April 12, 2018

Civic & Community Engagement

Awards Celebration of Service

The Grand Theater
2665 Mission Street | San Francisco, CA 94110
Program begins at 7:00pm

~WELCOME~
Glendie Domingo-Lipar, Master of Ceremonies
Nina S. Roberts, Ph.D., Faculty Director

~REMARKS~
Jennifer Summit, Ph.D.,
Provost & Vice President for Academic Affairs

~DISTINGUISHED AWARD~
Thomas Ehrlich, J.D.
Lifetime Achievement Award for Civic Engagement and Community Service Learning

~DISTINGUISHED RECOGNITION~
Gerald “Jerry” Eisman, Ph.D.
Newly established Eisman Award for Engaged Scholarship

~AWARD WINNERS~

STUDENT AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
Kristy Lui, College of Health & Social Sciences. Major – M.A. Gerontology

FACULTY AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN SERVICE LEARNING
Lucas Metcalf-Tobin, Department of Recreation, Parks & Tourism

STUDENT AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE IN SERVICE LEARNING
Estevan Lopez, College of Business. Major – M.A. Economics
Alondra Corona, College of Health & Social Sciences. Major – Child & Adolescent Development

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN SERVICE LEARNING
Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy & National Park Service
Lead: Elizabeth Lindner, Program Manager, Internships & Service Initiatives

SF STATE NOMINATION TO THE BAY AREA JEFFERSON AWARDS FOR PUBLIC SERVICE
David Matsumoto, Ph.D., Professor, Psychology Department, College of Science & Engineering
Dear friends and colleagues,

ICCE is honored for your presence tonight as we celebrate outstanding accomplishments generating positive impact in our community. This year, the Civic & Community Engagement Awards Ceremony recognizes the work of individuals and organizations who have given their expertise and time to worthy causes. Their dedication has forged the bonds of engagement that connects the university and the community in outstanding ways. This year we also acknowledge Thomas Ehrlich, J.D. and Dr. Jerry Eisman, two individuals who have played significant roles in the world of service-learning and left a legacy of action and change. We are thankful for their decades of leadership and contributions across both the local and national realm. Their expertise has laid the groundwork for many people who continue to learn and grow. Thank you for being here, for your continued support, and joining us as we honor exceptional award recipients.

With gratitude,

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Faculty Director

Jill Russell, M.P.A.
Operations Manager

Jen L. Gasang, M.P.A.
Associate Director

Jose Lopez, M.A.
Senior Program Coordinator

Glendie Domingo-Lipar, M.A.
Community Partnerships & Campus Outreach Coordinator

Eunice Kim
Program Coordinator

Student Assistants:
Christopher Gilpatrick, Zayda Ortiz, Eric Ojeda, Stephanie Jimenez, Ricky Espana

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Thomas Ehrlich, J.D.

Tom Ehrlich is well-known as a pioneer in the field of civic engagement. The former chair of the Campus Compact board of directors, he is the author or co-author of fourteen books, including Educating Citizens: Preparing America’s Undergraduates for Lives of Moral and Civic Responsibility (2003), Civic Responsibility and Higher Education (2003), and Educating for Democracy: Preparing Undergraduates for Responsible Political Engagement (2007). While a Distinguished University Scholar at the California State University, he helped design CSU Monterey Bay’s civic engagement curriculum and taught regularly at San Francisco State. Tom Ehrlich was a former law professor and dean of Stanford Law School and returned to Stanford in 2009 as a Visiting Professor of Education where he is now an adjunct professor. A graduate of Harvard College and Harvard Law School, Tom Ehrlich also holds five honorary degrees! Tom Ehrlich has also previously served as president of Indiana University, and provost of the University of Pennsylvania. Additionally, from 2000 to 2010, Tom was a Senior Scholar at the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. His research interests include access and equity, civic education, curriculum and instruction, moral education, state and federal education policy, and more. Congratulations to Tom Ehrlich!
The Eisman Award for Engaged Scholarship will be given annually to one full-time, tenured/tenure track faculty or lecturer who has research or creative scholarship as part of their required duties, and exhibits commitment to civic engagement and/or community service learning as part of their professional achievement and growth. This award will recognize the exemplary engaged scholarship with a community partner or across units at SF State. The recipient will be recognized for their work to gain new experience, or expand upon current scholarship in community service-learning, civic engagement, and/or on-campus collaboration. The recipient should embody the ideals, vision and success of experiential learning and show experience or promise as a researcher in one’s discipline. In honor of Dr. Jerry Eisman, the recipient should apply best practices of SF State as an engaged institution and demonstrate inspiration to enhancing community or campus relationships through advancing their scholarship and contributing to the body of knowledge in their field of study.

Gerald Eisman, Ph.D.

This new award is named in honor of Dr. Gerald “Jerry” Eisman who joined the SF State Computer Science faculty in 1988 including serving as department chair for several years. In the early 90s, he worked with a team to form SFSUnet, a campus-community online communication project aimed at closing the digital divide to address community needs. In 1995, Dr. Eisman chaired an SF State strategic planning taskforce that created the Office of Community Service Learning and later served as its Director placing thousands of students in the community each year as part of their academic study. From 2004 to 2006, Jerry served as the first Service-Learning Faculty Scholar in the California State University (CSU) Office of the Chancellor, where he helped promote community-based scholarship throughout the CSU system and later became Director of ICCE at SF State in ‘08. Two years later, Jerry received the CA Campus Compact’s Richard E. Cone Award recognizing his impact on service-learning and community-campus partnerships. Throughout his career, Jerry’s work has focused on how the educational and scholarship processes of the university can combine with the assets of communities to generate new knowledge that has direct impact on community needs.
**Fall 2018 Panetta Congressional Intern**

Daniel Richardson, College of Business  
Major - Business and Economics with a concentration in Decision Science

**Civic & Community Engagement Floor Student Liaison**

Rachel Hanley, College of Liberal & Creative Arts  
Major - Film

**Civic Engagement Fellows**

- **Dmitra-Dejahnae Lucas**  
  Major - Child and Adolescent Development  
  Minor - Africana Studies

- **Alexa Medina**  
  Major - Communications  
  Minor - Latino/a Studies

- **Mariposa Sanchez**  
  Major - Biology  
  Minor - Latinx Studies and Chemistry

- **Jacqueline Galicia**  
  Major - Latinx Studies  
  Minor - Race and Resistance

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Call to Service Initiative Grantees

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Anoshua Chaudhuri, Ph.D., Chair & Professor, Economics

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL & CREATIVE ARTS

Oscar Guerra Nunez, Ph.D., Assistant Professor
Broadcast and Electronic Communication Arts

Jolie Goorjian, Lecturer
English Language & Literature

Jerome Schwab, Lecturer
English Language & Literature

Ron Hayduk, Ph.D., Associate Professor
Political Science

Laura Moorhead, Ph.D., Assistant Professor
Journalism

Department/Program Grant:
Composition, English Language & Literature
Lead: Tara Lockhart, Ph.D., Associate Professor

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Autumn Thoyre, Ph.D., Assistant Professor
Environmental Studies, School of Public Affairs & Civic Engagement

Pavlína Látková, Ph.D., Associate Professor
Recreation, Parks & Tourism

Linda Platas, Ph.D., Associate Chair/Assistant Professor
Child & Adolescent Development
Call to Service Initiative Grantees

COLLEGE OF ETHNIC STUDIES
Department/Program Grant: Asian American Studies
Lead: Russell Jeung, Ph.D., Chair & Professor

GRADUATE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
Ali Borjian, Ph.D., Associate Professor
Elementary Education

STUDENT AFFAIRS & ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT
Civic Engagement/Civic Learning Grant:
Health Promotion and Wellness Center
Lead: Rick Nizzardini, Interim Director
Lead: Jul Custodio, Mental Health Educator

Dream Resource Center
Lead: Norma Salcedo, AB 540 Dream Coordinator
Auranelle Munoz, College of Health and Social Sciences
Major - Urban Studies & Planning

Auranelle Munoz is a senior, majoring in Urban Studies & Planning. She has extensive involvement with the City and County of San Francisco including as an intern at the Mayor’s Office of Neighborhood Services and Office of Economic and Workforce Development. Her passion for community work is rooted in her experiences growing up in San Francisco’s Excelsior District, where she continually saw the changing façade of her neighborhood. Thus, she had the urgency to get to know her community deeper and serve in whatever ways she can. In the past, Auranelle has volunteered her time during election nights as a poll worker and a supervisor as well as a Tagalog translator. Currently, Auranelle is an intern with the office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion, where she is assigned to the San Francisco international Airport. During this experience, she works with the SFO Commission to strategize and provide reasonable accommodations for individuals in need. She is also working with the Commission to ensure that Title IV discrimination cases regarding race and national origin are properly addressed. Auranelle’s passion for local governance is apparent and she is dedicated to serve the San Francisco community for years to come.
Kristy Lui, College of Health and Social Sciences  
Masters candidate, Gerontology, School of Public Affairs & Civic Engagement

Kristy Lui is a graduate student in Gerontology at SF State. She is also a Graduate Teaching Assistant in the Asian American Studies and Psychology Department, as well as a Graduate Research Assistant in the Psychology and Gerontology Department. Kristy demonstrated exceptional community engagement at the local, state, regional, national, and international levels. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services selected Ms. Lui as a Health Equity Fellow for the Youth Health Equity Model, and she actively participated in the development of a textbook proposal on health and healthcare disparities. She has vast experience and community engagement with various community organizations such as Chinatown/North East Medical Services Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation Center, Rally for Inclusion, 4thBayview Black History Month and Lunar New year Celebration at the YMCA. She is also California State Certified as a Residential Care Facilities for the Elderly Administrator. Ms. Lui plans to continue contributing to community-engaged opportunities, and complete her Master of Arts in Gerontology, geared towards advance care planning and end-of-life care in ethnic minority communities.
Alondra Corona, College of Health and Social Sciences
Major - Child and Adolescent Development

Alondra Corona is an undergraduate senior pursuing a major in the Department of Child & Adolescent Development at SF State. Currently, Alondra is serving as an intern at City Youth Now (CYN), a community-based organization serving youth in San Francisco’s foster care and juvenile justice systems. Alondra has demonstrated an exceptional record of having an excellent work ethic, professional initiative, and critical thinking skills. Additionally, Alondra’s genuine interactions with the youth and their families CYN serves, has been invaluable and insightful to those around her. Through her experience working with community organizations such as CYN, Alondra plans to explore a career working closely with underserved communities with complex social issues. She plans to continue providing the much needed services required for communities serving at risk youth.
Estevan Lopez, College of Business, Master of Arts in Economics Major - Economics

As a student in the Economics Department at SF State, Estevan Lopez chose to do a service learning research project with the community partners NICOS Chinese Health Coalition and Richmond Area Multi-services (RAMS). He helped digitize the intake forms for the Problem Gambling Helpline that RAMS managed for NICOS. Estevan remained active with the project and now, as a graduate student, has done a presentation based on this topic and made a series of recommendations on how to interpret the data. His findings have helped NICOS determine how to best use their marketing strategies to optimize the use of this helpline. Estevan then enrolled in an Economics Department independent study as a specialized experience to re-write the class report as an academic paper. Motivated to continue this important work, Estevan sent this paper to the National Conference on Problem Gambling and did an exemplary job of presenting the findings. Currently, Estevan is revising this paper for submission to a peer-reviewed journal for possible publication.
FACULTY AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN SERVICE LEARNING

Lucas Metcalf-Tobin, Lecturer, College of Health and Social Sciences
Department of Recreation, Parks & Tourism

Lucas Metcalf-Tobin is a lecturer of a therapeutic service-learning course in the Department of Recreation, Parks & Tourism (RPT 410). He prioritizes reflection and inclusion in his teachings and methodologies including a 40-hour CSL requirement (per student, per semester) resulting in over 20,000 hours of service for people with disabilities across various agencies during his 9-year tenure. His practices have influenced students as they pursue their professional endeavors in the restoration of recreation as they once have known it. He has been instrumental by way of teaching students to think critically and reflect on issues of social justice, such as perceptions, access, and equity. Mr. Metcalf-Tobin dedicates countless hours working with both faculty and administrators to design, redesign and implement his RPT 410, and other RPT courses, by adapting all aspects of the American Disabilities Act to ensure greatest student learning. Along with his efforts of extending sustainable ties with the community through his employment with the SF Recreation & Parks Dept., his notable contributions consist of mentorship, and on-going advocacy for persons with disabilities. His overall involvement, administration, and development in engaged scholarship has played a significant role in the campus community and its community partner’s city-wide.
Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy & National Park Service

The Academic Internship Program has engaged over 160 SF State students with internships that enhance classroom learning and professional development while cultivating a deep relationship with their local public lands. The Golden Gate National Parks Academic Internship Program is an interagency partnership between SF State University, the National Park Service, and the Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy. The Program began in 2012 as another way to involve the next generation in their public lands while providing valuable service learning and professional development opportunities. For an entire semester, local and diverse cohorts of college students across academic disciplines are immersed in engaging park experiences that enhance classroom learning. Each intern is supervised by a staff mentor who hosts an intern and undergoes mentorship training. In addition to allowing students to apply their learning, the Academic Internship Program provides specialized hands-on training, technical skills, leadership development, workforce skill building, and career advice.
David Matsumoto, Ph.D., Professor, Psychology Department, College of Science and Engineering

This year’s prestigious award is given to Dr. David Matsumoto, Professor of Psychology at San Francisco State University since 1989. Dr. Matsumoto is one of the country’s leading researchers in the field of cross-cultural psychology where he studies micro-expressions, gestures, nonverbal behavior, culture and emotion. In 2009, Dr. Matsumoto was one of the select few to receive the prestigious Minerva grant, a $1.9 million grant from the U.S. Department of Defense to examine the role of emotions in ideologically-based groups. Currently, Dr. Matsumoto is the director of SF State’s Culture and Emotion Research Laboratory focusing on culture, social interaction, and communication.

Dr. Matsumoto’s contribution to the community started in 1983 when he founded the East Bay Judo Institute (EBJI) in El Cerrito, CA, a nonprofit organization that teaches Kodokan Judo to the greater East Bay community. Judo is a martial art dating back over a hundred years. Judo pushes one’s mind and body to its maximum capacity as well as teaches students the true meaning of dedication and perseverance. His work with EBJI and the judo community have produced contributing members of society such as teachers, doctors, first responders and international athletic champions, including a 2008 Olympian.

Dr. Matsumoto has volunteered his time as head instructor for the judo community for the past several decades. This has all been achieved while raising a family, being a professor, and managing his own business. His work ethic, dedication, integrity, and involvement of students throughout his work, makes him a worthy recipient of this year’s SF State Nominee to the Bay Area Jefferson Awards for Public Service.

“He has always been stressed that being a person of integrity who works hard and treats others with honor and respect is far more valuable than any medal one can ever win or title one can hold.”
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