



Faculty Newsnotes

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Provost Office

College of Arts and Sciences

Below is a corrected list of program directors in the College of Arts and Sciences.

Dr. Angelo Orona – Director, Anthropology
Ms. Zdravena Maldjieva – Director, Choral Scholars
Dr. Anne Sturz – Director of Marine and Environmental Studies
Mr. Richard Sierer – Director of MFA Program
Dr. Greg Severn – Director of Physics
Fr. Ronald Pachence – Director of Professional Programs in Religious Studies
Dr. Noelle Norton – Honors Program
Dr. Chris Adler – Director, Music
Ms. Colleen Kelly – Director, Theatre
Dr. Lee Ann Otto – Director, Master's in Peace and Justice
Dr. Vidya Nadkarni – Director, Master's in International Relations

School of Business Administration

Correction: Ken Marra is Administrative Director of the MBA and MSIT programs; Dr. Dirk Yandell is academic director of the MBA and Dr. Carl Rebman is academic director of the MSIT.

Academic Publications

Faculty Newsnotes Publication Dates and Deadlines

Listed below are the remaining dates of publication for 2003-2004 *Faculty Newsnotes*. Please direct all entries to Stacy Miller, Director of Academic Publications, Founders Hall 108, or e-mail to stacyc@sandiego.edu.

<u>Publication Date</u>	<u>Submission Deadline</u>
November 17, 2003	November 7, 2003
December 8, 2003	November 28, 2003
January 26, 2004	January 16, 2004
February 23, 2004	February 13, 2004
March 29, 2004	March 19, 2004
April 26, 2004	April 16, 2004
May 3, 2004	April 28, 2004

Bookstore

Book Orders

The due date for Spring 2004 Book Orders was October 22, 2003.

Please be advised that the Bookstore is returning unsold textbooks to publishers. If there is a book that should not be returned, please let us know.

Student Affairs

USD Dining Presents: Thanksgiving Feast 2003

Faculty, staff, and students are all invited to a USD tradition: the annual Thanksgiving dinner. Come to ring in the holiday season by enjoying our all-you-care-to-eat feast with your colleagues. Bring your family and friends, too! Join us Thursday, November 20. Dinner will be served from 4:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. in the Main Dining Room of the University Center. Faculty and staff may pay with cash or campus cash. Adults are \$8; children 4-12 are \$4; children under 4 are free.

For the complete menu, please visit our Web site: <http://dining.sandiego.edu>.

Center for Student Affairs Innovations (CSAI)

The Center for Student Affairs Innovations (CSAI) is a new collaboration between the School of Education and the division of Student Affairs. The project was proposed by Dr. Kenneth Gonzalez from the School of Education to serve two primary purposes: (a) serve as a tool for the advanced examination of the practice of student affairs, and (b) facilitate the development of innovative student affairs practice at the University of San Diego.

Initially, the Center is examining components for the first year experience. The Center consists of twelve "CSAI Fellows" – five advanced graduate students from the School of Education and seven student affairs professionals from USD. Merrick Marino, Director of Student Learning Initiatives, and Dr. Gonzalez are co-facilitating the seminar component of the Center, which meets weekly.

Student Development's Annual Student Activities Interest Survey

On August 30, 2003 the Office of Student Affairs administered for the 30th year an interest survey to 968 freshmen and 117 transfer students. This survey contains two sections: the first, asking students to indicate their interests in being involved in various aspects of campus life during their first year; the second, asking them to indicate their expectations for learning and personal development.

The complete results of this survey for both freshmen and transfer students are attached to these *Newsnotes*. Following are some highlights:

In the activities interest section, technology use (e-mail, internet) ranked high among these students. Career planning and development once again was at or near the top of the list for both freshmen and transfer students. As in the past few years, five of the top ten items in the section were sports related. A slightly larger percentage of freshmen (+6%) and transfers (+7%) indicated interests in participation in social fraternities and sororities. However, this item was significantly lower in rank than in previous years.

In section two of the survey regarding developmental expectations, the item "Making connections/friendship with other students" secured the number-one spot for both freshmen and transfer students, with combined average of 77%. Compared to last year's entering students, both freshmen and transfer students indicated increased interest in support discussions on career issues and learning more about current events. Compared to last year's group, transfer students expressed stronger interest in meeting with faculty or administrators at formal events, joining multicultural organizations, further developing their religious understanding, and learning to communicate with cultures other than their own.

If you have any questions or observations please contact Tom Cosgrove, Associate Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students, at ext. 4588.

Residence Halls – Fall 2003 Housing Occupancy

Residence Halls 2003

Maher	245
Camino/Founders	282
San Antonio and Santa Anita	215
Missions A	258
Missions B	377

Presidio Terrace	42
University Terrace	119
Alcalá Vista	551
Manchester Village	321
Total Residents	2410

Undergraduates 2003

	<u>Freshman Students</u>	<u>Transfers</u>	<u>Returning</u>
Women	681	67	815
Men	322	57	424
Total	1003	124	1239

Graduates 2003

Women	21
Men	23
Total	44

Varia

Guadalupe Corona, United Front Multicultural Center, was selected as a recipient of the “40 under 40” award sponsored by the *San Diego Metropolitan Magazine*. The award recognizes her efforts at the University of San Diego addressing diversity through her work with the United Front Multicultural Center.

Louis A. Galuppo, Esq., USD Real Estate Institute and practicing San Diego attorney, was awarded the highest legal ability and ethical standards rating by the *Martindale-Hubbell Law Directory*. Martindale-Hubbell is a national ranking agency and claims to be the “world’s leading guide to the legal profession.” The rating system has appeared in the directory for the last 100 years and lists over one million lawyers in 162 countries.

Mr. Galuppo has been a practicing lawyer since 1989 and currently works for Galuppo and Lacagnina, P.C., in Carlsbad. In addition to being a faculty member at USD for the past five years, Galuppo has authored several articles and papers, which have appeared in local, regional, and national journals and media outlets.

Jocbethem M. Tahapary, USD’s TRiO: Upward Bound Program, coordinated a two-day San Diego study-tour for seven British access educators from University of Liverpool, London Metropolitan University, Community College of Hackney, and Islington College. The study-tour showcased the USD’s TRiO Upward Bound Program, Educational Opportunity Program, United Front Multicultural Center, Office of Community Service-Learning, and Institute for Peace and Justice. In addition to on-campus visits and presentations, four community-based agencies were also highlighted: Linda Vista Collaborative, Bayside Settlement Center, Linda Vista Civic Association, and Barrio Logan College Institute (September 25-26).

Mr. Tahapary presented two workshops entitled, “Faces of Resiliency” and “Designing Effective Global Partnerships: Models for International Exchange” for the 22nd annual Council for Educational Opportunity Conference held at the San Diego Marriott Hotel and Marina. The four-day conference theme was titled “Educational Opportunity: Succeeding in a Global Society” (September 28-October 1).