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Rainbow Graduation

Great Hall, Eleanor Roosevelt College
June 9 | 4:00 p.m.



Make your plans now to attend UC San Diego's Rainbow Graduation. Saturday, June 9th, 2012, 4pm at the Great Hall at Eleanor Roosevelt College.

Please join the UC San Diego LGBT community as we come together to honor the students who are graduating, our volunteers, our scholarship recipients and all who have impacted our community over the last year. We are very excited to have our senior speakers Anthony Deal Real and Chris Gauthier and our community speaker Van Bailey!

The event serves as the formal induction of the graduates into the family of the UC San Diego LGBT Alumni. Although many people do get dressed up for the event, it tends to be a queer little get together, with all the trappings of our community, so be yourself. We conclude our ceremony with a scrumptious spread of good food.

If you are graduating, [sign up](#) today! If you would like to volunteer, contact Jonathan at lgbrcvolunteers@gmail.com. We hope to see everyone there!

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Congratulations to the 2012-2013 recipients of the UC San Diego LGBT Undergraduate Scholarships

The LGBT Undergraduate Scholarship Program encourages gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender UCSD students to apply for the six scholarships made possible by generous contributions from many people, including Chris Arrott, Michael Marx and Donald Marshall, Russ Ty, and from funds in memory of Tracee Parsons and Stephen P. L'Italien, Jr. The objective of the undergraduate scholarship program is to recognize and encourage academic excellence and to offer financial support to meritorious students. Below are this year's recipients of the LGBT Undergraduate Scholarships.



The Michael L. Marx and Donald K. Marshall Scholarship for Gay and Lesbian Students

H.J. Tam

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The Russ Ty Scholarship

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Tyler Vasconcellos

The Christopher B. Arrott Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Endowed Scholarship

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Bruno Rosales Huizar Jr.

The UCSD LGBT Resource Center Undergraduate Scholarship

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Noel Magtoto

Alina V. Sau

Research Study: Protective Factors

Stephen P. L'Italien, Jr. Memorial Study Abroad Scholarship

Eliseo Junior Rivas

George Diez

Andrew Alexken Yeung

Tracee Parsons Scholarship for UCSD LGBT Students in Math & Science

Christina Carter

Spring Quarter 2012

LGBT RC Finals Week Hours

Sunday:
6:00 p.m. - all night

Monday -
Tuesday:
8:00 a.m. -
9:00 p.m.

Wednesday:
8:00 a.m. -
7:00 p.m.

Thursday -
Friday:
8:00 a.m. -
4:30 p.m.

Summer Hours

Monday -
Friday:
8:00 a.m. -
4:30 p.m.

San Diego LGBT Pride: Planning Committee

Pride Parade: July 21 | 11:00 a.m.

Work Party: July 20 | 12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.



The LGBT Resource Center is really excited for this year's San Diego LGBT Pride. We have a Pride Planning Committee set to help put ideas into action for this year's theme "America's Pride." If you are interested in becoming involved with the LGBT Resource Center's contingent in the San Diego Pride Parade in Hillcrest on Saturday, July 21 at 11am, please email Michelle Strange at mdstrange@ucsd.edu to get updated information about our progress. Also, we look forward to seeing you at the Pride & Pizza Work Party Friday, July 20 from 12-4pm.

LGBT RC

Visitors Week 9

Students: 208
Staff: 17
Alumni: 2
Guests: 4

Total: 231

Blast from the Past: "Dyke March and Sign- making Party"



In celebration of the 10th anniversary of the Rainbow Newsletter, a memorable event from the past will be highlighted every week.

Ten years ago, on July 21st, the LGBT Resource Office sponsored a sign making party for the San Diego Dyke March for all women-identified folks who wanted to carry UCSD Pride signs and (at the same time) a sheet/banner making party

Staff & Faculty Highlight

UC San Diego Riding in AIDS LifeCycle!

Welcome all UC San Diego Faculty and Staff! The UC San Diego LGBT Resource Center serves our entire community including students, staff, alumni, and our faculty. We are proud to have YOU as a part of our family.

On June 3-9, 2012, four people who work at UC San Diego will be joining a couple thousand cyclists from around the world to ride from San Francisco to Los Angeles and raise money to fight HIV and AIDS in AIDS LifeCycle. Angela Kozakowski, who works at the AVRC (Antiviral Research Center), is riding for the fourth time. For Suzi Harlow (Graduate Coordinator for Economics) and David Carlos (Information Services in UCSD Hospitals), this will be their second year on the ride. Helen Mout (Science Studies Program Coordinator) is a first time rider. As of 5/25/12, they have collectively raised over \$17,000 to support HIV/AIDS services, research, and advocacy work at the San Francisco AIDS Foundation and Los Angeles Gay and Lesbian Center. There are 35 riders/roadies on team San Diego (http://www.tofighthiv.org/site/TR/AIDSLIFECYCLE11/AIDSLifeCycleCenter?team_id=8460&pg=team&fr_id=1440), and probably 50 riders from San Diego altogether. Team San Diego's training rides are open and are organized on Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/ALCSanDiego>).



Graduate Student Highlight

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Welcome graduate students to the UC San Diego LGBT Resource Center. Our Center serves all constituents of the UC San Diego community, including and especially our graduate students. Our space is open to all constituents, although we know from our statistics that the majority of the folks who use our space on a daily basis are undergraduate students. However, our second largest category is graduate students, so we encourage you to make the Resource Center your own.



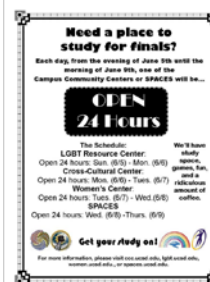
It's not just for undergrads... It's for YOU! Let's celebrate those 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, or even 8 years of graduate study. The LGBT Resource Center would like to extend an invitation to graduate students to participate in our Rainbow Graduation. This event serves as the formal induction of the graduates into the family of the UC San Diego LGBT Alumni. If you a graduate student who is completing your time at UC San Diego, please [sign up](#) today! We would love to honor you for your accomplishments. Hope to see you there!

24 Hour Study Jam

*Campus Community Centers and SPACES
June 10 - 14*

for all men-identified folks who wanted to show their support.

Need a place to study for finals? Each day, from the evening of June 5th until the morning of June 9th, one of the Campus Community Centers or SPACES will be open 24 hours! We'll have study space, games, fun, and a ridiculous amount of coffee.



"They'll teach you to hate yourself for being silent. Then punish you for fighting back."
-- Ed Bok Lee

LGBT Resource Center:
Sunday (6/10) - Monday (6/11)

Cross-Cultural Center:
Monday (6/11) - Tuesday (6/12)

Women's Center:
Tuesday (6/12) - Wednesday (6/13)

SPACES:
Wednesday (6/13) - Thursday (6/14)

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Gender Buffet: Sustainable Activism

Women's Center
June 8 | 12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.



Join us in this last Gender Buffet of the quarter to talk about ways that we can continue dialogue/conversations outside an academic setting and beyond graduation.

If you would like to submit an item to the newsletter, please send it by Wednesday at 1:00 p.m. to rainbow@ucsd.edu and type "For Newsletter" in the subject line. News items should be UCSD & LGBT focused.

Research Study: Gay Asian American Male

Are you a gay Asian American adult male? Participate in this study in order to help build understanding regarding gay Asian American males' thoughts and feelings in relation to gender, ethnicity, and sexual orientation. Participants will be prompted with a variety of questions regarding their beliefs, attitudes, and behavior. Thank you! To access the survey, please visit <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/GayAsianAmericanMalesSurvey>

Research Study: Protective Factors Among Non-Suicidal Young Gay Males

A research study is being conducted in hopes of learning more specifically about what protects young gay males from wanting to harm themselves and what specifically about their life experience has been protective. To participate, you must self-identify as a gay male, be between 13 and 22 years of age, have never attempted suicide, and obtain parental consent if under 18. For more information and/or to be considered for participation in this study, please contact Susan O'Brien, M.A. at 619-665-7781 and leave a confidential voice message with your



name, age, and phone number to contact you on. Thanks!



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 vbailey@ucsd.edu or (858) 822-3493.

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