

# The Western Wave



From left to right: Dr. Hutchinson as she is presented with a Certificate of Appreciation from Western. Dr. Hutchinson, Peter Shum and other students enjoying lunch and fellowship.

## Dr. Hutchinson Celebrated 20 Years of Teaching!

If you weren't able to make it on October 18th to celebrate Dr. Lorraine Hutchinson's 20 years of teaching at Western Seminary, here is a recap. About 40 Western staff, faculty, and students gathered in Western's lobby during the lunch hour. Western's Assistant MFT Program Director, Nancy Broxton (Class of '98), Professor Wendy Witham, Peter Shum (current student) and Kellye Vargas (Class of '14) all gave tributes to her. Carrie Priest presented Dr. Hutchinson with an orchid and a Certificate of

Appreciation. Afterwards, lunch and dessert were served. The remaining time was spent in fellowship until it was time for students to begin their next class. Thank you to everyone who came to honor her on this special day!



### IMPORTANT DATES

- Nov. 1 Returning Student Financial Aid Deadline for Spring 2015
- Nov. 11 Veterans Day
- Nov. 11 Open Registration for the Spring 2015 semester begins (see page 2 about the delay)
- Nov. 15 Application to Graduate (see page 2)
- Nov. 17 Student Social (see page 2)
- Nov. 24 New Student Financial Aid Deadline for Spring 2015
- Nov. 27-30 Thanksgiving Holiday, Campus Closed
- Dec. 13 Last Day of the Fall Semester
- Jan. 5, '15 First Day of Spring Semester

Other [Community Calendar](#) dates

# CAMPUS NEWS

## DELAY TO OPEN REGISTRATION FOR THE SPRING 2015 SEMESTER

Open Registration for the Spring 2015 semester normally begins on November 1. However, this year we will experience some delays as we are upgrading our Student Information System (S.I.S). Open Registration won't begin until **November 11**. This is the time to add and drop courses for the upcoming semester without any fees. The [Spring 2015 semester schedule](#) and the [Spring Syllabi](#) are now (or will be shortly) posted online and available to view. It is highly encouraged that you touch base with your academic advisor prior to registration so that s/he can help you with course selection, taking into account course sequencing, prerequisites, academic load, and life balance. If you have any questions, please contact [Carrie Priest](#).

## SPRING ELECTIVES TO CONSIDER

- BLS 538S/NTS 527S - **Exposition of Romans and Exegeting the Book of Romans** - Dr. Gary Tuck. 2 credits.
- DMS 502SH - **Intro to Theology and the Practice of Worship** - Dr. Dan Kimball (see page 3 about instructor). 2 credits.
- PCW 511S - **Pastoral Understanding of Women** (men are welcome) - Dr. Bev Hislop (see page 4). 2 credits.

Check the [Spring 2015 Semester Class Schedule](#) for more specific details on dates and times.

## GRADUATING THIS YEAR?

If you are planning to graduate at the end of this Fall 2014 semester, you'll need to submit an [Application to Graduate](#) immediately! If you're planning to graduate at the end of Spring 2015 or Summer 2015, the deadline to submit your Application to Graduate is **November 15**. 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 have any questions, please contact [Carrie Priest](#).

## NEW ONLINE LIBRARY

Western Seminary and Corban University have combined resources to create a new online library. This partnership allows students access to many more online databases and ebooks than Western Seminary has been able to acquire on its own. To access these new resources, you will first need to create a username and password from the following link (please have your student ID number and PIN available): <https://www.westernseminary.edu/app/user/convert.php>. Once you have your username and password, go to the [San Jose Library Home page](#) to search from Corban/Western Seminary's new online library. There are also video tutorials to help you with these new resources.

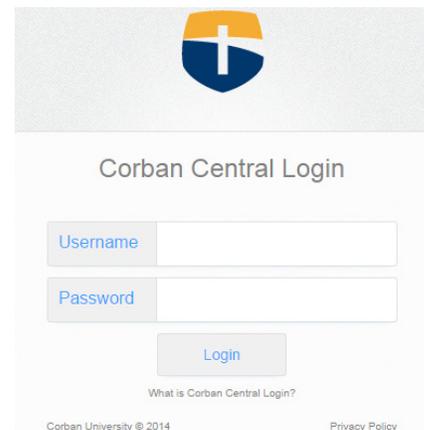
## Library Search

Western Seminary and Corban University have partnered to offer combined resources from both libraries.

- [Library at Corban's Website](#)
- [List of Databases at Corban's Website](#)
- [Video Tutorials at Corban's Website](#)

\*When logging in to the Corban Central Login, please add [@westernseminary.edu](#) at the end of your username so that the system recognizes you as a Western Seminary student.



If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Sharon Ho at [sho@westernseminary.edu](#).

## MINISTRY & EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

We receive regular contact from churches and para-church organizations. Please see the Ministry and Employment

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**Harvest Fest**  
**STUDENT SOCIAL**  
**Monday, November 17**  
**7:00-7:30 PM**

Let's gather in the lobby for a time of festive, fall-themed desserts, fellowship, and fun with familiar faces!  
(Now say that four times fast!)

## CAMPUS NEWS CONT. FROM PG. 2

Opportunities and Counseling binders in the front lobby for more information about the recent (and previous) postings:

**English Youth and Young Adult Pastor**  
[Tree of Life Lord's Harvest Christian Church](#)  
Fremont, CA

Provide spiritual leadership to develop mature Christian lives of the English congregation through shepherding, scriptural teaching, and discipleship training. Email your resume and cover letter to [jobs@living-tree.org](mailto:jobs@living-tree.org).

**Youth Pastor**[Yiu-Mienh Baptist Church of Richmond \(YMBC\)](#)

777 Sonoma Ave., Richmond

They will build up the American-born Mien generation at YMBC through discipleship, with the hope of eventually sending them out to transform the city of Richmond and the surrounding communities. Initial one-year term with end of the year review. \$31,000 with health benefits. 32 hrs./wk. (4 days/wk.) with flexible schedule. To apply, send a resume with cover letter to [youth.ymbc@gmail.com](mailto:youth.ymbc@gmail.com).

**Director of Children and Family Ministries (full-time)**[Saratoga Federated Church](#)  
20390 Park Place, Saratoga, CA

The children's ministry exists to create environments in which children develop an authentic faith, build relationships, and impact their community. Send resumes to [federatedjobsearch@gmail.com](mailto:federatedjobsearch@gmail.com).

**Bilingual (Spanish/English) Therapist/Counselor II**[Alum Rock Counseling Center, Inc.](#)

Long Term Therapeutic Services for the Mobile Crisis Response Unit. Provide Medi-Cal appropriate and approved individual and family crisis intervention, rehabilitation, and case management services to youth exhibiting and/or engaging in high-risk or delinquent behavior in a clinic setting. Serves children and youths ages 6-21. Full-time (evenings required). Contact Wilson Ho Yin Cheh at [wcheh@alumrockcc.org](mailto:wcheh@alumrockcc.org).

**SPRING 2015 PERSPECTIVES CLASSES**

[Perspectives](#) is a unique discipleship course. Hear how God has been and continues to work throughout the world. Find out what your part is in this exciting movement to make Jesus' disciples from all nations. Spring 2015 classes will be held on Tuesdays at Valley Church in Cupertino from January 6, 2015 to May 19, 2015 from 6:30-8:00pm. For more information, contact [Nancy Parks](#) or call (408) 354-1754. Other local locations hosting Perspectives from January through May are [Pleasanton](#) and [Moraga](#). You may also [find other classes](#) around the nation.

**FREE  
DISCOVER  
COACHING****Jan. 14, 2015  
7pm-9pm**

at Western Seminary San Jose

**RSVP by January 7****Learn more about  
coach training at Western.**

## Dan Kimball Joins Western



Western Seminary prides itself on providing students with a faculty of experienced ministry practitioners. The hire of Dr. Dan Kimball during

the early part of the year adds to that expertise with his years of college-age ministry and concentrated efforts to release the millennial generation into the world in the name of Jesus.

Dan has a doctorate from George Fox University and masters degree from Western Seminary. He was part of the team that launched Vintage Faith Church in Santa Cruz, California in 2004, where he currently leads the mission and teaching. He has authored widely read books including [Emerging Worship: Creating Gatherings for New Generations](#) and [They Like Jesus But Not the Church](#). His speaking schedule regularly takes him around the country where he meets churches who are reaching the next generation.

As an instructor in pastoral minis-

try, Dr. Kimball has taught intensive courses at Western at the Portland and Sacramento campuses. This Spring semester will be his first time teaching at the San Jose campus; Intro to Theology and the Practice of Worship (DMS 502SH), a 2<sup>1/2</sup> day intensive.

In addition to teaching, he is the Director of the ReGeneration Project, a collective group of pastors, theologians, artists, church leaders and all those who are passionate about seeing new generations follow Jesus and serve Him on mission in their world. Through the [Regeneration Project website](#), regional conferences and online ministry resources, the ReGeneration Project will provide practical insight from churches who are seeing millennials becoming followers of Jesus and reversing the negative perceptions of faith amongst that generation. Bringing attention to theology and apologetics will be central to the ReGeneration Project, another gospel-centered ministry of Western Seminary. There will be a ReGeneration Conference on February 27-28, 2015 in Portland, Oregon and on April 17-18, 2015 in San Jose, California. We hope you can attend!

SPRING 2015

# Pastoral Understanding of Women

PCW 511 (2 credits)

*Men are Welcome!*



**Feb 6/7 &**

**Mar 20/21**

2015

9:00 am - 4:30 pm

**(Fri / Sat)**

San Jose Campus

This course is available for:

- **credit** (pre-requisite: baccalaureate degree)
- **non-credit** (pre-requisite: high school diploma/equivalent)

Registration begins  
November 11th, 2014

- Explore how the physiological, psychological, cultural and spiritual aspects of a woman's life affect good pastoral care.
- Gain understanding of seasons and transitions in life cycles against the background of societal role change for women.
- Discover biblical examples and guidelines for shepherding women.
- Develop strategies for developing friendships, mentoring relationships, group support and other helps for shepherding women.

*What is the essence of womanhood?*

*How can we develop biblical strategies for shepherding women?*

*What are the critical issues in providing effective pastoral care?*

**FACULTY: Bev Hislop**, D.Min., Professor of Pastoral Care. Bev has been ministering to women for over 30 years. She has developed and directed several ministries for women on the east and west coasts of the US and overseas. She has authored, *Shepherding a Woman's Heart* and *Shepherding Women in Pain*, both published by Moody Publishers. *With guest instructors.*

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