

## Academic Affairs Office of the Provost and Vice President

# College/Unit Highlights (unedited) February 1, 2019

## **College of Arts and Letters**

#### **Student Success**

- ART: VA106 Gallery, in the Department of Art, will open a group exhibition of student artworks made during and after the recent field-trip to Bombay Beach, at the Salton Sea, in the Coachella Valley. The field trip was organized by long-time lecturer Steve King, accompanied by several other faculty members of the department, and Steve is also coordinating the exhibition. Students explored the Salton Sea area, and conducted research following the trip on the history of the area, creating artworks either in situ or after their return to campus. The exhibition will open Wednesday January 30th at 6pm, and will run through February.
- ART: Our most recent graduates from the MFA in Studio Art opened a group exhibition of their
  thesis show art works in downtown Los Angeles on Saturday 12th January, 2019. The exhibition,
  titled "Which Way the Wind Blows", is currently open at Eastside International Gallery, 912 East 3rd
  Street, Los Angeles 90013, featuring works in various different media by Mariah Armstrong Conner,
  Heath Roessler, Daniel Schmidt, and Johnny Shield. The event was organized by Professor Katherine
  Gray in collaboration with the curator of Eastside International, and will be open to the public until
  9th February, 2019.
- PHILOSOPHY: The department is at 108% of its FTES target for the winter quarter.
- PHILOSOPHY: The department hosted its winter quarter colloquium on January 18. Dr. Amanda Trefethen, CSULB, presented a lecture on "A Dilemma in International Human Rights Law and its Implications at the Border."
- PHILOSOPHY: [old news, I'm afraid, but new to me] Jenny Brown was a guest speaker in Brandon Johns' Introduction to Ethics (PHIL 191) class last quarter (Oct. 9, 2018). Jenny is the founder of Woodstock Farm Sanctuary in NY, and her work with animals has been featured in *The New York Times*, *Rolling Stone*, *New York Magazine*, and CNN. A photo of her presentation is available upon request.
- COMM: Outstanding 2018 COMM undergraduate Graciela Troche has been admitted with full support to the highly selective Communication Ph.D. program at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign.
- COMM: Graduate students Andre Adame ("Child's Play: A Critical Examination of the Video Game 'PeaceMaker'") and Andy Acosta ("Hip-Hop Pedagogy") have each had papers accepted for the 69th

Annual International Communication Association (ICA) Conference, Communication Beyond Boundaries, to be held in Washington DC, 24-28 May 2019. Acceptance rate this year was <40%.

- COMM: Graduate student Melody Adejare's paper "Media Influences on Intercultural
  Communication: People's Perceptions of Racial Groups" was accepted by the Intercultural
  Communication Division of the Southern States Communication Association and will be recognized
  as follows: "Outstanding Emerging Scholars: Top Student Papers in Intercultural Communication."
- COMM: Graduate students Luis Esparza ("Desde la Periferia de La Milpa: A Study of Sexual
  Minorities in Nuevo Refugio"), Francisco Rodriguez ("'Passing' vs. 'Non-passing': Latinx Individuals
  Experiences & Understandings of Appearance Privilege") and Erendira Torres ("Sexualizing and
  Victim-Blaming Girls: An Analysis of Teaching Sexuality to Girls in Mexico and the United States") all
  had papers accepted for presentation at The National Association for Chicana and Chicano Studies,
  NACCS, in Albuquerque, New Mexico in April of 2019.
- COMM: The Coyote Forensics Team returned from the Griffin Invitational Forensics Tournament in El Cajon, CA with a medal! Our American Parliamentary debaters Melissa Cardonato & Lorena Lemos took the Bronze in Novice debate. This was their very first competition and they walked away with third place, which is quite impressive (they competed in five rounds of debate). The team worked together as researchers to help them gather stats and info for 20 minutes before each round began (once the topics are announced, the debaters only have 20 minutes to prepare). The team competed against 18 other colleges and universities.

## **Faculty and Staff Success**

- ART: Several faculty members specializing in photography from the Department of Art are included in a major group exhibition of photography at The Riverside Art Museum & California Museum of Photography in Riverside, titled: "In the Sunshine of Neglect Defining Photographs and Radical Experiments in Inland Southern California, 1950 To The Present". This large survey show has its opening reception Saturday January 19th, 2019, 6pm. Alongside others, the show features photographic works by our esteemed colleagues Professor Thomas McGovern, Professor Emerita Sant Khalsa, Lecturer Andrew K. Thompson, and Lecturer Anthony Maher. The exhibition is also accompanied by a major hard-bound catalogue that documents the exhibition. The show runs through February.
- ART: Professor Katherine Gray will present her glass art works in a solo exhibition at Toledo Art
  Museum, Toledo, Ohio, titled "Being in a Hot Shop". The show will features major works by Gray,
  and will run from February 8th for several weeks. Also, Professor Gray's art work has been selected
  for a prestigious juried survey exhibition at the Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY, titled "New
  Glass Now", which will open May 12, 2019 to January 20, 2020.
- ART: Design Lecturer at the PDC, Dennis Johnson, has an exhibition at the Twentynine Palms Gallery, in Twentynine Palms, from January 31st to February 24th, where he will show new paintings, under the title "Differences in Common".
- PHILOSOPHY: Professor Chris Naticchia published "Transparency and Executive Authority," in Claire
  Finkelstein and Michael Skerker (eds.), Sovereignty and the New Executive Authority (Oxford, 2019)

   part of Oxford's series on Ethics, National Security, and the Rule of Law.
- PHILOSOPHY: Prof. Chris Naticchia will be leading a "teaching conversation" for the full-time and part-time faculty in the Department on Wednesday, January 30.

- MUS: Still Life After Death, a short operatic art film by film maker Sandra Powers with music by Cambodian-American composer Chinary Ung featuring soprano Stacey Fraser, stage lighting design by Department of Theatre Assistant Professor Jason Mann and sound engineering by CSUSB faculty Scott Vance will receive its world premiere at the Sharjah Art Foundation in the United Arab Emirates in January 2019.
- MUS: Spiritual Forest, a chamber opera by Japanese composer Koji Nakano will receive its world premiere by the CSUSB Opera Theatre in collaboration with the lotusflower new music project. The work features Stacey Fraser soprano, Alastair Edmonstone, piano, Maggie Parkins of the critically acclaimed LA based Eclipse string quartet, Mr. Kohei Nishikawa master of the shinobue (Japanese transverse flute) from Tokyo, Japan and CSUSB percussion Professor Todd Johnson with stage direction by CSUSB Theatre Professor Dr. Terry Donovan Smith. The work documents the journey of a woman who enters a deep forest where she becomes lost and frightened. Upon waking after a dream, she finds herself embracing her environment and reconnects with Mother Nature. The staged work features costume design by Professor Andre Harrington, lighting design by Professor Jason Mann and photography/projection by CSUSB Art Professor Steve King.

Additional guest artists include performances by Grammy nominated pianist Nadia Shpachenko, Canadian soprano Anne Harley and Canadian guitarist Steve Thachuk, as well as additional chamber works by revered composers John Luther Adams, Emilie LeBel, Jack Van Zandt and Chinary Ung.

 WLL: Dr. Oraib Mango Presented at the ACTFL Convention (the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages) in Nov. This is a global event attended by more than 8,000 language experts and educators. Co-organized and coordinated the SCALTC Sixth Annual Conference held in Costa Mesa in January 2019.

Dr. Carmen Jany: Junior Co-Chair this year (2019) for the Committee of Endangered Languages of the Linguistic Society of America (see here: <a href="https://www.linguisticsociety.org/about/who-we-are/committees/endangered-languages-and-their-preservation-celp">https://www.linguisticsociety.org/about/who-we-are/committees/endangered-languages-and-their-preservation-celp</a>).

Dr. Jesus-David Jerez-Gomez: Contributed with a chapter titled "Seducción guerrera en el Quijote: la tradición mediterránea de la mujer disfrazada" for Sexo y género en Cervantes/Sex and Gender in Cervantes, volume in honor of Adrienne L. Martín.

Professor Thomas McGovern- Published essay "Sunshine and Neglect" in the exhibition catalog for "In the Sunshine of Neglect", California Museum of Photography. Edited by Douglas McCulloh. Also had 11 images in the catalog and exhibition.

Professor Thomas McGovern and Professor Juan Delgado (English) mounted the exhibition "I.E. Vistas" at Crafton Hills College.

- COMM: Professor Ahlam Muhtaseb's acclaimed documentary 1948: Creation and Catastrophe is now available for pre-order on iTunes, Google Play, and Amazon Video.
- COMM: Professor Astrid Sheil was recently appointed as Dean of Shenandoah University's School of Business, to begin July 2019. Dr. Sheil leaves us after eleven spectacular years at CSUSB, where she served not only as an outstanding professor in COMM, but also as Interim Chair of the Department of Accounting and Finance for two years, and Interim Director of Development for the Brown College of Business and Public Administration for one year. In addition, she was awarded the very prestigious ACE (American Council on Education) fellowship which provides a year of support and

training to future leaders in higher education; and she was a Fulbright Fellow finalist for teaching and study in Slovenia, where she spent several months in Fall 2018 with the IEDC Bled School of Management.

## **Resource Sustainability and Expansion**

- PHILOSOPHY: The department will be submitting its revised "action plan" in mid-January as basically
  the last step in the program review that began last academic year. The department eagerly awaits
  news from the senior administration on whether it will provide the resources, notably tenure-track
  lines, that all the reviewers of the self-study strongly recommended.
- PHILOSOPHY: The department is on target, I hope, to complete all Q2S work by the end of the month. I think that the only outstanding task is the production of semester road maps.
- MUS: Choral Search is well under way, we now have six semi-finalists and are now reviewing supplemental materials including rehearsal/performance videos.

## **Community Engagement and Partnership**

- MUS: Dr. Nick Bratcher will host the Inland Empire Youth Wind Ensemble here on campus January 15-16, 2019.
- ART: Professor Annie Buckley's Community-Based Art / Prison Arts Collective NEH and California Arts
  Council funded project will present an exhibition, titled "Out of the Blue", including art works by
  prison inmates and CBA/PAC teaching artists, to be displayed in the Annexe Hallway, next to the
  office of the Governor of California at the State Capitol in Sacramento from January 14th to 25th,
  2019. The exhibition includes artists talks, and was also announced on the floor of the CA Senate.

## Identity

- As part of CAL's branding and outreach efforts, we launched CAL social media properties:
  - o Facebook @CSUSBCAL
  - o Instagram @CSUSBCAL
  - o Twitter @CSUSBCAL
  - o LinkedIn Showcase Page <a href="https://www.linkedin.com/showcase/csusbcal/">https://www.linkedin.com/showcase/csusbcal/</a>

## **Jack H. Brown College of Business and Public Administration**

#### **Student Success**

- The JHBC Student Ambassadors met with Dean Rose during the Coyote Chats session to learn about College updates, to share information about their involvement with student outreach for Quarter to Semester Conversion, and to express JHBC student needs. (1/23/2019)
- The UCR Career Center invited JHBC student leaders to attend the second annual Business Student Leadership Conference. Two JHBC Student Ambassadors and three JHBC student organization leaders attended. The conference provided the opportunity for professional development and networking with other student leaders and employers. (1/26/2019)

- Titanium, a national home security company, recruited JHBC students for its internship program.
   The company engaged with students through tabling and information sessions. (1/16/2019 and 1/17/2019)
- UPS conducted on-campus interviews during the month of January to recruit JHBC students for the winter cohort of its internship program

### **Faculty Success**

 Rami Tameez from the marketing department was Awarded #1 Top Financial Services Professional in Total Assets Gathered for 2018. The recognition was given at the Gradient Financial Advisors Forum in Las Vegas. The impact is that the award is given by industry peers and various financial advisors sponsoring the advisory forum. (January 2019)

## **Resource Sustainability and Expansion**

- The LTC has expanded the dialogues to the Coachella Valley. Hosted the first Coachella Valley Series at the Agua Caliente Casino Resort Spa, topic for the first dialogue, "Affordable, Sustainable Transportation. Participants included LTC faculty and staff, students, individuals from both public and private sectors in the Coachella Valley region, Sunline Transit Agency, RCTC, One Future, CVAG, CVEP, Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians and the PDC Interim Dean. Impact: This dialogue explored the issues that arise for those who have a lack of access and a few of the answers found in mobility as a service (Maas). It all addressed the issues, current solutions and future possibilities for an affordable, sustainable transportation system in the Coachella Valley. We wanted to expand our series to the Coachella valley, as they are part of our service area.(1/29/2019)
- The LTC Attended the Annual Transportation Research Board Meeting. The theme for this year's TRB meeting was "Transportation for a Smart, Sustainable and Equitable Future." It is a Gathering of prominent transportation researchers from across the country sharing their findings on their transportation subjects of interest. People: LTC Staff and Director. Impact: LTC was present to learn about the different topics in transportation and gather ideas to help further develop the LTC research agenda. Attended seminars on freight, transportation equity, rail and transportation, developing the future workforce of transportation, and emerging education. Gave the LTC staff a chance to network with local transportation professionals and gain insight on the Leonard Transportation Center's current research projects.

## **Community Engagement and Partnerships**

• Statewide Trade Expansion Program (STEP): Through funding (\$263,937) from the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) and the US Small Business Administration (SBA), IECE will be delivering services that leverage a statewide network of state, federal, private and non-profit trade promotion organizations to facilitate export promotion, activities, serving targeted industries, to drive exports for small businesses. IECE Director Mike Stull put together the proposal and has been negotiating with CDFA. The contract is in process and we anticipate starting services shortly. The program was previously housed at Riverside Community College District, but the existing program director (who Mike Stull has known for 20+ years) and CDFA reached out to IECE to facilitate moving the program to CSUSB. (1/24/2019)

#### Identity

Establishment of the Program on Fiscal Policy and Innovation (FPI): The FPI has been designed to
create a database consisting of cities in the Inland Empire and their government financial data. Data
are obtained from each cities' Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR). Data will be utilized
to calculate various ratios so that a standardized assessment of each cities' financial condition can
occur. Once the data is collected, it will allow elected officials, public managers, policy makers,

residents, businesses and bond rating agencies to view, compare and contrast the financial conditions of each local government. There are 63 cities included in the Inland Empire that data are collected for. Data collection is currently ongoing, primarily by myself the principal investigator, until I can hire a graduate assistant for support. People Involved: Dr. Marc Fudge

## **College of Education**

• Kimberly Laurenson (Assistant to the Dean) completed the Staff Development Center's inaugural Administrative Support Professionals (ASP) Career Pathway program in December 2018. As part of the experience's culmination, she was honored and received a certificate of completion among 9 others at the recognition ceremony on January 24. With a cohort that began at 27-participants, she became one of only 10 to fully complete the rigorous and intensive 6-month program. With 15-core courses, 6-technical, 3-electives (including hands-on application and workshop facilitation), Ms. Laurenson dedicated countless hours (40+) to this program and was asked to speak of her experience at the recognition ceremony. As a result of the connections she's made with the SDC, she is now also a co-facilitator of the "Creating a Culture of Service Excellence" training offered to university personnel, further extending her (paw) print from the college out into the campus community.

## **Educational Leadership & Technology**

- All 26 candidates in the Educational Administration program submitted and passed Leadership
  Cycle#1 of the CalAPA (Analyzing Data to Inform School Improvement and Promote Equity) The
  CalAPA is the new performance assessment that all Education Administration Preliminary Credential
  candidates must take.
- Doctoral Studies Ed.D. Student Highlights (also visit: Resources and Program Highlights)
   We are excited to announce some of our CSUSB doctoral student accomplishments. We also appreciate our doctoral program faculty who support our students and program, as well as our steering committee support and guidance. Congratulations to .....
  - Alumna, Dr. Risa Lumley (Cohort 8), published an article entitled "The academic library and social justice: Exploring librarian attitudes at one HSI" in the Journal of Hispanic Higher Education.
    - [Read FULL ARTICLE here]
  - ❖ Six doctoral students, along with **Dr. Enrique Murillo** (Faculty-TEF), participated in a panel presentation at the 16th International Symposium on Social Communication, held in Santiago de Cuba, January 21 through the 25, 2019. The panel presentation was entitled: *Doctor of Education Degree in Educational Leadership − A Community of Practice, California State University, San Bernardino, USA*.

#### Special Education, Rehab & Counseling

- Dr. Connie McReynolds (Faculty/Institute Director) gave a presentation on Neurofeedback as a Tool
  for Change to the CSUSB Osher Life-long Learning Institute (OLLI) on January 25 to a packed room of
  99 senior citizens yielding a significant increase in referrals for the neurofeedback program at PDC.
  She also presented to the UCR OLLI group in Rancho Mirage on Neurofeedback as a Tool for Change.
- **Dr. Connie McReynolds** (Faculty/Institute Director) developed a new collaboration in January between the CSUSB Neurofeedback Clinic and a Domestic Violence shelter in the Big Bear area. They will be training the clinical staff as neurofeedback technicians as a new fee-for-service line.In

addition, they will provide clinical oversight and case management as another new fee-for-service line. Plans are to have a neurofeedback clinic functional in their shelter by July.

Spearheaded by Dr. Connie McReynolds (Faculty/Institute Director), the Elementary
 Neurofeedback Pilot Project in fully under way at Bear Valley USD. Two neurofeedback stations
 have been installed and 8 of the initial 10 student cases have been opened. The school district is
 extremely pleased with this new collaboration.

#### **Teacher Education & Foundations**

- **Dr. Enrique Murillo** (Faculty) took a delegation of 24 people to Cuba on **January 18**, where they presented on the LEAD projects and a group of doctoral students presented on their dissertations. LEAD is the only institution or center housed in the United States that is a partner on this prestigious international conference taking place in the city of Santiago de Cuba. We presented by special invitation from the Ministry of science, technology, and the environment.
- The Single Subject and Multiple Subject Programs had a 97% pass rate on the new Teaching Performance Assessment (TPA) exam in Fall 2018.

## **College of Natural Sciences**

- MAPSS organized a very successful 7th Year Pre-med and Pre-health conference attended by over 300 students.
- Many of our departments are having on-campus interviews currently for candidates to increase our tenure track density and student success.

## **Biology**

- David Rhoads submitted a major NSF grant.
- Laura Newcomb has submitted a major NIH grant.
- Sean Ganther (BA Biology '15), who is currently a student in the DDS/PhD dual degree program at UCSF, came to campus and presented his research in our department seminar, and also spoke at the MAPSS conference.

#### Chemistry

- Alumnus Carlos Navarro (Ph.D. student in renewable materials at USC) visited the Chemistry & Biochemistry department, and gave a seminar on Thursday January 24. The seminar was attended by more than 60 students and faculty.
- A multi-campus team, lead locally by CSUSB Professor Larry Mink, submitted a concept paper to California Education Learning Lab project, to improve learning in STEM on Jan 22.
   Dr. Mink is building adaptive learning modules with SmartSparrow during his Winter 2019 sabbatical.
- Dr. Jeremy Mallari submitted a proposal to the NSF-MRI program for the purchase of a new NMR spectrometer on January 24. If funded, the instrument will cost 550K to purchase and install, replacing and 2003 demo model.

- Dr. Jason Burke submitted an NIH-SCORE grant proposal for over \$300K on January 25, to support his research in protein structure.
- Andreas Beyersdorf was chosen as a faculty mentor, for students for the NASA Student Airborne Research Program (SARP). Projects will be environmental focused – air/water quality or soil/vegetation research.

## **Computer Science**

 A multi-campus team, lead locally by CSUSB Professor Yunfei Huo, submitted a concept paper to California Education Learning Lab project, to improve learning in STEM on Jan 22.

## Geology

- Two very successful field courses were completed over winter term. GEOL 376, Field
  Hydrology, was held at the CSU Desert Studies field station at Zzyzx, CA and featured
  instruction on data collection from water wells and springs, plus topographic mapping with
  a blimp imaging system. The GEOL 391, Advanced Field Geology course was also held at the
  field station at Zzyzx, and saw 19 geology majors hiking to a remote mountain range to
  learn how to make geologic maps of bedrock.
- Jahns Lecturer in Applied Geology Deborah Green gave a lecture on How to Build a Geology Career You Love on Monday January, 14<sup>th</sup>
- Geology students also attended GSA meeting on "Always Book a Window Seat The Lens Through Which We View the World as Geologists

## **Health Science**

• A couple of our students had their papers accepted for a presentation at a national conference.

## Kinesiology

- The EIM-OC (Exercise is Medicine On Campus) group stared the Walks with Profs program to help develop relationships and enhance awareness of physical activity and health.
- KINE has 6 student interns serving as Exercise Consultants to help students understand their Fitness Assessment results (from the KINE 205, category E class) and to give information on published recommendations for physical activity. They also take referrals from the Student Health Center.
- We have a student (Shea Caddel) who received a \$1,500 faculty/student grant to support working with some faculty (SangOuk Wee, Chris Hill, Jason Ng) on a research project examining cardiovascular drift.
- We have four students presenting at the CSUSB research competition this Friday. One student is working with Chris Hill and Amanda Rymal, three are working with Nicole Dabbs.
- Chris Hill is a founding member and director of communication of the Society for Transparency, Openness, and Replication in Kinesiology. The aim is to improve current research practices in kinesiology as a field with an emphasis on open science and replication.
- We had 15 students attend a "Chalk Talk" professional panel at the AC Clippers Game on Sunday Jan. 27.

- One of our part time faculty (Phillip Drouet) was a speaker at the California Society for Cardiac Rehabilitation. The topic was "Value Based Care." He discussed current research regarding reducing the intensity/emphasis of EKG monitoring on low risk stable patients.
- One of our part time faculty (Jim Clover) was the lead athletic trainer at the 34<sup>th</sup> Inland Empire All-Star Football Classic. He has run this the last 34 years. It is the longest running all-star football game in CA. One of our students (Courtney Montague) won the sports medicine scholarship.

#### **Mathematics**

• Professor Susan Addington, submitted a concept paper to California Education Learning Lab project, to improve learning in mathematics on Jan 22.

## Nursing

 Nursing education agreements with Cal State San Bernardino (CSUSB), Cal State Fullerton (CSUF) and Riverside City College (RCC) will move to increase the diversity of students in those colleges' nursing programs and grow the number of nursing graduates entering the workforce.

The Memorandum of Understanding between CSUSB and RCC, and a similar agreement between CSUF and RCC, are part of the California Tri-County Concurrent Enrollment Program (CTCE), designed to create an efficient, streamlined and seamless pathway for RCC students with associate degrees in nursing who wish to obtain bachelor's degrees in nursing from either of the two CSU campuses.

The agreements establish procedures for governance of the programs, admission procedures, operation of student financial aid, curriculum responsibilities, sharing of

classroom and other resources such as simulation labs and libraries.

The collaboration ensures nursing students receive high-quality, affordable, community college and university curriculum pathways that prepare BSN nurse generalists to serve California's large and diverse population.

## **Physics**

 Professor Timothy Usher started a sabbatical this winter quarter in the Physics Department at Victoria University in Wellington, New Zealand. While there, he will be studying multiferroic nanomaterials that couple to both magnetic and electric fields. He will be returning to CSUSB next winter.

## John M. Pfau Library

- Held a welcoming event for two new librarians
- Held a Library Information Technology Council meeting to orient new Vital Tech Librarian, John Hernandez;
- Provided an overview of current projects.

- The Pfau Library hosted the Council of Library Deans retreat at PDC.
- Held a meeting of the Planning Committee of the Multi-cultural Book and Family Festival (previously known as the Latino Book and Family Festival). It was agreed that the festival would take place on April 28, 2019.

## **Office of Community Engagement**

• CSUSB's MLK National Day of Service project featured the installation of 205 free smoke detectors and education of more than 215 residents in the Alta Loma Mobile Home Community in Rancho Cucamonga. The "Sound the Alarm" project was in partnership with the American Red Cross, the Rancho Cucamonga Fire Department, high school Fire Explorer Academies and the City of Rancho Cucamonga. The goal of the project was to save lives, reduce injuries and alleviate loss caused by home fires. The project leadership included a Rancho Cucamonga firefighter who was not able to save a 9 year old girl from a recent fire in the Alta Loma Mobile Home Community.

## **Faculty Affairs and Development**

- Hiring task force providing and analyzing tenure track hiring data and explain this information to the taskforce
- Attending CHRS/Page Up meetings
- Processing faculty pay for winter quarter
- Worked on 2 faculty reports for the president. first was hiring information, second was FERP information
- Working with Benefits Office on presentation for retirees/FERP
- RPT process prepping 2<sup>nd</sup> year faculty files for the Provost
- RPT process 4<sup>th</sup> year files currently under review by college level reviewers
- RPT process for promotion and tenure files prepping for college level reviewers
- Recruiting prepared 3 new faculty contract for FT faculty in Sociology
- Recruiting working on hiring folder for Criminal Justice
- Primary Job Indicator Member of a taskforce consisting of campus leads that recently implemented an automatic program in PeopleSoft that corrects the Job Indicator automatically for active employee Job Data records. Functionality needed for future implementation of other critical system upgrades.
- Preferred First Name (Campus Process) Member of taskforce consisting of campus leads developing a campus wide process allowing employees to request a "Preferred" First Name via the Self-Service Module in PeopleSoft.
- Faculty Pre-Provisioning ,Provisioning and De-Provisioning (POI Processes) Working with campus leads to develop processes that facilitate pre-provisioning, provisioning and de-provisioning of new and returning Unit 3 faculty.
- CSU-PageUp/CHRS Recruiting Faculty Task Force Member of taskforce to communicate our campus needs and impacts regarding faculty hires and recruiting processes with other CSU campus leads.
- CSU Change Management Team Member of CSU Change Management Team focusing on training to assist and implement upcoming system changes on the Academic Side.
- CEGE Contract Letters Member of campus leads developing an automatic method CEGE can use to generate faculty contract letters using data in PeopleSoft instead of shadow systems.

- CHRS/PageUp Integrations Campus lead on the Academic Side for PageUp and CHRS related integrations.
- OnBase (UAW)- Increased Functionality outlining additional functionality and working with campus OnBase programmer to implement system enhancements to further simplify the process for college analysts/hiring areas.
- CSU CHRS/Workforce Administration Reviewing proposed system modifications associated with impending upgrade to CHRS and assessing impacts to the Academic faculty hiring, appointment processing, etc.
- UAW Contract Letters Developing language that addresses maximum hours and concurrent appointments to provide colleges/hiring areas as a revised contract letter template.