California Rideshare Week
October 6-10, 2008

Did you know that Southern California leads the nation in air pollution and traffic congestion and eight in ten commuters’ drives alone to work and congestion is growing by 3% each year?

Let’s do our part and participate in California Rideshare week by ridesharing, taking the bus or train, walking or riding a bike at least 1 day during the week of October 6-10, 2008 and win prizes! You can also try to find riders by visiting www.erideshare.com.

Should you have any questions, contact Susan Okawa at ext. 8669.

“Actions have consequences...first rule of life. And the second rule is this - you are the only one responsible for your own actions”.

~ Holly Lisle, Fire In The Mist, 1992 ~
The Faculty/Student Mentoring Program is seeking volunteers to become mentors. A mentor serves as a role model, guide, and resource person for one or more ELAC students. You can identify one or more students from your own discipline, or you can review the applications of students who have chosen to participate in the program. You will be able to earn up to 17 FLEX Hours for documented meetings with your mentee. We all have the power to make a difference in our students’ lives.

Please contact me if you are interested. (Dr. Linda Elias EXT. 8862 eliasla@elac.edu)

You are cordially invited to attend the first faculty mentor meeting for the Fall Semester. Our first presentation/workshop will focus on American Sign Language and will be conducted by Melanie Vansell, Assistant Professor - American Sign Language. The presentation will consist of the following:

- Signing a story/joke
- ASL alphabet
- Demonstration of basic signs
- How ASL works: Five basic grammar rules
- Deaf History/Culture
- Gallaudet and Clerc (Instrumental in establishing Deaf Education in the U.S.)
- Sign Language is not universal
- Technology

Date: September 30th (Tuesday)
Time: 12:00 – 1:30
Location: Library Conference Room

DESSERT AND BEVERAGES WILL BE PROVIDED
THIS IS A FLEX CREDIT WORKSHOP

Thank you for your continued support. Dr. Linda Elias, Director, Mentor Program (323) 265-8862.
CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE

Full Time Faculty: Up to $500.00 maximum conference reimbursement. If funds permit, up to a second $500.00 reimbursement may be possible.

Adjunct Faculty: Prorated upon percentage of a full time assignment.

TO INSURE APPROVAL AND TIMELY REIMBURSEMENT, PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR REQUEST AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE AND FOLLOW THE SIMPLE APPLICATION PROCEDURE.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

➢ Obtain Conference Attendance Packet from the Office of Academic Affairs, A6 (Do not use website forms).

➢ Complete LACCD and ELAC Request for Conference Attendance forms and attach conference brochure or Internet flyer. Brochure or flyer MUST include all of the following in as few pages as possible:
  - Name of Conference
  - Description of Conference
  - Registration Fees
  - Conference Date(s)
  - Conference Location

➢ Obtain the signature of your Department Chair.

➢ Do not submit receipts until asked to do so (by the Office of the President).

➢ Return completed packet to the Office of Academic Affairs, A6.

TUITION REIMBURSEMENT

Full Time Faculty: Up to $500.00 maximum for both fall and spring semesters provided that separate applications are filed and different courses are taken in each semester. (Please read Tuition Reimbursement Policy for additional information).

Adjunct Faculty: Prorated upon percentage of a full time assignment.

TO INSURE APPROVAL AND TIMELY REIMBURSEMENT, PLEASE FOLLOW THE SIMPLE APPLICATION PROCEDURE.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

➢ Obtain Tuition Reimbursement Packet from the Office of Academic Affairs, A6.

➢ Carefully review ELAC Tuition Reimbursement Policy.

➢ Observe Timeline: Applications must be submitted NO earlier than 30 days prior to the start date and NO later than the end of the second week of classes.

➢ Complete the LACCD and ELAC Tuition Reimbursement forms and attach proof of tuition costs. (Tuition fees need to be paid at the time of application).

➢ Return completed packet to the Office of Academic Affairs, A6.

➢ You will be informed in writing of the status of your request.

For Question Concerning Conference Attendance or Tuition Reimbursement, contact Lydia Rudametkin at 323 265-8630 or rudamel@elac.edu.
OPEN ENROLLMENT

DAY/EVENING PROGRAMS
For children 2.6 to 3.6 years of age

Evening Program: accepts children through the 3rd Grade (Fall, Winter, Spring)
(Children must be 3.0 years by December 2nd of the current year)

😊 Developmentally appropriate practices
😊 Excellent Teacher/Child Ratios
😊 Experienced and Caring Professional Staff
😊 Nutritional Meals and Snack Program Provided
😊 Financial Assistance Available if Eligible
😊 Fee Rate Starting at $1.00 - $5.00 per hour

For more information contact the Child Development Center (A-1 Bldg.) or call (323) 265-8788
Or visit us on the web @ www.elac.edu
FALL ’08 CAREER WORKSHOPS

RESUME & COVER LETTER
Thursday ~ October 9 ~ 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Wednesday ~ October 22 ~ 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

INTERVIEWING SKILLS
Wednesday ~ October 8 ~ 10:30 am – 12:00 pm
Tuesday ~ October 21 ~ 10:30 am – 12:00 pm
Wednesday ~ October 22 ~ 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Thursday ~ November 6 ~ 10:30 am – 12:00 pm

UNDECIDED MAJOR
Tuesday ~ October 7 ~ 10:30 am – 12:00 pm
Thursday ~ October 9 ~ 10:30 am – 12:00 pm
Wednesday ~ November 5 ~ 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

WORKSHOPS HELD IN E7-315

To sign up contact:
Career/Job Placement Center in A-4
(323) 415-4126

Please share information with your students!

Fall 2008 Transfer Center Activities

CSU Application Workshops
Wed. ~ Oct. 8 ~ 12 – 1 pm, E7 Learning Ctr.
Thurs. ~ Oct. 23 ~ 12 – 1 pm, E7 Learning Ctr.

CSULA Instant Admission Day
Thurs. ~ Oct. 23 ~ 10 am – 1 pm, E7

UC Application Workshops
Tues. ~ Nov. 4 ~ 12 – 1:30 pm, E7 Learning Ctr.
Wed. ~ Nov. 12 ~ 12 – 1:30 pm, E7 Learning Ctr.
Thurs. ~ Nov. 20 ~ 12 – 1:30 pm, E7 Learning Ctr.
Wed. ~ Nov. 26 ~ 12 – 1:30 pm, E7 Learning Ctr.

USC Scholarship Workshops
Wed. ~ Oct. 8 ~ 1:30 -3:30 pm, E7-315
Wed. ~ Oct. 22 ~ 1:30 -3:30 pm, E7-315
Wed. ~ Nov. 5 ~ 1:30 -3:30 pm, Library Conf. Rm.
Wed. ~ Nov. 19 ~ 1:30 -3:30 pm, E7-315

UCLA vs. USC Admission/Financial Aid/Transfer Programs Workshops
Tues. ~ Sept. 30 ~ 1 – 3 pm, auditorium foyer

College Tours
Fri. ~ Sept. 26 ~ UC San Diego
Fri. ~ Oct. 24 ~ UC Irvine
Fri. ~ Nov. 21 ~ UCLA
CUT: MAKINGS OF REMOVAL

September 2 to December 11, 2008
Large Gallery

EXHIBITION WALK-THRU
Thursday, Oct. 30, 6:30 p.m.

PAPEL PICADO WORKSHOP
Led by artist Margaret Sosa
Thursday, Nov. 13, 7 to 9 p.m.

ARTISTS’ PANEL
Thursday, Nov. 13, 7 p.m.
Edison Auditorium Foyer (G3)

“Church Lady’s Rapturous Veiled Hat”
2007
Mixed media (pigment ink, cutting, burning, collage, grommets on Lavis Fidelis acid-free paper)
57 ½ x 37 ¼ inches
Courtesy of the artist

Leigh Salgado
Born in San Diego, CA
Lives and works in Los Angeles, CA.

Fall 2008 Library Workshops

The library is offering workshops throughout the fall semester. Please ask your students to attend these workshops for help with their research projects. The schedule and descriptions for the main campus workshops can be viewed at:
http://www.elac.cc.ca.us/departments/library/library/Workshops_Fall2008.html

The South Gate Library offers the same workshops. Please see the South Gate schedule at:
http://www.elac.edu/departments/library/SGEC/Workshops_Fall2008.html

Library Science courses in Library Research Methods (LS 101) and Internet Research Methods (LS 102) are also being offered for 1 unit credit. Please encourage students to register to learn in-depth research skills.

Amy Guy, Instruction Librarian (Helen Miller Bailey Library)
(323) 267-3775; Email: guyal@elac.edu

Gabriella Lopez, Librarian (South Gate Educational Center Library)
(323) 357-6214; Email: lopezgm@elac.edu
The ELAC Chicana/o Studies Department
Presents
World Renown Scholar, Activist, Historian, Journalist and Nobel Prize Nominee

Elizabeth “Betita” Martinez

Author of the NEW BOOK

500 Years of Chicana Women’s History

Tuesday, October 7, 2008
12:30 pm
ELAC Auditorium Foyer

Event includes slide presentation, book signing, refreshments, raffle & more.
FLEX CREDIT AVAILABLE

Special thanks to Sonia Lopez & Student Activities for their support of this event!

For more information, please contact Ch/S Professor Nadine Bermudez at bermudn@elac.edu

East Los Angeles College Athletics

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In Collaboration with Garfield High School
East Los Angeles College • Department of Speech and Theatre Arts
presents

A Play with MUSIC!

WAR EXTRA
AMERICAN BOMBER
VICTIM CRIP RAIDER

Evenings:
Friday
October 10 & 17
8:00 p.m.
Saturday
October 11 & 18
8:00 p.m.
Matinees:
Sunday
October 12 & 19
3:00 p.m.

$ 15 General
$ 7 Students w/ID

information and
reservations:
323.415.5333

edison center for the performing arts • east los angeles college
1301 avenida cesar chavez, monterey park
Knott’s Scary Farm
Halloween Haunt 2008

All prices listed include service charges.
CASH basis only. All sales are FINAL! No exceptions.

Tickets sold at: Student Activities Office G8-119
Monday-Thursday 8:00 am ~ 7:30 pm
Friday 8:00 am ~ 3:30 pm
(322) 265-8742 or (323) 267-3795

Saturday, Sept. 27, 2008 $34/ea. ASU/Emp., $35/ea. Non-ASU
**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 Selina Beltran at ext. 3795.

**AMC**
$8.50/ea. Flat Rate

**Regal Theatres**
$8.00/ea. Flat Rate

**ALL MOVIE TICKETS ARE UNRESTRICTED!**

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**AMUSEMENT PARK TICKETS**

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 ~ 7:30 pm, M-TH and until 3:30 pm on Friday. If you have any questions, please call Selina Beltran at ext. 3795.

**Magic Mountain:**
- Adult $26/ea
- Child $16/ea

*(Child Tickets are for children under 48”)*

**Universal Studios:**
- General $47/ea
- No separate child tickets

**Aquarium of the Pacific:**
- Adult $15.95/ea
- Child $10.95/ea. Flat Rate, Ages 3-11

**Knott's Berry Farm:**
- Adult $27/ea
- Child $19/ea

*(Child Ticket Ages 3-11)*

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**SAVE THE DATE**

**Education to Career Fair 2008**

**“TREAT YOUR SELF TO A CAREER”**

_Date:_ Thursday, October 23, 2008  
_Time:_ 10:00 am to 2:00 pm  
_Location:_ Stadium Parking Lot  
(Next to the CalWorks/EOPS&S buildings).

_For more information please contact the CalWorks office at (323) 265-8650 ext. 8238_

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**Please share this information with your students.**

We are expecting OVER 50 employers.

Dress semi-professional and bring copies of your resume.
TOO TOXIC TO TRASH

Household Hazardous And E-Waste Roundup

Saturday
November 22, 2008
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

East LA College
Stadium Parking Lot
Bleakwood Ave. & Floral Dr.
Monterey Park

Open to all LA County residents.

**DISPOSE OF HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE AND E-WASTE THE RIGHT WAY ON SATURDAY,**

**NOVEMBER 22, 2008**

**How to prepare items for transportation:**
- Bring the items in a sturdy box, preferably in their original labeled containers.
- Do not mix the items together.
- There is a limit of 15 gallons or 125 pounds of hazardous waste per trip.
- Be prepared to leave your containers and boxes. Remove all other items from your trunk.

**What you CAN bring to an event (examples):**
- Brake fluid, paint thinner, cleaners with acid or lye, pesticides or herbicides, household batteries and car batteries, pool chemicals, motor oil, oil filters, expired pharmaceuticals, anti freeze, and fluorescent light bulbs.
- Household electronic waste which includes: Computer monitors, televisions, computer CPUs, keyboards, printers, cellular phones, etc.

**What you CAN’T bring to an event:**
- Hazardous waste and electronic waste from businesses.
- Explosives, ammunition and radioactive materials.
- Trash and tires.
- White goods such as refrigerators, stoves and washing machines, etc.

**For a complete listing of what you can and cannot bring or information on events, contact:**
1(888) CLEAN-LA • [www.888CleanLA.com](http://www.888CleanLA.com) or
1(800) 238-0172 • [www.lacsd.org](http://www.lacsd.org)

Brought to you by the County of Los Angeles and presented by the Department of Public Works and the Sanitation Districts of Los Angeles County in cooperation with the cities of Alhambra, Bell, Bell Gardens, Commerce, Huntington Park, Los Angeles, Maywood, Montebello, Monterey Park, Pico Rivera, Rosemead, San Gabriel, San Marino, South El Monte, South Pasadena and Vernon.
RESOLUTION – AIDS WALK LOS ANGELES

The following resolution is presented by Trustee Field:

WHEREAS, AIDS Project Los Angeles is sponsoring *AIDS Walk Los Angeles* on Sunday, October 19, 2008 at Melrose Avenue and San Vicente Boulevard in West Hollywood. Each year local business and government entities sponsor teams. Participants on the Los Angeles Community College District AIDS Walk Team solicit contributions from friends and family all of which goes towards the fight against AIDS; and

WHEREAS, AIDS affects people of all ethnicities, socio-economic groups, and sexual orientations; and

WHEREAS, Finding new treatments will benefit everyone, including some of the 4.5 million residents of the Los Angeles Community College District; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees of the Los Angeles Community College District hereby commends *AIDS Walk Los Angeles* for its good work in our community and urges all LACCD students and employees to join the LACCD team at the walk this October 19; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees of the Los Angeles Community College District hereby supports the Joint Labor Management Benefits Committee (JLMBC) Wellness Program by encouraging employees to participate with the LACCD AIDS Walk Los Angeles Team as a walker or sponsor to promote Districtwide wellness and support for AIDS research.
The following resolution is presented by Trustee Scott-Hayes:

WHEREAS, The County of Los Angeles has declared the month of October as Cultural Diversity Month; and

WHEREAS, The Los Angeles Community College District not only enrolls but employs many individuals from a wide range of ethnic backgrounds and recognizes the importance of a diversified staff, whether it be in the classroom or acquiring services from support staff; and

WHEREAS, In celebration of the diverse cultures that the LACCD serves and employs, the Board of Trustees wishes to recognize the history and contributions of the different cultures that make our District great; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees reaffirms its commitment to the importance of cultural diversity in the workforce; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees of the Los Angeles Community College District hereby proclaims the month of October as Cultural Diversity Month in the Los Angeles Community College District.