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News & Notes

Issue Date: Friday, July 6, 2018

KEY DATES

☐ Major Declaration Window:
  Summer 2018: Monday, June 4, 2018 - Friday, August 10, 2018
  Fall 2018: Wednesday, September 5, 2018 through Friday, December 7, 2018

EALC PROFICIENCY EXAMS

☐ CHINESE: Wednesday, August 22, 2018, 3-5pm; B-21 Dwinelle. E-mail: zhanglihua@berkeley.edu at least one day in advance along with your SID, e-mail address and major
☐ KOREAN - Friday, August 24, 2018, 2-4pm; 3401 Dwinelle
☐ JAPANESE: Monday, August 20, 2018; 2 pm; B-21 Dwinelle. E-mail: ykonno@berkeley.edu one day prior to exam
☐ Click here for more information about the EALC proficiency exams
GLOBAL STUDIES MINOR

The IAS department will launch the Global Studies (GS) minor in Fall 2018. The GS minor will provide an opportunity to study one of five regions of the world in the context of Globalization: Africa, The Americas, Asia, Europe and Russia, or the Middle East.

- Click here to learn more about the Global Studies minor
- Declaration window: Wednesday, September 5, 2018 - Friday, December 7, 2018

FEATURED COURSES: FALL 2018

- AFRICAM 134 - Information Technology and Society; Michel Laguerre (M 3-5:59pm)
- ECON 162 - The Chinese Economy; Roland-Host (TuTh 11-12:29pm)
- EDUC 190C - Critical Issues in Education; Erin Murphy-Graham (MW 10-11:59am)
- ENVECON C151/ECON C171 - Economic Development; Marco Gonzalez-Navarro (MW 10-10:59am)
- GEOG 110 - Economic Geography of the Industrial World; (MWF 3-3:59pm)
- GLOBAL 100P - Approaches to Peace & Conflict; Karen Bhango Randhawa (TuTh 11-12:30pm)
- GLOBAL 123L - Rural Development; Clara Nicholls (W 4-7pm)
- GLOBAL 150Q (002) - Gender, Labor, and Love in Globalizing Asia; Crystal Chang (Th 2-5pm)
- GLOBAL 154M - The Gulf States & the Arab Spring; Peter Bartu (TuTh 3:30-5pm)
- HIST C182C - Introduction to Science, Technology, and Society; Cathryn Carson (MWF 1-1:59pm)
- IAS C176 - Climate Change Economics; Anthoff (TuTh 11-12:30pm)
- IAS 150 (007) - Development & the Environment; Tiffany Page (TuTh 9:30-11am)
- IAS 150 (008) - Commodities and Cultures in the Making of the World Economy; Stephanie Ballenger (TuTh 12:30-2pm)
- POLI SCI 138E - Varieties of Capitalism: Political Economic Systems of the World; Vogel (MW 6:30-7:59pm)
- POLI SCI 145A - South Asian Politics; Chibber (TuTh 9:30-10:59am)
- SOC 130AC - Social Inequalities; Reed (MW 3-3:59pm)
2019 GLOBAL STUDIES CONFERENCE

TWELFTH GLOBAL STUDIES CONFERENCE

Invite proposals for paper presentations, workshops/interactive sessions, posters/exhibits, colloquia, virtual posters, or virtual lightning talks. The conference features research addressing the following annual themes: (1) Economy and Trade; (2) Politics, Power, and Institutions; (3) Society and Culture; (4) Resources and Environment. The 2019 Special Focus will be: The "End of History" 30 Years on: Globalization Then and Now.

- Thursday, June 27 and Friday, June 28, 2019, at Jagiellonian University in Krakow, Poland
- Click here for more information
- Would you like to present at the 2019 Conference? Click here to submit proposal
- Deadline to submit proposal: Friday, July 27, 2018

YWCA BERKELEY/OAKLAND

YWCA Berkeley/Oakland is a nonprofit organization focused on eliminating racism and empowering women. Their Student Leadership Board is currently accepting applications for summer volunteer and interns. This summer, the Student Leadership Board is focusing their efforts on increasing voting rights and civic engagement - core components of racial justice work. As a volunteer, you will register voters in low voter turnout areas, gather petition signatures, conduct voter education drives, and increase civic engagement in Berkeley and Oakland.

- Open to all students
- Click here to apply
- Questions? E-mail Volunteer@ywca-berkeley.org or call 510-848-6370

ECONOMICS SURVEY FOR POTENTIAL MASTER'S PROGRAM

UCB DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

The Department of Economics is gathering information for a potential Master's in Quantitative Economics program proposal. Please complete the brief survey to gather information and feedback regarding your interest in a potential Masters program in Economics. At the end of the survey you will be asked to select your availability for a one-hour focus-group on-campus in 506 Evans Hall. Snacks will be provided at each focus group. By completing the survey, you will be entered into a raffle for a chance to win a $25 Amazon gift card.

- Click here to take the Economics Masters Program Focus Group Survey