

Volume 45 Issue 4 LGBT History Month

The LGBT Resource Center celebrates and recognizes LGBT History Month in October. LGBT History Month is a month-long annual observance of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender history, and the history of the gay rights and related civil rights movements. Our diverse community has provided many contributions to society and we illuminate these voices in our daily work as we build community. There are many



events occurring during the month of October, including National Coming Out Day on October 11<sup>th</sup>. In addition, the LGBT Resource Center wants to highlight October's programming including: Speakers Bureau Panelist Training, the Q league leadership retreat, discussions regarding gender identity and sexual orientation, Intersex Awareness Week, Volunteer Program training, and our UC San Diego Alumni Brunch. For more information regarding programming please visit: <u>http://lgbt.ucsd.edu/</u>.

## A Right to Be

LGBT Resource Center Conference Room October 20 | 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.



Ever wondered why there are only 2 genders in the U.S.? Do you have a budding or blooming interest in gender and the law? or gender and history? the law? human rights? Or how any of these things relate to the other? Then come to Sairah's program to learn more and be part of some awesome discussions about gender identity during Week 4!

Your input will be greatly appreciated! If you have any suggestions for this program, please email Sairah at <u>sairah.m.khan@gmail.com</u>.

Fall Quarter 2011 LGBT RC Hours	Calling All Artists
Monday - Thursday: 8:00 a.m 9:00 p.m. Friday: 8:00 a.m 4:30 p.m. Saturday & Sunday:	Interested in displaying your art throughout the LGBT Resource Center? Look no further! The LGBT RC is expanding its community art section and is looking for community members to submit art to be displayed within the library. We welcome all forms of art! If you are interested or want to find out more information, please email asaulp09@yahoo.com.
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LGBT RC Visitors This Week	<b>Queers on the Verge</b> Hazard Center Ultrastar Cinemas (Mission Valley) October 21   7:30 p.m 9:15 p.m.
Students: 361	The LGBT Resource Center is co-presenting Queers on the

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Staff: 26 Faculty: 3 Alumni: 4 Guest: 2 Total: 396

INTRODUCING... Michelle Strange



Hey, I'm Michelle. I am an alumnus of the **UCSD** Theatre Department. I worked at the Resource Center for two years as an undergraduate intern. Now, as the Operations Coordinator, my focus is on the physical space and the community within it. With that, I hope to continue to create a sense of family in the space with dynamic art throughout the center and interactive games in the family room. Feel free to stop by my office and say "hi!"

"If you have come here to help me, you are wasting your time. But if you have come because your liberation is bound up with mine, then let us work together."

-- Aboriginal activists group, Queensland

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Verge at the San Diego Asian Film Festival! There will be 10 free tickets given to those who sign-up for them at the front desk of the LGBT Resource Center. Sign-ups for the tickets are on a first come first served basis. The last day for sign-ups is on October 14<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm. Tickets will be available for pick up at the front desk from October 17<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>.

The San Diego Asian Film Foundation (SDAFF) is one of the largest media arts organizations in North America that focuses on Asian American and Asian international cinema. For information please contact Vanidy vbailey@ucsd.edu.

#### Chat with Cat

LGBT Resource Center Wednesdays of Fall Quarter | 12:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Dr. Cat Thompson is the Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) liaison to the Campus Community Centers. She is housed at the Women's Center and spends five hours per week at each Community Center to facilitate seeing students and being in community. She will be at the Women's Center on Mondays from 10am to 1pm, the LGBT Resource Center on Wednesdays from 12pm to 5pm and the Cross-Cultural Center on Thursdays from 1pm to 6pm. Please speak to community center staff if you are interested in setting up an individual counseling



appointment with her. Otherwise, feel free to stop by and say "hi" as she is here to be of service to our community and would love to connect with you. For more information about her training and areas of clinical interest, please see the staff section at <a href="http://caps.ucsd.edu">http://caps.ucsd.edu</a>.

## Women's Center Newsletter: Looking for Submissions Deadline: October 23



The theme for the Women's Center quarterly newsletter will be "Transcending Borders", a theme highlighting experiences that transcend the borders that society imposes.

Submissions can be in the form of an art piece, news article, poetry, written personal experience, or a short story. Please email them to <u>eckittypup@sbcglobal.net</u> or to <u>women@ucsd.edu</u> or hand them in at the Women's Center by Friday, October 23.

## AMSA Empowering Future Physicians Conference LGBT Symposium

University of California, San Diego School of Medicine October 21 | 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

The LGBT Symposium at the Empowering Future Physicians Conference in San Diego is a hands-on survival guide for LGBTQIA (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, Intersex, and Asexual) and ally medical students. Sessions will begin with an introduction to LGBT health and then focus on health policy, student interest groups,



and healthcare inclusion within medical schools. Allies are welcomed and encouraged



- "Inside Out: Physicians Making a Difference in LGBTQ Health" by Juno Obedin-Maliver, M.D., M.P.H.
- "Got Equity & Inclusion? Reality-Tested Strategies for Successful LGBT Advocacy at Your School" by Shane Snowdon the Founding Director of UCSF Center for LGBT Health & Equity.

Visit <u>http://www.amsa.org/AMSA/Homepage/Events/AMSAConferences/SanDiego.aspx</u> for more information.

UCSD Health System LGBT Networking Event Medical Education & Telemedicine Building Courtyard October 21 | 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

In conjunction with the AMSA National Conference (see the above article for more information on registration and event details), there will be a UCSD Health System LGBT mixer event. Please RSVP to ggoldgof@ucsd.edu, so that we know how much food to order.



## LGBT Reducing Disparities Project Survey

Mental Health America of San Diego County

Participate in an historic survey of our diverse communities! The survey explores discrimination, inequalities, & needs faced by those whose sexual orientation and/or gender identity/expression may not fit

the expectations of their friends of families. Please take the survey at <a href="http://tinyurl.com/LGBTReducingDisparities">http://tinyurl.com/LGBTReducingDisparities</a>.

# Toward an Integrated Self: Making Meaning of the Multiple Identities of Gay Men in College

Are you interested in helping higher education professionals understand more about how gay men in college develop their overall sense of self? If you're a junior, senior, or recent graduate from UCSD and you're a gay man, here's your chance! Visit <u>here</u> for more information today.



## Unicorn Booty: Seeks Contributors

Love to write? Love to make videos or podcasts? Thinking



of a career in media? We're seeking contributors! Get your start at one of the most well-respected LGBT blogs in the country, and start building your audience and reputation! These are assets that grow over time, and will prove invaluable in your

career. We're looking for content creators interested in: Entertainment, Music, Politics, Travel, and Local Events. If you are passionate about a topic, and consider yourself a curator/tastemaker, e-mail us at <a href="mailto:kevin@unicornbooty.com">kevin@unicornbooty.com</a>!

## **UCSD McNair Program:** *Open for Applications Deadline: October 25*

The UCSD McNair Program is now accepting applications for admission for the 2011 - 2012 Program year. The deadline for submission of applications is October 25th.



The UCSD McNair Program is a preparatory program for

undergraduates who are considering the pursuit of the doctoral degree in any academic field. To be eligible, students must be juniors or seniors at UCSD this coming winter quarter, and must be either (or both) (1) first generation college students who qualify as "low income" or/and (2) a member of an ethnic group under-represented in higher education in the USA.

### UCLA Law Fellows Outreach Program: Open for Applications Deadline: October 14



The Law Fellows Program provides early academic outreach to high-potential undergraduate students and college graduates. The program is committed to ensuring equity, access, and excellence in legal education. The Program focuses on students' academic development, with the objective of increasing their academic competitiveness for admission to law school.

Law Fellows attend a series of Saturday Academies held at UCLA Law in the winter and spring, where they are

provided with academic enrichment, career development activities and mentoring designed to de-mystify law school and the legal profession.

The initial deadline is October 14, 2011. Although we will continue to accept applications after the initial deadline, we highly encourage applicants to submit their applications as early as possible to ensure maximum consideration. Please visit <a href="http://www.law.ucla.edu/current-students/get-involved/Pages/law-fellows-outreach-program.aspx">http://www.law.ucla.edu/current-students/get-involved/Pages/law-fellows-outreach-program.aspx</a> for more information.

## Thinking Gender 2012: Call For Papers Deadline: October 17 | 12:00 p.m.

Thinking Gender is a public conference highlighting graduate student research on women, gender and/or sexuality across all disciplines and historical periods. We invite submissions for individual papers or pre-constituted panels on any topic pertaining to women, gender, and/or sexuality.



CSW accepts submissions for both individual papers and preconstituted panels from all active graduate students. For a more detailed description of submission guidelines, please visit: http://www.csw.ucla.edu/conferences/thinking-gender/thinking-gender-2012

Deadline for Submissions: Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2011 at 12 noon

Conference to be held on Friday, February 3, 2012, UCLA Faculty Center

Event is free and open to the public, but please be aware that there will be a \$30 registration fee for presenters, to cover the cost of conference materials and lunch at the Faculty Center.

**2011 Queer Pin@y Conference:** *Save the Date* University of California, Santa Barbara November 19 Priority Registration: November 1



The University of California at Santa Barbara cordially invites you to the Queer Pin@y Conference 2011 (pronounced Queer Pinay/Pinoy Conference) on November 19th, 2011. This year's theme "[Re]Generation: Reviving Our Roots, Creating Our Future" focuses on understanding the successes and setbacks that both the Pin@y and Queer communities faced in the past, and using them

to face contemporary issues that affect us today.

Priority registration for QPC 2011 will be taking place now until Nov. 1st and will cost \$10. After the 1st, registration will be \$15. For students outside of Santa Barbara, transportation and accommodations will be provided upon request. For registration and more information, please contact the QPC committee at our website <a href="http://ucsbqpc.org">http://ucsbqpc.org</a>, or at the 2011 QPC email address at <a href="http://ucsbqpc.org">ucsbqpc@gmail.com</a>.

#### **HEART:** Volunteer Opportunity

HEART (Helping to Empower Authentic Relationships for Teens), is a program that provides mentoring and counseling services to those impacted by dating violence ages 13-24.

Do you believe healthy relationships are obtainable? Would you like to help end dating violence? Do you enjoy public speaking? Then please join our team and let a young person know that you care about them and their future.



We are seeking volunteers, ages 18-25, to mentor HEART clients and provide presentations. You will receive training on the dynamics of dating violence and related topics. We ask that you commit to at least two hours per week for a minimum of six months.

For inquiries and to submit an application, please contact:

Cherise Young, Program Manager/Therapist Union of Pan Asian Communities (UPAC) Office: (619) 265-2777 Email: <u>cyoung@upacsd.com</u>

#### Western Regional Careers in Student Affairs Day

University of Southern California October 21 | 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Late Registration: October 14



The Western Regional Careers in Student Affairs Day is a multifaceted development event that seeks to promote the Student Affairs profession within the California

Community Colleges, the California State University, the University of California, the California Independent Colleges, and interested postsecondary institutions outside of California, and to empower and retain current diverse and talented professionals by meeting their career-orientated professional development needs.

Prospective student affairs professionals are introduced to the breadth of the field as well as graduate preparation programs nationwide. Advancing student affairs professionals will participate in workshop sessions to explore their particular needs such as pursuing doctoral education, moving to advanced administrative positions and changing functional areas in mid-career. This program will provide a unique opportunity for undergraduate and graduate students, prospective professionals, new and mid-level professionals as well as seasoned administrators to come together to affirm or recommit their calling in student affairs.

This publication is a regular compilation of news and information from the UCSD LGBT Resource Center to help keep you informed about news and events relevant to the UCSD LGBT community. For more information about the Rainbow Newsletter or to offer your comments or suggestions, please contact the LGBT Resource Center at (858) 822-3493 or rainbow@ucsd.edu. Newsletters are archived at http://lgbt.ucsd.edu/newsletter.asp.

The UC San Diego LGBT Resource Center is committed to being accessible to all who frequent our space, participate in our programs, and attend our events. Our physical location is accessible to anyone who utilizes assisted mobility. If you require specific accommodations to fully access any of our programs or events, please contact Vanidy Bailey at <u>vbailey@ucsd.edu</u> or (858) 822-3493.

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