowship Application is now available! Interested applicants can find the application linked [here](#).

For more information see the: [Program Overview](#), [Frequently Asked Questions](#), and [Fellowship Webpage](#). Send complete applications to rsinger@wrcog.us.

Social Justice Summit March 2nd 10am-4pm

Sponsored by the CSUSB Office of Student Engagement, the Social Justice Summit encourages students to understand their own social identities as well as of those around them, acknowledge privilege & marginalized identities to become allies for diverse & inclusive spaces, develop a sense of agency & obligation in order to change the "narrative."

Our keynote speaker is Opal Tometi, Co-Founder of Black Lives Matter. We are excited to hear how Tometi shares her own experiences with social justice and how she has changed the narrative. The event is open all CSUSB students, faculty, & staff members! To RSVP for the Social Justice Summit, please click [HERE](#) or go to this link: <https://csusb.campuslabs.com/engage/submitter/form/start/234262>.

LA Quinta Arts Festival March 7-10

MPA Grad Myles Barter invites you to visit the annual festival in the Coachella Valley March 7-10. Check out their [Web Page](#)

ASPA Memberships

The PA Department will pay for one year of your student membership in the American Society for Public Administration (ASPA). We encourage you to continually engage in your profession. Leaders are engaged! Contact Toni Ditty with your request.

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