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## CSUN Celebrates Its History, First-Ever Founders Day

*Induction of Alumni Into 50 Year Club Among Activities Planned for Historic Day*

Frank St. Denis says it's hard to believe it's been 50 years since he walked among the eucalyptus trees and attended classes in wooden one-story buildings as a student at the then "Valley State" college. The 76-year-old Rancho Mirage resident has fond memories of serving the campus as the second Associated Student Body president and in a year marked by firsts: picking the school mascot, colors and helping to write the constitution and bylaws.

"There were so many groundbreaking things happening at that time," recalled St. Denis, '58 (*Business*). "It was a very exciting time."

St. Denis remained involved on the campus after graduation and returned as a part-time faculty in the health department. He said he is "proud to been part of history."

He will be among more than 50 alumni, faculty and staff inducted

into the 50 Year Club on Monday, Sept. 22. The university will induct alumni who earned degrees at the San Fernando Valley campus of Los Angeles State College and alumni who earned degrees from San Fernando Valley State College in the 1958-59 school year. Members of the faculty and staff who began their association with the university during those same years also will be inducted.

Those inducted will participate in a ceremony that pays tribute to the past. St. Denis, the third president of the Alumni Association, will present and bear the great mace of California State University, Northridge, the symbol of the civil and academic authority of the university. The alma mater, which was arranged by Richard Kaufman, '77 (*Arts, Media, and Communications*), will be sung, and President Jolene Koester will present a 50 Year Club pin to



Frank St. Denis (circa 1958)

Norman Barone, '58 (*Business*), a founder of the Alumni Association who served as the association's initial vice president and the organization's second president.

The induction is part of the university's year long observance of its 50th anniversary. The event starts a new Cal State Northridge tradition: Founders Day. It includes a Founders Day lunch and the dedication of the James and Mary Cleary Walk along a section of Magnolia Walk. The day will end with the official opening of the Oviatt Library's 50th anniversary exhibition, "Fifty and Fabulous: California State University, Northridge/San Fernando Valley State College at the Half-Century Mark."

"I'm lucky to have lived this long to see this day," said Thomas McMillin, '59 (*Education*). "It was such a close-knit campus and faculty. It was great."

McMillin, 72, of Port Hueneme met his wife Gerri while a professor in the art department. He retired from teaching at CSUN in 2000. ■

## CSUN Rallies to Support Victims of Metrolink Crash

*CSUN's Eric Forbes is One of the Civilian Heroes*

Eric Forbes is the type of person who doesn't mind rolling up his sleeves, getting dirty and helping out.

The 56-year-old director of admissions and records at Cal State Northridge helped rescue his neighbors after the 1994 Northridge earthquake. He was part of the team that put in long hours to help rebuild CSUN.

So it's no surprise Forbes overlooked his own injuries and joined the civilian heroes who rallied to help others more severely hurt in the Metrolink train accident on Sept. 12. He helped co-worker Beatrice Watts, administrative support in admissions and records, off the train and stayed with her until her husband arrived. Then Forbes returned several times to the burning train to help get others out.

"I was just trying to comfort people," said Forbes, who was interviewed while recovering at home from injuries to his leg and neck. Reluctant to call himself a hero, Forbes said "there were many bright and brave people helping out."

Forbes was among the 135 people injured after the Metrolink passenger train collided with a Union Pacific freight train in Chatsworth. As of Sept. 19, 25 people have died including CSUN student Aida Magdaleno and

alumna, Beverly Mosley, '99 (*Speech Communication*). CSUN freshman Antonio Martinez was also injured in the crash. Both Martinez and Watts are recovering from their injuries.

When campus officials found out about the crash, they responded immediately. President Jolene Koester coordinated the campus response. Working with CSUN's Public Safety Department and a host of other campus units, senior campus administrators worked all weekend to gather news and information about victims. Two CSUN officers helped patrol the crash site.



Eric Forbes

University Counseling Services staff were made available.

President Koester has expressed her condolences to the victims and their families.

"I am confident that we can come together in this difficult time to provide support and reassurance to one another," she said in a statement.

On Friday, Sept. 19, the Office of Human Resource Services requested catastrophic leave donations on behalf of Watts. She is currently out on medical leave due to the accident and has exhausted her leave credits. The pledge form can be accessed at

<http://www-admn.csun.edu/obrs/atozforms.htm>.

In addition to Forbes, there are reports that others from CSUN stepped up to help. CSUN graphic designer Tatsuo Kumagai, who took a shuttle to the train station just minutes before the accident, said an unidentified CSUN employee gave stranded passengers a ride to the Moorpark train station.

University Counseling Services will continue to assist the CSUN community, call (818) 677-2111 for assistance. ■

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# CSUN Fulbright Awardee Journeys to Vietnam

*Management Professor Fascinated by Southeast Asia*

Thirty years ago, when Richard (Denny) Kernochan was a student, the country of Vietnam was associated with war and protest. Today, the 64-year-old Cal State Northridge associate professor is looking forward to exploring other aspects of the country's history. Kernochan has received a Fulbright grant to teach at the Hue University of Economics in Hue, Vietnam, for the 2009 spring semester.

"I grew up during the days when Vietnam and the Vietnam War were part of our vocabulary," said Kernochan, associate professor of management. "Now, I get to visit under better circumstances."

Kernochan said he was asked to select three countries and Vietnam was at the top of his list. He said he has always had a fascination with the Southeast Asian country.

"Vietnam is an ancient country, and I look forward to learning more about it," said Kernochan, who will make his first visit to the country next

year. He said he is preparing for his trip by taking a tutorial to learn the country's language.

"This will be as much of a learning experience for me as the students I will be teaching," added Kernochan, who is scheduled to return to CSUN in fall 2009.

His duties in Vietnam will include teaching several courses, mentoring research efforts and lecturing at other universities

Kernochan is one of 47 CSUN faculty to have received the prestigious Fulbright award since 1980. The Fulbright Program, the U.S. government's flagship program in international educational exchange, was approved by Congress and signed into law in 1946. The goal of the program, which is sponsored by the U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, is to promote "mutual understanding between the people of the United States and the people of other countries of the world."

Fulbright grants are made to U.S.



Richard (Denny) Kernochan, associate professor of management, is recipient of Fulbright grant to teach in Vietnam.

citizens and nationals of other countries for a variety of educational activities, primarily university lecturing, advanced research, graduate study and teaching in elementary and secondary schools.

Since the program's inception, about 279,500 participants—chosen for their academic merit and leadership potential—have had the opportunity to exchange ideas and to contribute to finding solutions to shared issues.

Kernochan started as a lecturer at CSUN in 1999. He teaches international business, a business honors seminar and supervises management internships. He is also adviser to the Business Honors Association. He has a bachelor's degree from Dartmouth College, a master's from UCLA and an MBA from the Iran Center for Management Studies in Tehran, Iran. He spent 12 years living and working overseas in the Middle East and Europe.

"I've always been interested in overseas business," Kernochan said. "I'm always looking for new challenges."

For more information about the Fulbright Program, contact Justine Zhixin Su, professor of educational leadership and CSUN Fulbright program representative, at [zsu@csun.edu](mailto:zsu@csun.edu) or (818) 677-2138. ■

## CSUN's Men's Basketball Team Picked by Magazine to Win

*Matadors Gathering Frequent Flier Miles, Busy Season Ahead*

The 2008–09 Cal State Northridge men's basketball team, favored to repeat as Big West regular season champions, will be gathering thousands of frequent flier miles during the early portion of the upcoming season.

*Lindy's College Basketball* magazine, the first pre-season publication to hit the newsstands, picked the Matadors to win the league title and advance to the NCAA Tournament. Cal State Northridge is favored to win the conference followed by UC Santa Barbara, Long Beach State, Cal State Fullerton, Pacific, UC Riverside, UC Irvine, Cal Poly and UC Davis.

Following a Nov. 14 regular season home opener against Cal Lutheran at The Matadome, the Matadors embark on a highly competitive six-game road trek that begins at one of the toughest venues in the Pac-10, Maples Pavilion on the



Top returning basketball scorer Deon Tresvant.

campus of Stanford University.

For the past several years, the Cardinals have been one of the top teams in the country.

From Palo Alto, the Matadors head south to the home court of Cal State Bakersfield for a non-league encounter. Then the six game road trip kicks into high gear when the team travels to The Pit in Albuquerque to face another high profile national program, the New Mexico Lobos.

From there, the Matadors travel to relatively uncharted territory with two games in the East. Only four other times in the previous 50 years of Matador basketball has the team ventured this far from home. First, there is a stop at Rider College which is located in Lawrenceville, New Jersey. Two days later, the Matadors will take a 45-minute bus trip to Philadelphia to play Drexel University.

On Dec. 7, the six-game road trip ends with a highly anticipated contest at Pauley Pavilion to face the powerful UCLA Bruins. The Bruins, who have played in three straight Final Fours,

are again expected to dominate the Pac-10 in 2008–09, and are again contenders to make the Final Four in 2009. The last time these two teams collided, the Matadors upset the nationally-ranked Bruins, 78–74, at Pauley Pavilion on Nov. 21, 2000.

The Matadors finally return home for two games in December: one against Denver and then Pepperdine. Then they get back on the road; this time with trips to San Diego State and to open the Big West season at Cal State Fullerton.

Cal State Northridge will have 12 regular season home games including nine Big West contests. The conference home opener is Jan. 2, against another league favorite: the Pacific Tigers. There is the possibility that another home game will be added to the existing schedule.

For more information, visit [www.gomatadors.com](http://www.gomatadors.com). ■

## Flashbacks—CSUN's Golden Fifty The Past and Present of Cal State Northridge

### Hail to the Chiefs (Part I)

Officially, Cal State Northridge has witnessed four presidential inaugurations. There have been several acting presidents. Each occasion was uniquely marked by the individuals and their circumstances.

On May 7, 1959, Ralph Prator became the first president of San Fernando Valley State College. The ceremony was held in the southwest corner of the football field and attended by 197 delegates from other colleges.

Seeking to restore unity and stability to a divided and strife-torn

campus, our second president, James Cleary, eliminated much of the pomp and ceremony that usually marks an academic inauguration. Opting for business attire instead of the usual academic gowns and insisting on brevity, his inauguration in 1969 lasted half an hour.

The university's third president, Blenda J. Wilson, was inaugurated on April 30, 1993. Her stirring speech, "If We Believe in Ourselves," called on those present to create a campus environment where "the bonds of community are stronger than the habits of cultural ignorance." She spoke presciently. Months later,



Inauguration of first president of San Fernando Valley State College

faculty, staff and students were forced to pull together and function for the good of the institution when the campus was shattered by the 1994 Northridge earthquake.

The inauguration of President Jolene Koester was a weeklong public salute to the wonders of the university culminating in her April 19, 2001, inauguration. She stressed the extraordinary qualities that characterize CSUN and lauded the campus community for the successful completion of earthquake reconstruction. Then as now, President Koester called for a celebration of who we are, stating unequivocally, "our best days still lie before us."

—Julia Venkateswaran

# FYI

## Events

Monday, Sept. 22

### Wellness Power Hour

Members of the Kinesiology Department, the Klotz Student Health Center and the Office of Human Resources will discuss how to establish a personal wellness program and free, ongoing activities on campus, services you may access at reduced rates as a faculty/staff employee. As a special incentive, staff and faculty attending this session will be able to purchase a semester-long membership for the Northridge Fitness Centre for \$50. The event takes place 12 p.m.–1 p.m., Redwood Hall, Room 159. *fmi*–Steven Loy, x3220, [steven.loy@csun.edu](mailto:steven.loy@csun.edu).

Wednesday, Sept. 24

### Genji Millennium Festival Los Angeles

The Genji Millennium Festival Los Angeles will present a millennium commemoration of “The Tale of Genji,” reputed to be the world’s oldest psychological novel. Hiroaki Sera of Shikoku University and Aki Hirota (*Modern & Classical Languages*) will present a lecture and recitation. Twelve kimono instructors will demonstrate 10th century aristocratic costumes as well as a performance by CSUN students. The festival is funded in part by the Northeast Asia Council of Association for Asian Studies and will take place 1 p.m.–4 p.m., Grand Salon. *fmi*–Aki Hirota, [ahirota@csun.edu](mailto:ahirota@csun.edu).

Friday, Sept. 26

### Center for Sex and Gender Research

The Center for Sex and Gender Research presents “A Community Drive Needs Assessment: Establishing Competent Health Care for Transgender People” by Eli Bartle (*Social Work*), 1 p.m.–3 p.m., Jerome Richfield Hall 319, English Reading Room. *fmi*–Jacob Hale, [jacob.hale@csun.edu](mailto:jacob.hale@csun.edu), x7202.

Wednesday, Oct. 1

### Center for Sex and Gender Research

The Center for Sex and Gender Research and Center for Ethics and Values presents a screening of “The Wedding Banquet”, followed by a discussion. The event is co-sponsored by the Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Alliance, the Liberal Studies Program, the Queer Studies Program, the Student Organization for Art and Politics, and the Vern and Bonnie Bullough Endowment for Sex and Gender Studies at the Oviatt Library. The event will be 7:30 p.m.–10 p.m., Oviatt Library, Presentation Room. *fmi*–Jacob Hale, [jacob.hale@csun.edu](mailto:jacob.hale@csun.edu), x7202.

Monday, Oct. 6

### Retired Faculty Golf Group

The CSUN retired faculty golf group invites any active CSUN faculty and staff, at any skill level, to participate in the next golf tournament, 12 p.m.,

**For Your Information** publishes announcements of events, public meetings, notices, classes and deadlines. Submission deadline is noon on Monday, one week before the next issue.

The deadline for the October 6 issue is Monday, September 29. We strive to include all items submitted by deadline occurring until the next issue. Submit future items by e-mailing them to

[pubinfo@csun.edu](mailto:pubinfo@csun.edu), sending them to mail drop 8242 or faxing them to (818) 677-4909. E-mail is the preferred method of submitting.

Note: *fmi*–means for more information. ■

Sterling Hills in Camarillo. *fmi*–Don Cameron, tournament director, [dcameron@csun.edu](mailto:dcameron@csun.edu).

## Public Meetings

### Associated Students Finance Committee

Meets 2 p.m.  
Monday, Sept. 22, 29, Oct. 6  
Associated Students Office

### Associated Students Senate

Meets 2 p.m.  
Tuesday, Sept. 23, 30  
USU Grand Salon

### Personnel Planning and Review Committee

Meets 2 p.m. – 5 p.m.  
Wednesday, Sept. 24  
University Hall 277

### Educational Policies Committee

Meets 2 p.m.–4 p.m.  
Wednesday, Sept. 24  
University Hall 211

### University Planning and Budget Group

Meets 12 p.m.–2 p.m.  
Thursday, Sept. 25  
University Hall 277

### Board of Directors

Meets 9 p.m.  
Friday, Sept. 26  
University Hall 250

### Faculty Senate

Meets 2 p.m.–4:30 p.m.  
Thursday, Oct. 2  
Oviatt Library Presentation Room

### Academic Technology Committee

Meets 3 p.m.  
Friday, Oct. 3  
University Hall 211

## Notices

### Deepest Condolences

The College of Health and Human Development and the campus community extend deepest sympathies to Ruth Harris (*Communication Disorders and Sciences*), the first clinic coordinator of the Language Speech, and Hearing Center on campus and part-time faculty member. Harris’ husband, Mel Harris, a former top television executive at Paramount and Sony Pictures Entertainment, passed away Sept. 6.

### Administrative Candidates Registry

The Administrative Candidates Registry is established in accordance with (IAW) Appendix N of the Manual of Procedures for Search and Screen Committees for Academic Administrative Positions, adjunct to the university’s administrative manual, to include and list those employees interested in administrative position openings. Registrants are requested

to submit their curriculum vitae/résumé stating their interests and experiences no later than Oct. 31. *fmi*–Office of Equity and Diversity (OED), x2077.

### Assistive Equipment/Auxiliary Assistance Program

The Assistive Equipment/Auxiliary Assistance Program is designed to provide limited funding to defray costs for reasonable accommodations in the form of assistive technology and auxiliary aid for qualified employees with physical or mental disabilities. Requests for program participation are due in the Office of Equity and Diversity, mail code–8208, Tuesday, Sept. 30. *fmi*–Patty Murray, x2077.

### Emergency Desk Reference for Staff

The Department of Public Safety has developed the Emergency Operations Desk Reference for Staff Members, available at <http://www-admn.csun.edu/publicsafety/emergency/>. It may be accessed by clicking a link located on the information bar near the top of the page. The desk reference provides a quick guide for what to do during some of the most common emergency situations that might occur on a university campus. Also, general information on emergency preparedness, staff responsibilities and emergency phone numbers is provided.

### 2009 Faculty Retreat

The 2009 Faculty Retreat, “Fifty and Fabulous: Foundations for the Future,” will be held Jan. 12 and 13, 2009, at the Ventura Beach Marriott. Proposals for presentations and poster sessions are due Friday, Oct. 24. Information and proposal forms are available at <http://www.csun.edu/senate/retreat.html>. *fmi*–Heidi Wolfbauer, x3263, [heidew@csun.edu](mailto:heidew@csun.edu).

## Classes

### Effective Time Management

The Professional Development Program will conduct a workshop, “Effective Time Management,” presented by Lauren Nile. Participants of the workshop will learn “The Four Keys to Successful Time Management,” as well as the “Urgent-Important Time Management Matrix.” The class will be 9 a.m.–12 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 24, Oviatt 16, HR Training room. *fmi*–Sue Talavera, x3820, [professional.development@csun.edu](mailto:professional.development@csun.edu)

### Effective Small Group Assignments

The Faculty Development Program will conduct a workshop, “Effective Small Group Assignments: Minimizing Risks and Maximizing Learning,” facilitated by Wendy Phelps (*Recreation & Tourism Management*), 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 24, Sierra Hall 451, Whitsett Room. *fmi*–Faculty Development, x6536, [facdev@csun.edu](mailto:facdev@csun.edu).

### Leadership Forum

The Professional Development Program will launch the first in a series of leadership forums on women’s issues. College of Humanities Dean Elizabeth Say will discuss the topic, “Ambition Isn’t a Dirty Word—Debunking Myths about Women’s Success,” Sept. 24 and 25 from 12 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Oviatt Library, HR Training Room 16, garden level. *fmi*–visit <http://www-admn.csun.edu/obrs/talent/womenleadershipforum.html>.

### Emergency Preparedness

The Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Council sponsors a “Basic Search & Rescue Refresher,” 12 p.m.–1 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 25, Dept. of Public Safety Training Room, corner of Darby Avenue and Prairie Street. *fmi*–Rudy Quitoriano, x2401, or [rudy.quitoriano@csun.edu](mailto:rudy.quitoriano@csun.edu).

### Pepper Spray Basics

The Department of Public Safety will present a class, “Aerosol Defense for Citizens—The Basics for Pepper Spray,” led by University Police. Materials fee: faculty, staff, students \$10; non-CSUN participants \$20. The class will be 5:30 p.m.–8:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 25, Public Safety Dept., second floor training room, corner of Darby Avenue and Prairie Street. Sign up by Sept. 20 with Daniel Foster, crime prevention coordinator, x5820 or [daniel.foster@csun.edu](mailto:daniel.foster@csun.edu).

## Deadlines

### Sabbatical Leave Applications

Faculty members who intend to apply for sabbatical leaves for the 2009–10 academic year should file the applications with their department chairs no later than Friday, Sept. 26. Application forms and information about the application process are available in department offices, or at the Faculty Affairs Web site: [www.csun.edu/facultyaffairs](http://www.csun.edu/facultyaffairs). *fmi*–Faculty Affairs, x2962 or Rian Medlin, x4953.

### Human Subjects Research

All faculty and students performing research that includes the use of human subjects must submit their projects to the Standing Advisory Committee for the Protection of Human Subjects. Submit a completed Human Subjects Approval Form, available at [http://www.csun.edu/research/03\\_Research/06\\_HumanSubjectsResearch.html](http://www.csun.edu/research/03_Research/06_HumanSubjectsResearch.html), and nine copies to the Office of Research and Sponsored Projects. For the Oct. 28 committee meeting date, the deadline for submission of protocols is Oct. 14. *fmi*–Office of Research and Sponsored Projects, x2901.

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# In Brief

## Associate Dean Appointed

Diane Schwartz has accepted the position of associate dean of the College of Engineering and Computer Science. For nearly three decades, Schwartz has had a distinguished record of service and leadership in various levels at Cal State Northridge, including chair of the Computer Science Department, CSUN faculty president and most recently as interim associate dean of the College of Engineering and Computer Science.

## Purchasing and Contract Administration Wins Procurement Award

Cal State Northridge's Purchasing and Contract Administration unit has earned the annual Achievement of Excellence in Procurement Award for 2008. In a letter to University Controller and Associate Vice President of Financial and Accounting Services Robert Barker and unit manager Mary Rueda (*Purchasing and Contract Administration*), the National Purchasing Institute Inc., noted that CSUN has received the award—designed “to recognize organizational excellence

in procurement”—for four consecutive years. One of only six California universities to receive the national award, CSUN received high scores for innovation, professionalism, e-procurement, productivity, and leadership attributes of the procurement function.

## College of Engineering and Computer Science Programs Accredited

Six bachelor's degree programs in Cal State Northridge's College of Engineering and Computer Science were recently reviewed for accreditation by the appropriate commissions of the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology Inc. (ABET). Following the summer 2008 commission meetings, the college was informed that all six programs have been accredited.

Programs that were reaccredited include civil engineering, computer science, electrical engineering, manufacturing systems engineering and mechanical engineering. Also receiving accreditation was the computer engineering program that

was being reviewed for the first time. All six programs will be reviewed for reaccreditation during the fall 2013 semester. ABET accredi-

tation demonstrates a program's commitment to providing its students with a quality education ■

## COBAE's Professor for a Day



Harry Safarian, '96 (*Business Management and Finance*), senior litigation attorney at Grant, Genovese & Baratta, LLP (right), lectures a class during the College of Business and Economics 'Professor for a Day,' event as part of CSUN's 50th anniversary celebration. Forty-five business leaders from industries ranging from insurance to dentistry taught classes on Sept. 16 to provide students an opportunity to learn about current issues and careers in the business world.

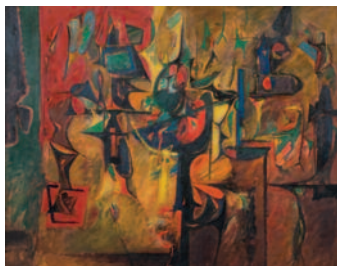
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# Calendar

The A.S. Ticket Office in the University Student Union sells tickets to many events on campus, except for some held by outside groups. The Ticket Office is open from 10 a.m.–6 p.m. Mon.–Fri. For prices not given, call (818) 677-2488. **To park on campus for performances, athletic events, lectures and other activities, guests must purchase a \$5 parking permit.**

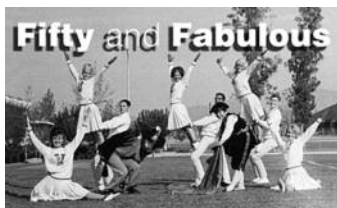
## Art and Exhibits

For gallery info, call (818) 677-2156. Main gallery hours: Mon. through Sat. 12-4 p.m. and Thursdays noon–8 p.m. Admission is free unless specified. For library exhibits, call (818) 677-2285.



### ▲ Hans Burkhardt: The CSUN Collection

Runs through Sat., Oct. 11. Main Art Gallery



### ▲ Fifty and Fabulous

California State University, Northridge/San Fernando Valley State College at the half century mark. The Oviatt Library presents an exhibition on the history of CSUN from 1958 to 2008. Mon., Sept. 22, 2008 through Aug. 2, 2009. C. K. and Teresa Tseng Gallery

### Bianchi Planetarium

For ticket info, (818) 677-2488 or visit [www.csun.edu/physics/planetarium](http://www.csun.edu/physics/planetarium). Telescope viewing follows second show.

“Autumn Sky Show” and “The Dark Side of Sunspots” Fri., Oct. 3, 7:30 p.m.

## Athletics (home games):



▲ **Men's Soccer**  
10/5 UC Riverside 2:30 p.m.



▲ **Women's Soccer**  
9/28 San Francisco 1 p.m.



▲ **Women's Volleyball**  
9/26 UCSB 7 p.m.  
9/27 Cal Poly 7 p.m.  
9/30 CSU Bakersfield 7 p.m.

## Cinematheque

Screenings are free and take place in the Alan and Elaine Armer Theater on the first floor of Manzanita Hall at the southwest corner of campus. Seating not guaranteed. For more info, call (818) 677-3192 or see [www.cinematheque.csun.edu](http://www.cinematheque.csun.edu).

### ‘Nick and Norah's Infinite Playlist’

Studio pre-release screening of Peter Sollett's comedy starring Michael Cera and Kat Dennings. Sponsored by Associated Students. Tue., Sept. 23, 7 p.m.

### ‘Afraid to Die [Karakkaze yarô]’

Directed by Yasuzo Masumura. Wed., Sept. 24, 7 p.m.

### ‘Classe tous risques [Consider All Risks]’

Directed by Claude Sautet. Thu., Sept. 25, 7 p.m.

### ‘The Lives of Others’

Directed by Florian Henckel von Donnersmarck. Reel Dilemmas series. Fri., Sept. 26, 7 p.m.

### ‘The Girl Who Knew Too Much’

Directed by Mario Bava. Wed., Oct. 1, 7 p.m.

### ‘The Bird with the Crystal Plumage’ and ‘Deep Red’

Directed by Dario Argento. Giallo genre double feature. Thu., Oct. 2, 6 p.m.

## Music

Admission to all music events (unless otherwise specified): \$10 general, \$7 faculty, staff and seniors, \$5 students.

### Faculty Artist Series

Dmitry Rachmanov, piano soloist. Sat., Sept. 27, 8 p.m. Music Recital Hall

### The Romeros

The Royal Family of Guitars. Angel Romero, special guest. Sat., Sept. 27, 8 p.m. Plaza del Sol Performance Hall \$36–\$45

### Ronan Tynan

Solo recital. Sun., Sept. 28, 2 p.m. Plaza del Sol Performance Hall \$36–\$45

### CSUN Symphony

Lawrence Stoffel, guest conductor. Fri., Oct. 3, 8 p.m. Plaza del Sol Performance Hall

### Smothers Brothers

The Yo Yo Man, special guest. Sat., Oct. 4, 8 p.m. Plaza del Sol Performance Hall Sold out.

### Faculty Composer's Recital

Featuring works by Daniel Hosken, Daniel Kessner, Liviu Marinescu, Elizabeth Sellers and William Toutant. Sun., Oct. 5, 8 p.m. Music Recital Hall

## Theater/Performance



### ▲ El Estudio del Maestro

A story of AIDS colliding with machismo in contemporary Mexico. Inspired by oral histories collected by CSUN journalism students. Directed by Anamarie Dwyer. Written by David Tittle. Tue., Sept. 23, 7:30 p.m. Wed., Sept. 24, 7:30 p.m. Thu., Sept. 25, 7:30 p.m. Fri., Sept. 26, 8 p.m. Sat., Sept. 27, 2 p.m. & 8 p.m. Sun., Sept. 28, 2 p.m. Studio Theatre Lab, Nordhoff Hall 113 \$8–\$16

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