The Mentoring Group

Faculty Notice

Faculty are invited to participate in a workshop designed to help first year ELAC students review and create their Academic Educational Plans.

Faculty from all disciplines are welcome to join The Mentoring Group. Those faculty members who attend will be assisting students with the AA Degree Advising Form.

Faculty will receive a brief overview of the process prior to working with the students.

Date: May 15th (Tuesday)
Time: 12:15-1:15
Location: Building F9-107

FLEX CREDIT
Please RSVP by Email

Dr. L. Elias
Mentor Director
(323) 265-8862
eliasla@elac.edu

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ELAC Counselor
(323) 265-8753
shermanb@elac.edu
Thursday, May 3rd
East Los Angeles Performing and Fine Arts Complex
Sponsored by ELAC Dance Discipline

12:00-1:40 p.m. Plaza Activities w/MARIACHI

Singing Contest
“So You Think You Can Sing A Ranchera?”
(Sing with Live Mariachi Music)

2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Dance Concert
The U.C.L.A. Community School Children’s Ballet Folklorico “Ixtly-Yoloti”
ELAC’s Danzeros y Salsaeros
Ballet Folklorico de Los Angeles
Mariachi Alma Jalisciense
Ballet Folklorico de East Los Angeles College
**Philosophy Club Presents Student Symposium**

**“Liberty vs. Security: Are We Doomed to an Orwellian Future?”**

Thursday May 3, 2012  
12:30 pm- 2:30 pm ~ In the G3 Auditorium  
Co-Sponsored by ASU  
All ELAC students welcome!

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**Robert J. Arias Fundraiser**  
W/Live Music & Dj @ Iguanas Club Lounge  
**Saturday, May 19 @ 6:30 pm**

Let’s come together for a night of Live Music and Dancing to help Robert get back to teaching. In the Fall of 2011, Robert J. Arias suffered a stroke while teaching History at ELAC. After seven months of therapy, he is on his way to recovery. Please come out and support Robert get back to teaching.

For more information visit the following link:  
Or you can make donations on the following link:  

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**Chatting Hands - American Sign Language Club and American Sign Language will have their annual Spring Song Sign!!!**

Thursday May 3, 2012  
A-13  
(Bungalow Area)  
Noon - 1:30

If you would like to sign a song, please contact Prof Melanie Vansell  
vanselmh@go.elac.edu

You do not need to sign a song. We would love for you to come and watch and have fun.  
This event is open to all faculty, staff, and students at East Los Angeles College.

Come see what ASL is all about!!!
Children of Haiti Drive 2012

Veterans of East Los Angeles College Club and
Child Development Leadership Interns Project

Invite you to collect and donate basic clothing and school supplies. All donations will be accepted. Please drop off at:
Veterans Services Office Building (E-1 Room 142) Mon-Fri 8:00 am to 4:30 pm
or
Child Development Lab (F7-120) Mon-Thurs 12:30-3:30 pm

Last Day to Donate is May 4th

You are invited to a Haiti Workshop on Friday May 4th from 1:00pm to 3:00pm in F7-120

For more information, Contact: Omar Garcia, VP of VELAC at CLUBVELAC@gmail.com
or Edwin Cruz Leadership Intern at edwin9589@yahoo.com
UNDOCUMENTED & UNAFRAID
COMING OUT OF THE SHADOWS

DHLI & UCLA Dream Center
Hosted by S.E.R.

May 2nd 2012

Come and join us as the UCLA Dream Center in collaboration with the Dolores Huerta Labor Institute and Students Informing Now, talk about their second book titled "Undocumented and Unafraid". This book illustrates the struggles DREAM students from all over the nation face as they come out of the shadows and proudly declare they are undocumented and unafraid.

At the Foyer
1301 Avenida Cesar Chavez, Monterey Park
11am-1pm
323-674-1091 (Osvaldo)
CONFUSED ABOUT MEDICARE?
Special Educational Event!
East Los Angeles College

Medicare 101:
The public, staff and retirees are invited to this FREE educational presentation about Medicare on Wednesday, May 16th at 12 noon. This is a must attend event if you want to have Medicare made easy. This event will be held in Building G1 Room 301C.

The National Council on Aging recently released the results of a study that revealed a large percentage of baby boomers and seniors age 65 and over do not understand Medicare and are unaware of important or impending changes to the program.

Be our guest as Raymond T. Martin, Senior Advisor and President of California Golden Legacy Insurance Services unravels the mystery behind Medicare. You may also invite family members and/or friends to attend this event. Don’t miss it!

- Medicare Advantage vs. Original Medicare.
- Understanding the 5 Medicare enrollment periods.
- What are the four Parts and 11 [Medigap] Plans to Modernized Medicare.
- Part D (drug coverage): how it works, what it covers and what it means to hit the “donut hole”?
- How to sign up for Medicare and when [The 5 Enrollment Periods].
- The future funding of Medicare.

Monday, May 16th @ 12 pm
East Los Angeles College
Building G-1, Room 301C
1301 Avenida Cesar Chavez
Monterey Park, CA 91754

To RSVP for this free program, please call Kathy Akuzawa at 626-475-3948.

Presented By:
Raymond T. Martin
Insurance Specialist and Investor Coach

This is an education event and NOTHING will be sold or specific Insurance Products or Medicare Plans will be presented. Medicare Advisor, Raymond T. Martin will talk about Original Medicare, Supplemental Insurance, Part D and changes coming to this Health program in the years ahead. Mr. Martin is a frequent speaker to College and University Retirees, School Districts, Corporations and Private Associations throughout Southern California.
Financial Aid
Town Hall Meeting

Date: 5/24/12
Time: 12:00-2:00 pm

Location: E1- Behind Student Services Building, Parking Area

Make financial aid less of a puzzle. Get your general questions answered at the Q&A meeting regarding financial aid: applications, processes, and types. Open to all students and faculty. You have questions, we have answers.

Light refreshments will be provided.
IMMEDIATE OPENINGS!

East Los Angeles College
Child Development Center

ALL-DAY, MORNING, & AFTERNOON PROGRAMS
FOR CHILDREN 3 TO 5 YEARS OF AGE:

(Children must be 3.0 years old by December 2, 2012)

- Priority provided for **ELAC CalWORKs Participants**
  must be enrolled in ELAC Courses and Maintain a Good
  Academic Standing
- Developmentally Appropriate Classroom Practices
- Excellent Teacher/Child Ratios
- Experienced and Caring Professional Staff
- Nutritional Meals and Snack Program Provided
- Financial Assistance Available
- Fee Rates are $1.00 - $5.00 per hour

For more information contact the
Child Development Center (A-1 Bldg.) or call at (323) 265-8788
or visit us on the web @elac.edu
EAST LOS ANGELES REMARKABLE CITIZENS’ ASSOCIATION, INC.

Invites you to its

2nd Annual

WALK/RUN and HEALTH FAIR

MAY 19, 2012
AT EAST LOS ANGELES COLLEGE FOOTBALL FIELD
1301 Avenida Cesar Chavez, Monterey Park, CA 91754
8:00am—2:00pm

Register at http://www.elarcawalkrun.eventsbot.com or visit EL ARCA, INC.
at 3839 Selig Place, L.A. CA 90031 to reserve your event t-shirt.

Registration at the event will also take place! T-shirts will be on a first-come first-serve basis.

Fun-filled day for walking, or completing a 3k and 5K run! Food and entertainment! Important information and health screenings provided by:

[Logos of Alzheimer’s Association, MAOF, Arroyo Vista Family Health Center, Super Estrella 107.1, Jarritos, and California Department of Aging]
The 60-minute workshops are held in the Library’s Computer Lab in Building C-1. Workshops are limited to 20 students. Register at least one day in advance at <library.elac.edu/enroll>. Workshops start on time. Arrive early to reserve your space.

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**SPRING 2012**  
**STUDENTS CAN REGISTER ONLINE** - Workshops are held in Room 109

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Amusement park tickets sold for all faculty, staff, and students at the Student Activities Office G8-119. **Tickets sold on a cash basis only, except for faculty and classified staff who are able to write checks with proper ID.** Tickets are sold between the hours of 8:00 am ~ 6:30 pm, M-TH and until 3:30 pm on Friday. If you have any questions, please call ext. 8742.

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**AMC AND REGAL THEATRE TICKETS**

**(UNRESTRICTED)**

Now available at the Student Activities Office, G8-119 on a cash basis only. Faculty and staff can pay by check with employee ID. Any questions, please call ext. 8742.

**ALL MOVIE TICKETS ARE UNRESTRICTED!**

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We are pleased to announce that the California Student Aid Commission is now accepting applications for the **2012-2013 Child Development Grant Program**.

This Program is designed for students attending California postsecondary educational institutions, enrolled in at least half-time status, that intend to teach or supervise in the field of childcare and development in a licensed children’s center in California and are pursuing a teacher, master teacher, site supervisor or program director permit issued by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

There are two types of applications associated with this program. Applicants who are new to the Child Development Grant Program or who were withdrawn from the 2011-2012 program must complete the **New Application**. The **Renewal Application** is available for 2011-2012 academic year participants who are continuing with the program to complete their permit requirements.

**Grant recipients must commit to full-time employment in a licensed children’s center in California for a period of one year for each year of benefits received.**

Grant recipients attending a two-year postsecondary institution are eligible to receive up to **$1,000 per academic year** whereas those attending a four-year university are eligible to receive up to **$2,000 per academic year**.

**Selecting Applicants**

The California Student Aid Commission will select program participants on the basis of their demonstrated financial need and academic achievement, which may include college grade-point average or academic test scores. **Students meeting eligibility criteria will be awarded, until all available funds are depleted.** All applicants will be notified of their award status by mail.

**Application Deadline**

Applications are available at the Financial Aid and Scholarship Office (E1-173) and must be submitted to our office no later than **TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2012** to ensure that the applications are postmarked by Friday, June 15, 2012.

**Disbursement of the Award**

Selected participants will receive their grant funds (prorated by enrollment status and academic term) at the Financial Aid and Scholarship Office. The California Student Aid Commission will notify each recipient when a payment is processed. **Receipt of the grant may affect other financial aid entitlement(s).**

**Students need to make sure that their FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) is processed no later than Friday, MAY 18, 2012 with a valid EFC (Expected Family Contribution) value. They may submit their application as soon as they complete their FAFSA on-line and complete the financial aid application process at the Financial Aid and Scholarship Office.**

There are new financial aid regulations impacting the 2012-2013 award year. Students will have to refer to the ELAC website, under **Financial Aid News** for further information as it is constantly being updated.

Any questions please feel free to contact Esther Ramirez at (323) 265-8979.
Join the American Cancer Society’s Making Strides Against Breast Cancer
a non-competitive walk in the fight against breast cancer

Making Strides Against Breast Cancer is the American Cancer Society’s community walk to raise awareness and funds to fight breast cancer. Across the country, one town at a time, Making Strides has become a powerful force.

Right now, we are looking for Making Strides committee members and team leaders in your area.

Leaders recruit friends, family, neighbors and co-workers to participate with them as a team. Each team will participate in the walk and raise funds for this great cause. There is no registration fee, no minimum donation and all individuals and teams are welcome.

Join Making Strides on:
Sunday, June 10th, 2012
at East LA College
1301 Avenida Cesar Chavez, Monterey Park
Registration at 8:30am; Walk at 9:00am

Since 1993, nearly 8 million walkers across the country have raised more than $400 million through Making Strides events to help fight breast cancer. In 2009 alone, nearly 700,000 walkers across the country collected $60 million to help fight breast cancer.

But Making Strides is more than just the name of a walk—it describes the amazing progress we’re making together to defeat this disease. With your help, we can fund more critical research and support more breast cancer patients with free round-the-clock services, information and support at the American Cancer Society.

Take the first step toward a future without breast cancer. To be a part of Making Strides Against Breast Cancer, contact: Jesika Go at 310.738.2801 or email at MPBreastCancerWalk@earthlink.net

Sign up today at http://makinngstrides.acsevents.org/montereypark
Like us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/MSABCMP
Electric Lawn Mower Exchange Program

for residents of the community of Boyle Heights.*

Saturday, May 12, 2012
East Los Angeles College
Stadium Parking Lot
Located at the Corner of
Bleakwood Avenue/Floral Drive
Monterey Park, CA 91754

REGISTER TODAY
by calling (888) 425-6247 or visit AQMD’s website
at www.aqmd.gov and click Lawn mower Exchange web banner.

Six electric lawn mowers to choose from, available at substantial discounts.
Save up to $330!

*Eligible Zip codes: 90023, 90033 and 90063