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Media Advisory: 8:00 a.m. to 2 p.m., Thursday, November 17

Elections 2016: What on Earth Happened? Where Does California Go From Here?

What:

The Pat Brown Institute for Public Affairs, Cal State LA, will host its 23rd Annual Conference, *Elections 2016: What on Earth Happened? Where Does California Go From Here?*, November 17th, from 8:00 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Cal State LA. The conference will feature in-depth discussions on the national, state and local elections with an emphasis on California's future direction. CA Secretary of State Alex Padilla will be the luncheon speaker.

Who:

- **President William A. Covino**, Cal State LA
- **Alex Padilla**, California Secretary of State
- **Dr. Adrian D. Pantoja**, senior analyst, Latino Decisions
- **Ana Guerrero**, deputy mayor and chief of staff to Mayor Eric Garcetti
- **Dr. Ange-Marie Hancock Alfaro**, USC Associate Professor, Founder & CEO of RISIST
- **Dan Ichinose**, project director, Asian Americans Advancing Justice – LA
- **Jill Darling**, survey director, USC Center for Economic and Social Research
- **Kayla Stamps**, president, Associated Student, Inc., Cal State LA
- **Mike Madrid**, principal, GrassrootsLab
- **Philip Chen (R)**, assemblymember – elect, 55th Assembly District
- **Dr. Raphael J. Sonenshein**, executive director, Pat Brown Institute for Public Affairs, Cal State LA

Major Event Sponsors Include:

Edison International, Southern California Gas Company, ECMC Foundation, IBEW Local #47, and Charlie Woo.

When:

8:00 a.m. to 2 p.m., Thursday, November 17. Follow the event: #PBIElections2016

Where:

Cal State LA is located at 5151 State University Dr., Los Angeles, CA 90032-8002. General parking is available on 1) the top-level lot of Parking Structure C; 2) all levels of Parking Structure A; 3) Lots 2, 5, and 7. Parking Structure C and Lot 5 are the closest to the venue. Lot 5 is likely to have the most spaces available. Parking Lot 5 is a brisk 10-minute walk to the conference room. Purchase your permit at one of the dispensers, \$3 for 4 hours, \$6 for a daily permit. There is a convenient Metro stop located on the campus. If you plan to use this option, download our [campus map](#) and use the [Metro Trip Planner](#). For additional information, visit the [Pat Brown Institute](#) or call us at (323) 343-3770.

More:

Governor Edmund G. “Pat” Brown, who held office from 1959 to 1967, brought the Pat Brown Institute to Cal State LA in 1987. The Institute is a nonpartisan center for community engagement, civic education, public policy forums and debates, youth leadership and applied public policy research. The Pat Brown Institute has developed a series of distinguished and accessible programs to carry out the mission of the University and create more inclusive and empowered communities across Southern California.

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Cal State LA is a university dedicated to engagement, service, and the public good. Founded in 1947, the University serves more than 27,000 students, and 240,000 distinguished alumni, who are as diverse as the city we serve. Located in the heart of Los Angeles, Cal State L.A. has long been recognized as an engine of economic and social mobility. Led by an award-winning faculty, the University offers nationally recognized programs in science, the arts, business, criminal justice, engineering, nursing, education and the humanities.

Cal State LA is home to the critically-acclaimed Luckman Fine Arts Complex, Pat Brown Institute for Public Affairs, Hertzberg-Davis Forensic Science Center, Hydrogen Research and Fueling Facility, Billie Jean King Sports Complex, TV, Film and Media Center and the Center for Engagement, Service, and the Public Good. For more information, visit CalStateLA.edu, or like us at Facebook.com/CalStateLA.