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News & Notes

Issue Date: Friday, April 6, 2018

IAS COMMENCEMENT

Monday, May 14, 2018, 2 pm, Zellerbach Hall
Click here to register for IAS Commencement; registration deadline: Friday, April 20, 2018
Eligibility: Declared students receiving degrees from summer 2017, fall 2017, spring 2018, summer 2018, and fall 2018
Tickets: Will be available for purchase beginning Tuesday, April 17, 2018 via online or by phone or at the Zellerbach/Cal Performances Box Office. Students may purchase up to six tickets for guests at $10/ticket. Students walking in the Commencement ceremony do not need a ticket for themselves. However, a cap and gown are required
Click here for more information about IAS Commencement

DECLARATION WINDOW

Spring 2018: Monday, January 28, 2018 - Friday, May 4, 2018
Summer 2018: Monday, June 4, 2018 - Friday, August 10, 2018

IAS ADVISING

SPRING 2018
BY APPOINTMENT:
- M-Th: 10 am - noon & 1 pm - 4 pm
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SUMMER 2018: FEATURED COURSES

**SESSION A (Six weeks): May 21 - June 29, 2018**

- **POLECON N100** - Classical Theories of Political Economy; TuWTh 10 am - 1:29 pm
- **POLECON N101** - Contemporary Theories of Political Economy; TuWTh 2pm - 4:29 pm
- **POLECON 150 001** - Contemporary Political Economy Through Film; TuWTh 10:30 am - 12:59 pm
- **IAS 120 004** - Silicon Valley in the Global Economy; TuWTh 10:30 am - 12:59 pm
- **IAS 150 002** - Technology and the Economy; MTuWTh 10 am - 11:59 am
- **HIST 100U 001** - This is What Democracy Looks Like? New Populisms and Fascisms in Europe and the U.S. MTuWTh 10 am - 11:59 am

**SESSION D (Six weeks): July 2 - August 10, 2018**

- **IAS N45 001** - Survey of World History; MTWTh 10 am - 11:59 am
- **IAS N45 002** - Survey of World History; MTWTh 2 pm - 3:59 pm
- **GLOBAL 10B 001** - Critical Issues in Global Studies; TuWTh 8 am - 10:29 am
- **GLOBAL 100S 001** - Global Societies and Cultures; TuWTh 4 pm - 6:29 pm
- **IAS 120 002** - Human Rights and Film; MWF 3:30 pm - 6 pm
- **IAS 120.003** - Intro to Human Rights; MWF 12 pm - 2:30 pm
- **HISTORY 109C** - The Middle East from the 18th Century to the Present; TuWTh 1 pm - 3:29 pm
- **LS 110 004** - Law & Society in Iran; MTWTh 12 pm - 2 pm

**SESSION E (Three weeks): July 23 - August 10, 2018**

- **IAS 120 001** - Commodities in Film; MTuWTh 12 pm - 3:29 pm
- **IAS 120 005** - Recent World History Through Film; MTuWTh 9 am - 12:29 pm
- **IAS 120 006** - Lost in Translation: Cross-Cultural Encounters, Colonialism, and Travel Narratives on Film MTuWTh 4:30 pm - 7:59 pm
- **PACS 159 001** - Conflict Resolution Intensive Training MTuWThF 9 am - 3:59 pm
- **ISF 100F 001** - Theorizing Modern Capitalism: Controversies & Interpretations; MTuWTh 10 am - 11:59 am
THE CAPTURED ECONOMY: BOOK TALK

THE CAPTURED ECONOMY: How the Powerful Enrich Themselves, Slow Down Growth, and Increase Inequality

Brink Lindsey and Steve Teles, authors of The Captured Economy will talk about their book and participate in a panel discussion. A reception with refreshments will follow.

- Tuesday, April 10, 2 pm, Blum Hall, Plaza Level I

VP WALTER MONDALE AT UC BERKELEY

CITRIS & THE Banatao Institute invites you to Setting the Current Scene: A conversation with Walter F. Mondale, 42nd Vice President of the United States. During this moderated conversation, Mr. Mondale will share his perspective on issues facing the nation and world today. A reception will follow.

- Wednesday, April 11, 2018; 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm
- Location: Banatao Auditorium, Sutardja Dai Hall, UC Berkeley
- Click here to register

SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES AT U.S. PIRG

PUBLIC INTEREST RESEARCH GROUP (PIRG)

The U.S. PIRG is part of The Public Interest Network. They are a group of organizations that work to address problems that our society can’t afford to ignore - from preserving irreplaceable resources like air, water, and a livable climate; to transforming vast systems of transportation and energy that were designed to meet the needs of a different century. Throughout the Public Interest Network, they believe that a clear vision, commonsense ideas, a fact-driven case for action, and the power of bringing people together are the necessary ingredients to any successful effort to solve society's problems.

- Summer Internships: U.S. PIRG is hiring interns to help their advocates and campaign staff run successful campaigns in the summer months. Interns learn invaluable skills to jumpstart a career in political advocacy. Click here to apply.
- U.S. PIRG Fellowship: Get a two-year crash course in the nuts and bolts of public interest advocacy. Click here to apply.
CLINTON GLOBAL INITIATIVE UNIVERSITY (CGI U)

The CGI U is President Clinton’s initiative to engage the next generation of leaders on college campuses around the world. Each year, CGI U hosts a conference where students, youth organizations, and topic experts come together to discuss and develop innovative solutions to pressing global challenges with policy makers, topic experts, philanthropic, and leaders from the public, private, and NGO sectors. Participants attend plenary sessions, workshops, networking events, and a day-long service project. Each CGI U student must make a **Commitment to Action**: a specific plan of action that addresses a pressing challenge on campus, in the community, or in a different part of the world. Students can apply within five focus areas: *Education, Environment and Climate Change, Peace and Human Rights, Poverty Alleviation, and Public Health.*

- **Information Session:** Monday, April 9, 2018, 5:30 pm; B100 Blum Hall (Plaza Level); click here to RSVP
- If unable to attend information session, e-mail Chloe Gregori: cgregori@berkeley.edu
- Click here to learn more about CGI U
- Click here to apply; Application deadline: Monday, April 23, 2018 at 11:59 pm

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REDES: INTERNATIONAL SERVICE LEARNING PROGRAM

REDES (French Acronym for Network for Ecovillage Emergence and Development in the Sahel)

REDES is running an international Service Learning (ISL) program in traditional villages in Senegal to support their transitions to ecovillages. The ISL program brings together international and local university students, experts in rural communities to support development initiatives. REDES is currently in the process of creating a hub of 35 ecovillages in Senegal River Valley, a region highly affected by desertification and climate change and facing serious socioeconomic challenges. REDES invites students to join this grassroots community journey to support local transformative processes.

- Click here to learn about REDES
- For more information about REDES, email: redes.ecovillages@gmail.com