Project MATCH wins Dr. John W. Rice Diversity and Equity Award

The LACCD Project MATCH (Mentors Act To Change History) faculty internship program has won the prestigious John W. Rice Diversity and Equity Award. This annual award honors former Board of Governors member Dr. John W. Rice for his dedication and focus throughout his career as a dynamic leader and moral conscience for diversity and equity in higher education.

This award is given to community college district employees, districts, colleges and programs that have made the greatest contribution toward advancing faculty and staff diversity or student equity in the California Community Colleges. Project MATCH will receive a beautiful award and will have the opportunity to meet Mrs. Clara Rice, Dr. Rice’s widow and/or former Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice, Dr. Rice’s daughter at the award ceremony.

The award will be presented on Tuesday, July 9, 2013 in Sacramento at the Board of Governors meeting.

Congratulations and thank you to the Project MATCH Steering Committee for their commitment and participation, to the District’s Academic Senate, to all the mentors, interns and supporters who made this program a success.

The ELAC contact is Gabriella Lopez, Librarian 323-357-6214. Feel free to contact her if you have any questions or would like to get involved with Project MATCH.
Please join us!

East Los Angeles College

Faculty & Staff Reception

Tuesday, June 4th, 2013
4:30 - 5:45pm
Women’s Gym Patio - Bldg. E9
(Next to Softball Field)

This is our time to get together for good food, fun, and a few surprises! We will hear from the President, the Academic Senate and other speakers. We will honor our retirees and enjoy some exciting performances!
YOU’RE INVITED

CELEBRATE THE END OF A SUCCESSFUL SCHOOL YEAR AND THE RECOGNITION OF MESA STUDENTS WHO ARE TRANSFERRING AND/OR DOING RESEARCH.

WHEN:
THURSDAY
MAY 30, 2013
7:00PM-12:00AM

WHERE:
LUMINARIAS RESTAURANT
3500 W. RAMONA BLVD.
MONTEREY PARK, CA 91754

ADMISSION: $20 FACULTY, ADMINISTRATORS, STAFF, AND GUESTS. PLEASE RSVP BY EMAIL REYNAGP@ELAC.EDU BEFORE MAY 25TH.

MAY PAY IN PERSON IN THE MESA OFFICE [E7-2108] OR AT THE DOOR. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO “ELAC MESA.”
ELAC Symphony Orchestra
Samvel Chilingarian, Music Director

SPRING CONCERT

MAY 30th, 2013, 8:00pm

ELAC Performing Arts Center
1301 Avenida Cesar Chavez, Monterey Park, 91754

Program

Mozart – Clarinet Concerto in A, K.622
Janet Cisneros, soloist

Rimsky-Korsakov – Themes from Scheherazade

Rachmaninoff – Piano Concerto No.2 in C minor, Op.18
Jerome De Los Santos, soloist (1st prize winner of MTNA STATE)

Brahms – Hungarian Dance No.5

Williams - STAR WARS

ALSO FEATURING THE WILSON HIGH SCHOOL JAZZ BAND,
under the direction of Brian Hollet.

For more information: Tel. 818 383 4677/ Samvel@juno.com
President's 10th Annual Gala
Celebrating a Decade of Giving

East Los Angeles College Foundation Board of Directors

Kareem Ahmed, Foundation Gala Chair
will be honoring

Alumni & Philanthropist of the Year: Blanca Flanagan Rios, (posthumous)

Benefactors of the Year: Alice and JP Wang

Recognition for a Year of Service: Farley Herzek, Interim ELAC President

Welcoming Incoming ELAC President: Marvin Martinez

Saturday, June 8, 2013; 6:00 p.m.
Westin Bonaventure Hotel
404 South Figueroa Street, Los Angeles, California 90071

R.S.V.P. by May 24, 2013
323.265.8401 Foundation Office | 323.780.6783 Development Office

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Please let me know if you would like a voucher to a Hollywood Bowl Event. Each voucher is good for 2 complimentary reserved bench seats and must be redeemed in advance at the Hollywood Bowl Box Office for one of the following dates: June 23, July 14, 17, August 4, 14, 23, 28, Sept 6 or any Tuesday/Thursday night (excluding 8/13, 15, 20/13) - If you are interested, please contact Susan Okawa at 323 265-8669 or okawasg@elac.edu. (Vouchers are on a first come, first serve basis). Remember, we the ELAC Stadium Lot is a shuttle stop for the Hollywood Bowl.
TO: ELAC Classified Employees

Mark your calendars!

The CalPERS Retirement Workshop at ELAC is confirmed!

Date: Thursday, May 30, 2013
Time: 8:30 check in
Place: ELAC Auditorium Foyer
RSVP: Susan Okawa – (323) 265-8669

If you need assistance with your Health Benefits please contact: LACCD Health Benefits Call Center at (888) 428-2980
CHECK OUT OUR REVAMPED LIBRARY WORKSHOPS
Main Campus Library

View the Full Schedule on the Library Home Page
<library.elac.edu>

Our 60-minute workshops (limited to 20 students) are held in library classroom 103. Students must register for workshops online at least one day in advance at <library.elac.edu/enroll>.

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Workshop Descriptions

Know Your Library: A scavenger hunt guides student to library services and illustrates the library’s layout and the organization of materials.

Research Boot Camp: It’s time to get students’ research skills in shape! Students gain useful strategies on how to read and understand an assignment prompt, as well as identify the right sources needed to complete the assignment. In other words, we’ll be flexing students’ research muscles!

Got Books: Yes, the library actually has books and you can find them! Through hands-on exploration students learn the organization of library materials and how to use the library catalog to find books and DVDs.

Got Articles: Research is all about articles and guess what? The library has everything students need to find all kinds of articles. Students are introduced to our article databases and practice finding various types of articles.

Smart Google Searching: Do you control Google or does Google control you? Google’s awesome, but like all superheroes you must learn to harness this powerful information tool! Learn helpful tips to get better and credible websites.

Cite Right: You’ve found information, but now how do you cite it? How do you know your paper is plagiarism free? Students are introduced to the concept of citation using MLA, review examples of plagiarism, and create an MLA citation.

Go Digital with E-Books: Everybody’s going digital and you can too! Want to learn how to access ELAC’s electronic book collection like a pro? Then come join us as we explore our ebook catalog, as well as Google books.

One-on-One Research Help: Encourage students struggling with your research project to attend! Limited to 10 students, in this workshop, a librarian will provide individualized help. Students need an assignment prompt or instructions to be admitted.
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.

**Magic Mountain:**

- **ASU/Employee:** Adult $36/ea
- **Non-ASU:** Adult $37/ea

**Universal Studios:**

- Flat Rate of $65 Plus 12 Months Free
- Only Credit Cards are accepted for Universal Tickets

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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!**

- **AMC ~ $9.00 /ea. Flat Rate**
- **Regal Theatres ~ $9.00/ea. Flat Rate**

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**2013 Graduations at ELAC**

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