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San Jose Campus Newsletter

The Western Wave

HARVEST FEST STUDENT SOCIAL Monday, November 9 7:00-7:30PM

We'll have an assortment of holiday desserts and treats, as well as hot and cold beverages, to be enjoyed during the evening break. Come join us!

CAMPUS NEWS

SPRING 2016 OPEN REGISTRATION BEGINS NOVEMBER 1

We understand you are in the midst of a busy, demanding semester as you write papers, take exams, and devour books, so the thought of scheduling your courses for next semester may feel somewhat daunting. However, it is that time of year when you'll need to check in with your academic advisor regarding course selection and sequencing and come up with a course plan that works well with your other personal responsibilities. Open Registration is November 1-30 and you may add and drop courses during that time without incurring any late registration fees. You may still add and drop courses after that time, but you may incur fees.

IMPORTANT DATES

Nov. 1	Returning Student Financial Aid App Deadline for Spring Semester
Nov. 1-30	Spring 2016 Open Registration
Nov. 9	Harvest Fest, 7:00pm-7:30pm
Nov. 15	Application to Graduate Deadline For Class of 2016
Nov. 16	Spring 2016 Master's Application Deadline
Nov. 26-29	Thanksgiving (campus closed)
Nov. 30	New Student Spring Financial Aid Deadline
Dec. 12	End of 2015 Fall Semester
Dec. 15	Spring 2016 New Student Orientation
Dec. 24-25	Christmas (campus closed)
Jan. 1	New Year's Day (campus closed)
Jan. 9	Spring 2016 Semester Begins
Jan. 13	Discover Coaching event (see pg. 4)
Other Community Calendar Dates	

APPLICATION TO GRADUATE FOR 2016 - DUE NOVEMBER 15

Applications to Graduate are due **THIS MONTH** – November 15th! If you are planning to finish your degree program by the end of Spring or Summer 2016, you must submit an <u>Application to Graduate</u>.

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FELLOWSHIP NIGHT RECAP

On October 3, Thrivent Financial sponsored a Fellowship Night at an Earthquakes soccer game. Some 78 Western Seminary students, alumni, staff, faculty and their friends and family attended. The San Jose Earthquakes played against the Vancouver Whitecaps. It was an exciting game - tied 1 to 1. After the game, Quakes Middlefielder JJ Koval came to speak openly about his passion for the Lord and soccer.





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If you don't, you may not be eligible to participate in graduation, which will be held on July 9th. Submission of this form will initiate a graduation audit, and you'll receive an email confirmation of the remaining requirements for your program within 1-2 months. If you are due to finish your degree program by the end of Fall 2015, the deadline to submit your app to graduate has passed. Please contact **Carrie Priest** with any questions.

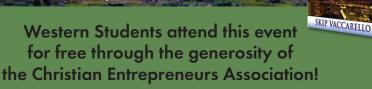
STUDENT APPRECIATION LUNCH RECAP

A lively group of 45 enjoyed Chick-fil-A on Saturday, October 10th for our Student Appreciation Lunch. Prior to partaking of the bountiful lunch, students were encouraged to share what they're thankful for this season. What a wonderful time of encouragement and fellowship!

CEA Christian Entrepreneurs Association Be Connected, Inspired and Transformed

SILICON VALLEY

Finding God in SILICON VALLEY



CEA Year-End Event

Skip Vaccarello

Saturday, November 14th

10am-1pm, South San Francisco

A \$30 value. Visit the **CEA website** for more information. RSVP to Charmaine Williams at cwilliams@westernseminary.edu.



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Stay tuned for more details on the next Student Appreciation Lunch...coming Spring 2016!

BUY ON AMAZON, WESTERN BENEFITS

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MINISTRY & EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

We receive regular contact from churches and para-church organizations. Please see the Ministry and Employment Opportunities and Counseling binders in the front lobby for more information about the recent (and previous) postings below. You may also check out other <u>ministry opportunities</u> on our website.

Youth Director (PT)

Santa Teresa Hills Presbyterian Church 5370 Snell Ave., San Jose 95123

Lead a junior high Sunday School class on Sunday mornings. Plan and lead occasional mission projects and social activities. Establish and maintain ongoing relationships with the youth. This is a paid position (\$100/week) requiring approximately 5 hours/week. Additional compensation will be made for extended activities. Previous Youth Ministry experience preferred. For more info, contact Rev. Tom Coop at (408) 629-5906 or stoytlr2@aol.com.

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From left to right: Anthony Bong ('14), Charmaine Williams (current student/staff), Shadia Hrichi ('14), and Daniel Chen ('15) were among the many Western Seminary students and alumni who attended the Preach the Word conference.

PREACH THE WORD

Venture Christian Church in Los Gatos held a conference on October 6 and 7 called Preach the Word. They gathered some of the nation's leading communicators to equip, encourage, and empower pastors and teachers for transformational teaching that changes lives and revitalizes churches. The speakers were Chip Ingram, Francis Chan, Bishop Claude Alexander, and Lance Witt. Western students and alumni were offered a great discount and were in high numbers at the event. It was like a mini reunion! Venture Church plans to offer this conference annually. Don't miss it next year! For more information about the conference, visit <u>www.preachtheword.cc.</u>

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College Ministry Intern (PT) Pathway Bible Church

1201 Montague Expwy., Milpitas 95035 Teach and grow college students as followers of Christ and train and develop leaders. Report to and support the pastoral staff. This is a Southern Baptist denomination. Contact Michael Yoon at <u>michael.yoon@-</u> <u>pathwaybible.org</u> or 408-888-6223.

Young Adult/College Pastoral Intern (PT) Living Hope Community Church 4762 Trego Dr., San Jose 95118

We are a new, multi-generational church plant. This is a 6-month, 10-hours/week position at a \$600/month stipend. Responsibilities include: campus outreach at San Jose State, ministering to a small group of college students at our church, ministering to our young adult members through encouragement, spiritual guidance, and evangelism training. Contact Rev. Harrison Chang at <u>revhchang@gmail.com</u>.

South Bay Church

1180 Murphy Ave., San Jose 95131

Current open positions:

- Creative Arts & Production Director
- Connections Coordinator
- Sunnyvale Associate Campus Pastor

Key volunteer positions:

- Creative Arts Team Member
- Global & Local Outreach Planning Team Member
- Life Group Planning Team Member
- Connections & Follow Up Team Member

For more information, visit the <u>Job Open-</u> ings webpage. For paid and unpaid internships, check the intern page at www.southbaychurch.org/internships.

Group Coordinator

Felton Institute/Family Service Agency Older Adult Day Support Center 6221 Geary Blvd., 2nd floor San Francisco 94121 Providing mental health services to older adults 55 years and older, with severe mental health or co-occurring disorders. BA degree in social work, psychology or related field required and minimum of two years working in fields of mental health and/or aging. Send resumes to Ed Fowler, ASW, Program Manager at <u>efowler@fel-</u> ton.org or call (415) 474-7310 ext. 2907.

Clinical Case Manager

(Bi-lingual Cantonese Speaking) Felton Institute/Family Service Agency Geriatric Outpatient Services West 6221 Geary Blvd., 2nd floor San Francisco 94121

Providing crisis intervention, evaluation, individual, family, group treatment, and case management for older adults who are at risk due to psychiatric disabilities. A minimum of three years experience of case management or treatment of at-risk gero-psychiatric populations with psychiatric and substance abuse problems preferred. Masters degree in Social work, Counseling or Psychology. Send resumes to Lisa M. Jones, MSW, ASW, PPSC, Program Manager at <u>ljones@felton.org</u> or call (415) 386-6600 x217.

Youth Retreat Speaker/Ministry Team Silicon Valley Christian Assembly Santa Clara, CA

Build up and disciple youths (middle and high school students) for Christ through a comprehensive, balanced and biblical 3-day retreat from Dec. 31, 2015-Jan. 2, 2016. This is a short-term paid position. Prefer solid Christian education, a Christian counseling degree or a Divinity degree. Check out <u>our Facebook page</u>. Send resumes to <u>kyle.allen@svca.cc</u>.

Youth Director/Pastor (FT) <u>Silicon Valley Christian Assembly</u> Santa Clara, CA

To build up and disciple youths (middle and high school students) for Christ by developing and implementing a comprehensive, balanced and biblical approach to youth ministry. Check out <u>our Facebook</u> <u>page</u> to get an idea of what we're up to. Please send your resume to <u>song.juan@svca.cc</u>.

Internship (PT)

West Valley Christian Alliance Church 3003 Moorpark Ave, San Jose 95128 Teach Sunday School and lead the youth fellowship. This is a paid position. For more info, contact Senior Pastor, Rev. Chun Ming Fong at <u>chun.fong@wvcac.org</u> or call (408) 244-9225.

English Pastor (FT)

West Valley Christian Alliance Church 3003 Moorpark Ave, San Jose 95128 Master of Divinity or equivalent required. Major responsibilities include preaching, teaching, and outreach. Understands American and Asian cultures. For more info, contact Senior Pastor, Rev. Chun Ming Fong at <u>chun.fong@wv-cac.org</u> or call (408) 244-9225.



at Western Seminary San Jose

Learn how to help people navigate their lives from where they are to where they aspire to be. <u>RSVP by Jan. 6</u>

Learn more about coach training.

