



# CHARTER COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

CCOE-NEWS

February 27, 2017



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# Dean's Message



Dean Cheryl Ney

## Daring to be Powerful Together

This edition of the CCOE Bulletin once again provides important and useful information for you and for CCOE students. It also chronicles key college events that were recently held or are upcoming. These events demonstrate the creativity of CCOE faculty and their determination to be engaged practitioners offering mutually beneficial professional learning opportunities for current candidates in CCOE programs, the CCOE and education professionals in our region. We thank event organizers and our dedicated staff for these enriching opportunities! You have an important role to play in extending the creative act by your participation. **Mark your calendars for events in March, April and May!**

I also want to highlight the keynote address that many of us heard at the Ed.D. /CCOE Research symposium, on February 18<sup>th</sup> (this was the morning after the big storm). Dr. Antonia Darder, Leavey Endowed Chair of Ethics and Moral Leadership at Loyola Marymount University engaged us in thinking through “Decolonizing Research for Struggle and Resistance,” a topic as upending as the storm we had just experienced!

She reminded us that humans construct knowledge daily and encouraged us, as knowledge creators, to be open to risk and collective action including in research efforts. She elaborated on the power of decolonizing methodologies in research to challenge myths that oppress---the myths of equality, school choice, social mobility and of a classless society (see Linda Tuhiwai Smith, [Decolonizing Methodologies](#)). She named the many boundaries that must be crossed in the terrain of how we know what we know (epistemology) about the nature of our existence (ontology) –of objectivity, the abstraction of knowledge and other colonizing values embedded in research methodologies. She offered encouragement and inspiration for this challenging work of boundary crossing, reminding us of Paolo Freire’s insight that, “Knowledge emerges only through invention and re-invention, through the restless, impatient, continuing hopeful inquiry that human beings pursue in the world, with the world, with each other.” Dr. Darder concluded with the challenge to the CCOE research community, “to dare to be powerful together.”

**With you, I look forward to the upcoming events at the CCOE and what they offer each of us in our “hopeful inquiry!”**

# CCOE February SAW Meeting

## The CCOE SAW - Did You Make Your Voice Heard?

The CCOE held a School As a Whole (SAW) meeting on Thursday, February 23, 2017. Faculty, staff and students worked together to continue the discussion of defining the college and a collaborative vision, by asking the question, "Where are we going?" Discussions allowed opinions to be voiced about what role the college and its members play in terms of education, social justice, and student life. Were you there?

The next SAW is on Thursday, April 13. Your voice matters. Please attend.



# Chinese Educators Visit CCOE

## 中国教育家访问CCOE

On February 20, the CCOE was honored to welcome a delegation of Chinese educators. These elementary and high school principals toured our college and met with our professors in an effort to learn our best practices in education, and to share their successes and challenges with us.

While there may have been initial language and cultural differences, it was evident that there is a shared passion for improving the educational opportunities and the lives of all of our children, whether they come from Boyle Heights or Beijing. With interpretation provided by the CCOE's Dr. Gay Yuen and their group leader, the Chinese educators met with myself, Dr. Fred Uy, Dr. Yuen, and others to gain insight into the work of our college.



# Access Con

Access Con!, held on January 14, 2017, was co-sponsored by the Charter College of Education at Cal State LA, CSUN, and both WISH and CHIME inclusive charter schools. This successful conference was an opportunity to learn practical strategies for providing access to common core curriculum in order to advance inclusive education for students with and without disabilities.

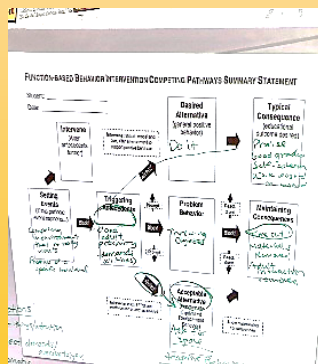
The conference was attended by teachers, administrators, teacher trainers and parents. Participants were given knowledge and insight into creating and accessing a shared database of TK-12 accommodations and modifications. Dr. Mary Falvey, Emeritus Faculty in the Division of Special Education and Counseling, and Caitlin Solone, Doctoral student in the joint Ph.D. program with Cal State LA and UCLA, were involved in the planning of this conference.



**Example of hands-on activities where teachers, administrators & parents created accommodations and modifications.**



**Brainstorming next steps of broadening access of the shared database of TK - 12 accommodations and modifications.**



**One of numerous tools shared by those in attendance and placed in the database for future use.**



**Celebrating all that was accomplished!**

# Ed.D. Research Symposium



## CCOE's Ed.D. Program Holds Research Symposium

The Ed.D. Program in Educational Leadership held their Annual Ed.D./CCOE Research Symposium on Saturday, February 18, 2017.

Over 100 attendees, including Ed.D. students, MA students, alumni, and CCOE faculty, joined Dean Cheryl Ney for the event. The program featured keynote speaker, Dr. Antonia Darder, and a presenter from the Joint UCLA/Cal State LA Ph.D. Program

Dr. Darder is an internationally recognized scholar who holds the Leavey Presidential Endowed Chair in Ethics and Moral Leadership in the School of Education at Loyola Marymount University. Her topic was "Social Justice Leadership in the Age of Trump."

At the event, doctoral students were also able to showcase their research findings in a session of roundtable presentations.

# Upcoming Events

## EDAD Symposium – Preparing Educational Leaders for PK-12 Students

Wednesday, March 1, 2017 | 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Golden Eagle Ballroom

## Trauma-Informed Practices Symposium

Friday, March 3, 2017 | 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## Mental & Behavioral Health Conference:

*Making Meaningful Intergenerational Connections*

Saturday, March 4, 2017 | 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Golden Eagle Ballroom

## CA-Promise-Cal State LA Achievement Awards Ceremony

Saturday, March 25, 2017 | 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Golden Eagle Ballroom

## Spring Break

Monday, March 27, 2017 to Sunday, April 2, 2017

## Cesar Chavez Holiday - University Closed

Friday, March 31, 2017

## Day of the Educator/Honors Convocation

Friday, May 5, 2017 | 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Golden Eagle Ballroom

## CCOE Commencement

Monday, May 22, 2017 | 6 p.m.

## Memorial Day - University Closed

Monday, May 29, 2017

## California Counseling Association/CCOE Conference, "Building Bridges: Creating Communities Today & Tomorrow"

Friday & Saturday, July 21 & 22, 2017 | Time & Location TBD

## Satellites & Education Conference

Thursday, July 27 - 29, 2017 | Time & Location TBD

## Better Together: CA Teachers Summit

Friday, July 28, 2017 | Time & Location TBD



treatment  
resources  
justice-system  
abuse trauma  
considerations  
state informed school  
level  
Practices youth  
community  
cultural Trauma  
Foster psychological families  
Youth Working Medical  
Individual Advocacy  
asset-mapping

## Trauma-Informed Practices Symposium

Friday, March 3, 2017 | 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
Golden Eagle Ballroom

This will be a day-long symposium for pre-service practitioners in various education, psychology, and health and human service related fields to learn about trauma-informed practices. Invited experts will discuss the impacts of trauma on young people's development, and provide resources for suggested best-practices.

**Keynote:** Aillesh Tom, School Mental Health Coordinator for Crisis Counseling & Intervention, LAUSD, will be delivering a keynote address entitled "[Our Work Through a Trauma-Informed Lens](#)"

**Workshop topics:** (1) Foster youth, (2) Youth trauma and cultural considerations, (3) Trauma and justice-system involved youth, (4) Linking school and community resources, (5) Working with families, (6) Advocacy at the state level, (7) Individual and community asset-mapping, (8) Medical and psychological treatment for youth who have experienced abuse

RSVP: <https://goo.gl/forms/jGMtl2rtQAKJoaj13>  
Breakfast, lunch, and certificates of attendance will be provided.

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For more info contact: Allison Mattheis - [amatthe5@calstatela.edu](mailto:amatthe5@calstatela.edu) or Elina Saeki - [esaeki@calstatela.edu](mailto:esaeki@calstatela.edu)



FIRST GENERATION  
STUDENT SUCCESS  
AT CAL STATE LA



APRIL 7  
FRIDAY  
9AM - 3:30PM  
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STUDENT  
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Save  
The  
Date

82%  
OF CAL STATE LA  
STUDENTS WILL BE  
AMONG THE FIRST  
GENERATION IN THEIR  
FAMILY TO EARN A  
BACHELOR'S DEGREE.

REGISTRATION  
information  
will be  
available in  
March.



For more information,  
contact the Office of the  
Vice President for  
Student Life at  
323-343-3100.

THE SYMPOSIUM IS INTENDED TO BRING OUR EXPERIENCE OF BEING FIRST GENERATION AND OUR EXPERTISE FROM WORKING WITH FIRST GENERATION STUDENTS INTO A DIALOGUE AMONG STUDENTS, FACULTY, AND STAFF, CREATING A MORE FORMAL NETWORK WITHIN OUR UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY.

# Sessions, Workshops & Events



## Mental & Behavioral Health Conference: Making Meaningful Intergenerational Connections



**Saturday, March 4, 2017**

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

CAL STATE L.A.



**REGISTER HERE**

or by emailing [ccoe@calstatela.edu](mailto:ccoe@calstatela.edu)



This conference is co-sponsored by:  
*Rehabilitation Counseling Association*  
*Center for Excellence in Early Intervention & Low Incidence Disabilities*  
*Center for Multicultural Education*  
*Division of Special Education & Counseling*  
*School-Based Family Counseling Association*

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To register for the March 4<sup>th</sup> conference, [Click Here](#).



## Award Ceremony



CaPROMISE-CSULA  
cordially invites you to its

*Achievement Award Ceremony* to celebrate the cooperative efforts among Centinela, Compton, Los Angeles, Long Beach, and Whittier School Districts and the accomplishments of young adults to complete the CaPROMISE-CSULA Vocational Skills Training Certificate Program

**Saturday, March 25, 2017**

2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

**Cal State LA Golden Eagle Ballroom**

CaPROMISE.CSULA@gmail.com - (323) 343-4310  
5151 State University Drive, KH-D2081, Los Angeles, CA 90032



CaPROMISE is funded through a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Dept. of Education, Office of Special Education, Program (OSEP), Grant #H418P130003. The contents of this presentation do not necessarily represent the policy of the U.S. Dept. of Education, and you should not assume endorsement by the Federal Government.

All are invited to come support the high schools students from these schools who will be visiting our college for the Achievement Awards Ceremony on March 25!



# Sessions, Workshops & Events

Charter College of Education 

## Education Career Fair

Looking for a Career in Education?

- Elementary Teachers
- Secondary Teachers (English, Math, Social Science, etc.)
- Special Education Teachers
- Reading Specialists
- Counselors/Psychologists
- Assistant Principals



**April 20, 2017 (Thursday)**  
**3:00pm**  
**King Hall Walkway**  
*Near Lecture Halls*

5151 State University Drive, KH-2078  
Los Angeles, CA 90032  
Phone: 323.343.4320

Events, classes, workshops or other info you want to share with the CCOE community, use this link:

<http://sgiz.mobi/s3/News-Letter-In-Take-Form>

## The CCOE Innovation, Curriculum, & Assessment Committee (ICAC) Announce 6<sup>th</sup> Annual RFP



You are invited to submit to the sixth annual Request for Proposal for Collaborative Teaching Projects at the CCOE.

In efforts to foster increased innovation and collaboration in teaching in the CCOE, ICAC has developed this RFP to provide a small number of modest stipends for faculty to engage in the preparation and delivery of collaboratively taught classes.

We highly encourage eligible tenure/tenure-track faculty and lecturers to consider submitting a proposal.

The submission deadline is **Thursday, March 2, 2017**.

Please contact the CCOE's Intranet or the Associate Dean's Office for additional information.

# Sessions, Workshops & Events



Let Your Students Know About the New  
Cal State LA Cal Fresh Outreach Center



Cal State LA is proud to announce the launch of our CalFresh Outreach Center (located in the Student Affairs Building room 113). The center will focus on assisting students through the CalFresh application process, as well as provide additional campus resources available to Cal State LA students.

## What is CalFresh?

If you have heard of SNAP (Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program), then you are already familiar with the many wonderful benefits offered to those who qualify for CalFresh. SNAP (formerly known as the Food Stamps Program) is now called CalFresh for those living in the state of California. CalFresh has been established to improve the nutrition of people in low-income households. It does this by increasing their food-buying power, so they are able to purchase the amount of food their household needs. CalFresh benefits are used instead of money at the grocery store. CalFresh benefits are issued via an Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) card.

## How do students benefit?

Through the CalFresh program, qualifying students will be allotted money each month specifically for food. **Cal State LA has reason to believe that many of our students are unaware that they qualify for CalFresh and/or feel overwhelmed by the application process. The CalFresh Outreach Center is here to assist students through the application process.**

CalFresh Outreach Hours:

Location: Student Affairs Building – 113

Monday 9am-12pm; 2pm-5pm Drop-in Assist Day

Tuesday-Friday by Appointment Only

Cal State LA is beyond excited to bring this program to our campus, and looks forward to assisting any interested students with either applying for CalFresh and/or seeking additional resources. Please send this information out to the students whom you work with.

For more information please feel free to contact (323)343-6074 or [calfreshoutreach@calstatela.edu](mailto:calfreshoutreach@calstatela.edu).

# Get Social w/ CCOE

## CCOE College, Divisions & Programs on Social Media Our List (so far...)



### Facebook

CCOE

[www.facebook.com/CSULA.CCOE](http://www.facebook.com/CSULA.CCOE)

RCA

[www.facebook.com/RCA-at-CSULA](http://www.facebook.com/RCA-at-CSULA)

School Based Family Counseling

[www.facebook.com/SBFC.CSULA](http://www.facebook.com/SBFC.CSULA)

School Psychology Student Association

[www.facebook.com/schoolpsychologyatcsula](http://www.facebook.com/schoolpsychologyatcsula)



### Websites

CCOE Ed.D.

[www.calstatela.edu/edd](http://www.calstatela.edu/edd)

CCOE

[www.calstatela.edu/academic/ccoe](http://www.calstatela.edu/academic/ccoe)

CCOE Educational Technology

[www.calstatela.edu/ccoe/it](http://www.calstatela.edu/ccoe/it)

LAUTR

[www.golautr.org/](http://www.golautr.org/)

School Psychology Student Association

[www.spsacsula.org/](http://www.spsacsula.org/)



### Twitter

CCOE

[@CCOECalstateLA](https://twitter.com/CCOECalstateLA)

CCOE Educational Technology

[@EDITCalStateLA](https://twitter.com/EDITCalStateLA)

CCOE Ed.D.

[@csula\\_edd](https://twitter.com/csula_edd)

CCOE SchoolBasedFamCounseling

[@csulasbfc](https://twitter.com/csulasbfc)



### Blog

RCA

[www.csularca.wordpress.com/about/](http://www.csularca.wordpress.com/about/)



### Instagram

CCOE Ed.D.

[www.instagram.com/eddcsula/](http://www.instagram.com/eddcsula/)

School Psychology Student Association

[www.instagram.com/spsacsula/](http://www.instagram.com/spsacsula/)

The CCOE is now on Twitter. Please follow us @CCOECalStateLA We will be sure to follow you back!

If you do not have a Twitter account already and want help setting one up, [Click Here.](#)

Want to work one-on-one? Please email [Dawn.Jefferson@calstatela.edu](mailto:Dawn.Jefferson@calstatela.edu) to set up individual or small group sessions.

**Please email us your social media links (Twitter, Facebook, LinkedIn, YouTube)  
for your divisions or programs, so we can be connected.**

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

# Awards & Accolades



## **Ricci Chapter Explores Reading in New Book**

Dr. Leila Ansari Ricci has a chapter on reading in *What Really Works for Exceptional Learners*, published by the Council for Exceptional Children, a special education professional organization. Ricci, who is an Associate Professor in the Division of Special Education and Counseling and serves as Program Coordinator for the LAUTR-TI Special Education Pathway.

In addition, Dr. Ricci presented at CSUN's What Really Works conference on February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017, giving a one-hour session centered on reading.

## **McCormick Named One of Cal State LA's Distinguished Women**

Cal State LA announced the recipients of The 19th Annual Distinguished Women Awards. This year's awardees include the CCOE's Jennifer McCormick of the Division of Curriculum and Instruction. Congratulations to Jennifer!

The awards reception will be on Wednesday, March 8, 2017 from 3 - 4:30 p.m. in the Golden Eagle Ballroom, 3rd floor, Golden Eagle Building. Introductions will begin at 3:30 p.m. For more information, please call the Cross Cultural Centers at 323-343-5001. No RSVP is necessary to attend.



# Awards & Accolades

## Good News for LAUTR Alums



LAUTR alumna Jeanette Helgura (middle) Cohort 4 was named a 2016-2017 Academy Lead Teacher.



Evelyn Navarro, who was a member of LAUTR Cohort 5, has been selected as a Finalist for Green Dot New Teacher of the Year.

For more LAUTR News visit:  
<http://www.golautr.com/lautr-news/>

**GoLAUTR**



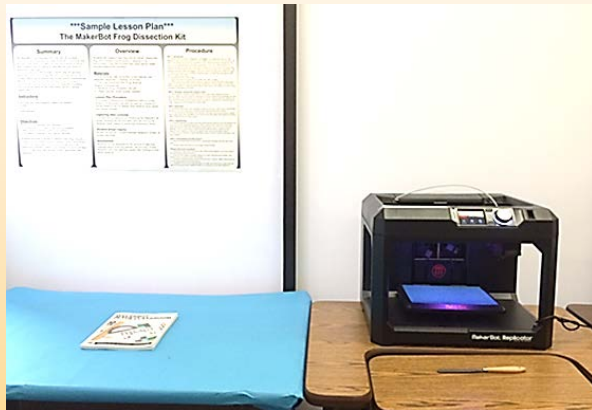
### Urban Learning Program Grad Helps start STEAM High School

Wendy Barrales, a 2010 graduate of the Urban Learning Program at the CCOE is now a doctoral candidate at The City University of New York - The Graduate Center. Barrales is also a founding teacher at an all-girls STEAM high school in Brooklyn.

Barrales reached out to the CCOE to let future teachers know that career opportunities are available at her school. For more information, visit: <http://belahs.org/theteam>

# Program News

**Join Dr. Doyle-Nichols for a  
Makerbot Demonstration  
Monday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 4:05 – 4:25 p.m.**



Did you know that the CCOE has its own 3D printer? Discover how it can meet the needs of students and education professionals.

Please join Dr. Doyle-Nichols for a Makerbot Demonstration on Monday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 4:05 – 4:25 p.m. in King Hall C2089.

For more info about MakerBot, visit:  
[www.makerbot.com](http://www.makerbot.com)

## Test Your Phishing Savvy

How good are you at detecting phishing schemes in email?

Take the SonicWall Phishing IQ Test at <https://www.sonicwall.com/phishing/phishing-quiz-question.aspx>.

When you finish the quiz, there is a link to explain why/why not the email is legitimate.



# Program News (Continued)



## Encourage Your Students to Sign Up Today Eagle iJobs Service

Please help launch the new initiative to have every CCOE student sign up for Cal State LA's Eagle iJobs service, where employers hire Cal State LA students and alumni.

As a Cal State LA student or alumni, Eagle iJobs gives you access to:

- Hundreds of Jobs, Internships, and Fellowships on and off campus
- Multiple search options
- Instant E-mail job alerts
- Upload resume and cover letter
- Manage your job search
- Career events calendar
- Mentor networking
- Resource library

Register today at [www.calstatela.edu/careercenter/eagleijobs](http://www.calstatela.edu/careercenter/eagleijobs) using your **student access code**:

Your initials (first & last name) + Last six (6) digits of your Campus ID Number.

If you need help, please visit the Career Center, located near the main walkway across the Cal State LA Olympics mural. You can also visit their website at [www.calstatela.edu/careercenter](http://www.calstatela.edu/careercenter).

**Come to the LAUTR Information Session  
King Hall A3034 - 2/27/17 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.**



**READY TO INVEST IN TEACHING?  
WE'RE READY TO INVEST IN YOU!**

[www.GoLAUTR.com](http://www.GoLAUTR.com)

**Los Angeles Urban Teacher Residency** is an 18 to 24 month intensive *credential and master's degree* program founded on principles of *social justice*. The Cal State University Los Angeles based program provides aspiring urban teachers with rigorous, practical coursework, and training that includes co-teaching with a mentor teacher for an entire school year in high-need schools in Los Angeles.

**Two credential pathways:**

1. **Education Specialist Credential with STEM Specialization**
2. **Single-Subject Credential in Math or Science** for secondary level

**Program features:**

- \$25,000 living stipend with additional scholarship/grant opportunities
- A year-long apprenticeship co-teaching with a mentor teacher
- Core group of professors committed to the residents' success
- Highly supported cohort communities
- STEM background NOT necessary
- Complete credential requirements in 12 months, Master's requirements in 24 months

Interested individuals, who will have graduated by Spring 2017, should attend an online information session from the website, [GoLAUTR.com](http://GoLAUTR.com).

Contact: Yvonne Ribas, Recruitment & Placement Director  
818.317.5216 [yribas@ccebos.org](mailto:yribas@ccebos.org)

[#losangelesUTR](https://twitter.com/losangelesUTR)



# Program News (Continued)

## Faculty...It's That Time of Year Again (Almost)

Faculty will wear academic regalia for both the Honors Convocation/Day of the Educator Celebration on May 5, and at the CCOE Commencement on May 22.

The University Bookstore will rent or sell caps, gowns, and hoods for faculty use for these events. They may also be ordered online through the University Bookstore's vendor Oak Hall. Order deadline dates are listed on the website.

<https://oakhalli.com/colleges/calstatelafaculty> | [More Information.](#)



## Professional Development for CCOE Staff

Professional Development trainings have been created for CCOE Staff. Please arrange coverage with your Division Chair so you can attend. All trainings will be held from 9 a. m. - 10 a. m. in KH D2076A. \*

“Online Requisitions and Open Purchase Orders”  
Thursday, March 9, 2017

“Hospitality and Parking Reservations for Events and Meetings”  
Thursday, March 23, 2017

“Encryption Training”  
Thursday, April 13, 2017

Let us know if you have a topic you would like at an upcoming training!

Please RSVP to Aimee Lim - [ALim@cslanet.calstatela.edu](mailto:ALim@cslanet.calstatela.edu). Seating is limited.

\*(Meetings/times subject to change. Confirmation emails will be sent.)



# Program News (Continued)

## Help Your Students Know What to Do & Know Their Rights

### If ICE Agents Show Up At Your Door:

- Don't open the door, but be calm. You have rights.
- Ask what they are there for, (and ask for an interpreter if you need one).
- If they ask to enter, ask if they have a warrant signed by a judge\* and if so, ask to see it (through a window or slipped under the door).
- If they do NOT have a warrant signed by a judge\*, you may refuse to let them in. Ask them to leave any information at your door.
- If they force their way in, don't resist. Tell everyone in the residence to remain silent.
- If you are arrested, remain silent and do not sign anything until you speak to a lawyer.

\*An ICE administrative warrant (form I-200, I-205) does not allow them to enter your home without your consent.

**ACLU KNOW YOUR RIGHTS**

**IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS  
ENFORCEMENT**

For more information and for help, visit -  
<http://www.calstatela.edu/academic/cls/immigrationcommunity-resources>

## Gather. Eat. Socialize.

On Wednesday, March 22, the CCOE will host a social open to all faculty, staff and students. There will be food available from noon to 6:00PM. Location TBD.

Come when you can, leave when you must!

**All are welcome. Be sure to invite students.**



# Program News (Continued)

## Carlston Family Foundation Honors Outstanding Teachers

To Nominate: Go to [www.carlstonfamilyfoundation.org](http://www.carlstonfamilyfoundation.org)  
Nomination Deadline: April 15, 2017



**Carlston  
Family  
Foundation**

### Honoring Outstanding Teachers Of America

Honor and Reward Exceptional  
California High School Teachers

The Carlston Family Foundation seeks to challenge all Americans to engage in addressing the many important and critical issues facing education today. The Foundation endeavors to identify exemplary educators who, by their own example, honor the value of knowledge through their consistent dedication, determination and commitment to help their students find success. These life-changing teachers make it possible for students to learn how to incorporate the academic and personal skills required for continued success.

The Carlston Family Foundation Award Winning teachers come to the attention of the Foundation from former students who are currently attending, or have graduated from, four-year institutions of higher education. These students believe their high school teachers were responsible for providing the guidance, mentoring and academic skills necessary for them to achieve success in higher education. To date, the Foundation has honored 71 exceptional California secondary teachers. Each Honoree receives a \$15,000 cash award and their high school receives a cash award of \$5,000. In addition, Honorees become members of the Foundation Advisory Board, dedicated to improving instruction in California classrooms, the recruitment and retention of exceptional teachers and the continuous improvement of the state's education system.  
**YOUR HELP IS NEEDED...**

The Carlston Family Foundation collaborates with Colleges, Universities and a variety of foundations and scholarship programs throughout the country to identify students who attended low performing high schools, with few resources and located in highly culturally diverse communities, and who have achieved academic success despite financial, family or personal problems. The goal of the Foundation is to contact and provide information to as many students as possible who believe a former teacher had a life-changing impact on their lives and whom they might wish to nominate and recognize for their continued excellence as teachers and mentors.

The Carlston Family Foundation's Executive Director is available to speak to College or University administration, faculty members, Foundation Executive Directors and staff, as well as student groups, to share the Foundation's mission and the importance of recognizing teachers who consistently have a profound, life-changing influence on the lives of students. The Foundation will provide printed information for distribution to students explaining how nominations may be made via the Foundation website. The Foundation also makes Carlston Honorees available for professional development activities and other teaching presentations throughout the state.

#### REQUIREMENTS FOR FINALISTS:

- Must be nominated by former student enrolled in or graduated from a 4-year College or University
- Must be teaching in a low socio-economic, disadvantaged or high need school/district
- Must currently be teaching in a California High School
- Must have had a documented, consistent and profound, life-changing academic influence on students

**Help Us Honor and Reward Exceptional High School Teachers!**

To Nominate: Go to [www.carlstonfamilyfoundation.org](http://www.carlstonfamilyfoundation.org)

Nominations are open for the 2017 Outstanding Teacher of America Awards  
Deadline: April 15, 2017

Contact Information:  
Tim Allen M.A.  
Executive Director  
Carlston Family Foundation  
Phone: 949-640-7840  
E-mail: [tima@carlston.net](mailto:tima@carlston.net)

## Teaching for the Honors College

The Honors College at Cal State LA is an interdisciplinary program that offers high achieving students an opportunity to participate in a scholarly community dedicated to inquiry and discovery, creative and critical thinking, and the creation of knowledge. If you are interested in teaching for the Honors College, please complete this [application](#).

For more information about the program, please visit our [website](#) and if you have any questions, send the [Honors College](#) an email or call us at 323-343-5969.

## Date Night at Cal State LA



On February 10, 2017, Cal State LA held, "Date Night," a reception for couples who met while at the University. Love was in the air, as some of our CCOE faculty and staff partook in the activities. To see the video, visit: <https://vimeo.com/201191119>.



# Program News (Continued)

## IMPORTANT INFO ABOUT

### Requests for May & Summer Intersessions 2017 Software Installation

**Deadline is March 17** for submitting requests for software installation on instructional workstations in Open Access Labs, Computer Classrooms, and Technologically Enhanced Classrooms (TECs).

**Deadline is June 23, 2017** for submitting requests to ITS for **fall semester 2017** software installation on instructional workstations in Open Access Labs, Computer Classrooms, and Technologically Enhanced Classrooms (TECs).



#### Requirements:

All software, including software that accompanies textbooks, must comply with the standards set by the [CSU Accessible Technology Initiative \(ATI\)](#) to ensure comparable access for persons with disabilities.

You will be required to test the installation functionality with the Desktop Services team before the beginning of each term to be sure it meets your needs. Desktop Services will contact you to arrange the testing.

#### Actions:

Requests should be submitted electronically. Visit <http://www.calstatela.edu/its/services/software/instructsoftwarerequest.php/> and select the appropriate *Software Installation Request Form*. Requests can be submitted one term in advance.

During the term break, images will be deployed for use on the first day of the term.

Installation requests must be received by IT Infrastructure Services by **March 17 for May and summer intersessions**. Every effort will be made to accommodate requests within 72 hours when limited to installation in TECs and large lecture halls.

Installation requests must be received by IT Infrastructure Services by **June 23 for fall semester**. Every effort will be made to accommodate requests within 72 hours when limited to installation in TECs and large lecture halls.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Jeff Cheam, assistant director of ITS Baseline Services, at 323-343-2643 or email: [jcheam@calstatela.edu](mailto:jcheam@calstatela.edu).

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## SOLES 4 SOULS

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### Help Student Life Collect 5000 Pairs of Shoes in Support of Needy Students

Student Life would like to collect 5000 pairs to donate to Soles 4 Souls. Since 2006, Soles4Souls, a non-profit organization, has been committed to fighting poverty through the collection and distribution of shoes in 127 countries and all 50 US states. Donations can help create sustainable jobs in developing nations, keep children healthy, and create a cleaner, safer environment. A gently worn, new or resoled (they take care of this) pair of shoes can be life-changing.

Please donate. There is a box outside of the Dean's Office.

### Cultural Grad Celebrations Sign Up Now Through Wednesday, March 29, 2017

Information available online: <http://www.calstatelaus.edu/ccg-cgc> and at the Cross Cultural Centers 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, U-SU.

[Asian Pacific Islander Grad Celebration](#) - Saturday, May 13, 2017 | 12 – 2 pm

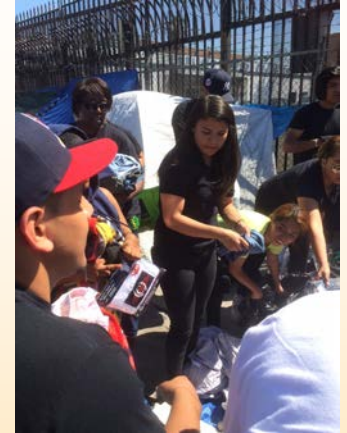
[Black Grad Celebration](#) - Sunday, May 14, 2017 | 7 – 9 pm

[Chicanx Latinx Raza Grad Celebration](#) - Sunday, May 14, 2017 | 3 – 5 pm

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# Questions & Suggestions



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