

Queer API Social and Mixer

May 23rd | 2:30-4:00 PM | LGBT RC



A closed space for Queer and Asian or Pacific Islander identified folks. This space will be for folks to socialize, meet, relax and to mingle with Queer and Asian students, faculty and staff. There will be food and refreshment. If you have any questions email Noel, nmagtoto@ucsd.edu.



The UC San Diego LGBT Resource Center is committed to being accessible to all who frequent our space, participate in our programs, and attend our events. Our physical location is accessible to anyone who utilizes assisted mobility. If you require specific accommodations to fully access any of our programs or events, please contact Vanidy Bailey at vbailey@ucsd.edu, (858) 822-3493.

STATE OF ASIA AMERICA AT UCSD AND BEYOND FEATURING:



Yen Le Espiritu
Dept of Ethnic
Studies



K. Wayne Yang
Dept of Ethnic
Studies



Windi Sasaki
Residence Life
Liaison



Jim Lin
Dept of
Mathematics



Joseph Ramirez
Administrative Asst.
Cross Cultural Center



Angela Kong
Research on APIA
Activism at UCSD



Jody Blanco
Dept of Literature

Tues, May 29
6pm-8pm

@ERC room in PC

(Re)discover the legacy of the Asian American Movement at UCSD!
Hear from UCSD staff/faculty about their personal experiences: from initiating the first Asian American course to establishing the first APIA student organization.

*Free Chicken Pad Thai, Spring Rolls, Sticky Mango Rice, and Vegetarian Curry!

Comments/questions/concerns
Linda Chang: Lic017@ucsd.edu
SPACES APSA Community Retention Coordinator



What Was Missing For You?

**I am looking for input to
build curriculum for an
LGBTQ Youth Event for
middle & highschool kids in
the Fall of 2012. Please
share your ideas about what
information and topics you
wish you had been able to
talk about from an LGBTQ
perspective!**

**All suggestions can be sent to
imorton@ucsd.edu**

**Thanks for your help!
Ian—AIDS Research Inst.
@ UC San Diego**

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DARK FANTASY

A NIGHT OF DRAG, MUSIC, AND DESIRE
BENEFITING SPECIAL DELIVERY SAN DIEGO

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A Walgreens Pharmacy

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REVIVALS

CANDI SAMPLES

SUNDAY MAY 20, 2012

DOORS OPEN AT 6PM
\$10 COVER

SHOW STARTS AT 8PM SHARP
3811 PARK BLVD, SAN DIEGO, CA 92103

Thank You!

Tidy Thanks

Monday, May 21 | 11:30-12:30

LGBT RC Conference Room

Let's take some time to get to know Richard from Facilities Management!

Join us for this informal get together to connect with Richard Coker, the custodian who helps to make sure the LGBT Resource Center is clean, tidy, and functioning. Come build community with him and raise your awareness about the work he does in facilities management. Richard works in our space almost every day, so let's take this time to get to know him better.

You don't want to miss this! Please RSVP with Michelle Strange at mdstrange@ucsd.edu.

The UCSD Critical Gender Studies Program proudly presents

The Nicholas Papadopoulos Endowed Lecture in Gay and Lesbian Studies



Tuesday, May 29th
6:30pm Lecture
Calit2 Auditorium—UCSD

A
Conversation

on filmmaking and activism, intersectionality, queer storytelling, and women of color in the media.



Kim
Yutani

SUNDANCE
FILM FESTIVAL

Kim Yutani is a Programmer at the Sundance Film Festival as well as Director of Programming of Outfest, the Los Angeles Gay and Lesbian Film Festival, and the LA queer of color film festival, Fusion. She is also a film critic and freelance journalist and has served on numerous international film festival juries.



Aurora
Guerrero

Aurora Guerrero is the writer and director of the award-winning feature *Mosquita y Mari* (2012), a coming of age story set in Huntington Park, LA, and of a number of short films, including *Pura Lengua* (All Tongue) and *Viernes Girl*. Guerrero holds degrees from UC Berkeley in psychology and Chicano Studies and CalArts in directing.



For more information, please contact the Critical Gender Studies Program

Phone: 858-534-9982
Email: cgs@ucsd.edu

For directions to the Calit2 Auditorium please visit events.calit2.net.



FROM SANTIAGO TO SAN DIEGO: The Struggle for **Educational Justice**

Social Sciences Building
Rm. 107
Wednesday May 30, 5pm

While **education becomes more of a privilege**, administrated as a commodity by Regents with entrenched financial interests, we continue to see **low levels of access for under-represented students of color**, working-class students, and undocumented students and workers.

This panel will situate the movement at UCSD and the UC against the **privatization of the education system** among other contemporary student movements, most notably, the **ongoing movement in Chile**. UCSD activists will also present a slideshow of the year's activism on campus in the face of rising fees and crippling budget cuts. Reception afterwards.



**PRESENTED BY THE ETHNIC STUDIES
COLLOQUIUM SERIES &
THE PUBLIC EDUCATION COALITION**

SPEAKERS INCLUDE:

Professor Luis Martin-Cabrera
Custodial Workers from UCSD
Graduate and Undergraduate
Students from Ethnic Studies

In *The Science Question in Feminism* (1986), philosopher of science Sandra Harding explores a set of critiques raised by feminists about the methods, epistemologies, and political ethics of modern science. Rather than ask, 'what is to be done about the situation of women in science?' Harding wants to ask, 'is it possible to use for emancipatory ends¹ sciences that are apparently so intimately involved in Western, bourgeois and masculine projects?' (9). Harding explores the critiques raised by feminist empiricism, feminist standpoint theory, and feminist postmodernism. She concludes that any emancipatory science will, by definition, unify around 'historically conscious political and ethical commitments' to be more or less successfully negotiated (250). Harding explicitly refrains from trying to resolve those epistemological and ethical tensions that she examines in the course of her essay; rather, Harding suggests that it is precisely these tensions that are themselves 'valuable' and in need of deliberate debate.

Importantly, Harding should not be read as anti-science. She is *not* suggesting that systematic inquiry itself is problematic. Harding's critique of modern science aims to emancipate its potential, not assign it to an historical dustbin (10). Harding, borrowing from Quine, suggests that modern science is flawed in part because of its adherence to the dogmas of reductionism and dualism. Reductionists hold that all knowledge can be reduced to logical statements or unmediated empirical experience. Dualists allow that some analytic knowledge claims are true by definition and so are ahistorical and universally-binding (36). Both dogmas fail to recognize the importance – indeed the centrality – of ethically-driven pragmatism as the only real arbiter of truth and objectivity (ibid). The argument, to be clear, is not that branches of science are simply in need of feminist alternatives. Rather, Harding's argument demands that we recognize the inherently social – and therefore pragmatic, historical, ethical, and fungible – nature of all practices of inquiry, both empirical and logical (52).

¹ Though the focal concern of her essay surrounds the relationship of science to feminism, Harding makes clear that her work is interrelated with issues of race, class, sexuality, ecology etc. While she contends that 'feminist criticisms appear to touch especially raw nerves' her essay frequently speaks to issues of social and political emancipation in a broad sense (16).



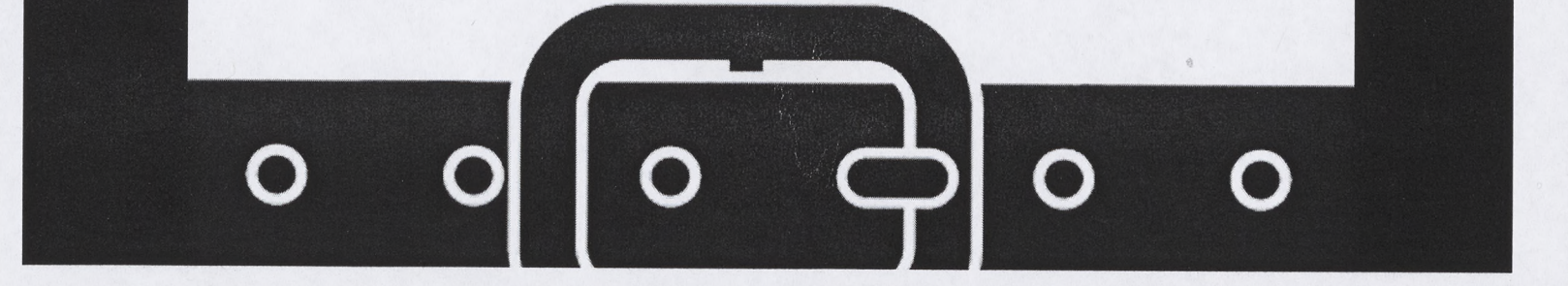
BDSM 101: Breaking Down Sexual Misconceptions

Date & Time- Thursday, May 31st 6:30pm to 8:30pm

Location- Women's Center Conference Room

Have you ever felt curious about alternative forms of sexual pleasure? Do you ever wonder what BDSM practice entails? Have you had kinky thoughts but been too ashamed to talk about them? This program aims to challenge the many fears, misconceptions, and stereotypes surrounding BDSM and kink. The goal of this sex-positive workshop is to provide basic terms and describe various "plays" practices, and roles. Come to learn and hear panelists share their own experiences within this vibrant and diverse community. All open minded individuals are welcome and food will be provided.

If you have any other questions or would like to be on the panel, please email Elaine Cheung at women@ucsd.edu.



MAARTE

AN ART & ACTIVISM SERIES

CURATED BY GAIL M. GUTIERREZ
AT THE UCSD CROSS-CULTURAL CENTER

*The Decolonized Eye: Filipino American
Art and Performance*

Book Launch with Sarita See

Friday, May 25, 2012

CCC Comunidad, 2:30PM - 4:00PM

Naked Spaces – Living is Round

Film Screening

Thursday, May 31, 2012

CCC Library, 6:30PM - 8:30PM

Pinay Studies: Political Art Theory and Practice

ETHN/MIS 198 Art Reception

Thursday, June 7, 2012

CCC ArtSpace, 3:00PM - 4:00PM

gailmgutierrez.com/maarte

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S.P.A.C.E.S.

STUDENT PROMOTED ACCESS CENTER FOR EDUCATION & SERVICE

SPACES@UCSD.EDU

SPACES MISSION

The mission of the Student Promoted Access Center for Education and Service is to act as an empowering dynamic on campus where UCSD students collaborate to achieve greater educational equity.

This encompasses equal access to higher education, undergraduate retention and graduation, and matriculation to graduate and professionals schools.

SPACES values the power of student initiated action and organizing by providing an environment for student growth and development and thus is a foundation to create leadership and unity through community engagement.

SPACES STORY

The story of SPACES dates back *generations* of student activists who have dedicated their time, effort and love to the student movement. These activists had the vision to dream of a recruitment and retention center at UCSD - so that ALL students would have access to higher education, as well as the resources to help them succeed once they get here.

SPACES wishes to acknowledge ALL of the people we know - *and don't know* - that have contributed to the development of our center. Our dream of a *student-run* recruitment and retention center is finally being realized, and that dream would not have been possible without YOU. So from the bottom of our hearts - THANKS!

As far as more recent history goes - in the spring of 2003 the \$39/per student, per quarter University Centers Expansion Referendum was proposed by the Associated Students (1). Through protest and struggle student activists ensured there was a home for the student-run recruitment and retention center (now called SPACES), as well as a new SAAC Lounge and a permanent space for the Cross-Cultural Center.

In the spring of 2007 student activists once again banded together to demand that the university prioritize student retention and access to higher education. The result of these efforts culminated in the \$7/per student, per quarter PULSE Referendum (Promoting Understanding and Learning through Service and Education).

With 22% of the campus voting, 56% of the students said YES to PULSE (2) and established guarantee funding for SIAPS and ASP as well as mandated the creation of a new center - SPACES - that would serve as a support organization for student initiated access and retention programs and services.

We stand here today in recognition and gratitude to all the lives that this center has been built upon. Thank You.



LGBT Graduate Student Opportunities Spring Quarter 2012

Graduate Student Appreciation Week: Safe Zone Workshop

Monday, April 2 | 12:00-1:00pm
The Zone at the Price Center

Support the development of greater LGBT awareness on our campus. Come to this event and learn how to get involved with the establishment of a Safe Zone program at UC San Diego.

Graduate Student Appreciation Week: Spring Q Camp

Wednesday, April 4 | 5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
LGBT Resource Center Conference Room



On Wednesday, April 4, 2012, 5pm-6:30pm at the LGBT Resource Center, we will have our first spring quarter event: Spring Q Camp. Week 1 is Graduate Student Appreciation Week and we want to honor our graduate students! So, come out for the celebration! Spring Q Camp is also an informal gathering and a way to re-connect with community members and with the LGBT Resource Center. We do hope you allow us to welcome in the new quarter with you!

Graduate Student Kick-Back

Tuesday, April 24 (Trans* Pride Day)
12:00pm-1:00pm, GSA lounge

This event is a kick-back for graduate students to relax and connect with one another. In addition, the event provides a space for discussion around the development of safe zone programs on campus. Refreshments are provided. RSVP to vpdiversity@ucsd.edu. This event is hosted by the VP of Diversity for the Graduate Student Association.

Spring Graduate Diversity Dinner

Thursday, April 26 | 6:00 pm-8:00 pm
Cross Cultural Center-Comunidad Room

Join the Office of Graduate Studies for a panel presentation & discussion concerning issues related to the LGBT community. Free dinner provided. RSVP to gradconnect@ucsd.edu.



Wine and Cheese Happy Hour for LGBT Graduate Students

Early May, GSA Lounge - exact date and time to be announced

Join the entire graduate student community in the GSA Lounge as we come together to connect, relax and enjoy a bit of refreshment as we begin May and have our eyes on the end of the academic quarter.

Coffee and Connection: LGBT Graduate Student Coffee Hour

LGBT RC Conference Room
May 22 | 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Want to build relationships with other LGBT graduate students? Then join us at the LGBT Resource Center as we come together for coffee and connection. Free beverages and snacks!



Rainbow Graduation and Induction Ceremony into the LGBT Chapter Alumni

The Great Hall | Eleanor Roosevelt College
June 4 | 4:00 p.m.

Please join the UC San Diego LGBT community as we come together to honor the graduate students who are leaving. If you are graduating and want to participate, e-mail Shaun at stravers@ucsd.edu.

And be on the look out for more events and activities through the GSA, gsa.ucsd.edu, the Office of Graduate Studies, ogs.ucsd.edu and QuEST: the Queer Engineers, Scientists and Technical Professionals of San Diego, www.sdquest.us.

UC San Diego's LGBT Resource Center

On the top floor of Student Center East between the Art of Espresso Coffee Cart and Porter's Pub in the Original Student Center
lgbt.ucsd.edu, like us on Facebook, follow us on Twitter



**QUEER
LATINA/CHICANA
SOCIAL**

**JUNE 06, 2012 5:00PM-7PM
LGBT RESOURCE CENTER CONFERENCE
ROOM**

**IT'S COMADRE TIME! THE QUEER
LATINA/CHICANA SOCIAL WILL FOCUS
ON AN OPEN DIALOGUE THAT WILL
ALLOW WOMEN VISIBILITY AND CHAL-
LENGE WOMEN TO BREAK THROUGH
THEIR SILENCE. PLEASE JOIN US FOR
A POTLUCK, EXCELLENT COMPANY,
AND EMPOWERING DIALOGUE. IF YOU
HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CON-
TACT LISETTE HERNANDEZ AT
L4HERNAN@UCSD.EDU**

UCSD CROSS-CULTURAL CENTER

ALL PEOPLE'S CALENDAR 2012-2013



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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA
SAN DIEGO

*2012 Rainbow Graduation
& Induction into the LGBT Alumni Ceremony*

Saturday, June 9 2012

4:00 PM

The Great Hall, Eleanor Roosevelt College



Opening and Welcome

Executive Vice Chancellor Suresh Subramani

Honorees

UC San Diego LGBT Organizations

Scholarships

LGBT Resource Center Advisory Board

Community Address

Van Bailey

Award Recipients

Volunteer of the Year

Student Address

Anthony Del Real & Chris Gauthier

Presentation of the Graduates

The Class of 2012

Induction into the LGBT Alumni

Mary McQuillan Anan

Closing Remarks

Reception Immediately Following

Thank You to our Donors for the 2011-2012 fiscal year

*The UC San Diego LGBT Resource Center gratefully acknowledges
those who sustain our work through financial contributions, and gave
between July 1, 2010 and May 29, 2012.*



Armin Afsahi

Antigone Blackwell

Francesco Carusi

Andrew T. Ceperley

Jeffrey A. Dodge

Franklin L. Escobedo

Robert H. Gleason

Sean Bradley Laperruque

Barbara B. Levine

Jared J. Markowitz

Marianne McDonald

Sandra L. Pesante

Scott Primack

Kevin L. Simpson

Joel Sobel

Andrew Michael Tess

Glen Wellbrock

Frederick Paul West

John O. White

Richard Zoehrer



Honoring Our Speakers Bureau

Panelists & Facilitators

Adrian Duane	Louise Wilkinson
Adriana Toledo	Madelyn Medellin
Alex Vo	Mary Azucena Hernandez
Alexis Selleck	Michael Kline
Alina Sau	Michelle Strange
Amy Pham	Mitchell Celaya
Andrew Buselt	Neftali Valle
Andrew Heald	Noel Magtoto
Andrew Yeung	Rachel Maher
Anthony Del Real	Rafael Acevedo
Anthony Nuñez	Regine Reyes
Baramée Peper Anan	Richard Belmontez
Christy Carter	Rosa Garcia
Conor McLaughlin	Rosario Cruz
Daniella McDonald	sairah khan
Daniel Lee	Sandra Pesante
David Quiroz	Sarah Fortier
Eliseo Rivas	Scott Primack
Erica Nicole Kirk	Sergio Velasquez
Isabella Marfone	Sharon Seegers
Jared Markowitz	Shawn Lee
Jeannette Perez	Shawn Faber
Jennifer Phelps	Tapakorn Prasertsith
Jonathan Grace	Tatiana Bojorquez
Josen Diaz	Tisha Tuong
Lara Case	Vanidy Bailey
Lisette Hernandez	Vinny Uy

Graduating Class of 2012



Abigail G. Avila

Adriana Metzli Silva

Albert Edward Orona

Angie Abarca

Anthony Paul Del Real

Aries Rivers Yumul

Beatriz Patricia Valenzuela

Charlie Webster

Chris Gauthier

Claire Luciano

Diego Ceron

Elizabeth Nguyen

Evan Friedman

Helen Leung

Hieu Duy Tran

Itzel Valencia Benitez

Johanny Quintero

Jonathan Grace

Jordan Daylor

Joshua King

Lexus Robinson

Lisette Yadira Hernandez

Lizzy Gomez

Luis Ormandi Escarzaga

Mat Garber

Maureen Gladys Labio Abugan

Michael Lewis Barton Botts

MinhTrang Vy

Mohamed Alaref billah

Rachel Maher

Rafael Garcia

Ross Bradley Bixler

Sandy Machado

Sharon Seegers

Shawn Faber

Taryn Marcelino

Tisha Tuong

Regine Reyes

Vanidy M. Bailey

Victoria A'lene Stinson

The University of California, San Diego

Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender
Resource Center

OUR MISSION

The LGBT Resource Center at UCSD is a diverse, open and public space for all members of the university community to explore issues relating to sexual and gender identities, practices and politics. It develops student leadership, builds workplace equity, promotes academic research, and provides resources. The Center challenges existing definitions of variant genders and sexualities by engaging in community building on- and off-campus. This Center sustains and develops visibility, sense of community, and knowledge of diverse queer people.

Special Thanks to...

The UC San Diego's Women's Center and Cross-Cultural Center, the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Equity, Diversity and Inclusion, Principal Scott Barton and the leadership team at the Preuss School at UC San Diego, Rey Guerrero, the UC San Diego LGBT Resource Center Advisory Board and the Scholarship Selection Committee, the Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation Issues, and the 2011-2012 LGBT Resource Center intern staff and volunteers. And finally, thanks to all the fabulous, graduating students. Your contributions to the UC San Diego LGBT community have made it what it is!

Good luck, you make us proud!