

Economics Department faculty and alumni gathered on March 3, 2012 to discuss the possibility of starting an Economics Alumni Association Chapter. The level of interest was phenomenal. The alumni are eager to start a new chapter. Thanks to everyone who showed interest in this!



From left to right: Sam's wife Barbara, alumni Tom Thomas, Tyler Rasmussen, Massimo Mioni, Sam Joseph, Phil Richards, Professor Shirley Svorny, alumna Stacy Milne, Professor Adam Gifford, alumna Lari Ryan, Professors Nancy Virts and Bob Krol, and alumnus Andrés Ochoa



Chair and Professor Nancy Virts speaks to the group about the possibility of starting a chapter



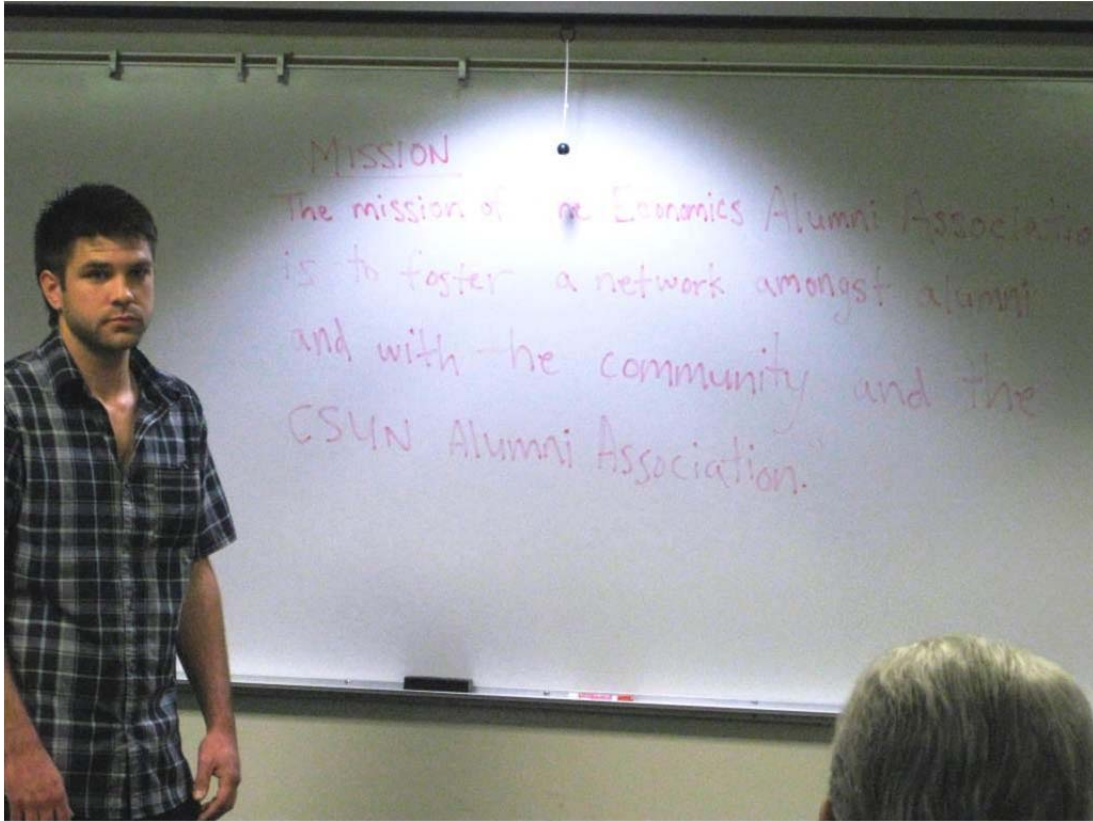
Alumni Tom Thomas, Stacy Milne and Sam Joseph with Professor Shirley Svorny



Lari Ryan speaks to the group with what she'd like to see in an economics alumni chapter



The Economics Department and alumni gathered again on Saturday, April 21, 2012. The Petition to Charter a Chapter was signed by all alumni present. A mission statement was also agreed on (see below).



Tyler Rasmussen proposed a mission statement and all alumni present agreed on it. "The mission of the Economics Alumni Association is to foster a network amongst alumni and with the community and the CSUN Alumni Association."



Some of the alumni and faculty at the April 21st gathering. From left to right: alumni Mary Burkhard, Phil Richards, Professor Dennis Halcoussis, alumni Ben Honadel, Don Martin, Tyler Rasmussen, Robert Armstrong, Department Chair Nancy Virts