USC 2011 Black/ Latino Admit Weekend

The Black/ Latino Admit weekend is designed to give students the opportunity to live the life of a Trojan and provide an incentive to commit to USC and the Trojan Family. With that said, we NEED YOUR HELP. The agenda has expanded this year, and we need the support of current USC students to make this event successful.

Event Schedule:
April 20 from 7 to 8 pm
April 22 from 4 to 5:30 pm
April 23 at 8am

For more information contact Elizabeth Adabale (eadable@gmail.com) and Rudy Sarmiento (resarmie@usc.edu) or check out http://www.facebook.com/event.php?eid=19196204174496&ref=ts

USC Spectrum: America Tropical

AMERICA TROPICAL follows Siqueiros as he confronts the blank center of his wall the day before its unveiling and tries to find his metaphor, and the true voice of the city. Utilizing history and foresight, he charts Los Angeles from its founding in 1781 to the 1992 L.A. riots -- literally from its birth to its near-death. Painting the crucified Indian, he feels that he has fulfilled his vision. But his creation comes to life -- just as the actual image of the Indio began to ghost through the white wash -- refusing to be silenced.

After its world premiere in San Francisco in 2007, AMERICA TROPICAL was produced as part of USC’s Visions & Voices in October 2010. It was performed on campus, as well as at Pico House, Olvera Street, and at the Autry National Center, to overflow audiences and standing ovations. Its compact length (62 minutes) and youthfully energetic chamber opera performance style presents opera in a new way, eschewing the moat between performers and audience; yet the poetry of its story and its highly melodic music carry on the finest traditions of the form.

When: Wednesday April 20th at 7:30pm
Where: Campus Center Grand Ballroom

For more information check out http://sait.usc.edu/spectrum/events_details.asp?EventID=657
Test Anxiety Workshop

“Don’t Sweat It” Test Anxiety Workshop
When studying, do you . . .
typically procrastinate until the last minute?
find yourself frequently distracted by your worries about grades or academic performance?
During exams, do you . . .
have trouble maintaining your focus?
feel your heart racing or find it difficult to breathe?

Meeting Time: Every Tuesday, @12pm
Location: Student Counseling Services
YWCA Building, 857 Downey way
Facilitated by Dr. Emi Sumida

Meeting Time: Every Friday, @12pm
Location: STU 311, Conference room at
Kortschak Center for Learning & Creativity, (KCLC), STU
Co-Facilitated by Dr. Emi Sumida and Dr. Janice Schafrik

Los Angeles Public Library

Los Angeles Public Library to Co-Sponsor LeaLA, city’s first Spanish-Language book fair. The free, three-day literary fair will be held on

When: April 29th-May 1st
Where: Los Angeles Convention Center, 1201 South Figueroa St

The literary fair is open to the public,

A LeaLA sponsored cultural seminar, “Icons, Patterns, Aesthetics and Social Control in the Management of the Collective Imagination”, will be held on

When: Thursday April 21st, from 7-9pm
Where: Richard J. Riordan Central Library, 630 W. Fifth St,

Jointly organized by LeaLA and National Autonomous University of Mexico (UNAM), the seminar will be held by Professor Anne B. Uribe from the University of Colima.

For more information contact Maria Villareal at 213-228-7555 or check out the website www.leala.com.

California Dreamers

California Dreamers: The Student Movement for Immigration Rights
Wednesday, April 20, 2011
3:30-4:50 p.m. @ El Centro Chicano, University of Southern California

Panelists will outline some of the challenges that undocumented Latino, Asian, and other immigrant students face as they seek to carve out a better life for themselves and contribute to their local communities. They will discuss student-led efforts to fight for the California DREAM Act, and the implications of this legislation for immigrant incorporation.

For more information contact Veronica Terriquez at vterriqu@college.usc.edu

INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS OFFICE

Karlin Opportunity Fund, LLC – Summer Intern (Credit Analyst)

Los Angeles-based middle market debt fund seeks Summer Intern. Summer Intern will assist with the analysis and underwriting of debt transactions. Applicant must have excellent Microsoft Excel skills, excellent written and oral communication skills, ability to multi-task, honest, hard working, have demonstrated strong academic achievement. Please email cover letter and resume to recruiting@karlinop.com.

Los Angeles Opera – Communications and Production Intern ($3500 stipend)

The internship will begin in late May or early June and end no later than August 19, 2011. The intern will receive a stipend of $3,500 for his or her 10-week period of service. The prospective intern will have strong organizational, research and writing skills. Student eligibility for internship positions is limited to currently enrolled undergraduate college students who reside or . Please send your résumé and cover letter to jobs@laopera.com no later than May 1, 2011. For a complete list of all the internships offered this summer, visit the Arts Commission website at www.lacountyarts.org.

Emma L. Bowen Foundation for Minority Interests in Media – Summer Intern ($12-14/hr)

The summer internship is an 8-week, 40 hours per week, paid summer internship with a matching scholarship. The internship will take place in San Diego, CA. Qualified candidates must be ethnic minority, college Freshman or Sophomores, have, at minimum, a 3.0 Cumulative G.P.A., and an interest in varying aspects of the media. Must be strong in math and program language is desired but not required. Our 2011 Emma L. Bowen Foundation application can be accessed on-line at www.emmabowenfoundation.com. Internship should last between June 2011-August 2011. The application deadline for students entering the program for the summer of 2011 is April 29, 2011.

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

Interested in networking and learning the globalization aspect of business? Interested in being a Global Thinker? Here is why this event is great for you: gain Insight into International Industries, gain knowledge on how to rise to the top of the corporate ladder and lastly, to gain access to internships, fellowship, and career opportunities.

When: Tuesday April 19th, 2011 from 6-8pm
Where: The Rosen Family Screening Theatre (TCC 2nd Floor)
Business Casual
All attendees will obtain a raffle ticket for NFL goodies
Dinner will be serves

For more information contact operations@usclbsa.com

CLI Summer Student Volunteer Program

Community Lawyers, Inc. (CLI) seeks students for an unpaid volunteer program that focuses on providing low and moderate-income people access to affordable legal services.

The volunteer will work to strengthen relationships with attorneys and community leaders in order to increase access to affordable legal services. Volunteers will spend their time learning about practical aspects of legal services. As a volunteer, you will have the opportunity to be involved in consumer interviewing, community legal education, legal research and office management.

If you are interested in participating in CLI’s volunteer program, please email your cover letter expressing why you would be a good candidate for CLI’s volunteer program, your resume and a list of three references with their contact information to Juanita Guillen at jguillen@community-lawyers.org by May 11th, 2011.

Los Angeles Times Festival of Books

Los Angeles Times Festival of Books comes to USC!

The sixteenth annual edition of the Festival of Books will be held on Saturday, April 30 and Sunday, May 1, at its new location at the University of Southern California (USC), and we would love to have you join us as a volunteer. Last year over 130,000 people attended the Festival, which featured almost one hundred ticketed author events, children’s storytelling, poetry readings, book signings and nearly 500 exhibitor booths. The Festival’s success has been due in part to the generous assistance of volunteers who welcomed attendees, assisted with registration, staffed author events, supervised book signings and much more.

There are already 700 volunteers signed up and 1,100 total volunteers are needed to make this a great success.

For more information and to volunteer please go to http://www.troutco.com/fob
Upcoming Events!

**CPE Youth Empowerment Conference**
When: Friday, April 22nd
Time: 8:00am-2:00pm
http://www.facebook.com/event.php?id=214473878566720

Please find attached to the right the program for our Graduate Student Conference "Luso-Hispanic Immigration in the US: Linguistic, Literary, and Cultural Perspectives" to be held on April 21 & 22, 2011.

For more information, please visit
http://www.studentgroups.ucla.edu/spgrconf/Grad_Conference/Home.html

**Unity Ball 2011**
When: April 23, 2011 from 7:30-11:30pm
Where: The Forum

**USC Latino Graduate Student Diversity Mixer**
When: Thursday, April 21, 2011, 6p-9p
Where: Annenberg Lobby
RSVP to LAPPD@usc.edu and if have questions, please contact us here as well.
See Facebook page for more details too: https://www.facebook.com/#!/event.php?eid=20346769788254 .

For more information on any of these topics below:

- Los Angeles Public Library
- California Dreamers
- CLI Summer Student Volunteer Program
- LA Times Festival of Books

Please Visit Our E-News Extras Page at:
http://sait.usc.edu/elcentro/enewsletter_extras.asp

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