

Campus Announcements for the week of 08/23/2010

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01. Administrative

1. Announcement: On Campus Student Jobs will now be posted on ZebraNet

Stony Brook is transitioning from SOLAR to a new and improved system for publicizing on campus jobs (FWS, Student Asst, etc.)! Departments will continue to use SOLAR for processing employment, but the job postings themselves will now be listed through the Career Center's ZebraNet database. Students will now have one site to search for all types of work experiences. Stephanie Rovello (Financial Aid) and Kim Rant (Client Support) have been key participants in this transition. We are confident you will find ZebraNet easy to use and a great improvement over SOLAR for recruitment. To find out if you have a ZebraNet account contact the Career Center at 2-6810. If not, one will be created for you. Please direct students to www.stonybrook.edu/career for ZebraNet information.

https://www.myinterfase.com/stonybrook/resources/resource_view.aspx?token=JZhH13a4vGqi9Lt22Pudeg%3d%3d

Submitted by: Andrea Lipack/OSA

2. Stony Brook Univeristy - Premium Parking Spaces Available - Apply Now!

Did you know that there are two (2) convenient premium parking lots located near the CMM/Life Sciences/Computer Sciences Buildings?

Better yet, did you know that we now have a limited number of parking permits available for one of these premium parking lots?

Currently, SBU does have a limited number of permits available for our Life Sciences 1 premium parking lot, which has an annual fee of \$300.00 per permit. If you are interested in a premium parking permit or would like additional information, please visit:

www.stonybrook.edu/parking

- 1.) Select "Parking Permits".
 - 2.) On the Parking Permits page, please select either: Faculty or Staff.
 - 3.) Please scroll to the "Apply for a Parking Permit" section and follow the instructions.
- For additional information, please visit Parking Services, 2nd Level, Administration Building.
Thank you!

Submitted by: Amelia Filey/Admin

3. University Convocation - September 15, 2010

Please join Samuel L. Stanley Jr., M.D., at the Annual University Convocation and State of the University Address Wednesday, September 15, 4:00 pm, at the Staller Center Main Stage. The President and Provost Eric Kaler invite you to the Welcome Reception for New Faculty and Administrators immediately following the Convocation.

Submitted by: Karen Keeley/UAff

4. August 31 Last Day To Return Books To Southampton Campus Library

August 31, 5:00pm Is the Deadline for Returning Books to the Southampton Library. After August 31, You Must Return All Books To Melville Library, Main Campus. For More Info Call 631.632.7115

Submitted by: Darren Chase/Lib

02. Administrative - Hosp/HSC

1. Community Alliance for Research Empowering Social change (CARES) Pilot survey

Please follow the link and take the CARES Pilot survey of Long Island residents. We are hoping to obtain a sample of 1,000 Long Island residents. We would really appreciate your participation in the survey and if you would forward the link to the other Long Island residents.

http://survey.qualtrics.com/SE?SID=SV_dmqdpiftfogqtIE&SVID=

Submitted by: Jewel Stafford/UHMC

03. Workshops/Courses/Training

1. Tours of the Melville Library

Take a tour of the Melville Library's main public service areas. Learn about our collections and services and get some freebies while you're here. Meet us @ the Central Reading Room, Melville Library. All tours run about 30 minutes. Tours will take place on: Thursday, September 2 @ 2:30 PM, Tuesday, September 7 @ noon, Monday, September 13 @ 1:30 PM, Wednesday, September 22 @ 6 PM, Friday, October 1 @ 11:30 AM, and Wednesday, October 6 @ 2 PM.

www.stonybrook.edu/library

Submitted by: Fiona Grady/Lib

2. Conflict Resolution- A Win-Win Approach

September 8 9:30am 12:30pm

Similarly with personal life, conflict in organizations is a normal thing that one should expect to face. Today's climate of budget constraints, competing interests and the diversity of needs has a way of increasing tension and reducing the energy needed to focus on the mission, goals and objectives of an organization.

The Win-Win Approach program will engage you and your colleagues in a dialogue and a series of activities & strategies aimed at helping you:

- Identify the sources of conflict
- Explore and learn new steps for solving conflict through collaboration
- Explore the five steps of the A-E-I-O-U communication model plus much more!

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0043>

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

07. Charitable

1. September is Childhood Cancer Awareness Month

Sunrise Fund benefits from the Stony Brook Seawolves' home-opener football game on September 11, 6 pm at Kenneth P. LaValle Stadium, Stony Brook University, Nicolls Road, Stony Brook. A portion of the ticket sales goes towards "Play fit, Stay Fit!" a comprehensive wellness program for childhood cancer survivors and their families. Tickets: \$12. For tickets call (631) 632-WOLF (9653) or visit www.GoSeawolves.org.

Submitted by: Victoria Irwin/HSC

08. Culture & Entertainment

1. Eric Andersen, legendary singer-songwriter, and many others in fall line up of The University Cafe's Sunday Acoustic Series

The fall schedule for the Sunday Street Acoustic Series at The University Cafe includes The Strawbs, Eric Andersen, Ellis Paul, Slaid Cleaves, James Keelaghan, Toby Walker and Beaucoup Blue, and David Francey. Details are available at universitycafe.org by clicking on Sunday Street Acoustic Series.

The series begins with a special Sunday evening concert at 7 P.M. on September 19th featuring

The Strawbs, a pioneering folk-rock band from England. Folk legend Eric Andersen is scheduled for Sunday October 10th at 2 P.M.

Advance sale tickets at a significant savings on sale now at universitycafe.org

<http://universitycafe.org>

Submitted by: Charles Backfish/CAS

09. For-Pay Workshops/Courses

1. Exploring Adobe Flash CS3

NCE 329 * 12 sessions * Fee \$629

Adobe Flash is the professional standard for producing high-impact Web experiences. The focus is on creating animation for the World Wide Web. This course will guide students through the fundamentals of animation such as Flash drawing, story boarding, creating layers, key framing, character animation and creating interactive animation.

Required Text: Adobe Flash CS3 Professional Classroom in a Book (ISBN # 0321499824). The cost of text is not included in the course fee.

Note: In order to save their work, all students are required to bring a flash drive to class.

Section A: Wednesdays, 6-9pm; September 22 & 29, October 6, 13, 20 & 27; November 3, 10 & 17; December 1, 8 & 15, 2010

10% discount University employees and students, CSEA Vouchers accepted

Registration Form at <http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/career/registration.html>

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

2. Adobe Photoshop CS3

NCE 321 * 12 Sessions * Fee \$629

Professional artists, amateur photographers and Web novices should know the fundamentals of Photoshop, the most powerful image editing software on the market. Learn how to prepare photographs for offset printing or create good-looking scans for your personal homepage.

Topics covered will include the Photoshop work area, image basics, working with selections, working with layers, painting, masks, channels, creating special effects, basic pen tool techniques and creating images for electronic publishing. (Windows environment)

Required Text: Adobe Photoshop CS3 Classroom in a Book (ISBN # 0321492021). Cost of text is not included in the course fee. Students must bring textbook to the first class meeting.

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Registration Form at <http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/career/registration.html>

Section A: Tuesdays, 6-9pm; September 14, 21 & 28; October 5, 12, 19 & 26; November 9, 16 & 30; December 7 & 14, 2010

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

3. Introduction to Microsoft Excel

NCE 314 - 5 Sessions - Fee: \$289

This introductory course demonstrates the power and ease that makes Microsoft Excel the most-widely used spreadsheet application for office and home financial planning. Accountants, office managers, budget managers, even the family financial planner will benefit from learning the basics of Excel.

Topics include: basics of spreadsheet design, entering data, editing, formatting and printing worksheets, and implementing formulae and functions. This course emphasizes hands-on exercises to reinforce lessons.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Windows or the basic computing skills as described in our self-test.

Note: In order to save their work, students are required to bring a flash drive to class.

Required Text: Microsoft Office Excel 2007 Step-By-Step (ISBN # 073562304x). Cost of text is not included in the course fee.

Section G: Wednesdays, 6-9pm; September 15, 22 & 29; October 6 & 13, 2010

10% discount for University employees and Students. CSEA LEAP Vouchers accepted

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

4. 70-680 Windows 7 Configuring

6 sessions * \$590 * 6-9:30pm

This class prepares students for the Official Microsoft 70-680 Certification exam and maps to the requisites for the exam.

Topics covered include installing, deployment, and upgrade to Windows 7. The text also covers new Windows 7 features such as: BranchCache and HomeGroup networking. Additionally students should master configuration pre-installation and post-installation systems settings, Windows security features, network connectivity applications included with Windows 7, and mobile computing.

Text: 70-680: Windows 7 Configuring; ISBN 978-0-470-63127-0

Section A: Tuesdays, September 21 & 28; October 5, 12, 19 & 26, 2010

10% discount University employees and students, CSEA Vouchers accepted

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

10. Research

1. Research Assistants Needed!

Do you need Community Service? Do you need Public Health Experience? We have an opportunity for you! We are looking for energetic motivated Bilingual (Spanish Speaking) volunteers 18 years and older to assist on a National Institutes of Health community based research study. Responsibilities will include providing questionnaires to Suffolk County community residents, data entry, and generating reports. For more information please contact Jewel D. Stafford @ 631-444-1625 or Email: jewel.stafford@stonybrook.edu

Submitted by: Jewel Stafford/UHMC

11. Miscellaneous

1. Math, Physics and Language classes for elementary and middle school students in Stony Brook University.

SchoolPlus Enrichment Program offers Mathematics (ages 5-15, 11 levels); Physics and Earth Science (ages 8-15, 6 levels, AP Physics, test preparation); Art (ages 6-15), Languages: French - all levels for adults and children including Regents exam preparation; English advanced; and Russian - all levels, including Russian as a foreign language. We also offer the enrichment program for children 3-5 years old.

Classes are held on Sundays at Stony Brook University.

Teachers include the leading specialists from Stony Brook University and Brookhaven National Lab.

The tuition is \$16.50/45 minute class.

Registration is open online: <http://www.schoolplusstonybrook.org/>

Contact information: e-mail: schoolplus(underscore)sb@yahoo.com

Phone: (631) 615-4215

<http://www.schoolplusstonybrook.org>

Submitted by: Alexandre Abanov/CAS

2. Campus Dining Hours of Service- Fall 2010

The Campus Dining hours of service for Fall 2010 and Opening Weekend are now available and posted on the Campus Dining website. Visit www.campusdining.org for further details.

<http://www.campusdining.org>

Submitted by: Vincent Gentile/FSA

3. Campus Child Care Available

Stony Brook Child Care Services Openings for Preschool groups. SBU affiliated and non-affiliated families welcome. Also, accepting applications for Infant-Toddler's for children 2 months through 3 years old. NAEYC accredited Center with caring, professional early childhood teachers, low child-to-teacher ratio, and sliding fee scale. Call 632-6930 for more information and to arrange a visit. You can also visit our website at www.sunysb.edu/childcare.

Submitted by: Patricia Birbiglia/Affl

4. Discover a Campus Secret: The Wang Center Gift Shop

There's lots of fun stuff at the Wang Center Gift Shop for everyone who's settling in for the fall semester! You'll find:

- Bath & spa items, including handmade beer soap, sandalwood soap, vegan lip balms, and more.
 - Apartment/dorm items: lamps, paper lanterns (to dress up that bare light bulb or ugly light fixture), cotton bed or sofa throws, chopsticks, cutting boards, colorful cotton placemats, mugs, tea balls, tea strainers, a great variety of teas, and cookbooks galore!
 - Books, jewelry for women & men, toys, games, and lots of clothing, all at affordable prices.
- Every day we offer free samples of special Japanese teas. Please stop by to say, "Hello," and have a taste!

The Wang Center Gift Shop is located right across from Jasmine Restaurant. This week, we'll be open Tuesday - Friday, 12 noon to 4 pm.

Submitted by: Carol Lindquist/CAS