

Campus Announcements - Week of 04/02/01

Campus Announcements for the week of April 2, 2001

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"With Liberty and Justice for All..." A Symposium on how all Americans have benefited from Asian American struggles for justice

DATE: Thursday 5 April
TIME: 6:45-9:30 p.m. preceded by Asian food festival 5:30 p.m.
PLACE: SAC Auditorium

Loni Ding, U. C. Berkeley, Emmy-award winning filmmaker whose series ANCESTORS IN THE AMERICAS will premier nationally on PBS and aired locally on WLIW21 on March 23rd and April 3rd at 9 p.m.

Daphne Kwok, former Executive Director of OCA National, Washington, D. C. and new the Executive Director of the Asian Pacific American Institute for Congressional Studies (APAICS).

Alberta Lee, advocate for justice for her father Dr. Wen Ho Lee.

Gary Okihiro, Director of the Center for the Study of Ethnicity and Race, Columbia University.

Shamina Singh, Former Executive Director for Executive Order 13125, the second Executive Order in American history dealing with Asian Americans.

<http://www.aac.sunysb.edu/events/liberty.html>

Submitted by: Gary Mar/CAS

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Student Affairs Newsletter, The Advocate, Available for Online Viewing

The Spring 2001 edition of the Division of Student Affairs Newsletter, The Advocate, is available for viewing at the following website along with previous editions. This edition includes staff and student highlights, a cover article on creative options for managing student conduct, and much more.

<http://www.sunysb.edu/stuaff/advocate/spring01/index.html>

<http://www.sunysb.edu/stuaaff/newsletter.html>

Submitted by: Lisa Montgomery/OSA

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"The Rockefeller Foundation and Public Health in 20th-Century Latin America"

Thursday, April 5 at 2:30-4:00pm LACC Conference Room SBS N-320

Speaker: Marcos Cueto, Instituto de Estudios Peruanos and NYU Latin America's leading historian of Science and Medicine discusses research on US roles in the region's medical history.

Co-Sponsored by Latin American and Caribbean Center and Stony Brook History of Medicine Group.

Submitted by: Domenica Tafuro/CAS

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SYMPOSIUM: "Journalists Reading the Latin-Americas"

Tuesday, April 10 at 12-3pm Alliance Room (Melville Library)
Refreshments Served!

Prominent journalists/writers on Latin American and Latino affairs discuss their work in the context of globalization and changing academic representations of the region.

Keynote Speaker: Alma Guillermoprieto (Mexico), The New Yorker and author of "The Heart That Bleeds". Guest Speakers: Evelyn Hernandez Garcia, El Diario-La Prensa and Tim Golden, The New York Times. Commentaries: Roman de la Campa, Hispanic Languages & Lit. and Jorge Capetillo, Director, Mexican Cultural Institute (NYC).

Co-Sponsored by Latin American & Caribbean Center, Mexican Cultural Institute (NYC), Humanities Institute of Stony Brook (HISB) and the Dept. of Hispanic Languages & Literature.

Submitted by: Domenica Tafuro/CAS

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David Stam on: The History of Libraries

Friday, April 6, 3 p.m., in the Javits Room, (Melville Library Galleria, 2nd floor east)

Dr. Stam, University Librarian emeritus of Syracuse University and editor of the forthcoming International Dictionary of Library Histories, will speak on Bibliotheca Universalis: Some Common Themes in Library History.

Refreshments will be served.

Submitted by: Paul Wiener/Lib

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NYS VIRTUAL JOB FAIR

Hundred's of employers with almost 1000 jobs. Register to win a laptop computer. Live through May 31, 2001. Totally online! Check it out on the website.

Questions? Contact the Career Center at 632-6810.

<http://www.nysvirtualjobfair.org>

Submitted by: Karen Clemente/OSA

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SUMMER JOB EXPO

The Career Center will be having a Summer Job Expo on 4/19/01, 11am - 2 pm in the SAC lobby. For more information come to the Career Center, located in the Lower level of the Melville Library.

<http://www.sunysb.edu/career/>

Submitted by: Karen Clemente/OSA

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Come Explore the "9 Wonders of Wellness" at the 4th Annual Campus Wellness Fair

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Campus

Wellness Fair, Wednesday, April 4th from 12-2 in the Kelly Cafeteria. Come and sample free food for healthy living, pick up a free wellness day t-shirt and other great give-a-ways and prizes. Test your knowledge and skills at various booths, watch demonstrations on various campus activities and make your own stress balls to help cope with exams. Have some fun while learning what opportunities exist on campus to increase your overall wellness. Programs, exhibits and demonstrations will cover all areas of wellness including spiritual, physical, emotional, intellectual, environmental, financial, social, occupational and creative. There will be something for everybody at this event jointly sponsored by the departments of: Campus Recreations, Mount Health and Wellness Living Learning Center, Campus Dining and the Student Health Service-CHOICE Center.

<http://www.recreation.sunysb.edu>

Submitted by: Susan Dimonda/CAS

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SUNY JOB FAIR

The Career Center, in partnership with other SUNY Schools, will be assisting with the organization of a Job Fair taking place in Syracuse, NY on Saturday - March 31st at the Carousel Center. If you need directions go to <http://www.carouselcenter.com/map.html> . For a list of the companies attending go to <http://www.oswego.edu/cdojobfair>

Submitted by: Karen Clemente/OSA

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Summer Camp at Stony Brook
June 25 - August 17, 2001

The Summer Camp at Stony Brook is back for its second exciting year. The camp combines a unique twist of educational activities and athletics for children between the ages of 5 to 12. Tuition includes provision of a camp T-shirt, as well as a hot lunch and snack each day. For more information on the Summer Camp at Stony Brook please come to one of our Open Houses or call our camp office at 632-4550.

10% Discount on Tuition for Stony Brook staff members.

Open House dates/times: Sun. February 25 9am - 12pm /
Sat. March 10 9am - 12pm / Sat. April 7 9am - 12pm /
Sun. April 22 12pm - 3pm / Sat. May 5 9am - 12pm

-- All Open Houses are located in the USB Sports Complex

Submitted by: Matthew Larsen/CAS

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Stony Brook Child Care Services Cash Bonanza

Win \$15,000!

Stony Brook Child Care Services, a non-profit organization at SUNY Stony Brook, announces its 8th Annual Child Care Cash Bonanza. Each \$50 ticket entitles the bearer and a guest to attend a champagne and dessert gala on Tuesday April 24 (doors open at 7 p.m.; drawing begins at 8 p.m.) at the Stony Brook Student Activity Center, and a chance to win a FIRST PRIZE of \$15,000, a second prize of \$2,000 and a third prize of \$1,000. Two \$500 prizes, ten \$200 prizes and fifteen \$100 prizes will also be drawn.

Only 1,200 tickets will be sold. Act now before tickets sell out! Buy your own or split the cost with a co-worker, friends or family. Support campus child care, savor delicious food provided by Three Village Inn catering and enjoy great odds of winning--1 in 40!

For information on how to buy tickets, call 632-KIDS or visit our Web site.

[http:// www.sunysb.edu/childcare](http://www.sunysb.edu/childcare)

Submitted by: Katherine Kassel/Lib

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Neurobiology and Behavior Seminar

April 3, 2001
Life Sciences Building
Room 038
11:30 a.m.

"THE ZEBRAFISH EYES ABSENT-1 GENE IS REQUIRED FOR VESTIBULAR CELL FATES"

Dr. David Kozlowski
Dept. of Biology
University of Pennsylvania

Host: Dr. Paul Brehm

If you need a disability-related accommodation, please call:
The Department of Neurobiology and Behavior at (631) 632-8616

Submitted by: Cynthia E Pedersen/CAS

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Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society, will sponsor a lecture on Wednesday, April 4 at noon. All invited.

Title: "The Black Hole at the Center of Our Milky Way"
By: Dr. Andrea Ghez, University of California, Los Angeles
Time: Wednesday, April 4, noon
Place: ESS Building, Room 123

Submitted by: Bonnie Stephens/MSRC

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Sigma Xi Student Awards in Excellence in Research and Educationally-related Travel

SUNYSB Chapter of Sigma Xi is accepting student applications for awards in Excellence in Research and Educationally-related Travel. The Excellence in Research award recognizes highly qualified student research. The Travel award will defray travel expenses to professional meetings. Deadline for submission is 13 April 2001. For details and application forms, please contact one of the following chapter officers: Dr. Nicholas Delihias, Microbiology, 158 Life Sciences Bldg., Dr. Harvard Lyman, Biochemistry, 310 Life Sciences Bldg., Dr. Alan Tucker, Applied Math and Statistics, P138 Math Bldg., or Dr. Larry Swanson, Marine Sciences, 147 Dutchess Hall.

Submitted by: Bonnie Stephens/MSRC

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Interested in Using a New On-Campus Hotel Conference Center?

Stony Brook University's Stony Brook Realty, Corp. (SBFR) is in the process of finalizing a Sub-Lease with the Thayer Lodging Group to develop the planned Conference Center Hotel project to the south of the University main entrance.

We are now at the stage that the Thayer representatives would like to talk with and interview representatives from all University Academic and non-Academic departments, as well as Health Sciences and Hospital departments that would have interest in using the new facility either for meetings, conferences, or for overnight guests, etc.

If you are interested, please send me an E-mail with your department name, your name, E-mail address, and telephone number. If you have any questions, please call Carl E. Hanes, Jr., Deputy to the President and Executive Director of SBFR, at 632-6100.

Submitted by: Carl Hanes/Pres

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Stony Brook University's Annual Take Our Daughters to Work Day will be held on Friday, April 27, 2001.

Join us for a day filled with opportunities to explore many challenging career areas, learn about our campus, and have fun through interactive workshops and job shadowing. The day begins with a kickoff breakfast in the Student Activities Center Auditorium with a special keynote speaker. Employees who wish to bring a child between ages 9 and 15 must complete the Take Our Daughters to Work Day Registration Form. These forms can be obtained at <http://www.sunysb.edu/todtw>, or in the Office of Conferences and Special Events, 440 Administration Building.

<http://www.sunysb.edu/todtw>

Submitted by: Pamela Wolfskill/Pres

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A research project on a new toothpaste

Are your Gums Red and Swollen?
Do your Gums Bleed When You Brush?

Would You Like to Make \$200

The Department of General Dentistry
School of Dental Medicine

State University of New York is conducting a clinical research trial on a new toothpaste that may reduce your gingivitis. If you have gingivitis and are at least 18 years of age you may qualify for this study.

If you are interested in participating, please call

631-632-8937

Submitted by: Mark Wolff/HSC

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Open House at the School of Professional Development

The School of Professional Development is hosting an open house on Tuesday, April 10 from 4:00 - 7:00 pm in the Student Activities Center (SAC) - 3rd floor. SPD offers a wide-range of graduate degree programs on a part-time and full-time basis, as well as computer software training and career development courses. Classes are offered in the evenings, on Saturdays, and online to fit into your busy schedule. Advisors will be available

to answer questions. Prospective students can apply for on-the-spot admission for the fall 2001 semester. Visit www.stonybrook.edu/spd/, email spd@sunysb.edu or call 632-4SPD for further information.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd>

Submitted by: Siobhan Ross/Prov

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Keller College Science and Engineering Living Learning Center
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Annual Astronomy Week.

April 1, 2001- Meet in the Keller Main Lounge.

9:00pm A Trip through the Orient (A Spiritual Journey through Oral History).

10:30pm Constellation Viewing.

April 2, 2001? Meet in the Keller Main Lounge.

9:00pm Astronomers Anonymous Telescope Building.

10:30pm Moon Viewing

April 3, 2001? Meet in the Keller Main Lounge.

10:30pm LEG: Judging Contest for Keller College Logo and Space Costume Contest

11:00pm Planet Viewing

April 4, 2001? Meet in the Keller Penthouse.

8:00pm Speaker: Prof. Ralph A.M.J. Wijers: "Twinkle, twinkle, gamma star, ...Gamma-ray bursts: Mother Nature's biggest firecrackers"

10:30pm Star Viewing

April 5, 2001- at the Kelly Cafeteria.

9:00pm The Cosmic Dining Experience and Karaoke. Free Treats!

10:30pm Astronomy Viewing Contest (Name Constellations).

April 6, 2001 Meet in the Keller Lobby to walk over to the ESS Building 001.

7:00pm Prof. Michal Simon: ?Extrasolar Planets' Star viewing using

the University's telescopes on the roof of the ESS building will follow the lecture weather permitting.

April 7, 2001 meet in the Keller Lobby to walk over and take the LIRR into NYC.

8:00am Stargazing at the Hayden Planetarium.

Submitted by: Brian Steinberg/OSA

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THE MANY FACES OF PROBLEM SOLVING @ CELT

On April 5th 12:30 - 1:30 at CELT (E1337 Melville Library), three Stony Brook faculty members will facilitate a session on "Approaches to the Learning and Teaching of Problem Solving." Gary Halada of the Department of Materials Science and Engineering will discuss "Processes for Teaching Engineering Design." Gary Mar of Philosophy will discuss "Strategies for the Teaching of Logic." Tom Sexton of the Harriman School for Management and Policy will discuss the "Case study Approach." To Register for this seminar please go to www.celt.sunysb.edu and click on 'Activities for Spring 2001'. Any questions please email rreaganr@notes.cc.sunysb.edu or call Rita Reagan Redko @ 2-1057. A lite lunch will be provided.

Also, we would like to bring your attention to the CELT Conference on "Critical Reasoning and Problem Solving" to be held at Stony Brook on June 22. 2001. For further information, check out the CELT website at www.celt.sunysb.edu.

<http://www.celt.sunysb.edu>

Submitted by: Rita Reagan-Redko/Prov

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Computing Center Holiday Closing

The Computing Center will be closed and the systems set for unattended operations on Easter Sunday, April 15, 2001.

Submitted by: Judith Salzmman/DoIT

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Defensive Driving Program

Available only to UUP employees and their immediate family members: Saturday, April 7, 2001 - 10am to 4pm - SAC Room 303 Cost is \$15 per person - Make check payable to "NYSUT Benefit Trust" and bring or mail to UUP, 104 Old Chem, Z = 3475. Any questions - call ext. 2-6570

Submitted by: Willa Smith/CAS

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WRITING ACROSS THE CURRICULUM WORKSHOPS @ CELT

Anne Beaufort, Associate Director of the Program in Writing and Rhetoric will be offering two workshops at CELT.

Friday, April 13th 10am - 11am @CELT room E1337 Melville Library
Designing Writing Assignments That Get Results

Friday, April 20th 10am-11am@ CELT room E1337 Melville Library
Ten Ways to Use Informal Writing to Deepen Subject Matter Learning

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Free Computer Classes in The HSC Library - April 2001

The HSC Library has posted its April Schedule. To view the schedule stop down to the circulation desk and pick one up OR check out the schedule for the HSC Library web page at <http://www.hsclib.sunysb.edu>

Try our New Lotus Notes Classes - Introduction to Lotus Notes Email, and Introduction to Lotus Notes Calendar

For more information please contact Ellen Maleszewski at ellen.debruin@sunysb.edu or 444-9755

<http://www.hsclib.sunysb.edu>

Submitted by: Ellen Debruin/HSC

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