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Spend time with Latham, and you’re as likely to see her master’s thesis, “The Persistent Education of Evelyn Latham,” as you are her back that required her to use a wheelchair. Her husband stood behind the effort, too. “He’s been very encouraging and proud of me,” she said. “I think he’s more excited (about the master’s) than I am.” Her instructors also were very helpful. She lists Janalise, economic professor Mayo Toruno; history professor Robert Blackey; and sociology professor Randi Miller among them.

“If you want to do it, do it.” Latham said of her return to college and completing her master’s degree. “My mother would tell us that if you want anything bad enough, do it. I didn’t have any trouble coming back.”
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Speed time with Latham, who received a master’s from CSUSB the past June, and her passion for learning comes through. Her biggest thrill was to see her master’s thesis, “The Electoral College on Trial,” in a bound hardcover with her name printed on its spine. She’ll tell you that she started with one hypothesis in mind — the Electoral College ought to be abolished. But in doing her research, pouring over 25 books as part of the effort, the evidence pointed the other way. The one-man, one-vote concept would not work in this country because of its sheer size, she said. “You’ll never get a consensus.”

Brian Jonikas, a CSUSB political science professor and Latham’s thesis adviser, encourages his graduate students to take the research questions seriously and follow the evidence wherever it leads. Many students become frustrated or find another thesis topic when his or her initial position changes because the research points in another direction. Not Latham. “She handled it with great aplomb,” Jonikas said. “That element is rare.”

She grew up in rural southeast Missouri, a poor area that worsened with the Great Depression. Her father, a blacksmith, only had a second-grade education. But he instilled in his children (Latham is the second of six) the passion to learn, encouraging them to read and study whatever they could. At home, books surrounded Latham. “What was there to do but read?” she said. “There was no TV back then. We didn’t even have a radio. So I read all the time.”

Latham learned to read by the age of 4, and tagged along with her older sister to the one-room schoolhouse and the music teacher. Lille Newton, that she was indeed ready to begin her formal education. Newton encouraged Latham, entering her in history contests and spelling bees, where she advanced to the state level of the competitions. Even though Latham had long been prepared for college, she didn’t earn her bachelor’s degree in American Studies from Cal State Los Angeles until 1984, after she retired in 1971 from a number of years working for Rockwell International. After working as a substitute teacher and taking classes that interested her at Cal State San Bernardino in 2000, an instructor suggested she try earning her master’s. She didn’t hesitate. The 80-mile, one-way commute from Joshua Tree, to...
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Hispanics and the Bachelor’s Degree

California State University campuses ranked fourth in number of Hispanics in the May issue of Hispanic Outlook in Higher Education.

Statistics for the 2000–2001 academic year showed that CSUSB came in at 27th in America for total bachelor’s degrees awarded to Hispanics. While total enrollment put the university at 21st. “Over the past five years,” said President Albert Kang, “members of historically underrepresented groups have grown to more than 50 percent of our enrollment, with Hispanics soaring to more than 30 percent. We no longer have a majority ethnic group on campus.”

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The master’s in public administration program – the university’s recognized training ground for future elected officials and administrators in government and non-profit agencies – has again received accreditation for its wide-ranging curriculum.

Cal State’s M.P.A. program currently has 151 students. Many of the program’s graduates and students work in government and/or non-profit agencies in San Bernardino and Riverside counties. “They include mayors, city managers, financial directors, redevelopment directors, you name it, we can probably claim them as being our students,” Mathews said.

The Making of Public Servants

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That dominance includes a list of M.P.A. graduates such as California State Assemblyman John J. Burton, R-Palm Desert; Councilman Paul Cook for the town of Twentynine Palms; and Shawn Nelson, city manager for the city of Temecula. They represent some of the most prominent administrators and elected officials in the inland region and around the state of California.

This is the third accreditation for the program, which the College of Business and Public Administration initially offered in 1972 as a concentration in public administration. The college began offering an M.P.A. in 1973. The department received its initial NASPAA accreditation in 1982.

NASPAA’s two-fold mission is to ensure excellence in education and training for public service and to promote the ideal of public service. The organization is the membership association of graduate programs in public administration, public policy and public affairs. About 250 M.P.A. programs around the country have the NASPAA accreditation. Other prestigious institutions offering M.P.A. programs include Harvard, Rutgers, USC and the American University; and Audrey Mathews, a CSUSB public administration professor and one of the coordinators for the reaccreditation process.

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Cal State’s branch campus in Palm Desert held its first educational ceremony with (left) eligible students and their families at the R.D. and Joan Dale Killingsworth Building. The guest speaker was Joy Castaldo, a teacher and alumnus of Palm Desert Campus. The ceremony also included comments from CSUSB President Albert Karnig; Provost Dean Peter Wilson; Tootie Kilginnworth, assistant dean; and Patricia Arlin, dean of the College of Education.

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by Sherry Howie

California’s educators face a major recruitment challenge, retaining and supporting new teachers. Nearly 14 percent of California’s teachers don’t have a credential, a figure state educators are working to reduce.

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“We started with new teachers who volunteered to be in the pre-intern program, but now school districts are making stronger positions on putting teachers into the program,” said Joseph Jonathais, pre-intern co-director at CSUSB, describing the program’s growth, “We take any emergency permit teacher who has not met subject-matter competency required for a credential.”

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RACES IN SPACE AND TIME

Victor Saitoreno’s mind was firmly set on what he’d do once he finished college. Even after a professor told him, “Don’t go into physics. There are no jobs there.” Victor knew that physics had a hold on him like nothing else. The professor’s words didn’t even come close to worrying much about, though. If physics didn’t work out, then he could always fall back on computer science, another major he’d declared, or math, still another major. And then, of course, there was always chemistry, a minor that he decided not to make a major because it would delay his graduation. In the end, he dropped the chemistry minor during his last months at Cal State San Bernardino knowing that physics and applied physics, in which he earned two more degrees, were fairly marketable occupations and quite compatible with chemistry. If you’ve lost track, just remember that quadruple majors have options. Victor graduated from CSUSB with honors — a 3.8 — in June, and received the Outstanding Undergraduate Award in the College of Natural Sciences.

Before entering CSUSB Victor saw friends and strangers with college education doing work that he knew how to do as well. He worked computer jobs, for example, and had already built databases.

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Though difficult to prove, Victor has a theory that explains well enough the origins of his knack for physics — “My dad can’t do fractions to save his life,” he says. But Victor does have a couple of relatives who excel at math. What makes Victor’s passion still more incredible is that he has an enlarged retina and macular degeneration, which could bring blindness someday. That, he says, greatly influenced his decision to compress into a short space his work into four majors. Victor graduated from CSUSB’s Class of 2003, 32 Cal State undergraduate students and area school teachers headed for sites near San Andreas and San Jacinto faults. Led by geology professors Sally McGill and Joan Fryxell, crews set up receivers at 12 different locales this past summer to measure plate movement with Global Positioning System technology. The receivers measure the locations of survey benchmarks within millimeters. After comparing the findings to measurements catalogued over the past eight years, the new data will reveal just how far and in what direction benchmarks have moved. “The long-term record of the movement of these sites will be useful in earthquake research for many years to come,” says McGill and Fryxell.

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The department of social work, which already offers a master’s degree in the field, now offers a bachelor of arts degree. Applications for the program will be available beginning in April for fall 2004 admission. CSUSB becomes only the second university in the inland region to offer an undergraduate degree in social work; the other is La Sierra University, a private institution.

As part of the April dedication of the new Social and Behavioral Sciences Building, the college unveiled the initial bricks purchased by donors, inlaid in the courtyard on the southeast side of the building. More than 150 donors have already contributed. The process has begun to select and award the first recipients of the scholarships created by the brick campaign. For more information on how to purchase a brick, contact the college at (909) 880-7500.

Political science professors Edward Erfer and Brian Janissek were mentioned in a May 26, 2003 commentary in the Inland Empire Press Enterprise, “Crime, Punishment and Romney.” Janissek was also a member of the California State Bar Association’s “three strikes” law task force. A 24-page article by the professors’ “Crime, Punishment and Romney: An Analysis of the Case Against California’s Three Strikes Law” appeared in the 2000 law review published by the Duquesne University School of Law. Professor Janet McAdams cited the article in her spring 2003 opinion to uphold the law by a 5-4 vote.

IN A PREVIOUS LIFE

The 430 acres on which Cal State San Bernardino grows as well as the area around it was very different in the early 1960s. Now visitors can see just how different in the university’s newest museum showing its inaugural exhibit.

The Anthropology Museum, housed on the third floor of the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Building and across from the Robert W. Fullerton Art Museum, celebrated its official opening in the spring and is currently showing “Before Cal State.” The collection examines the history of the communities that surround the campus, which opened to students in 1965.

Designed by anthropology Professor Russell Barber, with help from students and alumni, the exhibit features artifacts from the one-room Fairview School house and examines the history of the Native Americans who lived in the area. It also features information about local water control, agriculture and land development. Exploring and celebrating the central theme of ethnicity, museum exhibits will reflect perspectives from anthropology and other social sciences.

The anthropology department offers a certificate in museum studies, and the museum serves as an important part of the program, allowing students to assist in the design and display of the exhibits. Free and open to the public, the museum is open 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

BRINGING PART OF THE WORLD TO SAN BERNARDINO

One of the goals of a university is to help broaden the perspectives of both the faculty and the community at large. CSUSB’s College of Social and Behavioral Sciences moved the university closer to that goal when it hosted an international symposium in early November on political, social and economic issues in the Middle East.

The symposium was the college’s second with Gazi University in Ankara, Turkey. A CSUSB delegation of faculty and students traveled to Ankara in October 2002 to take part in the first symposium. On Nov. 5 and 6, a delegation of five Gazi University faculty, CSUSB professors and a professor from the University of Minnesota met on the San Bernardino campus to exchange and present papers and also meet with members of both the university and community.

“The event will eventually lead to a regular interaction both with Gazi and other universities in the Middle East,” said John Conley, dean of the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences.

In June 2002 Conley, political science Professor Ralph Salmins, President Albert Karnig and Provost Louis Fernandez traveled to Turkey to sign a formal agreement.

Turkey, a NATO ally, has risen to the forefront of many Americans’ attention because of the war with Iraq and added relevance to the proceedings. With experts on the Middle East from CSUSB and Gazi interacting, the event gave the public “a little more in-depth picture on some of the issues and the importance of Turkey in the Middle East on a variety of issues,” Conley said.

And hearing first-hand the perspectives from people who live in that region is a valuable opportunity. “It’s better to get it from the people who live there,” Salmins said. “They’re the experts.”

New deals: The official opening of the Anthropology Museum brought many people to view its inaugural exhibit, “Before Cal State.” The museum opened in the spring. (Photo by Robert Whitaker)

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REASONS TO SMILE — Marsha Estupinan (left) searches for family and friends; greeting her son, Maris; during the Palm Desert Campus’ Commencement ceremony Sunday night at the McCallum Theatre. Both times live in Indio, Maris is a Cesar Chavez Elementary School student, while his brother, Albert, is a Palm Desert Campus student. Maris said, “It’s hard of a family reunion.”

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Applications are being accepted now, and classes are planned. The deadline is March 31, 2004, for acceptance into the fall quarter, which begins in September. More information and directions for enrollment are available from the Web site: http://nursing.csusb.edu/nursing. For further information, contact Romy Botting at (760) 341-2883, ext. 8110.
IN A PREVIOUS LIFE

The 430 acres on which Cal State San Bernardino grows as well as the area around it was very different in the early 1960s. Now viewers can see just how different in the university’s newest museum showing its inaugural exhibit.

The Anthropology Museum, housed on the third floor of the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences Building and across from the Robert F. Helton Art Museum, celebrated its official opening in the spring and is currently showing “Before Cal State.” The collection examines the history of the communities that surround the campus, which opened to students in 1965.

Designed by anthropologist Professor Russell Barber, with help from students and alumni, the exhibit features artifacts from the one-room Fairview School house and examines the history of the Native Americans who lived in the area. It also features information about local water control, agriculture and land development. Exploring and celebrating the central theme of ethnicity, museum exhibits will reflect perspectives from anthropology and other social sciences.

The anthropology department offers a certificate in museum studies, and the museum serves as an important part of the program, allowing students to design and display the exhibits.

Free and open to the public, the museum is open 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

BRINGING PART OF THE WORLD TO SAN BERNARDINO

One of the goals of a university is to help broaden the perspectives of students and the community at large. CSUSB’s College of Social and Behavioral Sciences moved the university closer to that goal when it hosted an international symposium in early November on political, social and economic issues in the Middle East.

The symposium was the college’s second with Gazi University in Ankara, Turkey. A CSUSB delegation of faculty and students traveled to Ankara in October 2002 to take part in the first symposium. On Nov. 5 and 6, a delegation of five CSUSB faculty, CSUSB professors and a professor from the University of Minnesota met on the San Bernardino campus to exchange and present papers and also meet with members of both the university and community.

“The symposium has been a regular interaction both with Gazi and other universities in the Middle East,” said John Conley, dean of the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences. In June 2002 Conley, political science professor Ralph Salmins, President Albert Kaming and Provost Louis Fernandez traveled to Turkey to sign a formal agreement.

Turkey, a NATO ally, has risen to the forefront of many Americans’ attention because of the war with Iraq and added relevance to the proceedings. With experts on the Middle East from CSUSB and Gazi interacting, the event gave the public a little more in-depth picture on some of the issues and the importance of Turkey in the Middle East on a variety of issues,” Conley said.

And hearing first-hand the perspectives from people who live in that region is a valuable opportunity: “It’s better to get it from the people who live there,” Salmins said. “They’re the experts.”

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COLLEGE NEWS
Palm Desert Campus

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Serving as president and CEO of Los Angeles Community College District from 1985-1987. Most recently, she served as president and CEO of the Mexican Cultural Institute in Los Angeles, a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting understanding between the people of Mexico and the United States. “I’m looking forward to the challenge of creating a new institute at the Palm Desert Campus, as well as working with our adult students,” Quezada said.

The Osher Institute is a partnership between the College of Extended Learning and the Palm Desert Campus, making possible through funding from the Bernard Osher Foundation of San Francisco. The foundation has funded 18 such programs for learners of retirement age at public and private universities in California and others around the nation. The institute is offering individual memberships for one academic quarter (ten weeks) or a full year (three quarters). Adult students may take from one to four classes weekly, ranging from history/current events to literature and the sciences.

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THINKING LOGISTICS

It’s no secret. The Inland Empire is a crossroads for transportation, an industry that has driven the dramatic rise in its importance to a center for distribution, warehousing and related logistics industries. Residents and visitors can get a bird’s-eye view of the magnitude of these enterprises every time they fly in or out of the Ontario International Airport. But logistics businesses are also expanding to the vast valley, the high desert and other areas of the Inland Empire.

As these economic segments of the regional economy grow, so does the need for training in technical, managerial and leadership aspects specific to the industry.

To meet the need, Sandra Richards, director of Extension Programs, and Kevin Knueven, special consultant to extended learning, have teamed up to create a Certificate in Logistics Management, which is offered on- and off-campus in the Ontario area. With the help of several logistics professionals, the program was designed to serve a range of logistics employees, including supervisors, mid-level managers and entry-level managers.

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Evans, now retired and living in Fallbrook, noticed when he came to the campus in 1982 that it needed “more vitality in the area of student life, to strengthen its town-gown ties, and to achieve a more balanced reputation to attract prospective new students.” An earlier study had suggested adding athletics to help meet these challenges, and Evans was not surprised it was placed in the forefront of the search. He cited the need to attract new students to the university, the need for the School of Business to attract undergraduate students, and the need for the campus to market its athletic facilities.

In 1984, the board approved a $100,000 study of the feasibility of adding athletic programs. The study was conducted by Mike Murphy, an associate professor of kinesiology, who was serving as the athletic department’s first director, a full-time position, in January 1984. He was also chair of the physical education department and taught some classes. “I was charged with putting together a Division III program with eight sports — four men’s and four women’s — by the fall of 1984 on a limited budget,” Price recalled. “I had a half-time secretary. From January to May, I was secretary and myself. The coaches we hired were all part-time. No coach got more than 12 teaching units a year and no paid assistants. The assistants were all volunteers.” The athletics department was set up in The Den, the original campus athletic facility. A conference room was sub-divided into offices. Because the school offered men’s and women’s baseball among its first eight sports, Price had to supervise a renovation of The Den’s gym floor.

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ENERGY—Leticia Quezada, the new head for NCO’s Otherlearners, served at the Los Angeles Unified School District Board.

BY SUSAN SUMMERS

Retirement-aged senior citizens in sunny Coachella Valley have lots of choices if they want fresh air and exercise. But this fall they took advantage of a new option—that’s exercising and renewing their minds. The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, housed at CSUSB’s Palm Desert Campus, is offering an impressive array of eight-week courses taught by campus faculty and local experts on a non-credit basis. The institute at the Palm Desert Campus, is offering courses taught by campus faculty and local experts on a non-credit basis.

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including details on the women's cross country meets, all of which were won.
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1985-86
Women’s volleyball.

1986-87
— Women’s basketball.
— Cal Poly Pomona, 7:30 p.m.
— UC Santa Barbara, 7:30 p.m.
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Women’s basketball.

Sheraton Coyote Classic.

Tourney.

5:30 & 7:30 p.m. (both days)

January

Women’s Basketball.

UC Davis, 7:30 p.m.

Men’s Basketball.

UC Davis, 7:30 p.m.

Women’s Basketball.

Checo State, 7:30 p.m.

Men’s Basketball.

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Women’s Basketball.

Cal State Dominguez Hills, 5:30 p.m.

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Women’s Basketball.

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Women’s Basketball.

Cal State L.A., 7:30 p.m.

February

Women’s Basketball.

Cal State Bakersfield, 7:30 p.m.

Men’s Basketball.

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Women’s Basketball.

Cal State Stanislaus, 7:30 p.m.

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Men’s Basketball.

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March

Women’s Basketball.

UC San Diego, 7:30 p.m.

Men’s Basketball.

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Women’s Basketball.

Grand Canyon University, 5:30 p.m.

Men’s Basketball.

Grand Canyon University, 7:30 p.m.

SPORTS CALENDAR

We hope these dates for home contests can aid in the scheduling of your calendars. For more information, including details on the women’s cross country meets, all of which were away.)

January

2

Women’s Basketball.

UC Davis, 7:30 p.m.

March

23

Women’s Basketball.

UC San Diego, 7:30 p.m.

6

Women’s Basketball.

Cal State Bakersfield, 7:30 p.m.

5

Women’s Basketball.

Cal State Stanislaus, 7:30 p.m.

February

20

Women’s Basketball.

San Francisco State, 7:30 p.m.

19

Women’s Basketball.

UC San Diego, 5:30 p.m.

12

Women’s Basketball.

UC Davis, 7:30 p.m.

15

Women’s Basketball.

Checo State, 7:30 p.m.

11

Women’s Basketball.

San Francisco State, 5:30 p.m.

12

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UC San Diego, 7:30 p.m.

13

Women’s Basketball.

UC Davis, 7:30 p.m.

14

Women’s Basketball.

San Francisco State, 5:30 p.m.

18

Women’s Basketball.

UC San Diego, 7:30 p.m.

17

Women’s Basketball.

Cal State Bakersfield, 7:30 p.m.

16

Women’s Basketball.

Cal State Stanislaus, 7:30 p.m.

15

Women’s Basketball.

Sonoma State, 5:30 p.m.

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San Francisco State, 5:30 p.m.

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Grand Canyon University, 5:30 p.m.

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UC San Diego, 5:30 p.m.

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Cal State Bakersfield, 7:30 p.m.

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Women’s Basketball.

Cal State Stanislaus, 7:30 p.m.

4

Women’s Basketball.

Sonoma State, 5:30 p.m.

3

Women’s Basketball.

San Francisco State, 5:30 p.m.

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Grand Canyon University, 5:30 p.m.

Director of Sports Information, printed an annual sports award dinner, a tradition that Nancy Simpson, the current athletic director, initiated in 1996. Price also founded the Coyote Club, the forerunner of today’s Coyote Athletic Association, to support the school’s sports programs.

In 1988-89, the university started women’s soccer. That same year, Evans decided athletics needed a full-time athletic director. Judith Rymer, the school’s vice president for university relations until 1996, chaired the search committee. After two searches, David Swuennam was hired in spring 1989. At the same time, athletics was placed under the auspices of university relations. “In those early days, said Rymer, “we had very few financial resources, inadequate facilities and no radiation coach. Although the Division II program was appropriate for us to start, it became important as we began to operate without a conference affiliation.” The task force had recommended joining SCIAC, an idea that was short-lived.

The Well-Rounded Athlete

Six members of Coyote athletic teams received top honors: May 30 at the annual Coyote All-Sports Banquet. Nancy Simpson, director of athletics, presented the male and female athlete of the year awards to Bobby Barren’s of men’s basketball and Kim Ford of women’s volleyball.

Burries averaged 20 points and five rebounds in rebasting and was No. 2 in scoring, earning SCIAC Player of the Year and SCIAC All-West Region honors. He was a Verzin All-West Region Academic Award winner. Ford averaged 2.4 in the SCIAC All-West Region team.

Barren’s team had a 9-1 in the SCIAC and finished in third place. The 2003 women’s water polo team and emerged as the team’s all-college scoring leader with 142 goals in four seasons. Hary earned Verzin third-team Academic All-America honors while earning SCIAC All-West Region and academic honors.

The Tal Wilson-Morgan Stanley Memorial Award for most inspirational men’s basketball player went to senior Jonathan Foreno. The Coyotes’ sole academic Advisory Council “Pup” Award, presented to the first-year player with the highest GPA, went to freshman Chris Carter, who went to Cristian Trent, a freshman setter on the 29-3 volleyball team, who was a second-team All-CCCAA selection.

\[1981-82 \text{ Men’s Basketball } \]

1982-83
Men’s cross-country.

1983-84
— Women’s cross-country.

1984-85
— Women’s basketball.

1985-86
— Women’s basketball.

1986-87
— Women’s basketball.

1987-88
— Women’s basketball.

1988-89
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1989-90
— Women’s basketball.

1990-91
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1991-92
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1992-93
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1993-94
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1998-99
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1999-00
— Women’s basketball.

2000-01
— Women’s basketball.

2001-02
— Women’s basketball.

2002-03
— Women’s basketball.

Undergraduate GPA and a 4.0 in graduate stud-}
For someone who makes it a life’s calling to study some of the worst behavior humankind can deliver, Brian Levin is quite cheerful. Not that he doesn’t take the study of hate and extremism seriously – he most certainly does, and colleagues in the field hold him in high regard. But among traits one notices about the criminal justice professor is a friendly and outgoing demeanor. During a conversation that ranged from his father’s imprisonment by the Nazis during World War II to hate-crime legislation to the lack of enlightened public discussion of bigotry and hate to the “small sliver of humanity” bent on destroying those who don’t agree with them, Levin repeatedly offered a visitor something to drink or eat.

“You can’t let it get to you,” he says of balancing his easy-going nature against the constant monitoring of vice rising from racial, religious or other differences. “I think most of humanity is pretty good. The problem is there are those times when the most intolerant in society can lead it. And that’s a danger. That’s when you’re under the intoxicant of fear or danger or both.”

But here’s a glimpse of what drives him: “We have to nail this kind of bigotry – whether it comes from other places or if it comes from here. … Extremism in whatever form of patriotism, nationalism, religious fanaticism, poses a unique threat to a civil society. It serves to demonize those who are different.” While the Ku Klux Klan or Al-Qaeda make headlines, “what I worry most about is the erosion of civility and dialogue in American society, which allows a more stealth kind of bigotry to take root. … The shrillness of debate on both sides, while it may be entertaining, doesn’t get to the bottom of the issue. There is so much of an adulteration of undisputed fact that academia has to serve as a place where truth can be unearthed.”

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For someone who makes it a life’s calling to study some of the worst behavior humankind can deliver, Brian Levin is quite cheerful. Not that he doesn’t take the study of hate and extremism seriously – he most certainly does, and colleagues in the field hold him in high regard. But among traits one notices about the criminal justice professor is a friendly and outgoing demeanor. During a conversation that ranged from his father’s imprisonment by the Nazis during World War II to hate-crime legislation to the lack of enlightened public discussion of bigotry and hate to the “small sliver of humanity” bent on destroying those who don’t agree with them, Levin repeatedly offered a visitor something to drink or eat.

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In 1993, jobs were scarce, the competition fierce and the legendary institutional East Coast kit away from all things West still steep enough to make even jobs at Washington, D.C.’s General Accounting, Office a longshotke a longshot for any Californian. Applicants came from everywhere, including Wall Street, Johns Hopkins, Howard, Georgetown and Harvard. But out of nowhere came three CSUSB National Security Studies (NSS) students with so much right stuff they all landed positions. They did it. Thinks Mark Clark, director of NSS, “If you’re going to make a case, make it.” Breen was a New York City street cop, a lawyer, his work for the Southern Poverty Law Center’s Klanwatch/Militia Task Force, his research center and his classroom teaching. “He’s looked at this issue of extremist and hate from different aspects and perspectives, which very few people get the opportunity to do.”

With all those accolades, the circle of experts with whom he associates and the media attention, it might be easy to get caught up in one’s own press clippings. Yet Levin seems almost unfazed by it all. “He’s not necessarily interested in publicity,” Eaton says. “He’s interested in doing something. He wants to educate people.”

No grand plan led Levin to where he is today. Nor was there one single definitive person or incident that brought him in a revelation. “I think that the most valuable thing in life, you’re molded incrementally.”

The molding began soon after he was born. A native of Long Island, N.Y., Levin is the son of a veterinarian and a New York City policewoman. His late father Howard, served as a U.S. Army medic, was captured by Nazi troops in France after the Allied D-Day invasion and held as a prisoner of war in Europe and at Buchenwald. Levin was born while his father was escaping death because of his medical training, and living through the Great Depression of the 1930s helped shape how his father lived. Long lines of people visited his father’s animal clinic because the veterinarian charged nominal fees for services that would have been more expensive elsewhere. As long as there was food on the table and clothes on their backs, the elder Levin used to say, there was not much more important to his young boys.

He spent his undergraduate years alternating between taking classes at the University of Pennsylvania, where as an undergraduate Levin took a law class, and working as a New York City police officer in the city’s Harlem community. He went to law school at Stanford University, making clear in his application essay his desire to study hate crime. After graduation, the project he did for Higginbotham still resonated with him, and he wrote a legal brief defending Wisconsin’s hate crime law that was being challenged in the U.S. Supreme Court. With the help of that brief, the Wisconsin law was upheld — and on a more material level perhaps a more moral role in returning a nation of grand vision and pardon to its lineage. November 11 charged America — the confidence, the laugh, the luxury of freedom at lower cost, the luxury of the illusion of relative safety. In one way or another, and with more than 60 CSUSB alumni are following those paths in the nation’s college and civilian jobs in the intelligence community and in agencies such as the FBI, the CIA and the Office of Special Investigations for the U.S. Air Force. Their highest and most completed pursuit, however, is to understand the international community and to work in a field that work will require more than intelligence.

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Levin was one of the students who influenced Levin were A. Leon Higginbotham, Jr. and Frank Bean. Higginbotham was a towering figure in civil rights as well as a respected federal appellate court judge who also taught classes at the University of Pennsylvania, where as an undergraduate Levin took classes at the University of Pennsylvania and working as a New York City police officer in the city’s Harlem community. “He went to law school at Stanford University, making clear in his application essay his desire to study hate crime. After graduation, the project he did for Higginbotham still resonated with him, and he wrote a legal brief defending Washington’s hate crime law that was being contested in the U.S. Supreme Court. With the help of that brief, the Washington law was upheld — in the process putting an end to double counting of hate crimes and lasting a lifetime. The university and others a lifetime income that has appreciated significantly, especially over a long period of time, makes an excellent gift to the university and benefits the donor in several ways. In transferring appreciated stock directly to the CSUSB Foundation for university programs, the donor avoids having to pay capital gains tax on the appreciated value of the stock and receives a charitable tax deduction for the full market value of the stock.

Real Estate

Many of our friends and donors have owned multiple properties for many years. Such income properties may be subject to capital gains tax of nearly 25 percent. Gifting the real estate, especially unimproved commercial real estate, directly to the CSUSB Foundation for university purposes can be a wonderful opportunity to help the students of CSUSB, help avoid capital gains tax on the appreciated portion and create a charitable tax deduction.

Requests

Incorporating yourself in the university or in a beneficiary of your living trust is another thoughtful and appreciated option. Making the CSUSB Foundation for certain appropriate assets, a percentage or flat amount in your estate plan is a way to leave a permanent impact on the university and the students it serves.

Planned Gifts

Often we find friends who plan or hope to make a gift in the future but simply are not ready to make the decision. Sometimes income from the proposed gift is needed to sustain lifestyle. It is possible to make such a gift today and receive the tax deduction this year, yet still receive income from the gift for a number of years or perhaps the rest of your life. That’s right. Give a gift now and get a tax deduction now. Income begins today and lasts a lifetime. The university receives the gift in the future. Such transactions are most often referred to as “planned gifts.”

Charitable gift annuities and charitable remainder trusts are excellent examples of such gifts. Either will support the mission of the university and provide multiple benefits to a donor. Funding charitable gift annuities with cash or appreciated stock provides the donor and others a lifetime income stream in addition to a substantial tax deduction. These gift opportunities are also excellent retirement investments as the income can be deferred.

Charitable remainder trusts are another option, especially for appreciated assets such as stock and real estate. The donor may choose the term of the trust anywhere from years or a lifetime. The donor may choose the trustee or appoint oneself or himself as the trustee to manage the gift during the earning years. The donor is allowed to choose the level of income, as low as five percent or higher if needed. Of course, the donor chooses the charity which will receive the gift at the end of the trust.

You have many options in the way you choose to assist the mission of CSUSB and enhance your own financial planning as well. For information about these options call Mike Traue, associate vice president of development, at (909) 880-5505, or Jim Williams, gift planning manager, at (909) 881-56444.
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College of Social and Behavioral Sciences
Outstanding undergraduate Jacqueline Watts-Sutton earned honors in psychology and human development. A McNair Scholar, she is also the coordinator of the psychology department's Peer Advising Center. As the vice-president for CSUSB's Associated Students, and while at CSUSB she wrote and co-authored a number of publications.

Outstanding graduate, Leanne Graff, legally blind due to diabetic retinopathy, received a master's degree in social work. She has worked with emotionally disturbed youth at Loma Linda Medical Center's Pediatric Specialty Team clinic, and is active in a mentoring program involving pre-teens.

College of Business and Public Administration
Kimora Kangalikit, the outstanding graduate in business, graduated with a 3.9 GPA and has served CSUSB as a finance tutor for in-coming international students and been active in the campus's The Association (Business and public administration only awarded the outstanding graduate award).

Palm Desert Campus
Linda Wright-Tenault was the outstanding undergraduate and returned to school after 28 years. She received a bachelor's degree in psychology and English literature. Tenault has volunteered at the O.B.- Canyon division of Sharp's Hospital and at the Children's Center in Joshua Tree.

Born in the Philippines, Khozette Brakon received the outstanding graduate award. Brakon became a U.S. citizen in 1999. She teaches at Mountain Vista Elementary school, where she started a track and field team that has 25 percent participation of the entire student body. Brakon also serves the community as a member of the board of directors for the Coachella Valley YMCA.
**Taking Notes**

**Faculte**

by Ginny Stewart

Continuing with its summer musical tradition, the Cal State Summer Wednesdays free concert series moved to more than 2,000 guests. The offerings included a range of musical styles, from classic rock to contemporary hits.

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by Lorene Richardson

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Laurie Flynn joined CSUSB as the CSUSB financial aid office as associate director in May 2002, shortly after celebrating her 30th anniversary as a financial aid officer. Before coming to Cal State, Lois served as the vice president for financial aid at San Diego City College, a parent company for several nationwide chains of vocational schools and colleges. Lois has also been a consultant to local and state financial aid administration and has served in the CSU and at community colleges, private independent colleges as well as vocational schools and colleges.

**New Leaders**

Ai is a new president and student affairs added several new directors with key positions filled in housing, financial aid, the Children’s Center and services to students with disabilities.

In May 2003 Ezekiel Bonillas was elected by the students of CSUSB to serve as Associated Students, Inc. president for the 2003-2004 academic year. A dual major in business administration and Spanish, Ezekiel maintains a grade point average near 3.5. Since his freshman year at CSUSB he’s been involved with several on-campus and off-campus organizations, including the Latino Business Student Association, Latino Scholastic Achievement Corporation, I’m Going to College Project, Casa de San Bernardino Youth Mentoring Program, Lambda Theta Phi and Associated Students, Inc. (ASI). Ezekiel had this to say about his new role: “We have already begun planning for the year and are expecting to bring in a wide variety of quality educational, cultural, social and charitable events to campus. For example, we are sponsoring the first Student Leadership Conference, in which we will bring all student leaders together for two days to prepare them for the huge task of moving their organizations forward as well as inform them about co-sponsoring events with ASI and other organizations. In addition, we are hosting each Wednesday first-run movies with free food and drink, open to everyone on campus... By working together with the executive officers and the university community, we will lead the students to a better future for themselves and CSUSB.”

**CHILDREN’S CENTER**

Barbara Kirby

Barbara Kirby joined the university in September 2002 as director of the Children’s Center after 10 years with the Riverside County Office of Education. There, she served as a mentor teacher, curriculum coach and Headstart teacher. Prior to coming to CSUSB, she served as a site supervisor. She has also served as a faculty member at Riverside Community College, where she taught early childhood education. Taking the job with the Children’s Center is sort of a homecoming for Barbara. She earned her bachelor’s degree in human development from Cal State San Bernardino and is working toward her master’s degree in psychology, human development.

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Mary Beth Morris, the outstanding undergraduate, graduated with a 3.9 grade point average, served as president of the Honor Society of the National Communication Association and as publicity officer for the Public Relations Student Society of America at CSUSB.

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Joshua Theray. With a little bit of jazz, blues rock and reggae, from Gregg Young and the 2nd Street Band. These fine musicians from L.A. got the audience up and on their feet with such songs as “I Will Survive” and “Pink Cadillac.” Not only was it “hot, hot, hot!”

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Mary Theray, the outstanding graduate, was named an Ashland Scholar. She also attended the University of Oregon, where she served as a finance tutor for in-coming international students and was active in the campus’ Theta Association. (Business and public administration only awarded the outstanding graduate award.)

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Chris Thayer. With a little bit of jazz, blues rock and reggae, from Gregg Young and the 2nd Street Band. These fine musicians from L.A. got the audience up and on their feet with such songs as “I Will Survive” and “Pink Cadillac.” Not only was it “hot, hot, hot!”
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Nicole Cerwin Nichols (B.A. communications ’91), vice president of corporate communications and publicity for ABC Family, shares what communications students can look forward to in their career.

Salmi’s political science students.

State Assemblyman Russ Bogh (B.A. business economics ’93) shares his road to the capitol stories with Dr. Ralph Salsbery, a political science professor.

John Simes, B.A. accounting ’77, is chief financial officer of AppStream in Palo Alto. AppStream provides simple, accessible software delivery, using the Web to connect to existing applications.

George W. Schramek ’75

John Weckerliner, B.A. administration ’74, is the director of sales at Big League Dreams Sports Park in Chino Hills. Big League Dreams features scaled-down replicas of Major League Baseball parks and is open to the public.

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Patricia Hatch, M.A. educational counseling ’87, M.A. educational administration ’99, works for the Moreno Valley Unified School District and has co-authored “The ASCA National Model: A Framework for School Counseling Programs.” Patricia completed her Ph.D. in institutional leadership and policy studies from the University of California, Riverside in 2002.


Tina Tomasso-Kundig ’83

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Manuel Borba, B.A. social science ’91, is an attorney with a private practice in Chino, specializing in criminal defense and business litigation.

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Laura Janell Dieckman
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Jeff Gillian
B.S. kinesiology 2000, and Katie Smith, were married July 13 in Riverside. Jeff is a teacher for the Colton Unified School District.

Francisco Loya
B.A. political science 1997, and Charlene Ellis, B.A. liberal studies 2001, were married May 17 in Mexico. Francisco and Charlene are both teachers for the Coachella Valley Unified School District.

Kolly Morehead

Douglas Gonzalez
B.A. finance 1990, and his wife, Vive, announce the birth of their second son, Jordan Joshua, born June 27.

In Memoriam

Erik Hidalgo
B.A. economics 2001, died of cancer on June 23. Erik had worked as a student assistant in the CSUSB International Students Office. He is survived by his wife, Kim Timilakis, B.A. Spanish 1999.

Laura Centrella, B.A. '94, '92 and Leonard Magdaleno, B.S. kinesiology 2001, were married June 28 in San Gabriel. Rayna teaches physical education at Rialto, and Leonard teaches physical education at Shandin Hills Middle School in San Bernardino.

Randy espaína, B.A. art 1970, and Rudy C. Ramirez, B.A. art 1972, depict the history of CSUSB and the region in a mural painted in the university’s Lower Commons’ Mountain View Plaza at CSUSB. Art department Professor [or Morgan (middle) was instrumental in bringing the former students back to campus and directing the mural project.

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Beth Flynn, B.S. industrial technology, 1994, M.B.A. 2000, is the MBA program director for the CSUSB College of Business and Public Administration.

Michelle Lentsch, B.A. liberal studies, 1993; M.A. interdisciplinary studies 2002, is the owner of Distinct Lasing in Riverside, specializing in custom awards, gifts and presentations.

Blanca E. Lopez, B.A. psychology, 1999, works for the Riverside Department of Child Protective Services as a children’s social service worker. Blanca previously worked in the Riverside County Department of Mental Health.

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The university’s regional and national reputation as a strong competitor in athletics is important in drawing students and the community to campus, said current CSUSB President Albert Karnig. “The simple act of coming to the campus for a sporting event makes it more likely that that person will also attend a concert, a play, a museum opening or a lecture.” Success in athletics also bodes well for campus life. “When highly visible teams excel, there is more interest and campus community spirit,” said Evans. At the same time, academics and leadership of two great leaders — Tony Evans and Albert Karnig, “No matter how much has changed (since 1984-85) it is important to remember and thank those who started an athletics program at Cal State.”

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