

College of Arts & Letters

**Fall Welcome
&
Ice Cream Social
2016**

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2016

1:30 – 3:00 PM LOWER COMMONS, PANORAMA ROOM

CAL Departments: Arts



Matthew Poole
Art



Robert Knop
Music



Terry Smith
Theatre Arts

CAL Departments: Letters



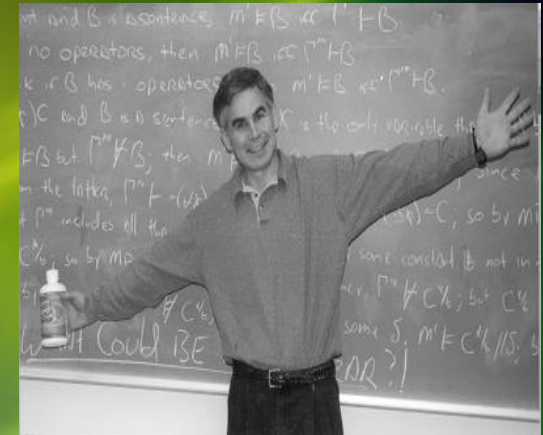
Michael Salvador
*Communication
Studies*



Sunny Hyon, *English*



Thomas Davis
World Languages & Literatures



Tony Roy
Philosophy

Thank you Todd, Matthew, Carmen, and Ruth!



Catherine Spencer

Liberal Studies



Eva Kirsch

Robert and Frances Fullerton Museum of Art



RAFFMA: Opening Exhibition



Often seen as being obsessed with death, ancient Egyptians loved life and believed in getting it back in the Beyond.

You and your students are encouraged to visit.



Lacey Kendall



Jacob Poore

Department Administrative Support Coordinators

- Olga Valdivia – Art
- Linda Sand – Communication Studies
- Dorothea Cartwright – English
- Jamie Tricinella – English
- Patrick Nicholson – Liberal Studies
- Lisa Ryden – Music
- Rachel Siordia – Philosophy
- Diana Nieto-Godinez – RAFFMA
- Crystal Escalera – Theatre Arts
- Tania Quesada – World Languages & Literatures
- Georgia Pallas – World Languages & Literatures

**THANK
YOU!**

Vocabulary Quiz:

Which of the following words and expressions have been officially added to a dictionary?

1. ghosting
2. sriraching
3. chronocide
4. deso
5. tweetgotiate
6. fignature
7. wexting
8. al desko

Recap of Last Academic Year...

Outstanding Faculty 2015-16



Teaching

Luz Elena Ramirez
English



Research

Heather Hundley
*Communication
Studies*



Service

Thomas McGovern
Art

Outstanding Lecturer 2015-16



Carol Damgen
Theatre Arts

2016 Honorary Staff Member

Rachel Siordia, *Philosophy*



Faculty Tenured and/or Promoted

Tenured and Promotion to Associate Professor:

- Jane Chin Davidson, Art
- Allen Menton, Music

Promotion to Professor:

- Katherine Gray, Art
- Brad Spence, Art
- Ahlam Muhtaseb, Communication Studies
- Astrid Sheil, Communication Studies
- David Marshall, English
- Carmen Jany, World Languages & Literatures

CAL Strategic Planning Task Force Members

- Chad Luck, Chair – English
- Kurt Collins – Art
- Allen Menton – Music
- Ahlam Muhtaseb – Communication Studies
- Patrick Nicholson – Liberal Studies
- Luz Elena Ramirez – English
- Johanna Smith – Theatre Arts
- Alysha Timmons – World Languages & Literatures

CAL Interdisciplinary Task Force Members

- Mihaela Popescu, Chair – Communication Studies
- Annie Buckley – Art
- David Carlson – English
- Arturo Fernandez-Gibert – WLL
- Holly Henry – English
- J. David Jerez-Gomez – WLL
- Eva Kirsch – RAFFMA
- Lucy Lewis – Music
- Tom McGovern – Art
- Jacob Poore – Coyote Advertising
- Caroline Vickers – English

What does Dean Ballman do?

- Afternoon/Weekend Events: **87**
(Academic, Ceremonial, Philanthropic, ON/OFF Campus)
- Dean's and Provost Meetings: **40**
- Academic Affairs Council: **18**
- Chats/Brown Bags with the Dean: **12**
- Chairs Council meetings and retreats: **23**
- Search Committee meetings: **18**
- President, VPs, Deans Meetings/Retreats: **20**
- One-on-one with faculty promoted and tenured: **11**
- Other personnel "issues": **20**
- One-one meetings with Chairs, Faculty, Staff, and Students: **298**



Looking to this year and beyond...

Welcome Our New TT Faculty



Ed Gomez
Art



Mariam Betlemidze
Communication Studies

Welcome Our TT Faculty



Julie Taylor
Communication Studies



Jason Magabo Perez
English

Welcome Our TT Faculty



Jason Mann
Theatre Arts

Welcome our Visiting Faculty



Zala Volcic
Communication Studies



Donavon Gray
Music

Welcome Our Visiting Faculty



Leslie Leighton
Music

Student Success

CSUSB Graduation Initiative 2025

Graduation Initiative 2025 Goals CSU San Bernardino

Metric	2025 Goal	Most Recent Rate
Freshman 6-Year Graduation	56%	46%
Freshman 4-Year Graduation	30%	15%
Transfer 2-Year Graduation	45%	33%
Transfer 4-Year Graduation	83%	73%
Gap - Underrepresented Minority	0	1 % points
Gap – Pell	0	3 % points

CAL Graduation Rates

4 years → 13%

6 years → 51%

Time to Degree

FTF 5.3 years

Transfer 3.4 years

**Today,
we should be welcoming the
Class of 2020!**

CAL Advising: Sara DeMoss



Challenge: How do we improve our rates?

How to enhance faculty + professional advising?

Suggestion:

• In class, every faculty member will dedicate 20 minutes (2x) per quarter to find out how their students are doing and how they are progressing toward their degree:

- How are you?
- How's your quarter going?
- Have you seen an advisor?
- Do you know for a fact that you're on track to graduate?
- Are you aware of all the resources available to you? Including Psychological and Health services?

Suggestion:

- Schedule office hour appointments with individual or small groups of students

Student Resources

CARE RESOURCES: CSUSB MAIN CAMPUS

Counseling and Psychological Services:

<http://psychcounseling.csusb.edu>
(909) 537-5040

Student Health Center:

<http://healthcenter.csusb.edu>
(909) 537-5241

THRIVE Health Promotion & Wellness Programs

<http://healthcenter.csusb.edu/healthPromotion/index.html>

The DEN: Resources and food items for current CSUSB students:

<http://engage.csusb.edu/TheDENFoodPantry.htm>

Office of Financial Aid:

<http://finaid.csusb.edu> | (909) 537-5227

Advising & Academic Services:

<http://advising.csusb.edu> | (909) 537-5034

Title IX & Gender Equity:

<http://titleix.csusb.edu> | (909) 537-5669

University Police:

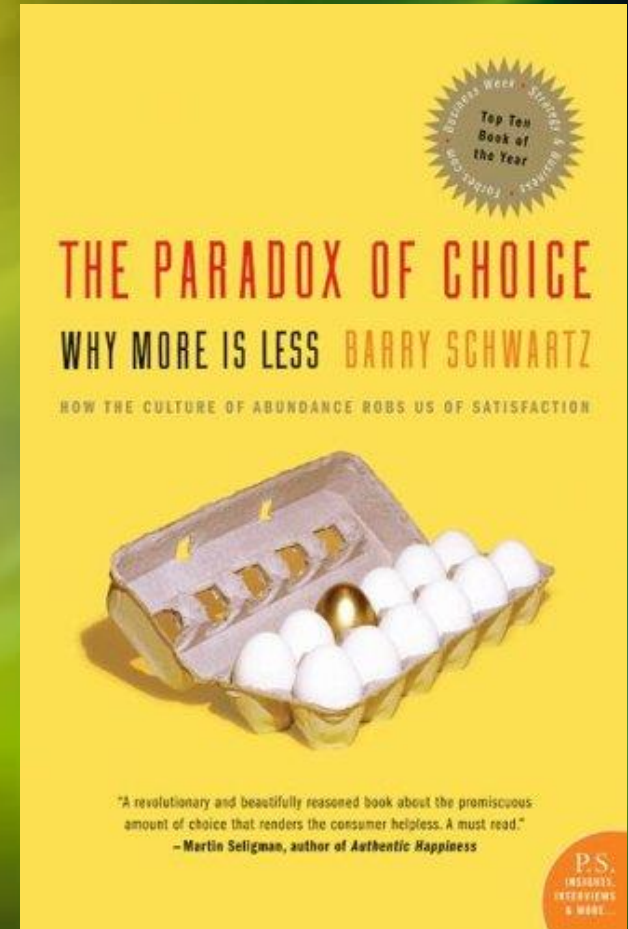
<http://police.csusb.edu> | (909) 537-7777

San Bernardino Community Resources:

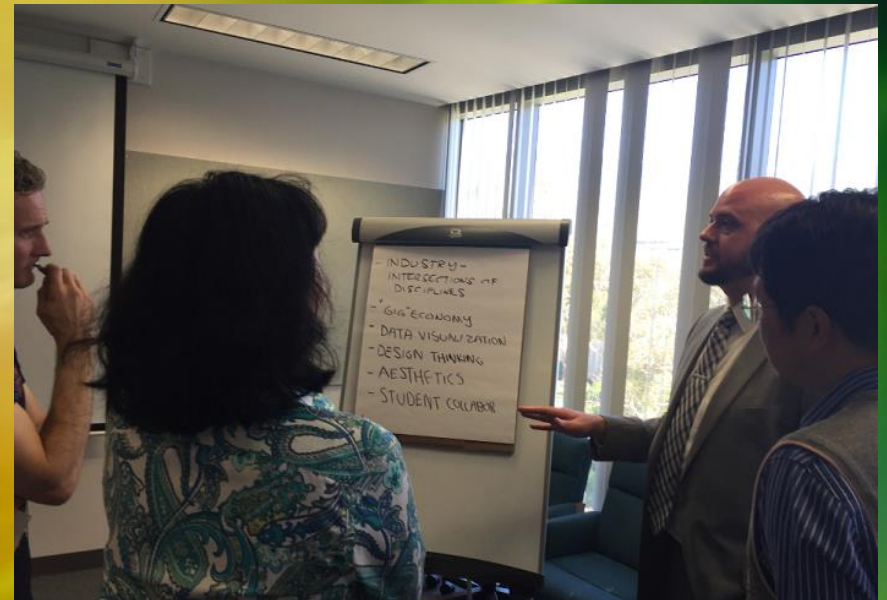
<http://www.211sb.org> | dial (211)

Q2S Conversion: This is not just an opportunity; it's a GIFT

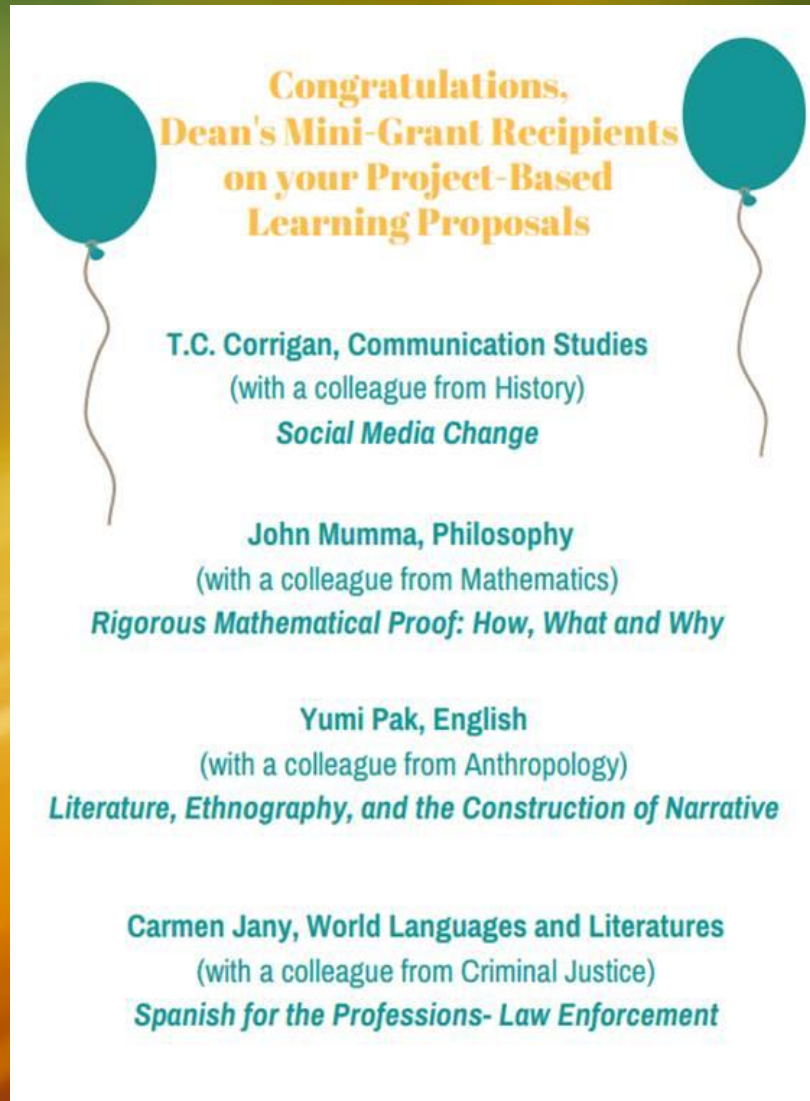
- Emerging Values in the College:
 - ✓ Interdisciplinarity
 - ✓ Team-teaching
 - ✓ Project-based learning
- NOTE: We need to streamline the curriculum.



CAL and Jack H. Brown College of Business & Public Administration



Dean's Mini-Grant Recipients: Project-Based Learning



Dean's Fellow: Assessment



Jo Anna Grant

CAL Website:

Job Listing for Arts and Letters Majors

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Job listings for Arts and Letters Majors

Posted: September 9, 2016

[Part-Time Faculty Intro to Ethics \(Brandman University San Diego Campus\)](#)

- Brandman University
- Irvine, CA

FULL TIME INSTRUCTOR, PHILOSOPHY

- Victor Valley College
- Victorville, CA

Digital Marketing Coordinator

- Callisto Media
- Berkeley, CA

Ad Product Strategy Coordinator

- Pandora Media, Inc.
- Santa Monica, CA

Social Media & PR

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CAL Website: Scholarship Opportunities

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Scholarships

Anthony and Lois Evans Scholarship

Anthony and Lois Evans Scholarship is awarded to a student with a minimum GPA of 3.5 who is involved in student performance activities such as **music, theatre art or debate/forensics**.

Arlene Roberts Memorial Scholarship

Arlene Roberts Memorial Scholarship provides an award to a full-time art major with a minimum 3.0 GPA, and who has financial need.

Art Department Scholarship

Art Department Scholarship provides scholarship support to students majoring in **Art**.

Asian Studies Expendable Scholarship

Asian Studies Expendable Scholarship provides scholarships to undergraduate students with a declared minor in **Asian Studies**.

Bill and Janice Lemann Art Scholarship

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1 in 10 CSU students is homeless

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"It is a gap, when you think about it," Cal State Chancellor Timothy P. White said Monday at a conference in Long Beach, where more than 100 administrators, researchers, students and advocacy groups gathered to exchange ideas, case studies and their personal experiences with the issue.

"We're going to find solutions that we can take to scale," he said. "Getting this right is something that we just simply have to do."

Across the country, the number of students who experience food insecurity largely is undocumented and unknown, and the number of homeless students tends to be underreported in national surveys, said Clare Cady, who led Oregon State University's program to support homeless students and is now addressing the issue on a national level with the antipoverty nonprofit Single Step.

Students with unstable housing conditions are not required to say so, and many are reluctant to seek help because of the shame associated with homelessness, said Raftelis Crutchfield, an assistant professor in the School of Social Work at Cal State Long Beach, who led the first phase of the study. Crutchfield, who launched her research in April 2003, interviewed 90 students and conducted four focus groups at urban and rural campuses. She and her team also sent out surveys, reviewed student

Many students and faculty members, she said, were unaware that the definition of homelessness extended beyond living on the street. Some students who couch surfed or lived in their cars, for example, did not consider themselves homeless.

Initial findings indicated
[San Cal State, 57]

Home
and a

[Cal State, from]

Crutchfield and her team talked to professors who gave students money and kept food in their desks to those who confided their struggles. "A lot of these conversations took place inside our office with the door shut," one university staffer told Crutchfield.

On Monday, Crutchfield talked about meeting a student she identified by only her first name, Cassandra, who said her studies were

In the first phase of the research project, Crutchfield identified 11 companies that already offered some form of a food pantry or homeless support program. Five of these schools have

Their work and ideas will be shared at the conference this week with representatives from other campuses; the UC system

and reprints.

"We have much, much more work to do," she said.

Faculty & Staff Success

Newsletter

College of Arts and Letters

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Spring 2016



**Jennifer Andersen awarded
\$99,725
National Endowment for the
Humanities Grant**



Dr. Andersen presents at the Spring 2016 Faculty Colloquium.

Jennifer Andersen (English) will serve as director of the NEH funded project "From Ancient Greece to the Contemporary Middle East: Dialogues on the Experience of War." Beginning this summer, Jenny will train eight group leaders in discussion and facilitation techniques for meetings on the experience of war that will be held throughout the region. Military veterans will participate both as facilitators and as participants. Events for the CSUSB campus and the general public are planned, as well. The project is interdisciplinary in scope. Partners working on the project include Terry Smith (Theatre Arts), Marci Daniels (Veterans Success Center), Cathleen Lucas (Office of Research and Sponsored Programs) and Joe Notarangelo (San Bernardino Valley College).

For more details, click on the link below"

<http://news.csusb.edu/2016/04/07/csusb-professor-awarded-neh-grant-to-direct-dialogues-on-the-experience-of-war/>

Congratulations to Our CSU & Campus Award Winners



Dany Doueiri
2015-2016
Faculty of Year Award for Advising
California State Student
Association

Dany was the Golden Apple Award
Winner this year, too! He joined the
World Languages and Literatures
faculty in 2001.



Cynthia Cotter
2015-2016
CSUSB Outstanding Lecturer

Cindy has been a lecturer in the
Department of English for over
20 years. She is also a CSUSB
alumna.

Dean's Fellow: Faculty Research



Luz Elena Ramirez

Save the date: Fall Faculty Colloquium - **TBA**





CAL and College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Faculty Leadership Program



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English
Liberal Studies
Music
Philosophy
Theatre Arts
World Languages & Literatures

Welcome



Congratulations Class of 2016

Click here to watch the video 

CAL Website: Faculty Section

Research & Creative Activity



0:00 / 0:39

Spring 2016 College of Arts & Letters Faculty Colloquium

Our professors have won highly competitive **grants** from the National Endowment for the Humanities and National Endowment for the Arts, the U.S. Department of Education, U.S. Department of Defense, and National Security Agency, as well as interdisciplinary grants from the National Institute of Nursing and NASA.

Faculty present their work at major conferences — including the Conference on College Composition and Communication, the National Communication Association Conference, the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages Conference, the American Philosophy Association Conference, the American Alliance for Theatre and Education, the Western Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, and the North American Victorian Studies Association — and are frequently invited as keynote speakers and guest lecturers.

On campus, we enjoy interdisciplinary exchanges in **faculty colloquia**, which are offered each academic term and are open to the campus community.

Explore our site and learn more.

Faculty of the fine arts at CSUSB are nationally recognized and accomplished creative writers, curators, artists, composers, directors, and performers.

Collectively, Arts & Letters faculty have published over **40 books of scholarship and creative writing**. In addition, dozens of faculty articles appear in publications such as *International Journal of American Linguistics*, *The Sixteenth Century Journal*, *Journal of Popular Film and Television*, *Journal of Moral Philosophy*, *International and Intercultural Communications Annual*, *Text and Performance Quarterly* and *Art in America*.

Activity	—
Faculty Research	
Faculty Colloquia	
Faculty Publications	
Grants	
Creativity	
Resources	

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What does Administrative Support Coordinator do:

- Similar to an office manager
- Offer support to the chair, faculty, staff and students
- Typical duties include:
 - ✓ Procurement
 - ✓ Schedule build (hiring of part-time instructors/teaching associates)
 - ✓ Student enrollment
 - ✓ Travel
 - ✓ Budget – knowing the different funds, balances and rules (state and auxiliary)
 - ✓ Faculty recruitment
 - ✓ Event planning
 - ✓ Duplicating requests
 - ✓ Student assistant/graduate assistant hiring

NOTE: Your ASC is the person you should contact with questions on the topics above but may not necessarily be the person who ultimately handles the task.

Congratulations, Julie!



Senior Director of Development

Development

CAL Development raised **\$517,500**
230% of goal of \$225,000



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CHANGE

YOU WISH TO SEE IN THE

WORLD

-GANDHI

Let's Create Community:

- ✓ Participate
- ✓ Engage
- ✓ Be Informed

Brown Bags with the Dean: Fall Quarter Dates



Staff: Tuesday, October 11

Faculty: Tuesday, November 1

Students: Thursday, November 10

To take place in UH 237 from 12-1 PM

College of Arts & Letters Dean's Office

Administrators:

Dr. Terry Ballman
Dean

Dr. Rueyling Chuang
Interim Associate Dean

Technology Support:

Ken Han
Information Technology Consultant

You Li
Information Technology Consultant

Rigoberto Solorio
Information Technology Consultant

Budget:

Michelle Fuller
Administrative Analyst

Felipe Jimenez
Administrative Support Coordinator

Dean's Office:

Martha Diazgranados
Assistant to the Dean

Diana De La Cruz
Administrative Support Coordinator

Fineze Duenez ^{NEW}
Administrative Support Assistant

Development:

Julie Nichols
Development Director

Alicia Corral
Development Associate

Let's have a
great year!