

Employment

State: The official listing of staff and management vacancies is posted on www.calpolyjobs.org. To apply, go online and complete the application form. Applicants needing assistance may contact Human Resources at ext. 6-2236.

#100632-Director of Marketing & Promotions for Athletics (Public Affairs/Communication Specialist II), Academic Affairs, Athletics, \$3,148-\$4,719/month. Closes Aug. 10.

#100635-Administrative Support Coordinator I, Administration & Finance, Contract & Procurement Services, \$2,548-\$3,822/month. Closes July 22.

#100641-Administrative Assistant to the Executive Vice Provost & Chief Planning Officer (Administrative Support Coordinator II), Academic Affairs, Institutional Planning & Analysis, \$2,789-\$4,188/month. Closes July 22.

#100647-Stagehand, (Laborer), temporary, on-call pool through June 30, 2006, \$14.41- \$21.61/hour. Review begins July 25.

#100648-Administrative Analyst/Specialist, non-exempt, Administration & Finance, Facility Services, \$2,945-\$4,711/month. Closes July 25.

Foundation: Cal Poly Foundation is a separate corporation operating in concert with the university to provide a diverse range of services and resources to students, faculty and staff. For an application, visit Human Resources in the Foundation Administration Building, check the Web site at www.cpfoundation.org or call ext. 6-7107.

HF Radar Research Assistant, Biological Sciences, \$14.11-\$20.48/hour.

Full Cook, 12-month, Campus Dining, \$11.05-\$11.05 - \$16.02/hour.

Grill Cook, 10-month, Campus Dining, \$11.05-\$16.02/hour.

Assistant Cook, 10-month, Campus Dining, \$8.64-\$12.56/hour.

Assistant Grill Cook, 10-month, Campus Dining, \$8.64-\$12.56/hour.

Computer Science Chair Kearns is new CIO

President Warren J. Baker has announced the appointment of Timothy J. Kearns, an associate professor and current chair of the Computer Science Department, as the university's new vice provost for information technology and chief information officer. Interim Provost Robert Detweiler said that Kearns will provide leadership and strategic direction for the delivery of technology services to meet the teaching and learning mission of the university. Kearns will begin his duties on Aug. 1.

State budget allows employee pay raises

The state budget agreement between Gov. Arnold Schwarzenegger and the Legislature provides \$134 million in new revenue for the CSU system, which is the first increase after three consecutive years of budget reductions. The agreement honors the governor's compact on funding higher education. "With a 2.5 percent increase for enrollment growth, we will now be able to offer a Cal Poly education to more of the state's brightest students. We will also be able to provide our faculty and staff with salary increases - the first such increases since July 2002," said Vice President for Administration and Finance Larry Kelley. Additionally, there is some funding for increased operating costs. While this budget does not restore the former cuts, he stressed, it is a move in a more positive direction.

Ag textbooks donated to Afghan university

What started as a Rotary Club volunteer assignment for Associate Dean Mark Shelton of the College of Agriculture has turned into a donation of more than 200 textbooks to Nangarhar University in Afghanistan. The books, ranging in subject from human nutrition to weed science, and from animal physiology to entomology, were given to Professor Mohammed Tahir Torakay, the department head of Agronomy at Nangarhar University. Torakay was on campus as a Rotary group study/exchange participant.

College of Liberal Arts announces awards

The College of Liberal Arts recognized outstanding faculty and staff at its recent annual reception. The faculty awards were renamed the College of Liberal Arts Richard K. Simon Faculty Awards in honor of the popular and innovative English professor who died of cancer in April. He had initiated the awards in 1997. The college presented faculty awards to Mark Roberts, English Department lecturer; Michael Miller, Art and Design Department professor; and Don Ryujin, a professor in the Psychology and Child Development Department.

Fall is just around the corner

Fall term begins for faculty on **Monday, Sept. 12**. WOW (Week of Welcome) for new students begins the same day, and classes start **Monday, Sept. 19**. For the complete 2005-2006 academic calendar, go to: http://www.calpoly.edu/~acadprog/acad_cal/2005_06cal.htm.

Campus e-mail upgrade continues

ITS will continue to upgrade student, faculty and staff e-mail accounts over the summer as part of the "migration" to the new Oracle system. ITS will notify individuals prior to making any changes. For more information, contact the ITS Service Desk at ext. 6-7000.

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Faculty: Candidates are asked to visit our online employment Web site at www.calpolyjobs.org to complete an application and apply for any of the positions shown below. Please submit all requested application materials as attachments to your online application, unless otherwise specified in the ad.

#100615-International relations, tenure-track position, Political Science Department, College of Liberal Arts (ext. 6-2984). Closes Nov. 1.

#100616-American politics tenure-track position, Political Science Department, College of Liberal Arts (ext. 6-2984). Closes Nov. 1.

#100618-Political theory, tenure-track position, Political Science Department, College of Liberal Arts (ext. 6-2984). Closes Nov. 1.

#100643-Tenure-track positions, Economics Area, Orfalea College of Business (ext. 6-2783). Closes Oct. 1.

#100637-Women's studies, tenure-track position, Ethnic Studies Department, College of Liberal Arts (ext. 6-7388). Review begins Oct. 18.

#100639-Tenure-track positions, Ethnic Studies Department, College of Liberal Arts (ext. 6-7388). Review begins Oct. 18.

#100644-Tenure-track department chair, Modern Languages & Literatures Department, College of Liberal Arts (ext. 6-1205). Review begins Nov. 20.

#100645-Analytical chemistry, tenure-track position, Chemistry & Biochemistry Department, College of Science & Mathematics (ext. 6-2694). Review begins Sept. 30.

#100646-Organic chemistry, tenure-track position, Chemistry & Biochemistry Department, College of Science & Mathematics (ext. 6-2694). Review begins Nov. 18.

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John Battenburg named IEP director

English Professor John Battenburg has been chosen to succeed Linda Halisky as director of International Education and Programs. The three-year position incorporates that of director of London Studies. The search process included input from IEP council members and staff and the London Study Advisory Board. Battenburg, served as interim IEP director during the past year. Biographical information about Battenburg, who served as interim IEP director during the past year, is available on his Web site at <http://www.cla.calpoly.edu/~jbattenb/>.

Standing committees need members

State, Foundation and ASI permanent or probationary employees are still needed to fill vacancies on the following standing committees: Campus Fee Advisory Committee (2005-2006), Committee on University Citizenship (2005-2007) and University Committee on Committees (2005-2006). For information and an application form, go to <http://www.afd.calpoly.edu/hr/index.html>. Interested staff employees must complete the application and fax it to ext. 6-5483, email it to humanresources@calpoly.edu, or deliver it to Human Resources, Adm., 110. **The application deadline date has been extended to June 27.** For more information, contact Darcy Adams at ext. 6-2472.

M.E. 'Gene' Smith memorial July 30

Faculty Emeritus M.E. "Gene" Smith passed away in San Luis Obispo on May 8, 2005. A service celebrating his life will take place Saturday, July 30, 3 p.m., at United Methodist Church in San Luis Obispo. Smith was born Feb. 16, 1912, in Nagasaki, Japan. He and his family came to the United States in 1926. He came to Cal Poly to teach history in 1946 and retired in 1974. He volunteered to coach the tennis team for seven years and later served four years as faculty athletic advisor. He earned a doctorate in 1958, was Social Sciences Department head for six years and History Department head from 1971-1974. Smith is survived by his wife, Elinor Smith of San Luis Obispo, two stepdaughters and numerous nieces and nephews. Memorial contributions may be made to the Central Coast Memorial Society and Hospice Partners of the Central Coast.

Sign up for Children's Center programs

The Orfalea Family and ASI Children's Center is now enrolling 4- and 5-year-olds for upcoming fall preschool and kindergarten programs. For information, contact the Children's Center at ext. 6-1267.

Crop Science auction this week

The Horticulture and Crop Science Department will hold a public auction of surplus property – more than 200 items – on campus **Thursday-Saturday, July 21-23** at the Horticulture and Crop Science Horticulture Unit, Building 48. All items will be on display **between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m.** Successful bidders will be notified **July 25**. A full list of items up for auction can be found on the Poly Plant Shop Web site at www.polyplantshop.com.

Give 'Polly Troutnic' a home

The university is looking for a home for one of its newest alumna: Polly Troutnic. Anyone interested in living with Polly, a 5-foot, copper trout sculpture, is encouraged to make a bid for her **Saturday, Aug. 27, 4 p.m.**, in Mission Plaza as part of San Luis Obispo's "Trout About Downtown" public art fund-raiser. Proceeds from the auction of the trout will go to the Prado Day Center.