

# CALS Monday Message

WE THINK OUTSIDE THE BARN!

***Need a Tier 2 Humanities class this semester? Register now for ENGL 265, Major American Writers, offered in the second half of Spring 2013!***

The English Department is offering a second section of **ENGL265: Major American Writers** in the second half of spring semester. Registration is now open in UAccess.

ENGL 265, Section 2  
Meets March 4-May 1  
Tues & Thurs 6:30-9:00pm  
ML 304

ENGL 265—Major American Writers  
Counts for Tier 2 Humanities requirement  
Instructor: BACA

In this seminar we will examine fiction, poetry and essays by American Indians with a focus on writers from regions that are today known as the southwest United States and northern Mexico. We will proceed with the understanding that with over 500 distinct Indian Nations in the United States alone, generalizations typically work to obscure intricate cultural practices unique to each population. We will recognize the complexities of human expression in place of simplification and reduction.

In spite of the differences among our writers, one important element their work shares is a deep respect for and reliance on centuries-old intellectual traditions of narrative and oration. Therefore, we will highlight this element, paying careful attention to:

- The politics of the spoken word
- The role of historical memory as creative force in literary expression
  - The contexts in which spoken and written texts are embedded
- The centrality of narrative to individual as well as tribal subjectivity
- Themes of endurance, resistance, tribal history, tribal sovereignty

## Dates and Deadlines

March 5: Last day to make schedule change (i.e. withdraw from a class) with instructor's signature only

March 6: **ALL REGISTRATION CHANGES REQUIRE** not only the instructor's signature indicating permission on a Change of Schedule form, but also the Dean's signature. CALS policy: In order to drop, pick up a Late Change Petition in Forbes 211 along with a Change of Schedule form. Fill them both out and have your instructor do so as well. Bring them back to 211 and the Academic Standards Committee will review the petition. **YOU MUST HAVE AN EXTRAORDINARY REASON** for wanting to drop a class that late in the semester. Not all petitions will be approved.

March 9-17: **SPRING RECESS**

May 1: Last day of classes

May 1: Last day for complete withdrawal— Contact Dean of Students Office at Nugent Bldg.

## Exciting internship abroad!

Health youth, formerly known as Imaginations, is a non-profit organization that works on protecting and promoting health among youth, all while providing meaningful and exciting experiences for volunteers. This summer Health youth invites applicants to apply for summer volunteer positions in Peru and Thailand. Internship includes homestay expenses, (some) travel funds within country, and promises good times with locals and friends alike, and experiences you will never forget. Positions include clinical medicine and community development, teaching, and others.

Applications are due on March 1st. Apply at [www.health youth.org](http://www.health youth.org) under volunteer. Positions are limited and competitive, so please begin the process asap.

Health youth has worked with more than 300 volunteers from University of Illinois, Arizona State University, and University of Arizona to work on meaningful projects abroad. Our alumni network ranges from physicians and educators, to public health practitioners, many of whom cite their experience with Health youth as a key part of their professional growth. Please visit [www.health youth.org](http://www.health youth.org) for more information or email us

Details about **Fall 2013 Priority Registration** can now be found on the Registrar's website:

<http://registrar.arizona.edu/schedule2134/rsvp/rsvp.htm>

The Schedule of Classes will be available on **March 4, 2013** and students will be able to view their Enrollment Appointments in UAccess on March 4<sup>th</sup> as well. Students will be receiving an email prior to that date instructing them to log into UAccess Student on or after March 4, 2013 to view the details of their appointment time(s).

**\*\***Please note that students who are transferring units from another college or university must submit their transcripts to the Registrar's Office no later than February 15, 2013 in order to have them evaluated before their Enrollment Appointment is assigned.

Questions can be directed to [REG-reghelp@email.arizona.edu](mailto:REG-reghelp@email.arizona.edu).

# SCHOLARSHIP FOR OUTSTANDING SCIENCE/ENGINEERING STUDENTS

If you are a sophomore or junior who has done research in engineering or the sciences, you can apply for the Astronaut Foundation Scholarship, which offers \$10,000 for each remaining year of your undergraduate education.

Contact Dr. Jeff Thibert with the Office of Nationally Competitive Scholarships at [thibert@email.arizona.edu](mailto:thibert@email.arizona.edu) for more information about how to apply. The campus deadline is February 25.

## Graduating Student & Alumni Career Day

Mark your calendar for Friday, **April 26, 2013**. This is a career fair for graduating students and alumni seeking permanent positions in the fields of Education and Nonprofits. Regarding Education, in addition to teachers, this can mean accountants, human resources and computer techs. The primary interviewing season for teachers is spring semester when school districts actively recruit. Educators interested in careers in education will have opportunities to interview with potential employers during this event in the Student Union Memorial Center

For students interested in a career in the nonprofit sector, this is a broad field with opportunities across the board. Oftentimes, working in nonprofits can offer opportunities for students and recent college graduates to stretch career-wise in ways that are not readily available in the more structured environments common to large corporations. The nonprofit sector includes organizations that work to fill gaps left by government and business sectors by directly or indirectly working with communities.

The nonprofit sector is comprised of organizations working towards a better world, as defined by each of these organizations' missions. Within the nonprofit sector, organizations have missions that directly contrast with one another — for example organizations on opposing sides of social or environmental issues. But the beauty of working within the nonprofit sector is that anyone can find a cause they believe in and work (actually get paid!) to represent the goals of that particular organization.

**Bring your resume to the Third Floor Ballroom of the UA Student Union Memorial Center on Friday, April 26th, 2013, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and see what opportunities might be waiting for you!**

## THINK TANK: GRAD SCHOOL TEST PREP COURSES

Our courses are open to UA students and working professionals in the Tucson community. The THINK TANK offers world-class, affordable graduate school test prep through evening and weekend courses. Our experienced instructors help students understand the nature of the exam, break down question analysis, and teach core strategies.

### ABOUT OUR CLASSES

- \$550.00 course fee
- Four week courses
- In depth analysis: Verbal, Quantitative, and Analytical Writing
  - FREE practice tests
  - Located on campus

Cost of session includes textbook and materials

To enroll in one of our classes please contact:

Karen Ward

(520) 621-4061

[kmward1@email.arizona.edu](mailto:kmward1@email.arizona.edu)

## 7<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL HELPING OCCUPATIONS CAREER EXPO

**WHAT:** The HOPE Expo brings together representatives from social services agencies, behavioral health agencies, and social services-related graduate programs from across southeastern Arizona. This FREE CAREER FAIR is a great way to connect with agencies who are hiring interns and full-time employees, or just to learn more about career opportunities in social services.

**WHEN:** Tuesday, February 26<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Hotel Tucson City Center at 475 N Granada Avenue (just north of downtown). Parking is free.

**HOW:** No RSVP is required. Just bring yourself and your résumé!

If you have any questions about this event, please contact the ASU School of Social Work – Tucson Component at [520-884-5507](tel:520-884-5507).



# HEALTH PROFESSIONS WEEK

March 4-8, 2013



## MONDAY march 4

### Pizza with a Professional: Exploring Careers in the Health Professions

12:00 pm – 1:30 pm  
Student Union Memorial Center,  
Tucson Room

Panel: Medicine, Dentistry, Pharmacy,  
Veterinary, and Public Health  
Enjoy free pizza while you learn about  
health professions.

RSVP: [clas.arizona.edu/pizza/rsvp](http://clas.arizona.edu/pizza/rsvp)

2013 Health Professions “Kick Off” Lecture  
**High Touch High Tech Striking a Balance in the Health Professions**  
5:30 pm – 6:00 pm Reception & Registration  
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm Keynote Address  
The University of Arizona Medical Center (UAMC), Duval Auditorium  
1501 N. Campbell Avenue  
Open to the Public

Keynote Address:  
Dr. Allan Hamilton, Executive Director  
Arizona Simulation Technology Center (ASTEC)  
[www.allanhamilton.com](http://www.allanhamilton.com)  
[www.uanews.org/videos/horses-help-teach-bedside-manner-med-students](http://www.uanews.org/videos/horses-help-teach-bedside-manner-med-students)

For parking information visit: [clas.arizona.edu/prehealth/parking](http://clas.arizona.edu/prehealth/parking)



## TUESDAY march 5

**Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine Webinar**  
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm  
Dr. Mehta, Dean of Admissions and Mr. Christian Essman, Director of Admissions  
Meet the Dean and Director of Admissions ONLINE  
Learn about the School of Medicine and Tips For A Successful Application

You can participate from wherever you have a strong internet connection!  
**Instructions for accessing:** [clas.arizona.edu/prehealth/webinar](http://clas.arizona.edu/prehealth/webinar)



## WEDNESDAY march 6

**2013 Health Professions Expo  
Browse Session**  
10:30 am – 2:30 pm  
Marriott University  
880 E. Second Street  
Tucson, AZ 857819

Including, not limited to, the  
following professions: Medicine,  
Dentistry, Pharmacy, Optometry,  
Physical Therapy  
For a complete list of attendees visit:  
[clas.arizona.edu/prehealth/healthexpo](http://clas.arizona.edu/prehealth/healthexpo)

(AACOM) D.O. Presentation:  
**Thinking About Medical  
School? Explore the DO  
Difference!**  
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm  
Student Union Memorial Center,  
Kiva Auditorium  
Open to the Public

Gina M. Moses, M.Ed., Associate  
Director of Application Services  
American Association of Colleges of  
Osteopathic Medicine (AACOM)  
This dynamic presentation explores  
the difference between becoming a  
Medical Doctor (MD) and a Doctor  
of Osteopathy (DO).

**Admissions Panel**  
Reception: 5:30 pm – 6:00 pm  
Panel: 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm  
Student Union Memorial  
Center, Catalina Room

Learn what will make your  
application stand out. Students  
are encouraged to ask medical  
school representatives  
questions about the admissions  
process.



## FRIDAY march 8

**Pre-Health Professions Advising Center Open House**  
8:00 am – 12:00 pm  
Bear Down Gym

Questions after Pre-Health Week? Stop by Bear Down Gym  
to ask a Pre-Health Advisor about your health career options.

Pre-Health Professions Advising Center  
Bear Down Gym | 1428 E. University Blvd. | Tucson, AZ 85721  
520-621-7763 | [clas.arizona.edu/prehealth](http://clas.arizona.edu/prehealth) | [clas-aac@email.arizona.edu](mailto:clas-aac@email.arizona.edu)



## UA's Love Your Body Week, Feb 20-27

Presents 4 exciting events relevant to your life as they will give you insights to help you empower yourself and support others with their food and body image concerns and behavior changes through a better understanding of influences on self-perception and self-worth.

Our headliner is **Dr. Jean Kilbourne**, internationally acclaimed filmmaker, author, activist, and lecturer who has been a pioneer and leader in bringing global attention to the connection between advertising's images of women and the prevalence of body image issues **among women and** an ever-growing number of **men**.

**Look through the events below and put them on your calendar!** They layer together for a great education and awareness of factors contributing to body image issues, and disordered eating/eating disorders awareness, treatment, and recovery. [Click for event flier](#)

**Dr. Kilbourne is a rock star** in her ability to build a compelling visual and verbal case that leaves no doubt there are widespread consequences of the media's role in body image issues, empowering you to shift beliefs and make different choices, or to help others do so.

**Wednesday, Feb. 20 - Free Movie, Miss Representation**, (Jennifer Siebel's documentary challenging media's disparaging portrayals of women, featuring Jean Kilbourne and others). 6:30 PM, Modern Languages Building Rm 350, seating is limited to the first 200.

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**Tuesday, Feb. 26 – Love Your Body Fair.** 10:00AM – 2:00PM, UA Mall in front of the Student Union. Interactive Exhibits, Free Info and Screenings, Games, great Prizes. Drop by and visit tables by student groups from across campus!

**Wednesday, Feb. 27 – Dr. Jean Kilbourne, Training for Professionals and for Students interested in the field of eating disorders.**

*Falling in Love with Food: Connection and Disconnection in Food Advertising.*

8:00 – 11:00AM, UA Memorial Student Union, Catalina/Tucson rooms, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor. Registration required, go to <http://jeankilbourne-eorgf.eventbrite.com/> for details. Registration only \$10 for students. Don't miss this opportunity to network with professionals in Tucson and to meet Dr. Kilbourne. Breakfast included.

**Wednesday, Feb. 27 – Dr. Jean Kilbourne.** FREE presentation, open to the public .

*The Naked Truth: Advertising's Image of Women.* (You'll never look at ads the same way again!)

6:00PM, UA Memorial Student Union, South Ballroom, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor.

Reception with snacks and book signing will follow the presentation.

Contact me with questions or if you have problems accessing linked sites

### **Many Thanks to our generous Sponsors:**

Center for Change • Int'l Assoc. of Eating Disorder Professionals-Tucson Chapter  
Mirasol Eating Disorder Recovery Centers • Remuda Ranch • Sierra Tucson •  
Rosewood Centers for Eating Disorders • Casa de Palmas/The Haven • Desert Milagros • Desert Star A.R.C. • AZDSH  
Free Vitamins for Women Campaign • The Women's Resource Center • FORCE • SIROW • Campus Health Service

## Position Description: Transfer Student Assistant

**Job Title:** Transfer Student Assistant /Transfer Outreach Facilitator

**Reports to:** Transfer Student Center Director

**Salary:** \$7.80/hourly

**Hours per Week:** Flexible, 10 -15 hours/week

This position is part of the Transfer Student Center. The role of the Transfer Student Center is to provide information and assistance to prospective transfer students applying to University of Arizona and to new transfer students in their transition to the UA. An important part of this process is the involvement of Transfer Student Assistants (peers). Transfer Student Assistants will serve as outreach facilitators in the Transfer Center, responding to prospective and new transfer student questions and concerns; reaching out to newly admitted transfer students to engage them in workshops designed to facilitate their transition to UA campus.

### **Responsibilities:**

- Greet and welcome prospective and new transfer students to Transfer Student Center
- Presentations to visiting groups of prospective transfer students & newly admitted Transfers
- Phone and email contact with prospective and newly admitted transfers
- Represent Transfer students on committees or student panels as needed
- Walk-in appointments with new and prospective transfer students.
- Provide administrative and front desk support.
- Assist with center programs and workshops
- Maintain and update Transfer Student Center Resource information bulletin board.
- Become the "expert" on designated college cluster (know academic advisor, college resources, faculty members, programs, etc.)
- Maintain current information on college cluster assigned in binders
- Maintain digital connections with timely information delivery to your designated college cluster transfer students via listserv or website.
- Become knowledgeable about campus and student affairs resources available to transfers
- Seek out information and resources of value and interest to transfer student population for listserv or website
- Promote Transfer Student Center programs (NSE, TSA, Tau Sigma, etc.) to students through campus organizations, classroom visits/presentations and student interaction.
- Serve as positive role model.
- Complete FERPA, Sexual Harassment & IT Security online training.
- Other duties as assigned by the Transfer Student Center Director.

### **Qualifications:**

- Continuing, current, full-time UA transfer student with an interest in helping transfer students.
- Maintain a minimum 2.75 cumulative GPA.
- Knowledge of Microsoft Office suite software
- Requires initiative, excellent interpersonal and communication skills. Highly dependable and punctual.
- Commitment to creating a welcoming and positive academic environment and sensitive to student diversity.

**\*\*Must be available to begin work August 2013\*\***

### **How to Apply:**

<http://transfer.arizona.edu/student-job-opportunities> Applications due: March 15, 2013

Katrina M. Crawford Graduate Assistant Transfer Student Center Student Union Memorial Center Suite 402 1303 East University Blvd. Tucson, AZ 85721 Phone: 520-626-9375 Fax: 520-626-4464 <http://transfer.arizona.edu>



# STUDENT FAQ

**QUESTION:** Where can I find late start courses offered at the University of Arizona?

**ANSWER:** The University of Arizona offers some late start courses. To view them visit the Schedule of Classes—select the appropriate term—refer to Session tab and select ‘Seven Week Second’ or ‘Dynamically Dated Session’ - then click on the Search button. The courses will then appear in alphabetical order by subject area. Keep in mind that if you click on ‘show only classes with available seats’, only those will appear on the list.

Note that the majority of these late start courses are general education classes.

## CAREER AND ACADEMIC SERVICES WALK-IN HOURS FOR THE WEEK

Career and Academic Services Advising located in Forbes 211  
Hours of Operation 8:00am-5:00pm Monday-Friday

Appointment Number: (520) 621-3616

General academic advising questions can be answered in this office. The two advisors in this office are Kristen Geary and Nancy Rodriguez-Lorta. Students can schedule half hour appointments; stop by for a walk-in; contact via email at [kgeary@email.arizona.edu](mailto:kgeary@email.arizona.edu) or [nancyr@ag.arizona.edu](mailto:nancyr@ag.arizona.edu) or by phone at (520) 621-3616. For a complete listing of the major advisors visit the OAP website at:

[http://cals.arizona.edu/academicprograms/advisors\\_by\\_major](http://cals.arizona.edu/academicprograms/advisors_by_major)

**Walk-in Hours for the week of Feb. 18 (for quick questions - 10 minutes or less):**

**Kristen Geary Monday 10:00am-12:00pm \* Tuesday 2:00-4:00pm \* Wednesday 1:30-4:00pm \* Thursday 9:00-11:30am**

**Nancy Rodriguez Lorta Monday 10:00-11:30am**