



Faculty Newsnotes

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University Budget Committee

Open Budget Meetings will be held on Tuesday, October 12 from 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m., and on Wednesday, October 13 from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Locations will be announced in September. All members of the USD Community are invited and encouraged to attend.

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Judith Lewis Logue, Financial Aid Services, was invited to present at the Opening General Session of the Federal Student Aid Spring Conference, sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education, held in New York City March 29-31. Over 1,350 financial aid administrators attended the session entitled *Student Aid Awareness and College Access*. Ms. Lewis Logue was asked to address the challenge of reaching first-generation students from low-income families and to share the experience of Cal-SOAP, a 25 year old statewide program that serves over 100,000 low-income, first-generation students a year. Cal-SOAP is the largest early outreach program in the United States.

James Tarbox, Career Services, was named co-chair for the Western Association of Colleges and Employers (WACE) 2006 regional conference. Dr. Tarbox will serve as co-chair with Margaret Paulin, recruiting manager for Connexant.