Trojan Family Weekend: Unity Tailgate

Saturday, October 20th, 2012 | 11:30am-2:00pm | McCarthy Quad

The Unity Tailgate during **USC Trojan Parents** is a great opportunity for students, family and fellow Trojans affiliated with Center for Black Cultural & Student Affairs (CBCSA), El Centro Chicano (ECC), & Norman Topping Student Aid Fund (NTSAF) to come together and enjoy a pre-game meal and cheer on the Trojan football team to victory!

**YOU MUST RSVP FOR THIS EVENT!!!** Each USC Student may RSVP a maximum of **THREE** guests.

Food will be **guaranteed** for those who RSVP-ed until 12:30 pm. Please come with your guests to avoid any confusion. We will open the food to the wait-listed students and their guest(s) at 12:30 pm.

Looking forward to your attendance, Fight On!!!

Sponsored by: Center for Black Cultural and Student Affairs, El Centro Chicano and The Norman Topping Student Aid Fund.

RSVP Here: [https://sait.usc.edu/cbcsa/secure/login.asp](https://sait.usc.edu/cbcsa/secure/login.asp)

Game Changer: Political Awareness, Engagement, & Activism for Trojans

**Tuesday, October 16th, 2012 | 7:30pm—8:30pm | El Centro Chicano**

Join us for the El Centro’s 1st Leadership Development & Skill Building Series event of the year: **Game Changer**

Elections are next month. Are you ready to vote? Are you prepared to make an informed decision come election day? Join El Centro Chicano for a night of political discussions and development workshops. This event will be led by 'SC alumni who have extensive experience in fields such as political internships, running for office and internal campus politics. Some of our featured guests include Juan Espinoza, executive director of Program Board, Evelyn Larios, NALEO representative and Democratic National Convention delegate Bertrand Pedromo. If you are interested please stop by United University Church 300 on **Tuesday, Oct. 16th at 7:30pm**. Make an impact on your community. Be there or be politically square! **Debate will be shown live at 6p-7:30p@El Centro.**

For more information visit: [http://www.facebook.com/events/389977931074257/](http://www.facebook.com/events/389977931074257/)
Honoring History: UUC & ECC—El Centro Chicano Special Unveiling

A historic event took place on **Saturday, September 29th, 2012** as the United University Church and El Centro Chicano celebrated their 130th and 40th birthdays, respectively, by unveiling a commemorative plaque that now boldly stands in front of the church. The plaque is organized as a timeline, listing significant events in the 130 year history of the United University Church, and the 40 year history of El Centro Chicano, making it a few of the places on campus that informs USC visitors about our rich Chicana/o & Latina/o history on this campus. Members from both the USC (students, alumni, staff, faculty, parents & friends) and local community came together to enjoy food, music and various other activities, honoring the history of both El Centro and the United University Church, as well as their developing and strengthening partnership. ¡Somos Uno, Somos Familia!

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**Save the Date: El Centro Chicano’s 40th Anniversary Celebration!**

**Saturday, December 1st, 2012 | 6:00pm—9:00 pm | Town and Gown**

USC El Centro Chicano, originally housed in a two-story building on Hoover and Jefferson, from '72-'79.
Internship Week Fall 2012: October 8–11

Come to the various panels held between now and Thursday to learn about internships available in a variety of industries. All internship panels are held at the Career Center in the Student Union, Trojan Presentation Room (STU B3). No sign-up or registration required, just drop by at the posted time. Podcasts for Internship Week will be posted the week after. Panelist contact information is available on connectSC in the Resource Library.

Apply to the Volunteer Center’s Alternative Spring Break Program!!

The USC Volunteer Center is dedicated to promoting volunteerism and service in the USC and greater Los Angeles communities as well as throughout the US and abroad. Join fellow USC students in doing community service at one of our 13 locations this year—2 International Winter Break locations and 11 Spring Break locations. Each trip has a specific focus such as health care, hunger and homelessness, and education for example. These trips are open to currently enrolled students and have a faculty or staff member as the advisor.

Info Sessions are coming up so save the dates:

Wednesday October 10th from 4:30pm - 5:30pm

Apply! Apply! Apply! Alternative WINTER Break deadline is September 28, 2012 by 5pm to TCC 425 and Alternative SPRING Break deadline is October 12, 2012 by 5pm to TCC 425. Find the application and more detailed information on each trip at usc.edu/volunteer.

INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS OFFICE

PAID INTERNSHIPS:

Academy of Country Music - promotes country music from coast to coast.
Academy of Country Music 2013 Music Program | Job ID 4725

Aquisitions Intern | Job ID 8189

PacSun - offers authentic California lifestyle clothing for men and women.
2012 Fall Internship Program | Job ID 6128

UNPAID INTERNSHIPS:

AARP California - non-profit, non-partisan membership organization focused on helping people 50+ live their best lives.
AARP Digital Communications Internship | Job ID 600

City of Rosemead - small town in the heart of an urban environment accomplished by honoring tradition, uniting in diversity, and evolving for the future.
Administrative Intern - Human Resources | Job ID 1802

For much more information: Contact the Internship Programs Office in STU B1 or log on to connectSC at http://careers.usc.edu
USC Center for Women and Men: October Events

What: Center for Women and Men - Vivian Belle Scholarship
When: Applications available: http://www.usc.edu/student-affairs/cwm/
Where: Applications can be submitted electronically to Danielle Lancon, Director, at lancon@usc.edu or in person to the Center for Women and Men.
Details: This scholarship is awarded to female freshmen students who have demonstrated work and commitment in the area of gender justice and facilitates their continued work in this area at the University of Southern California and in the community. This scholarship, founded by Belle Vivian, will be awarded annually to two students at the University of Southern California. Each recipient will receive $5,000 in the form of tuition reimbursement for one academic year. More information on applicant eligibility and scholarship details can be found online at http://www.usc.edu/student-affairs/cwm/

What: Women’s Empowerment Group
When: Thursdays at 4pm. Where: Student Union, Suite 202 (CWM)
Details: The Center for Women and Men runs a weekly drop-in Women’s Group. The support group is for women who have experienced gender-based violence, such as sexual assault, harassment, stalking or abuse. The sessions will be supervised by a CWM counselor and will be safe and confidential. It’s a place to connect with other survivors, gain support and continue healing. Like all of our counseling services, it’s free. No appointments necessary. For more information, contact Sheetal Chib at schib@usc.edu, call 213-740-4900, or stop by CWM.

What: Men Care Nominations
When: Ongoing. Where: CWM
Details: Do you know a man who you’re proud to call a friend? Consider nominating him for membership in Men Care, USC’s premier all-male peer-education program. Men Care seeks freshmen, sophomores and juniors to lead discussions with student groups throughout campus about bystander courage and healthy expressions of masculinity. Look for the nomination form at http://sait.usc.edu/mencare/pages/become_educator.html. If you have questions, please contact the Center for Women and Men at 213-740-4900.

Faith Leader’s Conversation with Dr. Rajiv Shah

Thursday, October 11th, 2012 | 12:00 pm—1:00 pm | Mayor’s Press Conference Room, City Hall, 200 Spring Street, 3rd Floor

Please join a Faith Leaders’ Conversation with Administrator of U.S. Agency for International Development Dr. Rajiv Shah

Topics: USAID Administrator Shah will discuss development priorities in Latin America and worldwide, in addition to outlining the future of international development aid.

Please RSVP to FBCI@usaid.gov by COB Tuesday, October 9 to confirm attendance and to receive parking information. Space is limited.
LGBT Resource Center: Peer Mentoring Program

Become a Mentor or Mentee in the LGBT Resource Center’s Peer Mentoring Program!

Are you dealing with a difficult challenge in your life? Do you think you may be lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or are you questioning your sexuality and/or gender identity? Do you want to talk to someone confidentially about your personal concerns? If so, become a mentee in the LGBT Peer Mentoring Program (LGBTPMP) and work with a caring, dynamic peer mentor on personal, social, academic, career and lifestyle goals! If you are secure in your sense of identity and want to help others in difficult situations, then become a mentor in the LGBTPMP.

Apply now: www.usc.edu/lgbt/mentoring
Info: mypeermentor@gmail.com

The Corner Group: LGBTQ Support Group

This group is for all members of the LGBTQI community for support on topics that are decided by the students. Topics may include, but are not limited to: sexual and gender identity concerns; developing meaningful relationships; connecting with or trusting others; dating; family relationships; feeling marginalized; spiritual concerns; and balancing academics and personal life. Undergraduate and graduate students welcome. Confidentiality is a priority.

Please contact Ekta Kumar, MA or Elizabeth Reyes PhD at 213-740-7711 for more information. Fall 2012: Time to be determined based on students’ schedules.

USC Queer People of Color Student Organization

The purpose of this organization is to serve as a bridge between the Queer People of Color and the surrounding community of USC and it’s neighborhood. It also serves to be a discussion and advocate group for the Racial Minorities, LGBT Community and those who identify in both groups to recognize cultural struggles and actively improving the surrounding communities.

USC Queer People of Color is the first club to focus on the Minority Groups which lie within the LGBTQIA community. We come together as a group Wednesday at 8pm every other week in VKC 154. Meetings consist of discussions between diversity of backgrounds, community building exercises and caucuses designed on how we can fight the assimilation faced by Queer Minorities. This is a new organization for the Queer and Ally Student Assembly, all people from all backgrounds are welcome. You do not have to be “minority” to come, you must however have an interest in learning about atypical backgrounds and an open mind of others.

Please contact the group founder, Matthew Del Muro, if you have any questions at mdelmuro@usc.edu.

INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS OFFICE

UNPAID INTERNSHIPS (CONTINUED):

Mercer | Retirement Consulting Intern | Job ID 1764 | Deadline 10/11/12
Mercer | Health & Benefits Actuarial Intern | Job ID 3538 | Deadline 10/11/12
Coca-Cola Refreshments | Sales Summer Associate | Job ID 2987 | Deadline 10/12/12
ExxonMobil | Intern Engineer | Job ID 1376 | Deadline 10/12/12
American Eagle Outfitters | Merchandising Internship Program | Job ID 1285 | Deadline 10/13/12
American Eagle Outfitters | Merchandise Planning & Allocation Internship Program | Job ID 1284 | Deadline 10/13/12

For much more information: Contact the Internship Programs Office in STU B1 or log on to connectSC at http://careers.usc.edu

Reminder!

Are you on Twitter? If you are, make sure that you are following us @USC_ElCentro to get the latest on the numerous programs, both social and networking, club events, internships, job openings, and more! Don’t miss out!

Follow us on twitter: @USC_ElCentro
Omega Phi Beta Sorority: Upcoming Events

AIDS WALK, Sunday, October 14

We will be doing the Aids Walk as a Chapter. Please come out and support our OPB Team.

Contact: Maria Cuevas / Email: ipialsolo@gmail.com

8th Annual Radiant Homecoming Weekend, Thursday November 8th - November 11 @ USC

Contact: Nancy Talamantes / Email: bellator.ace@gmail.com

Bless My Hustle Tank/Shirt Sale

We are partnering up with Monica Rivera’s Bless My Hustle brand, and selling "All We Do Is Win" apparel line throughout Fall 2012. Tanks and Shirts will be sold for $20 each. The following sizes are available [XS, S, M, L, X-Large]

If you are looking to purchase a shirt please contact Jessica Guevara at (323) 906-6446

FB Event Page: http://www.facebook.com/events/342711739155856/?ref=ts

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