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## Envisioning California Conference to Explore Sustainability

*Conference's Mission is an 'Extension' of the 'Vision' of CSUN's Center for Southern California Studies*

Can we preserve the California dream for future generations? That's what some of the state's best and brightest problem-solvers will discuss during the 21st annual Envisioning California Conference on Friday, Oct. 16 at the Skirball Cultural Center.

A host of policymakers and scholars will discuss the challenges of sustaining the California dream while creating jobs, expanding business opportunities, limiting waste, greening the state and reducing spending.

"Since 1996, it has been the goal of the Center for Southern California Studies to produce and promote regionally relevant social science research," said Josh Sides, director of California State University, Northridge's Center for Southern California Studies. "The sustainability conference is an extension of that vision."

The conference is organized jointly by CSUN's Center for Southern California Studies and Cal State Sacramento's Center for California Studies.

The keynote speakers will be L.A. Times columnist and Emmy-winning public television and radio host Patt Morrison and Pulitzer Prize winner Jared Diamond, author of "Guns, Germs, and Steel: The Fates of Human Societies."

The daylong event, which begins at 2 p.m., will include panelists who will explore topics that range from

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**Northridge** twenty-first annual envisioning california conference  
the center for southern california studies  
college of social and behavioral sciences

  
**sustainability**  
and the california dream

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—Josh Sides, director of Center for Southern California Studies

water sustainability to urban inequality and nutritional access.

Among the panelists expected to appear are Eric Stein, wetlands scientist with the Southern California Coast Water Project; Glen MacDonald, director for the Institute of the Environment at UCLA; Melani Winter, director of The River Project; James Sullivan, GIS program director for the Coachella Valley Association of Governments; Noel Perry, founder of Next 10; Nancy Kurland, assistant professor in the Department of Management at CSUN; Wendy Greuel, Los Angeles city controller; Kyle Brown, director of the John T. Lyle Center for Regenerative Studies at Cal Poly Pomona; and Teresa Shewry, assistant professor of literature and environment at UC Santa Barbara.

The Center for Southern California Studies in the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences was established in 1996 to provide research, education and service on public policy issues facing Southern California. The center offers diverse programs that facilitate pathways to productive policy dialogue aimed at building community capacity and participation.

The conference registration fee of \$85 includes a wine reception and dinner. For more information and to register for the conference, visit [www.csun.edu/cscs](http://www.csun.edu/cscs) or call (818) 677-6518. ■

—Sergio Sanchez

## BudgetWatch

### To Faculty and Staff,

During these challenging budgetary times, we welcome your suggestions for how the university can save money and achieve efficiencies while continuing to carry out our university mission.

As discussed during my Budget Forums with faculty and staff earlier this month, we have created a Campus Budget Suggestion Web site. Its purpose is to solicit suggestions from you. The Web site is linked to the Campus Budget News Web site at [www.csun.edu/presofc/campusbudgetnews.html](http://www.csun.edu/presofc/campusbudgetnews.html) which is also accessible from the main campus Web page at [www.csun.edu](http://www.csun.edu).

I would like to encourage you to submit suggestions related to the following categories of the Cal State Northridge budget planning process:

- Ways to reduce or eliminate expenditures to save money in the current fiscal year.
- Longer-term administrative/business process and technology changes to create structural savings to our base budget over the next three years.
- Adjustments to enrollment practices to save money or generate additional revenue.

Please submit your suggestions by Oct. 15.

While we are unable to respond back to you directly regarding individual suggestions, ideas submitted to this site will be passed on to appropriate personnel and committees, and we anticipate holding forums during the month following the October 15 deadline

to work through implementation issues. Summaries also will be provided via the President's Blog and/or other campus communications.

Sincerely,

  
Jolene Koester  
President

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# Founders Day—Class of 1960 Inducted into 50-Year Club

*Marty Cooper to Deliver Keynote Address: 'The San Fernando Valley... What's Not Here Anymore'*

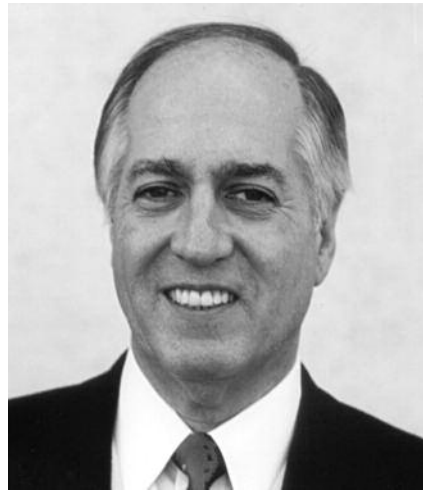
Following last year's celebration and merriment, the second annual Founders Day is sure to bring more joy, rediscovery and reminiscence to former students, faculty and staff of Cal State Northridge's formative years. CSUN's new reunion tradition continues with Founders Day 2009, planned for Friday, Sept. 25, at the University Club. A special tribute to the Valley State Class of 1960 will take place.

The day's events will reunite and celebrate the 50th anniversary of alumni who received their degrees prior to or in 1959–60 at San Fernando Valley State College. The class will be inducted into the 50-Year Club, joining last year's inductees, the class of 1958–1959. Members of the faculty

and staff who taught or worked at Valley State during the same time also will be honored.

Martin "Marty" Cooper, a name synonymous with the San Fernando Valley, will deliver the keynote address, entitled "The San Fernando Valley... What's Not Here Anymore," on the University Club lawn.

"Marty Cooper is a friend of the university and a wealth of information. We believe having him is a great opportunity for those attending the event," said Shellie Hadvina, associate director of Alumni Relations. Cooper is a long time supporter of CSUN who serves on the College of Business and Economics' San Fernando Valley Economic Research Center Advisory



Martin "Marty" Cooper, keynote speaker.

Council. He is president of the Los Angeles County Quality and Productivity Commission.

Ending the day of celebration, all guests will be invited to take a guided tram tour of the campus, cruise down memory lane and see how the campus has grown from the rural campus they knew 50 years ago to a nationally recognized university.

Founders Day was first held last year, as part of CSUN's yearlong celebration of its 50th anniversary. The cost for attending the event is \$25 per person. For more information, visit [www.csunalumni.com/foundersday](http://www.csunalumni.com/foundersday) or call (818) 677-2137. ■

—Elizabeth Cruz

## CSUN Postal and Delivery Service: Saves Time and Money

*Services Include Pick-up, Certified Mail and Bulk Mail Processing*

In an effort to save the university money, officials in Cal State Northridge's Office of Postal and Delivery Services have launched a campaign to educate and inform campus departments and offices about their services.

CSUN Postal and Delivery Services provides a range of mail services, from picking up pre-stamped personal mail to processing official university certified, registered and express mail packages. However, department officials say the most underused but cost-effective service is bulk mail processing.

Mary Hanson, assistant director of logistical services at Physical Plant Management, said U.S. Postal Services (USPS) grants universities like CSUN a bulk mail permit that discounts mailings of 200 pieces or more. She said the USPS requires the permit holder to process mail using automated address labels and barcodes.

Hanson said Postal Services is able to save the university money in direct cost and productivity. If departments allow Postal Services to prepare their bulk mailings, including determining



CSUN Postal and Delivery Services employee sorts mail.

the size and weight of the packages, the university pays the lower bulk rate of 17 or 18 cents per piece, versus the first class rate of 44 cents for an individual piece of mail. She said USPS has strict requirements that specify the labeling of bulk rate mail.

Postal Services also saves money

by bundling individual pieces into a bulk mailing that is still less than the first class rate. Only official university correspondence and materials may be mailed at state expense. Departments must prepare outgoing mail that is in compliance with the University Graphic Standard.

"We can save your department and the university money," Hanson said. "We have all the services right here."

Established in 1958, Postal Services has evolved over the years from hand labeling to automation. Its offices are located inside Physical Plant Management.

Employees receive training from the U.S. Mail Quality Control, which provides them with an understanding of the mailing process.

Mail is picked up from the Northridge Post Office at 7 a.m. Campus mail pickup and delivery begins by 9 a.m. and is finished by 11:30 a.m.

Accountable mail, such as certified, registered, insured or express mail, is picked up between 10:30 a.m.–11 a.m., with the second mail pickup from USPS.

Outgoing mail, metered or mail affixed with stamps is delivered to the post office at 3:30 p.m. each week day.

For more information about CSUN Postal and Delivery Services, visit [www-admn.csun.edu/ppm/postal/](http://www-admn.csun.edu/ppm/postal/) or call x2323. ■

## New Student Gmail

By Monday, Sept. 28, Cal State Northridge students will be switched over to a new e-mail system powered by Google. The new system will replace the current Web mail system.

"This will provide a more robust and intuitive mail system," said Chris Xanthos, senior director for project management and application services in Information Technology. He said the new Gmail accounts will provide 6.5 gigabytes of storage, much more than under the previous system.

He said CSUN joins many other universities that have already moved to Gmail accounts. All e-mail will begin to be automatically routed to students' new Gmail accounts on Monday, September 28. The domain

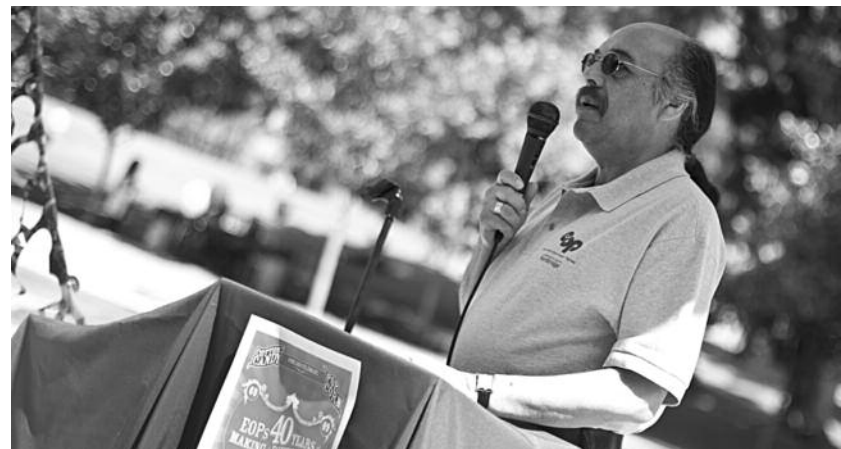
for student e-mail accounts will change from [@csun.edu](mailto:@csun.edu) to [@my.csun.edu](mailto:@my.csun.edu).

The prefix of the email address, which is usually the first and last name of a student followed by a number, will remain the same. The new Gmail account will serve as the student's official e-mail account with the university. All e-mails sent to the student's old Web mail account will be auto-forwarded to the new the [@my.csun.edu](mailto:@my.csun.edu) account.

All enterprise systems such as SOLAR, class email lists used by faculty, WebCT and Moodle will be automatically updated with the new email addresses.

For more information or assistance, visit [www.csun.edu/it](http://www.csun.edu/it) or call the IT Help Center at (818) 677-1400. ■

## EOP Celebrates 40 Years of Service



Jose Vargas, CSUN's director of the Educational Opportunity Program (EOP), reflects on the history of the program at "40 Years of Making a Difference Celebrations!" September is EOP Month and the event marks the 40 year anniversary of the program. The event was open to CSUN students, faculty and staff on Wednesday, Sept. 16 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Matador Square. Established in 1969, EOP has helped countless highly motivated, low-income, first-generation college students in the CSU system advance in their college career.

# FYI

**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 5 issue is Monday, September 28. 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. ■

## Events

### Saturday, October 3 2009 5K NAMI Walk in Santa Monica

Support Team CSUN, a group of CSUN students, staff and faculty that supports the National Alliance of Mental Illness, will participate in a 5K walk in Santa Monica. NAMI offers support for access to mental health care and works to decrease the stigma of mental illness. *fmi*-Merril Simon, [Merril.Simon@csun.edu](mailto:Merril.Simon@csun.edu), x2558, or [www.nami.org/namiwalks09/LOS/csun](http://www.nami.org/namiwalks09/LOS/csun).

## Public Meetings

### Personnel Planning and Review Committee

Meets 2–5 p.m.  
Wednesday, Sept. 23  
University Hall 277

### Educational Policies Committee

Meets 2–4 p.m.  
Wednesday, Sept. 30  
University Hall 211

### Senate Executive Committee

Meets 1–4:30 p.m.  
Thursday, Oct. 1  
University Hall 277

### Academic Technology Committee

Meets 1–3 p.m.  
Friday, Oct. 2  
University Hall 211

## Notices

### Parking Fee Increase

Effective Sept. 30, a parking fee increase will be reflected on the pay warrant for non-represented employees, represented members of APC Unit 4, SUPA Unit 8, or UAW Unit 11. *fmi*-[http://www-admn.csun.edu/parking/employee\\_fees.htm](http://www-admn.csun.edu/parking/employee_fees.htm).

### Catastrophic Leave Donations

Shawn Clark from the National Center of Deafness is currently out on medical leave of absence. She has exhausted her leave credits and is requesting catastrophic leave donations on her behalf. To make a voluntary donation, please forward a completed Catastrophic Leave Donation form to Payroll Administration, mail code 8228. Access form at <http://www-admn.csun.edu/obrs/benefits/forms/pledge.dot>.

### Text a Librarian is Here!

Do you have a question about the library? Just text the reference librarians at 66746. Text questions Monday through Friday, 10 a.m.–5 p.m. *fmi*-[http://library.csun.edu/Library\\_Services/TALFAQ.html](http://library.csun.edu/Library_Services/TALFAQ.html).

### Emergency Desk Reference for Staff

The desk reference provides a quick guide for what to do during some of the common emergency situations that

might occur on a university campus. Also, general information on emergency preparedness, staff responsibilities and emergency phone numbers is provided. The Emergency Operations Desk Reference for Staff members can be accessed at <http://www-admn.csun.edu/publicsafety/emergency/>.

### 2010 Black Graduation

The Black Graduation Celebration Committee is searching for student officers for the 2010 celebration standing committee. Students who may be interested in serving on the committee and/or participating in the Black Graduation Celebration this year can contact Conchita Y. Battle, [conchita.battle@csun.edu](mailto:conchita.battle@csun.edu), x2108, or stop by her office in Bayramian Hall 210.

## Classes

### How to Make Your Home a Safer Place

The Department of Police Services will host a Basic Residential Security workshop on Wednesday, Sept. 23, 12–1 p.m., in the Police Services second floor training room. To register, contact Daniel Foster, crime prevention coordinator, [daniel.foster@csun.edu](mailto:daniel.foster@csun.edu) or x5820.

### CSUN Jewish Studies Program

The Jewish Studies Program is offering two free public lectures with RSVP. *fmi*-Jewish Studies Program at [jewish.studies@csun.edu](mailto:jewish.studies@csun.edu) or x4724.

- **Jews in Nineteenth Century Los Angeles**  
Wednesday, Sept. 23  
Sierra Hall 186, 12:30–1:45 p.m.
- **“Increase and Multiply and Fill the Earth”: Reproduction, Jewish Population Decline, and Environmental Ethics.**  
Tuesday, Sept. 29  
Sierra Hall 451, Whitsett Room

### Benefits Information

The Office of Human Resources presents Benefits Information Workshops in fall 2009 for all interested CSUN staff and faculty.

*fmi*-Marianne Hudz, x5246.

- **TIAA-CREF One-on-One Retirement Consultations**

Thursday, Sept. 24  
Human Resources Conference Room, University Hall 165  
For appointments visit <http://www.tiaa-cref.org/moc>, or call Lisa Ratliff at (866) 842-2905, x456335.

- **Fidelity One-on-One Retirement Consultations**

Thursday, Sept. 24  
Human Resources Conference Room, University Hall 165  
For appointments, call (800) 642-7131. *fmi*-<http://www.calstate.edu/HR/benefitsportal/tsa/>.

- **MetLife One-on-One Retirement Consultations**

Monday, Oct. 5  
Human Resources Conference Room, University Hall 165

For appointments, contact Chris Maltese, (805) 371-4217 or (818) 648-0907.

*fmi*-<http://www.calstate.edu/HR/benefitsportal/tsa/>.

### Library Workshop for Faculty

The library will be presenting “How Reserves and e-Reserves Work, for You and Your Students.” The workshop will show how to place items on reserve, request books for purchase and navigate copyright issues. The sessions will take place Monday, Sept. 28, 10–11 a.m. and Wednesday, Sept. 30, 1–2 p.m. in Oviatt Library, Lab A. To RSVP contact Danielle Ste. Just at [danielle.stejust@csun.edu](mailto:danielle.stejust@csun.edu) or x6307.

### Employee Assistance Program

The Office of Human Resources presents Employee Assistance Programs in fall 2009 for interested faculty and staff. *fmi*-Debra Rozanski, x2681 or [debra.rozanski@csun.edu](mailto:debra.rozanski@csun.edu).

- **Parenting Teens**

Tuesday, Sept. 22  
12–1 p.m.  
HR Training Room, Oviatt Library 16, Garden Level.

- **Free Furlough Yoga**

Wednesday, Sept. 30 and  
Wednesday, Oct. 7  
12–12:50 p.m.  
Redwood Hall Room 180  
*fmi*-Brittany McCarthy,  
[brittany.mccarthy@csun.edu](mailto:brittany.mccarthy@csun.edu) or x2123

- **Personal Finance Series: “Paying for College When Money is Tight”**

Wednesday, Oct. 7  
1–2 p.m.  
Presentation Room, Oviatt Library.

### University Faculty Development

All-University Programs and Faculty Development Learning Communities. *fmi*-Donna Brooks at x6656

- **Faculty Book Group: Developing Learner-Centered Teaching**

Tuesday, Sept. 22  
12:30–1:30 p.m.  
Sierra Hall 439, CIELO Conference Room.

- **“Squeeze” Reading in Class**

Wednesday, Sept. 23  
2–3:30 p.m.  
Sierra Hall 451, Whitsett Room

- **Partners in Teaching**

Thursday, Sept. 24  
2–3:30 p.m.  
Sierra Hall 439, CIELO Conference Room.

- **Pop Quiz Makeover: Encouraging Students’ Preparation for Class**

Monday, Sept. 28  
2–3:30 p.m.  
Sierra Hall 451, Whitsett Room

- **Voice Coaching for Faculty**

Wednesday, Sept. 30  
1–2:30 p.m.  
Sierra Hall 439, CIELO Conference Room.

- **The Future of University**

Wednesday, Sept. 30  
12–1:30 p.m.  
Sierra Hall 439, CIELO Conference Room.

### Public Speaking

The Department of Communication studies will offer a Saturday morning course in public speaking for students in grades 5–12. The Communication for Youth Institute is a six-week program that helps to develop confidence in oral communication skills. Classes will run from Oct. 10 through Nov. 14 on Saturday mornings from 9–11:30 a.m. Applications now being accepted and enrollment will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis until the class is full. *fmi*-Lisa Thranow, [lthranow@csun.edu](mailto:lthranow@csun.edu).

## Deadlines

### Fee Waiver Deadline

The CSU Fee Waiver and Reduction Program deadline for the spring 2010 semester is Wednesday, Sept. 23. To submit an application, visit [https://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=8DQ0ZVcwObbKuweZoCAGHg\\_3d\\_3d](https://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=8DQ0ZVcwObbKuweZoCAGHg_3d_3d). If you, your spouse, registered domestic partner, or dependent plan to attend a campus that is on the quarter system, please submit application for the winter session online at [http://www-admn.csun.edu/obrs/development/feewaiver\\_enrollment.htm](http://www-admn.csun.edu/obrs/development/feewaiver_enrollment.htm). *fmi*-Sue Talavera, [feewaiver@csun.edu](mailto:feewaiver@csun.edu), or x2173.

### Applications for Sabbatical Leave

Faculty members intending to apply for a sabbatical leave for the 2010–11 academic year should file an application with their department chairs no later than Friday, Sept. 25. Application forms and information about the sabbatical leave application process are available in departments or online via the Faculty Affairs Web site at <http://www.csun.edu/facultyaffairs/>.

### CSU Board of Trustees Reviewing President Koester

The CSU Board of Trustees reviews its presidents every three years. It is now time to review President Jolene Koester. Those wishing to offer their feedback must do so no later than Oct. 2. For information on Presidential Assessment Criteria, visit <http://www.calstate.edu/datastore/PresCriteria.shtml>. Send letters to Dr. Charles Reed, chancellor, California State University, 401 Golden Shore, Suite 641, Long Beach, Calif. 90802-4210.

### 2010 Faculty Retreat

The 2010 Faculty Retreat, “Educating Through Uncertain Times: Keep the Faith; Keep the Focus” will be held on Jan. 12 and 13, 2010 at Cal State Northridge. The Faculty Senate is now accepting proposals for oral presentations and campus tours. The deadline is Friday, Oct. 23. For more information and proposal forms, visit [www.csun.edu/senate/retreat.html](http://www.csun.edu/senate/retreat.html). *fmi*-Heidi Wolfbauer, [heidw@csun.edu](mailto:heidw@csun.edu) or x3263.

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# In Brief

## Police Services Launches 911 Campaign

The Department of Police Services will conduct its biannual 911 campaign during the week of Sept. 21 to remind the community about how best to reach university police in the event of a medical, fire or police emergency.

The first option is dialing 911 from campus phones, 2111 from campus telephones and (818) 677-2111 from cellular telephones. There also are more than 75 "blue light" phones on campus and four TTY call boxes for

the deaf and hard of hearing. These provide a direct connection to university police dispatchers by simply pressing a button.

As part of the campaign, police officers will visit various campus departments and provide informational posters, flyers and phone stickers with emergency numbers. The division of Information Technology will also provide phone stickers to classroom phones across campus.

For more information, call (818) 677-7922.

## Campus Mourns Death of Retired Executive Vice President Paul Walker

Cal State Northridge and the campus community join in extending deep condolences to the family of Paul Walker, who came to San Fernando Valley State College in 1958. He passed away on Aug. 25 in Montecito, Calif.

Walker was a professor of business law, but he spent his career in a variety of administrative positions. He was director of Public Information, executive assistant to President Ralph Prator, dean of the School of Fine

Arts and Professional Studies and vice president for Academic Affairs. At the time of his retirement in 1976, he held the position of executive vice president. Walker was known for his quick wit and a special love of the arts, particularly music.

His wife, Sophia, preceded him in death. He is survived by his daughter, Julie. There were no services, but Walker's family has requested that donations in his name be made to the Hospice of Santa Barbara Inc. at 2050 Alameda Padre Serra, Suite 100, Santa Barbara, Calif. 93103. ■

## 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 \$6 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.

### Ceramics Guild

Advisor: Patsy Cox. Runs through Thu., Sept. 24. West Gallery, Art and Design Center

### Photo Club

Advisor: Niku Kashef. Runs Fri., Sept. 25 through Thu., Oct. 1. West Gallery, Art and Design Center

### Student Advertising Graphics Association

Advisor: Paula Di Marco. Runs Fri., Oct. 2 through Thu., Oct. 8. West Gallery, Art and Design Center



### ▲ Arid Eden

Lauren Richardson and Michael C. McMillen.

Two artists who project personal narratives onto the vast spaces of the desert landscape, combining installation and film.

Runs through Sat., Oct. 10. Main Gallery

### The Soloist: Celebrating the Healing Power of Music

Exhibit offers an introduction to some of the key themes of Steve Lopez's book, "The Soloist." The curators are Susanna Eng-Ziskin and Lindsay Hansen, Oviatt Library. Runs through Wed., Oct. 14. Oviatt Library Lobby

### "Now Give Me Three Cheers"

The Timeless Magic of Gilbert and Sullivan exhibition features Gilbert and Sullivan posters, music scores, books, theater programs, and more. Curated by Tony Gardner. Sponsored by Gus and Erika Manders, Friends of the Oviatt Library, and Stephen M. Dell'Aversano, D5 Designs, Ltd. Runs through July 16, 2010. C.K. and Teresa Tseng Gallery, Oviatt Library

### 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 "Hubble Vision: A Fascinating Tour of the Cosmos—from Earth's Orbit." Fri., Sept. 25, 7:30 p.m.

### Athletics (home games):

Faculty and staff receive reduced rate general admission to all regular season home events. For more info, call (818) 677-2488 or visit [www.GoMatadors.com](http://www.GoMatadors.com).



### ▲ Women's Soccer

9/25	UCLA	4 p.m.
10/2	Cal Poly	2:30 p.m.
10/4	UCSB	2:30 p.m.

### Women's Volleyball

10/6	UC Irvine	7 p.m.
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### 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).

### Classic Television: 'You Are There' & 'Alfred Hitchcock Presents'

Tue., Sept. 22, 7 p.m.

### 'Tokyo Drifter'

Directed by Seijun Suzuki. Wed., Sept. 23, 7 p.m.

### 'One Hour with You'

Directed by Ernst Lubitsch. Thu., Sept. 24, 3:30 p.m.

### 'Les Caribiniens (The Riflemen)'

Directed by Jean-Luc Godard. Thursday Nights at the Cinematheque: Jean-Luc Godard and the French New Wave. Thu., Sept. 24, 7 p.m.

### 'Simon of the Desert'

Directed by Luis Buñuel. Tue., Sept. 29, 7 p.m.

### 'The Maltese Falcon'

Directed by John Huston. Wed., Sept. 30, 3:30 p.m.

### 'Paris, Je T'aime [Paris, I Love You]'

Anthology: multiple directors. "Many Views of France" series. Wed., Sept. 30, 7 p.m.

### 'It Happened One Night'

Directed by Frank Capra. Thu., Oct. 1, 3:30 p.m.

### 'Les Mépris (Contempt)'

Directed by Jean-Luc Godard. Thu., Oct. 1, 7 p.m.

### 'The Day of the Locust'

Directed by John Schlesinger. Wed., Oct. 7, 3:30 p.m.

### 'César and Rosalie'

Directed by Claude Sautet. "Many Views of France" series. Wed., Oct. 7, 7 p.m.

### Music

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

### Evening of Small Group Jazz

Gary Pratt, director. Wed., Sept. 23, 7:30 p.m. Cypress Recital Hall

### Master Class

Jura Margulis, pianist. Fri., Sept. 25, 3 p.m. Music Recital Hall

### Guest Artist Series

Jura Margulis, pianist. Sun., Sept. 27, 3 p.m. Cypress Recital Hall

### CSUN Symphony

John Roscigno, conductor. Wed., Sept. 30, 7:30 p.m. Plaza del Sol Performance Hall

### Faculty Artist Series

Charles Fierro, pianist. Sat., Oct. 3, 7:30 p.m. Cypress Recital Hall

### CSUN Wind Ensemble

Lawrence Stoffel, conductor. Tue., Oct. 6, 7:30 p.m. Plaza del Sol Performance Hall

### Theater/Performance

Interpreted performances subject to change.



### ▲ Fate of a Cockroach

Join the inquisitive cockroaches, their enemy ants, and a human family obsessing with one bug's failing attempts to crawl out of the bathtub in this riotously comic, dark political allegory and marital farce. Written by Tawfiq Al-Hakim, translated by Denys Johnson-Davies. Directed by Ken Sawyer. Presented by special arrangement with Lynne Reinner, Publishers, Boulder & London. Tue., Sept. 22, 7:30 p.m. Wed., Sept. 23, 7:30 p.m. Thu., Sept. 24, 7:30 p.m. Fri., Sept. 25, 7:30 p.m. Sat., Sept. 26, 2 & 7:30 p.m. Sun., Sept. 27, 2 p.m. Studio Theatre lab, Nordhoff Hall 113 \$8–\$16

### India Arie

Songwriter, singer, and poet. Fri., Sept. 25, 8 p.m. Lawn, Matador Hall Free to CSUN students, faculty and staff. No tickets required. For more info, visit [www.usu.csun.edu](http://www.usu.csun.edu).

### Carlos Barbosa Lima and Berta Rojas

"Alma & Corazón." This unique Brazilian/Paraguayan duo moves from classical to jazz, mixing old world classical roots with new world rhythms, from Scarlatti to Gershwin, Jobim and Brubeck. Thu., Oct. 1, 8 p.m. Plaza del Sol Performance Hall \$45

### Lupe Fiasco

Hip-hop artist and producer. Opening acts are DJ Felli Fel and Far East Movement. Presented by A.S. SPACE

Sat., Oct. 3, noon \$5 for CSUN students, faculty and staff, \$20 for non-CSUN students. For more info, visit [www.csunas.org/space](http://www.csunas.org/space)

### Debbie Reynolds

Stage and screen legend Debbie Reynolds has been entertaining audiences for more than 55 years, starring in motion pictures, nightclubs, Broadway and television, and is now headlining on the entertainment circuit as she brings her "unsinkable" talent to Northridge. Sat., Oct. 3, 8 p.m.

Plaza del Sol Performance Hall \$70

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