

College/Unit Highlights (unedited)
April 30, 2019

College of Arts and Letters

Student Success

- ENG: This is really a yearly accomplishment, but with Spring enrollments set I can now report that we had 20 undergraduate students doing internships this academic year (both on and off campus). We are making a concerted effort to increase student participation in internship experiences, and this is a significant jump in our numbers.
- COYOTE R & AD: KCAL/KOLA radio stations once again reached out to Coyote Radio for student voices to read commercial advertisements. The most recent “spot” was read by Coyote Radio student, Julio Reyes. Staff member Kelli Cluque was asked to coach him to be a character that is an off-road truck enthusiast who takes his truck to major music festivals. Listen to Julio here: <https://soundcloud.com/user-919105367/coyote-r-ad-student-commerical-for-kcal-kola>
- WLL: Student literature was published in VOICES, an annual magazine from the department in which students examine and celebrate their heritage and unique voices. The magazine was founded in 1994 by Dr. Antonieta Gallegos-Ruiz.
- ART: MFA in Studio Art finalist, Frederick Brashear opened his thesis exhibition, titled “Other Nature”, at RAFFMA, Thursday 25th April, 2019. The exhibition of photographic works from Fred’s 25 year project to map and document the changes in the Hesperia high desert area will run for three weeks.
- ART: Alumna of the BA in ART Plan IV Graphic Design, Angela Gillespi, will be a Professor-for-a-Day this Spring 2019 quarter in the design area of the Department of Art, working with Associate Professor Andrew Oakes. We are delighted to see Angela back in the department sharing her experiences with our current students.

Students’ Research, Creative Activities and Conference Presentation:

- ENG: The English Club is reactivating itself. They had one event in March, which I neglected to list earlier--a Finals Prep Study Hall and Meet n’ Greet (on March 15 from 4-8 pm.). On Friday, April 19 they will be having a “Writing Circus,” which involves writing themed games and activities, a spontaneous open mic, games, and general socializing.
- WLL: Six MA in Spanish graduate students participated in the 31st Cervantes Symposium at Cal State Northridge.

- WLL: Over 400 students from across campus participated in the annual Dia Latino in the SMSU Events center. There were tables representing Central and South American Countries and participants received a passport which was stamped at each table. Food, candies and games from many countries were offered as well as music and general awareness of the great diversity of what it means to be Latino.
- ART: The CSUSB Ceramics Association attended the 53rd National Council on the Education for the Ceramic Arts (NCECA). The group consisted of graduate student, undergraduates, and staff member, Matthew Dickerson, our Ceramics Technician. At NCECA students attended lectures, galleries and made connections with other students. This annual conference shows art from new upcoming artists and professional artists in the field of ceramics. NCECA demonstrates emerging technologies and techniques in ceramics and how to implement them into an educational environment.

Student Acceptance to Graduate Schools:

- ENG: Misael Osorio was accepted with full funding to the MFA program at the University of Notre Dame for next year.
- COMM: Melissa Patton was offered acceptance and full funding to both Colorado State University and North Carolina State University for their MA in Communication Studies Programs. She has accepted the fellowship at CSU and will be continuing her research in Organizational Communication. In addition she is in our Honors Program at CSUSB and just recently was accepted to present her Honors Thesis project titled "Doing Gender in the Princess Diaries' Guyland: Training to Become a Babe."
- COMM: Grecia Troche received an acceptance letter for her application to a PhD program from Purdue University. In addition, she is also in the Honors Program, and her project titled "World's Best Boss: An examination of leadership styles on organizational culture using *The Office*" was accepted for presentation.

Faculty and Staff Success

- Professor Annie Buckley received the prestigious NEA award.
- ART: Professor Katherine Gray was listed as one of the top three glass-makers in California, in *California Style & Culture* magazine (p.95), which also mentioned her starring role in the Netflix series "Blown Away" - a reality TV competition show for glass-makers.
- Three English faculty (Yumi Pak, Ron Chen, and Angela Penaredondo) received Professors Across Borders Awards.

Book Publications:

- ART: Associate Professor of Art History, Dr. Jane Chin Davidson, has a monograph, *Staging Art and Chineseness: Politics of Trans/Nationalism and Global Expositions*, to be published by University of Manchester Press currently in production, and scheduled for release at the end of 2019

Journal Article and Book Chapter Publications:

- ART: Associate Professor of Art History, Dr. Jane Chin Davidson, has been invited to write the “Foreword” for performance artist Barbara T. Smith’s catalogue, *What You Need to Know* (Los Angeles: Hyphen Media) - forthcoming.
- ART: Associate Professor of Art History, Dr. Jane Chin Davidson, has also had an Article titled “Patty Chang: The Wandering Lake,” accepted to be published in the journal of *Asian Diasporic Visual Cultures and the Americas (ADVA)*, forthcoming this year.

Editorship

- ART: Associate Professor of Art History, Dr. Jane Chin Davidson, has been invited as guest editor with co-editor Nicola Foster, to prepare a special issue “Restaging Exhibitions” for *Journal of Curatorial Studies*, Vol. 8, No.2, to be released Fall 2019, featuring essays by Dore Bowen, Kathryn M. Floyd, Margaret Winslow, Riva Symko, April Baca, and by the editors.

Creative Activities

- ART: Lecturer of painting & drawing Robin Adsit has just been offered a residency at Cha North in the Hudson Valley, upstate New York for the month of July (www.ChaNorth.org), and has been invited to take part in a group exhibition at the Urban Institute for Contemporary Arts of Kendall College of Art and Design at Ferris State University, which runs from May10 -August 18, 2019.

Furthermore, she has artwork in a group exhibition at the Alexandria Museum of Art, titled “Concrete and Adrift,” that was curated to complement an exhibition of Rembrandt’s etchings of beggars titled “Sordid & Sacred.” The exhibition runs from March 15th through June 22, 2019.

- ART: Professor Katherine Gray also has art work exhibited alongside three other glass specialists in an exhibition at Vita Art Center in Ventura, CA. The exhibition is titled, “Glass Show”, and runs from Saturday April 27th through May, 2019.

Conference Presentations:

- WLL: Carmen Jany, Professor of Linguistics and Spanish presented at the annual CAL Faculty Colloquium: *Negation in the World’s languages: The case of Chuxnabán Mixe*
- ART: Professor Kurt Collins took part in the CENIC’s annual three-day conference in La Jolla, co-located at the Estancia Hotel and in Atkinson Hall, the UC San Diego home of the California Institute for Telecommunications and Information Technology’s (Calit2) Qualcomm Institute. This conference brought together over 400 leaders from the research, education, and technology communities to share successes that have come from leveraging CENIC’s California Research and Education Network(CalREN). The conference featured 46 sessions with 98 presenters, including a panel from CSUSB led by Professor Collins, CIO San Sudhakar, and Yunfei Hou. Their presentation was titled, “Smart Campus, Smarter Learning: Improving Campus Parking Congestion”, and explored a curricular model for involving undergraduate students in an interdisciplinary, year-long project that uses supercomputing to study and alleviate campus parking congestion. Using cameras, sensor data, and big data analysis on the Pacific Research Platform, students learned how to track campus traffic flow, study the resulting patterns, and develop ways to disseminate just-in-time parking information.

- ART: Assistant Professor Edward Gomez is a keynote speaker for the LATINX Conference, at CSUSB, April 26th, 2019, where he will discuss his art and curatorial practice, and the work of his non-profit arts organisation The Mexicali Biennial, which creates exhibitions and publications collaborating with artists from across the USA and Central and South American nations to explore issues, themes, and ideas that are inherent to areas and peoples who live at or across national borders.
- COMM: Dr. Ahlam Muhtaseb presented her film *1948: Creation and Catastrophe* at the "Teaching Palestine: Pedagogical Praxis and the Indivisibility of Justice" conference and study tour in South Africa, March 18-25, 2019.
- WLL: Dr. Jerez-Gomez co-hosted the 31st Cervantes Symposium with Dr. Adrian Pérez-Boluda of Cal State Northridge. The Symposium was partially supported by CAL and WLL.

Resource Sustainability and Expansion

- CAL will start a new search for its new Director of Development.
- CAL met with VP and AVP of Advancement on developing an advancement action plan for CAL.
- CAL established a new philanthropic foundation account to receive the additional \$80,000 to help support the orchestra performance in Korea.
- CAL submitted 4 CourseMatch courses to the Chancellor's Office for approval. This will help receive additional funding from the Chancellor's Office. These courses have been approved by the CO.

Community Engagement and Partnership

- ART: Dr. Frank Houlihan, one of our design lecturers, has been invited to speak to students at San Bernardino Valley College, in our ongoing partnership with SBVC Art Chair, Manuela Batolo. Dr. Houlihan will give a talk to SBVC students about Typography, the Addys, careers in Graphic Design, and the CSUSB design program, April 18th, 2019.
- ENG: (This could be listed under faculty success, but it seems to fit here too). As part of the Latin American Studies Conference on campus next week, Assistant Professor of Creative Writing Angela Penaredondo and 2018 American Book Award Winner Rachelle Cruz (UC Riverside) will present a hybrid talk/presentation titled: "Interweaving Stories of Latinx Lineage & Feminism: Pilipinx Writers in Conversation." Their presentation will be on Friday, April 26, from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m in PL 5005.
- COYOTE R & AD: On April 7th Coyote Radio was a part of the annual fundraising event for the Inland Empire Ronald McDonald House charity "Walk For Kids." Coyote Radio was able to have a table at the event which drew an estimated 4,000 walkers and attendees. Staff manager Kelli Cluque emceed the event which was held at Fontana Park. A press release was prepared for Strat Comm and they featured the Coyote Radio team at the event in the CSUSB Daily News. Here is the link: <https://inside.csusb.edu/node/22106>
- COYOTE R & AD: In the continuing relationship with Dave & Buster's, Ontario Mills Mall, Coyote Radio & Advertising has scheduled period meetings with the Dave & Buster's Marketing Manager.

From this relationship, Coyote Advertising students practice writing commercial scripts for D & B's and the Coyote Radio students practice reading and producing the commercials. For the effort and actions by Coyote Radio & Advertising, Dave & Buster's provides their "game cards" for free game play at their Ontario location. These cards are used for giveaways at Coyote R & Ad tabling events on campus.

- COYOTE R & AD: Staff member Kelli Cluque directed the Coyote Advertising team on the marketing of the ITS Department's "Tech Talks." Included in the campaign Kelli and the team provided the graphic designs, social media, campus emails and live streaming during the event. Coyote Radio was also involved by tabling at the event.
- COYOTE R & AD: Coyote Radio was on site at the Coyote Bookstore for "Grad Days" on April 23rd. The student team played music, hosted games and gave away prizes for attendees.

Identity

- As part of the outreach and branding efforts, CAL published its quarterly newsletter showcasing faculty and students' accomplishments.
- COYOTE R & AD: We have been working with Web Services to better define the "Watch Live" function on the Coyote Radio web stream. The radio station is an internet streaming service that also has a real-time video stream. We have added Accessibility verbiage. We are also promoting the function of the video stream so that friends and family members can watch our student DJs as they perform live on Coyote Radio. Here is the link to watch live: <https://www.csusb.edu/coyote-radio/watch-live>

Jack H. Brown College of Business and Public Administration

Student Success

- **CalCPA Event** (Accounting & Finance Department): For the CPA information session, accounting practitioners from different institutions visited San Bernardino campus to share their techniques of preparing for CPA exam. Faculty members: David Senteney, Kathryn Johnson, Matthew Wilson.

CalCPA Association, CPAs and students from CSUSB, Redland, University of California, Riverside, Cal Poly Pomona met at this event. Around 189 students came in and interacted with CPAs and faculty members. At this event, students learned how to prepare CPA examination and to be licensed. This event supports our students' success and advertises our faculty excellence in terms of caring for our students. (April 2019)

- **VITA (Voluntary Income Tax Assistance)** at Fontana, San Bernardino: Dr. Taewoo Kim (Accounting and Finance chair), Dr. Ellen Rose and Prof. Kathryn Johnson and 40 students started VITA (Voluntary Income Tax Service) program, providing free tax services to communities. Over this practice, students develop deep knowledge and have hands-on experience in Taxation and filing. VITA supports our students' success in profession and promotes our quality of Accounting faculties and program to communities. (April 2019)
- **In Cooperation with AGA** (Association of Government Accountant, <https://www.agacgfm.org/home.aspx>) to host "Meet the Government" and "Alumni Mixer."

Dr. Taewon Yang and Collier Wakefield (FMA – Financial Management Association, President) met AGA (Association of Government accountants to arrange “Meet the Government” and “Alumni Mixer” event on May 20th at CSUSB.

The event will bring Accounting and Finance internship or job opportunities to CSUSB students, promoting our students’ success and Program Excellence. In addition, the event gives opportunities to FMA students to develop their leadership and teamwork.

- Annual Information Technology Competition (ITC) (Information and Decision Science Department)
On Saturday, March 23, groups of CSUSB students met at Cal Poly Pomona for the annual Information Technology Competition (ITC). The competition, hosted by Cal Poly Pomona’s Management Information Systems Student Association (MISSA), gave teams of students two weeks to analyze data and develop deliverable, culminating in a final presentation of the findings. CSUSB students participated in four of the five competition areas, which included security, IT strategy, computer forensics, web applications development, and data analytics. “The event was a great experience where individuals were put in a high stress environment with little time to figure out a solution to a problem,” The day of the competition, each team presented their findings for 20 minutes to a panel of judges, considered experts in their fields. Despite the high stress situation, CSUSB students persevered, winning 1st place in IT Strategy, Forensics, and Data Analytics. Students took the 2nd place in IT Security.

Faculty and Staff Success

- A CGM (Center For Global Management) graduate assistant has taken the lead to help promote study abroad. This month he held four tabling sessions, setup classroom presentations, wrote campus-wide email messages and maintained a presence and interest on social media. Through those efforts he is applying his skills in communication and marketing. This month, more than 30 students inquired about study abroad programs with half resulting in applications.
- Institute of Applied Research Conducted a study of December 2018 JHBC graduates (BA, BS, MBA, and MSA) to elicit their perceptions of the strengths and weaknesses of their program, and to gather the data required for the BSQ Employment Module, Princeton Business Data Set, and CEO Magazine’s rankings of our program. (March and April)

Community Engagement

- Institute of Applied Research worked with the Governor’s Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz) to conduct a supply chain map of defense department contractors and subcontractors operating in California. The purpose of the mapping study is to improve defense supply chain resilience by identifying contractors and subcontractors that might be at risk in the event of changes in defense spending. Those at-risk companies are then offered services by our statewide partners. Two of our graduate students are heavily involved in the research for this project. (ongoing till November)

College of Education

- The College of Education hosted an Open House event on April 25. The event showcased both faculty, staff, alumni and student successes over the past 10-years. Dean Zhu started of the program

with a welcome followed by remarks from; Dr. Shari McMahan (Provost), Dr. Iris Riggs (COE Professor), Terry Constant (COE Staff Retiree), Yessica Rodriguez (ASI Board of Directors COE Representative), Dr. Brian McDaniels (CA Teacher of the Year 2018 and teacher at Painted Hills MS), and Jim and Judy Watson. The COE Programs were represented throughout the building providing information and demonstrations. Coupled with this event was a Celebration of Teaching, inviting potential students to an event that highlights what it means to pursue a career in teaching. Included in the event was a K-12 Educator Panel, with panelist Dr. Brian McDaniels (CA Teacher of the Year 2018 and teacher at Painted Hills MS), Nicole Robinson (Carlston Foundation Teacher of the Year 2017) and Acquillahs Muteti (Carlston Foundation Teacher of the Year 2009).

Educational Leadership & Technology

- The Doctorate in Educational Leadership program hosted Educational Equity Dialogues on May 1st with Julian Vasquez Heilig, an award-winning teacher, researcher and blogger. The program, “Do Charter Schools = Equity?” featured his work on charter schools and their implications for equity.
- Dr. Nancy Acevedo-Gil (Faculty) was the recipient of this year’s *Outstanding Early Career Award* from the Hispanic Research Special Interest Group. Recognized at the AERA 2019 Annual Meeting in April, the award is designed to honor the research contributions of beginning national and international scholars who conduct research related to Hispanic/Latina/o issues in education. [Read the [FULL ARTICLE](#) here]
- Catherine Tamayo, current student in the CSUSB Ed.D. program, was recently appointed Elementary School Principal at Jasper Elementary in Alta Loma School District
- Willie Jones, current student in the CSUSB Ed.D. program, has been approved/named Principal of Serrano High School in Snowline Joint Unified School District

Teacher Education & Foundations

- Dr. Kathy Howard hosted Dr. Mónica García, an Associate Professor of Secondary Education at CSU, Northridge and Project Director for the “Future Minority Male Teachers of California Project” funded by the [W.K. Kellogg Foundation](#). Her six-campus project aims to recruit and support male teachers of color as they enter the teaching profession, and to increase the pipeline of minority male educators in the CSU. “If successful, the program will increase the numbers of men of color serving as teachers, mentors and role models in schools in California, particularly elementary schools. Research suggests that this will help close persistent achievement gaps” (<https://www2.calstate.edu/impact-of-the-csu/teacher-education/Pages/building-a-diverse-educator-workforce.aspx>)

College of Extended and Global Education

- The International Education Team collaborated with the Writing Center to host an education Email Etiquette Workshop on April 10 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. The thirty-nine students who participated learned how to best communicate with staff and faculty members using the proper greetings, subject headings, and how to best prepare their body text.

- On April 18, CISP hosted an information workshop for students and faculty members interested in applying for the Fulbright Scholarship.
- The International Education team organized a Spring 19 Field Trip for international students on April 20th to the Grove shopping area.
- International Extension Programs has received information on the 25 Khbrat scholars who are sponsored by the Saudi Arabian Ministry of Education. This cohort that consists of English language teachers will receive training from July 1st, 2019 through June 30th, 2020.
- In seeking new business partnerships, PACE met with City of Ontario, Rancho Cucamonga Chamber of Commerce, and Palm Springs USD.
- MBA program marketing was expanded at the Ontario Airport with advertising in two terminals.
- Summer recruitment is in full swing, branded with Don't Let Summer Melt Away". Summer 2019 will be the last full summer before Q2S with full 3 sessions: 10-week session and two 6-weeks sessions.
- CEGE held a "Welcome Back" coffee and pastries event on the first and second day of the spring quarter.
- ASI Ambassadors held orientation on 4/22/19. There will be a minimum of 10 students helping to promote Summer Session.
- GIG Grant - as of 4/29/2019, over 604 students have applied for the Graduation Initiative Grant, with 289 of them deemed eligible.

Office of Community Engagement

- The seventh annual Coyote Cares Day was held on Saturday, April 13, with more than 330 students, staff and administrators volunteering at 18 sites in San Bernardino and surrounding communities. Palm Desert Campus students drove to San Bernardino for the first time to join in the service and fun! The value of their volunteer service that morning was almost \$40,000, calculated with current value of a volunteer hour in California at \$29.95/hour. Coyote Cares Day is held during National Volunteer Week in celebration of the impact of volunteer service and the power of volunteers to tackle society's greatest challenges and build stronger communities. Next year, Coyote Cares Day will be held on Saturday, April 25th, so please save the date!

Office of Faculty Affairs and Development

New/Updated Items:

- Worked with University Faculty Mentoring Network on 3 new faculty workshops
 - Introduction to CARE and Academic Integrity – April 18th
 - Reading and Interpreting RPT Evaluations – April 22nd
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- RPT review for Promotion/Tenure – processed college level reports
- RPT review for 1st, 3rd, and 5th yr – Prepared 70 faculty files for dept.

- Received Range Elevation Decisions from A&L and JHBC
- Preliminary appointment of Department Chair, Marc Fudge
- Initiating and coordinating Emeritus letter with the President's Office.
- Completed job postings for Athletics and Art (repost)
- Received 10 signed contract letters for (3 JHBC, 2 COE, 2 CNS, 3 SBS)
- Sent out 4 appointment letters:
 - CNS – KINE 1
 - CNS – HSCI 1
 - CAL – COMM 1
 - CAL – TA 1
- Issued 7 revised letters due to Dean changes
- Working on 2 new faculty hiring files (HIST and ANTH)
- Visiting faculty letter for Marketing and Management
- Submitted 10 background checks and 2 are cleared
- PageUp Recruiting
 - Prepare Academic Side for transition by providing overview sessions to colleges
 - Building recruitment processes, approval roles, and configurations in PageUP
 - Attending all CHRS/PageUp meetings/calls
 - Mapping recruitment processes for Full-time and Part-time recruitments
 - Conducting extensive system/PageUp tests and reporting to Chancellor's Office
- Continuing to work with CEGE on printing faculty contract letters in PeopleSoft

Continuing from last month:

- Went to Chancellors Office for faculty focused PageUp demonstration
- Building the faculty recruitment process in PageUp
- Reviewing CO's training guides for PageUp implementation
- Collaborating with JHBC to discuss phase 1 piloting of PageUp for FT faculty recruitment
 - 1 FT lecturer
 - 1 TT faculty
- Teleconferences – HUG, CHRS, WA, Data Standardization, PageUp Recruiting, Project Management, CHRS recruiting faculty taskforce, CHRS manager status call for leads, SMEs and campus change team, PageUp configuration permission deep dive and CHRS recruiting collaborative integration call.
- Online directory corrections, 6 issues brought to our attention that required research
- Met with campus IT to identify solutions/work around for these directory issues
- Academic Affairs Council meeting to support Dr. Georgiou with questions regarding the presentation of data, charts and tables he presented to AAC.
- Working with campus IT on CEGE Contract Letter Query to pull data from PeopleSoft and upload into another program that will generate the CEGE faculty contract letters.
- OnBase (UAW) - Increased Functionality – New functionality is now active in the system. Currently in process of transitioning all hard copy Unit 11 appointment forms (except Academic Year - Teaching Associates) to online submission via OnBase for fall term.
- Range Elevation eligibility re-auditing on all lecturers for CSUSB/CFA
- Range elevation process, working on moving 12 reviews from department level to the college level review
- Retirement/FERP inquiries such as benefit questions, sick time carry-over, what retirement date to use, and FERP workload calculations
- Spring quarter input session with college of NSCI
- Employment verifications, estimated 10

- Worked with students on organizing remodeled file room
- Working with COE on rehired annuitant workload to ensure CALPERS compliance
- Received 2 new requisitions for Athletics and Psychology
- Received 2 signed contract letters for History and English
- Completed job postings for Criminal Justice, Communication Studies
- Sent out 8 appointment letters:
 - CNS – KINE 3
 - CNS – NURS 1
 - CNS – BIO 2
 - CAL – ENG 1
 - COE – TEF 1
- Processing of spring quarter appointments, special project pay and special consultant apts.
- Submitted 8 requests for background check on new tenure track faculty