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State Employment Opportunities

For an official list of vacancies or to apply, go to calpolyjobs.org. For help, call Human Resources at ext. 6-2236.

There are no new job listings at this time.

ASI Employment Opportunities

For an official list of vacancies or to apply, go to calpolyjobs.org. For help, call Human Resources at ext. 6-5800.

There are no new job listings at this time.

Baker Forum to Feature Discussions on Diversity May 6

The 2016 Baker Forum will be held from 2 to 3:30 p.m. Friday, May 6, in Harman Hall of the Performing Arts Center's Christopher Cohan Center. This year's forum will feature a panel discussion about diversity in higher education and the workforce. The discussion will explore solutions people can pursue individually and collectively. Panel members will share personal and professional experiences, discuss issues relevant to diversity, and answer questions from the audience. Panelists include Cal Poly alumna Silvia Aguilar, mechanical engineer III, Platform Products, Lam Research Corporation (Mechanical Engineering, 2013); Margaret Fortune, president and chief executive officer, Fortune School of Education; Blake Irving, chief executive officer and board director, GoDaddy; and Suzanne "Zan" Vautrinot, president, Kilovolt Consulting. William "Bill" Swanson (Industrial Engineering, 1973), retired chairman and chief executive officer of Raytheon Company and chairman of the Cal Poly Foundation board of directors, will moderate the panel discussion. The Baker Forum is free and open to the public. The forum is named in honor of the decades of service rendered by President Emeritus Warren J. Baker and his wife, Carly.

Nominations for President's Diversity Awards Due April 22

For more information, contact Kari Mansager at ext. 6-7367.

Savings Plus Workshop and Individual Sessions Offered April 20

The local representative for Savings Plus will present a 45-minute retirement workshop at 11:30 a.m. April 20, in the Administration Building (No. 1), Room 133. No pre-registration is necessary. Savings Plus is a program that offers 401k and 457 deferred compensation plans. Both plans offer convenient payroll deductions on a pre-tax or after-tax basis and other benefits. To be eligible to enroll, an employee must be a State CalPERS member. For more information or to schedule a one-on-one account review, contact certified financial planner Ralph Hoskins at 805-459-2005.

Talk on Preparing Veterans for Careers in Agriculture to be Held April 21

Michael O'Gorman, executive director of the Farmer Veteran Coalition, will talk about issues facing rural America and the effort to prepare veterans for careers in agriculture from 11 a.m. to noon Thursday, April 21, in the Science Building (No. 52), Room E27. A leading organic farmer for more than 40 years, O'Gorman will discuss the issues that drove him to start the Farmer Veteran Coalition and the tremendous growth the organization has experienced in the last seven years. The coalition is providing leadership in a national effort to prepare members of the U.S. military for careers in agriculture and the food system. The event will also feature Oscar Gonzales, California executive director of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Farm Service Agency. For more information, call the Center for Sustainability at ext. 6-5086.

StrengthsQuest Training to be Offered April 26

Faculty and staff are invited to attend a StrengthsQuest training workshop from 10 a.m. to noon Tuesday, April 26. The workshop will help participants identify natural abilities and develop strategies for applying their strengths. For more information, visit strengths.calpoly.edu or strengthsquest.com, or contact Shelly Wolf at ext. 6-5709.

April 29 Talk on How Small Communities Can Save the Planet

Timothy Miller will present an argument for "Ecovillages" and explain how small communities can benefit the environment. The talk will be held from 4 to 6 p.m. Friday, April 29, in the Baker Center (No. 180), Room 101. Miller teaches religious studies at the University of Kansas and is considered the leading researcher on intentional communities in the world. He is the author of the "Encyclopedic Guide to American Intentional Communities," "Spiritual and Visionary Communities: Out to Save the World," and "1960s Communes: Hippies and Beyond." For more information, contact Stephen Lloyd-Moffett at or ext. 6-2475.

CIE and Extended Ed Launch Summer Camp for Kids

Launch It! is a five-day summer camp for fifth- through eighth-grade students that will focus on the fundamental building blocks of entrepreneurship in a team-based, experiential format. Students will learn about identifying and solving problems, the process of customer development, marketing, basic finance, and how to pitch a product. Two sessions are available, June 13-17 and 20-24. Students will get to experience the Cal Poly campus, the HotHouse downtown, interact with business professionals and young entrepreneurs, and better understand the benefits of a college education. To register, contact Extended Education at ext. 6-2053.

Faculty and Staff Discount Available for Kids' STEM Summer Camp

Sessions of Kids Learn STEM summer camp will be offered July 11-15 and 18-22, available to fifth- through eighth-grade students. The sessions will explore Chemistry in Action with hands-on experiments in Cal Poly's Learn by Doing Lab from 8:15 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day. Discounts are available to faculty and staff, though discounted spaces are limited. To register, call ext. 6-2053.