

*The UCSD LGBT Resource Center and the  
Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation Issues proudly present*

*The Nicholas Papadopoulos Endowed Lecture  
in Gay and Lesbian Studies*

Monday  
May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2006  
5:30pm  
The Stage at  
Porter's Pub

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**Kenji Yoshino**

Deputy Dean for Intellectual Life, Yale Law School

*The Nicholas Papadopoulos Endowed Lecture in Gay and Lesbian Studies is funded by a bequest from the estate of Nicholas Papadopoulos '76, as well as by donations made in his memory by his family members.*

**Reception at 4:30pm To Honor Professor Yoshino at the LGBT Resource Center**

**For more information, please go to <http://lgbt.ucsd.edu>**

# Commencement Coffee



**Time: 5:00pm**

**Date: Fri 06/09/06**

**Place: LGBT RC**

**Commencement Coffee is an informal gathering of community, alumni and graduating seniors to (re) connect, reminisce, congratulate, and celebrate as soon-to-be graduates move on from UCSD.**

**Please join us for a casual discussion where folks can share their various experiences, from being in "the real world" to what it has been like for you to be a part of the LGBT community at UCSD.**

**Please RSVP: [jeestrellado@ucsd.edu](mailto:jeestrellado@ucsd.edu)**



## UCSD to open largest LGBT Center in the Nation May 6th, 2006, 10:30am, UCSD



University of California, San Diego

Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Resource Center

On Saturday May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2006 at 10:30am the University of California, San Diego will open the largest Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Resource Center at any public institution of higher education in the nation.

Designed by the chief partners Jim Brown and James Gates from the San Diego award-winning architecture firm PUBLIC, the building sits amongst the eucalyptus grove in the landmark park area in the heart of the UCSD campus. At 2,700 square feet, the LGBT Resource Center is host to numerous resources for the UCSD community, including the David Bohnett Wireless CyberCenter, a unique lab environment composed

entirely of laptop computers and dedicated to allowing students, staff, faculty members and researchers easy, accessible technology in a comfortable, welcoming atmosphere.

The Grand Opening ceremony will begin at 10:30am, and will feature UCSD's Chancellor Marye Anne Fox, current students and representatives of the San Diego LGBT community. Immediately following the ceremony, tours of the space will be offered by the UCSD student organization Queer People of Color, and light refreshments will be served.

The UCSD student organization Queer by Nature will continue the festivities with an afternoon barbecue and evening bonfire at the beach on La Jolla Shores. Later that evening, the student organization LGBTQIA will host its non-sexist dance, now in its 25<sup>th</sup> year on UCSD's campus, and San Diego's largest all ages LGBT dance party. The dance is at the Stage at Porter's Pub from 9pm until 1am. The Grand Opening day festivities complete a week's worth of events focusing on the LGBT community, UCSD's annual Out and Proud week.

"Being back in the Original Student Center, we've really come full circle in our journey. Our family has grown so much and this is such a great step forward in making us more visible not only as a resource to the UCSD community but also to show that we exist and share in this community as well. This permanent space is ground-breaking and a real testament to the queer and ally students, staff, and faculty who've helped to make it become reality. I'm really proud of our family," said Peper Anan, 4th year undergraduate student.

The Center includes a large community space, conference room, meeting room, staff offices, community kitchen and extensive browsing library. The library also hosts the personal and professional collections of UCSD's Dr. David McWhirter and the late Dr. Drew Mattison, authors of the ground-breaking book The Male Couple.

Within the space is the bronze sculpture "Lady and Bear" by the renowned artist Boris Blai, a student of August Rodin and founding Dean of the Tyler School of Art at Temple University in Pennsylvania. The artwork was



graciously donated by Mr. Michael Marx, co-founder of the Michael L. Marx and Donald K. Marshall Scholarship for Gay and Lesbian Students, the first LGBT scholarship at UCSD, and one of four annual \$1,000 scholarships for continuing UCSD LGBT students. The Christopher B. Arrott Endowed Scholarship, the Russ Ty Scholarship and the LGBT Resource Center Scholarship all serve to support undergraduate students who are actively involved in the UCSD LGBT community.


This move represents an historic moment in the life of both the LGBT Resource Center and the LGBT community at UCSD. In 1992 a request from a single student representing the UCSD organization now called LGBTQIA said, "What LGBA really needs is a resource center for lesbians, gays, and bisexuals." The Chancellor's Advisory Committee on LGBT issues (CACLGBTI) recommended a staffed Resource Center which resulted in a formal request submitted to then Chancellor Robert C. Dynes on September 10, 1998.

In November 1999, Chancellor Dynes officially dedicated a temporary 300 square foot space on campus for an LGBT Resource Office. In February 2002, the Resource Office was renamed a Center and moved to a 960 square foot transitional location in the University Center neighborhood. Four years later, the Resource Center is now in its permanent home, staffed by three full-time professionals, eight student employees, and is host to numerous student, staff and faculty organizations and groups.

"The Center represents a fundamental, long term commitment from UC President Bob Dynes and UCSD Chancellor Marye Anne Fox to 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," said Shaun Travers, Director of the LGBT Resource Center.

The LGBT Resource Center is a member of the UCSD Campus Community Centers, along with the Women's Center and the Cross-Cultural Center. The Campus Community Centers collaborate on a variety of programs and issues. By understanding and appreciating our diverse histories and experiences, the Centers have found the common connections that bring them together to create strong communities through joint activities and events. The specific mission of each Campus Community Center focuses its individual endeavors towards social justice and inclusion, and combine to create a synergy of improving climate for all communities at UCSD. It is valuing differences and recognizing commonalities that energize and drive the overall work of the Campus Community Centers.

For more information or to RSVP for the Grand Opening, please contact the UCSD LGBT Resource Center at (858) 822-3493, [rainbow@ucsd.edu](mailto:rainbow@ucsd.edu), or visit the website, <http://lgbt.ucsd.edu>.



# RAINBOW

LGBT RESOURCE CENTER NEWSLETTER

VOLUME #20 ISSUE #7  
For the week beginning Monday, May 15th, 2006

TOP STORY

## Queer Intergenerational Anti-Racism Dialogue



Join us this **Thursday at 5pm** at the **LGBT Resource Center** for a powerful dialogue! Our goal is to have different generations of the queer community come together and discuss personal experiences dealing with racial issues in the queer community. We'd appreciate it if you could come and share your perspectives as well as be open to hearing the perspectives of others. The event is taking place at the LGBT Resource Center Conference Room from 5:00pm-7:00pm on Thursday, May 18th. Light refreshments will be provided!

Please RSVP to Anna at [arubiofl@ucsd.edu](mailto:arubiofl@ucsd.edu). For driving, parking, and public transportation directions, please visit: [http://lgbt.ucsd.edu/about\\_location.shtml](http://lgbt.ucsd.edu/about_location.shtml)

## LGBTRC Announcements

### Grad Student Speedfriending

Friday, May 19th, 5:00pm-7:00pm  
CCC Lecture Hall

Get to know other UCSD grad students ... 5 minutes at a time! Shy? Bored? Lonely? Stressed? Get out of your lab or department and increase your network of friends on campus in a low-key friendly environment. Then stick around for some ice cream!

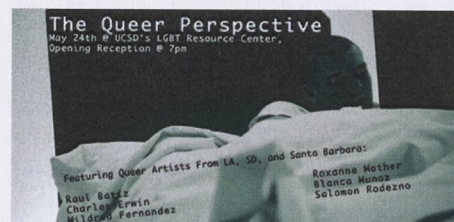
To RSVP or if you have any questions, contact Erin at [grad-com@ucsd.edu](mailto:grad-com@ucsd.edu).

Sponsored by the Office of Graduate Studies and Research, Cross-Cultural Center and the Peer Networking Program.

### "The Queer Perspective" Art Show

Wednesday, May 24th, 7:00pm  
LGBT Resource Center

From our own Elvia, Arts and Culture intern at the LGBT Resource Center...



"The 'Queer Perspective' exhibition has found its artists, a few from our own UCSD community, as well as others from Southern California, and will be opening soon.

## Anna Rubio-Fleischer

### Intern for Youth and Seniors



From the Director, Shaun... "Anna has shaped the Youth and Senior intern in powerful ways, and has accomplished

something that is quite amazing: Anna established an annual program.

The LGBT Resource Center had, for the first time, a Family Day in the winter of this year. It was an amazing success, with parents, family and friends of the LGBT folks who frequent the Center coming together for connections and community. The program was so completely in line with the mission and values of our Center, it makes no sense at all not to replicate and grow its success in the future.

I am personally so proud of Anna's work in that area, as well

The show will look at queer art done by queer artists and the themes associated with the general vision of the show will be: identity, queer social issues, visibility of sexuality and gender. It is scheduled for an opening reception on May 24th at UCSD's LGBT Resource Center.

Please email me at [lgbtartsnculture@ucsd.edu](mailto:lgbtartsnculture@ucsd.edu) and/or [earroyor@ucsd.edu](mailto:earroyor@ucsd.edu) for more information. Thank you - Elvia, Arts and Culture Intern, LGBT Resource Center.

### Are you a graduating senior? RSVP for Rainbow Graduation 2005!!

Saturday, June 10th, 4:00pm  
ERC's Great Hall



The festivities for our annual Rainbow Graduation and Induction into the LGBT Chapter of the UCSD Alumni Association will be held on Saturday, June 10th, 2006 at 4:00pm at ERC's Great Hall.

If you are a graduating UCSD senior who would like to be included in the Rainbow Graduation program, receive a special certificate and celebrate the achievements of the community and the Class of 2006, then we want to hear from you!! Here's what you should do:

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2. Include in your email the following information:
  - Your full name as you would like it to appear in the program and certificate
  - Your major, minor and/or areas of focus/concentration
  - Your UCSD undergraduate college OR your graduate department
3. Mark your calendars for Saturday, June 10th, 2006 4:00pm.
4. Be proud of yourselves (because we certainly are!!)

Finally, let any and all graduating seniors know about this wonderful ceremony. This includes LGBTQI-identified students and allies. Good luck in all your endeavors, Seniors, and thank you for contributing to our wonderful community!!

## Organizations

### LGBTQIA Family Dinner

Saturday, May 20th, 6:30pm  
International Gardens, Club House

This is our last Queer Family Potluck for the academic year!! fo sho!

\*sniff\* \*sniff\* hehe yea, who can believe another school year is about to finish. Come, to hangout, play games, connect with your fellow classmates, and have a good time before you go into finals mode.

LGBTQIA has set up an awesome venue for the event.

-fully furnished kitchen with oven

as others in which she has pushed herself and grown. Do not miss her joint program on Thursday with Peper. It should be a great dialogue."

Read the Top Story for more details!

## Friday Night Movie

**Paragraph 175**  
May 19th at 5:00pm



This week's movie is "Paragraph 175" and is being shown by Clement.

"By the 1920's, Berlin had become known as a homosexual eden, where gay men and lesbians lived relatively open lives amidst an exciting subculture of artists and intellectuals. With the coming to power of the Nazis, all this changed. Between 1933 and 1945 100,000 men were arrested for homosexuality under Paragraph 175, the sodomy provision of the German penal code dating back to 1871. Some were imprisoned, others were sent to concentration camps. Of the latter, only about 4,000 survived. Today, fewer than ten of these men are known to be living. Five of them have now come forward to tell their stories for the first time in this powerful new film."

Come down to the LGBT Resource Center and visit with all of your friends. As usual, we will provide popcorn.

## In Our Library

**Myths of Gender:  
Biological Theories About  
Women and Men**  
by Anne Fausto-Sterling

Are men smarter than women, better at math, inherently more aggressive? Are women verbal, subject to monthly emotional storms, and doomed without

- a heated pool
- billiards table

Bring an entrée. Bring your board games. Don't worry if you're on campus, we'll help you arrange rides.

See you there.

E-mail [lgbtqia@gmail.com](mailto:lgbtqia@gmail.com) for details and for an Evite letter. For the sake of efficiency the event is being organized through Evite, and since it's been so successful in the past, we will continue to USE IT!!

## Campus Community Centers

### Cross-Cultural Center Celebration Week! (aka C-4 Week)

Monday, May 22nd - Friday, May 26th

Check out our exciting C-4 events:

**CCC APIA Mini Film Festival Closer:** The fourth and final week of our Asian and Pacific-Islander American Mini Film Festival features a film about Queer and Parenting issues within the Asian American community.

**All People's Celebration:** This is an event to recognize campus individuals who contribute to increasing multicultural understanding at UCSD and in the surrounding community.

**Progressive People's Party:** Come join us for our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Progressive People's Party featuring a live DJ, food and fun people. Dance the night away with progressive peeps who are also down for having a good time.

## Opportunities

### Spouses & Partners of Graduate Students Workshop

Friday, May 19th, 11:30am

Cross Cultural Center Conference Room

Dr. Jeanne Manese and a panel of Graduate Students and their spouses/partners will speak about issues relating to graduate student life such as what life is like if you are in a household where you are not the graduate student, balancing graduate work and home life, and the role that non-graduate student spouses & partners play in graduate student's lives. Pizza and light refreshments will be served. RSVP by Thursday, May 18 to [agustin@ucsd.edu](mailto:agustin@ucsd.edu) with name and department.

### J\*Pride's San Diego Law & Order

Wednesday, May 24th, 7:00pm-9:00pm

Lawrence Family Jewish Community Center

J\*Pride, a program of the Lawrence Family Jewish Community Center that reaches out to the Jewish LGBT Community of San Diego is proud to present "*San Diego Law & Order: A Candid Discussion of Hate Crimes in the Jewish and LGBT Communities.*"

This two-hour panel discussion will take place at the Lawrence Family Jewish Community Center, JACOBS FAMILY CAMPUS, Wednesday

hormone intervention to a sexless deteriorating old age? Do studies by sociobiologists shed light on gender behavior in humans? Fausto-Sterling, an associate professor of medical science at Brown University, considers all these questions, concentrating on the scientific studies on which popular assumptions are often based. She presents complicated ideas clearly and knowledgeably and is devastatingly critical of the scientific validity of much of the work she cites.

### Q-Quote of the Week

"Between exclusive homosexuality and exclusive heterosexuality, there is every intermediate shading."  
by Andre Gide

### Weekly Statistics

#### Spring 2006 Week #6

Students	307
Staff	26
Faculty	2
Alumni	1
Guest	4
<b>Total visitors</b>	<b>340</b>

May 24, 2006 at 7:00. Admission is **FREE** to the public.

San Diego's leading hate crime experts will address a wide variety of perspectives and answer related questions. **San Diego District Attorney Bonnie Dumanis will join Garden Grove Chief of Police Joseph Polisar and Anti-Defamation League Regional Director Morris Casuto** to examine key aspects of hate crimes including national trends, local statistics and how legislation surrounding this issue specifically affects targeted groups such as the LGBT and Jewish communities.

**Midge Costanza**, Community Relations Officer for the District Attorney's Office, who made history when she became the first woman named Assistant to the President by Jimmy Carter in 1976, will moderate the panel.

A reception will immediately follow the panel.

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### **The Womyn of Color Conference**

**Registration: Wednesday, May 24th at 3:00pm**  
**Conference: Friday, May 26th - Sunday, May 28th**  
**UC Santa Cruz**

The Womyn of Color Conference is taking place at UC Santa Cruz.

This is an amazing opportunity to learn about the many issues within womyn of color communities.

To allies, this is also a great opportunity to learn about how to use your own privilege towards the cause.

Please contact Chris Sweeten at [csweeten@ucsd.edu](mailto:csweeten@ucsd.edu) before 3:00pm Wednesday May 24, with your name, college, phone number, major, and whether or not you are employed by the University of California, San Diego.

This is very last minute! The conference is next weekend May 26th - 28th

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### **OUT for Work**

**Register before May 30th for a chance at FREE airline tickets**

**Mission:** To prepare undergraduate students for the transition from academia to the workplace.

#### **Agenda Highlights**

Saturday, October 21:

#### **Presentations:**

The state of the workplace  
Landing your dream career

#### **Panel Discussions:**

Being LGBT in the workplace

#### **Break-out Sessions/ Panel Discussions:**

Career mapping  
Successful networking  
Being a racial/ethnic minority and LGBT  
Dealing with discrimination at work  
Transworkplace



OUT to serve (a military perspective)  
And more!

**OUT for Work Awards Reception**

Honoring 'Apprentice' candidate Clay Lee

Sunday, October 22:

The PRIDE Career Fair

\* Scholarship and prize give-a-ways throughout the event  
Sponsors include: IBM, Fannie Mae, Sodexo, Accenture, HRC, NGLCC, Diversity Change Agents, and more!

Visit [www.outforwork.com](http://www.outforwork.com) and click on conference details, then registration, Or call Riley @ 202 487 3986 with any questions! Space is limited.

**The Los Angeles Queer Studies Conference  
2006: Call for Papers**

**Deadline for Proposals: June 30th, 2006**

**Friday and Saturday, October 20th-21st, 2006**

**UCLA's Royce Hall**

Participants will include:

Janet Jakobsen  
David Roman  
Jennifer Terry

Michelle Matlock will present the first westcoast performance of the "Mammy Project."

The Williams Institute at UCLA Law School will sponsor a panel on recent sexual orientation law and public policy scholarship.

**CALL FOR PAPERS**

Since one of the principal goals of the conference is to encourage the exchange of ideas across academic generations, we invite participation of graduate students and faculty scholars. Please send your proposal (not more than 850 words) for a 20-minute presentation on any topic relating to the study of sexuality and gender and a cv (not more than 2 pages) to one of the addresses below. If you would like to organize a panel of three speakers, please feel free to do so.

**DEADLINE FOR PROPOSALS: June 30, 2006**

Submissions by US Postal Service:  
UCLA Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Studies Program  
1101 Hershey Hall Box 951384  
Los Angeles, CA 90095-1384

Email submissions: [lgbs@humnet.ucla.edu](mailto:lgbs@humnet.ucla.edu)

For further information, please contact the UCLA LGBTS office at (310)206-0516 or [lgbs@humnet.ucla.edu](mailto:lgbs@humnet.ucla.edu) or [www.humnet.ucla.edu/humnet/lgbts/](http://www.humnet.ucla.edu/humnet/lgbts/)

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to keep everyone in the know. It will be published weekly. If you have things to submit, please forward them by Friday at 5pm to [rainbow@ucsd.edu](mailto:rainbow@ucsd.edu) and type "Rainbow Newsletter" in the subject line. They should be UCSD & LGBT focused! Newsletters are archived at <http://lgbt.ucsd.edu/newsletter>. Problems with the listserv? Did you get this multiple times? Please let us know.

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TOP STORY

## "The Queer Perspective" Art Show



The "Queer Perspective" exhibition has artists from our own UCSD community, as well as others from Southern California, and will be showing **today** Wednesday, May 24th at 7:00pm at the LGBT Resource Center. The show will look at queer art done by queer artists and the themes associated with the general vision of the show will be: identity, queer social issues, visibility of sexuality and gender. The show is curated by our own Arts and Culture Intern Elvia Arroyo-Ramirez.

## LGBTRC Announcements

### LGBT Resource Center closed on Monday May 29th- Memorial Day

The LGBT Resource Center will be closed this Monday, May 29th in observance of Memorial Day. All groups and organizations that typically meet here have either cancelled them or msade other plans. please conatc the leadership of those organizations for more details. Enjoy the day!

### Letter of Congratulations from SAGE on Our Grand Opening

To the LGBT Resource Center Community,

Congratulations on the recent opening of the long-awaited and eagerly anticipated LGBT Resource Center. As your friends from the "other end of the Rainbow", we hope that this Center will better assist you in continuing your mission to "sustain and develop visibility, sense of community and knowledge of diverse queer people".



To paraphrase John F. Kennedy in his Inaugural Address, "...you are the heirs of that first revolution", and the preservation of the history of the LGBT community has been passed on to you. We hope that your new Center provides you with a safe place to explore the history of our Community, and enables you to preserve our past while you take on leadership roles in our struggle for equality.

For the Board of Directors and Members of S.A.G.E.,

Tom Kirkman  
Executive Director  
The S.A.G.E. Center

## Ryan Ferrell

### LGBT Speakers Bureau Intern



From the Director, Shaun... "Ryan continues a tradition of more than four years at the LGBT Resource

Center! In fact, our first intern in any area was for the LGBT Speaker's Bureau. Ryan has done an incredible job, and put his own stamp on the program. The Speaker's Bureau is our most visible outreach, and has a history for as far back as LGBT were visibile on campus.

This year in particular, Ryan has streamlined and consolidated much of the processes for connecting facilitators and panelists. This internship is ALL about organization, and Ryan can be organized!"

## Friday Night Movie

### X-Men 2 May 26th at 5:00pm



This week's movie is "X-Men 2" and is being shown by Raf.

"Already living

**Grad Nite Java Jam: Art and Talent Showcase****RSVP by: Saturday, June 3rd****Event: Friday, June 9th, 6:00pm - 9:00pm****Cross-Cultural Center Lecture Hall**

Be apart of the First Annual Grad Nite Java Jam! On June 9th, 2006 the Cross-Cultural Center will transform into your favorite cafe for a night of art and performance. We're seeking grad students from all over campus to perform at this event where grads get together and share our non-academic talents and interests. All types of performances are encouraged: singing, poetry, magic tricks, story telling, comedy, dramatic readings, dance performances, cooking demonstrations, juggling, instrument playing and even a Madonna impersonation!

Additionally, we are looking for visual art peices to be showcased during the evening. And if you don't want to perform we still want to see you lovely face there.

Deadline to RSVP for attendance and/or performance: June 3rd

E-mail Erin Malone at [Grad-com@ucsd.edu](mailto:Grad-com@ucsd.edu)

**Commencement Coffee****Friday, June 9th, 5:00pm - 7:00pm****LGBT Resource Center**

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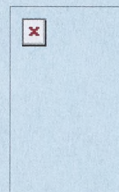
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in a society that mistrusts them, the mutants are faced with even more discrimination after an unforeseen enemy - who may be a mutant with extraordinary powers - launches a devastating attack. The news of the assault causes a public outcry against the mutants, including renewed support for the Mutant Registration Act, and William Stryker, a military leader rumored to have experimented on mutants (possibly including Wolverine), is among the most vocal supporters of the legislation. Stryker puts into motion a plan to eradicate the mutants and begins an offensive on the X-Men mansion and school. Magneto, having escaped from his plastic prison, forms an unlikely alliance with Professor Xavier to stop Stryker. Meanwhile, Wolverine heads north to investigate his past."

Come down to the LGBT Resource Center and visit with all of your friends, and enjoy a movie that has interesting parallels with our own community. As usual, we will provide popcorn.

**In Our Library**

***Chicana Lesbians: The Girls Our Mothers Warned Us About***  
by Carla Trujillo

Winner of the LAMBDA Book Award, Best Lesbian Anthology, and the Out/Write Vanguard Award, Best Pioneering Contribution to the Field of Gay/Lesbian Lifestyle and Literature, this best-selling anthology is the most important book ever published about Chicana lesbians.

**Q-Quote of the Week**

"Remember, to hate, to be violent, is demeaning. It means you're afraid of the other side of the coin-to love and be loved."  
by James Baldwin

**Weekly Statistics****Spring 2006 Week #7**

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Faculty	2

department

3. Mark your calendars for Saturday, June 10th, 2006 4:00pm.
4. Be proud of yourselves (because we certainly are!!)

Finally, let any and all graduating seniors know about this wonderful ceremony. This includes LGBTQI-identified students and allies. Good luck in all your endeavors, Seniors, and thank you for contributing to our wonderful community!!

### CUDLI Applications Now Available

The Campus Community Centers are proud to announce that applications for the 2006-2007 year of the Chancellor's Undergraduate Diversity Leadership Institute (CUDLI) are now available. Participants in the Institute will experience a social change model of leadership development and growth through academic and experiential diversity related activities. Students must be first or second year students with excellent academic credentials and a strong, articulated interest in diversity and social justice issues. Applications are available at <http://community.ucsd.edu/> and are due on Friday, June 9, 2006. Please e-mail [diversity-institute@ucsd.edu](mailto:diversity-institute@ucsd.edu) for any questions.

## Organizations

### LGBTQIA Time Capsule Project

If you have queer related pictures of you, your family, friends, significant other we may showcase at our last meeting of the school year, please e-mail them to [lgbtqia@gmail.com](mailto:lgbtqia@gmail.com)!

[lgbtqia@gmail.com](mailto:lgbtqia@gmail.com)  
[www.LGBTQIA.org](http://www.LGBTQIA.org)  
 AIM: UCSD LGBTQIA  
 JOIN our FaceBook Group!

### Queer By Nature Snorkeling Event

**Saturday, May 27th, 9:00am-12:00pm**  
**Meeting At: Old LGBT Resource Center**  
**Event At: La Jolla Cove**

Queer by Nature is again going to be snorkeling down at La Jolla Cove, one of the best snorkeling spots in California. We are going to be meeting at the Old Resource Center at 9:00am on Saturday, May 27th, and then car pooling down to the Cove. I know it seems early, but really, it's MUCH better in the morning. We've talked with Outback Adventures and are able to get a group discount if more than 10 people go. All gear (mask and snorkel, fins, and wetsuit) will cost \$22, provided we find enough of you to rent from them, so RSVP to [qxn@ucsd.edu](mailto:qxn@ucsd.edu) !! Following the event, we will continue our tradition of going out for food with a trip for brunch at a restaurant across the street!

If you would like more info or are interested in going, please send an email to [qxn@ucsd.edu](mailto:qxn@ucsd.edu). It is important that you email us quickly so that we can determine how many people are interested and so we can coordinate a group rental.

If you would like to see something specific at this event, or any QxN event, then please attend our bi-weekly meetings from 6:00pm-6:30pm at the LGBT Resource Center on Mondays. For more information contact [qxn@ucsd.edu](mailto:qxn@ucsd.edu) and visit our soon to exist website!

### Queer By Nature Car Wash Fundraiser

**Sunday, May 28th, 10:00am-4:00pm**  
**Meeting At: Old LGBT Resource Center**  
**Car Wash At: The Center Parking Lot (Hillcrest)**

Alumni	5
Guest	5
<b>Total</b>	
<b>visitors</b>	<b>276</b>

### From the Guardian

New LGBT Center prides itself on a new design and an old mission in mind.  
 By Matthew Leavitt

The inside of the new Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Resource Center is so quiet, sometimes you can hear the shuffling of the cards during an Uno championship tournament. Silence this thick is usually tense, but the occasional bursts of laughter shatter any illusion of pressure. It is here, among the rollaway couch segments and little tubs of Play-Doh...

[http://www.ucsdguardian.org/cgi-bin/features?art=2006\\_05\\_22\\_02](http://www.ucsdguardian.org/cgi-bin/features?art=2006_05_22_02)

The next day, Sunday, May 28th, Queer by Nature will be holding a car wash down at the Center in Hillcrest between 10:00am and 4:00pm to raise money for our end of the year camping trip. We are initially meeting at the Old LGBT Resource Center at around 9:00am to then car pool over to our location in Hillcrest. If you would like to help out, all we need is person power, as all supplies are being donated by DLP (thanks!). Also, if you plan on going on our camping trip, it behooves you to come volunteer, because this will significantly drop the price of our trip.

For everyone else, PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE come out and get your car washed by our very own community members. This money is going to a good cause, as I'm sure all of you know, and besides, you can see all of those hot QxN members washing your dirty car.

If you would like to see something specific at this event, or any QxN event, then please attend our bi-weekly meetings from 6:00pm-6:30pm at the LGBT Resource Center on Mondays. For more information contact [qxn@ucsd.edu](mailto:qxn@ucsd.edu) and visit our soon to exist website!

## Campus Community Centers

### Journeys: (Re)Mapping Growth All People's Celebration

Thursday, May 25th, 5:00pm-9:00pm  
Cross Cultural Center

The Cross-Cultural Center will host its 11th annual All People's Recognition Ceremony on Thursday, May 25, 2006 at 5:00 PM. The goal of the Ceremony is to recognize campus individuals who contribute their time, effort, and energy to increase multicultural understanding at UCSD and in the surrounding community.

We believe these people have helped the CCC to fulfill its mission of "building community from the ground up."

All People's Celebration is a chance to recognize their contributions. Please take this opportunity to nominate someone (student, staff, faculty, or community) who you feel has contributed to diversity and community at UCSD.

<http://ccc.ucsd.edu/>

### Progressive People's Party

Friday, May 26th, 8:00pm - 11:00pm  
Cross-Cultural Center Front Patio

Come join us for our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Progressive People's Party featuring a live DJ, food and fun people. Dance the night away with progressive peeps who are also down for having a good time.

## Opportunities

### J\*Pride's San Diego Law & Order

Wednesday, May 24th, 7:00pm-9:00pm  
Lawrence Family Jewish Community Center

J\*Pride, a program of the Lawrence Family Jewish Community Center that reaches out to the Jewish LGBT Community of San Diego is proud to present "*San Diego Law & Order: A Candid Discussion of Hate Crimes in the Jewish and LGBT Communities.*"

This two-hour panel discussion will take place at the Lawrence Family Jewish Community Center, JACOBS FAMILY CAMPUS, Wednesday May 24, 2006 at 7:00. Admission is **FREE** to the public.

San Diego's leading hate crime experts will address a wide variety of perspectives and answer related questions. **San Diego District Attorney Bonnie Dumanis will join Garden Grove Chief of Police Joseph Polisar and Anti-Defamation League Regional Director Morris Casuto** to examine key aspects of hate crimes including national trends, local statistics and how legislation surrounding this issue specifically affects targeted groups such as the LGBT

and Jewish communities.

**Midge Costanza**, Community Relations Officer for the District Attorney's Office, who made history when she became the first woman named Assistant to the President by Jimmy Carter in 1976, will moderate the panel.

A reception will immediately follow the panel.

### New Intergroup Dialogue Courses for Fall 2006

#### What is Intergroup Dialogue?

Intergroup Dialogue provides students with in-depth opportunities to acquire and practice essential skills needed to be productive and culturally competent citizens and leaders in a diverse society. Intergroup dialogue brings together students from two or more social identity groups in a small group, cooperative environment which creates a powerful setting for learning and personal growth. All undergraduate, upper-division students may apply (TMC198 requires completion of your college writing requirement).

[More Information and Application Here](#)

### OUT for Work

Register before May 30th for a chance at FREE airline tickets

**Mission:** To prepare undergraduate students for the transition from academia to the workplace.

Visit <http://www.outforwork.com/conference/details.htm> for more information and to register, or call Riley @ 202 487 3986 with any questions! Space is limited.

### Tim Miller's 1001 BEDS Performance

Thursday, June 1st-Saturday, June 3rd, 8:00pm  
The Real Theater, at the Get Wireless Store

"Recommended from our our own Professor Eileen Myles...

Tim Miller performs **1001 BEDS** in San Diego between Thursday, June 1st and Saturday, June 3rd. The show is performed at **The Real Theater** (at Get Wireless Store) at 8:00pm each evening. Tickets are \$20 each. Call (619) 297-7309 for more information.

Get Wireless Store: 116 Washington St. in Hillcrest.

**Tim Miller** is an internationally acclaimed performance artist. Miller's creative work as a performer and writer explores the artistic, spiritual and political topography of his identity as a gay man. Hailed for his humor and passion, Miller's has tackled this challenge in such pieces as **Live Boys** (1981-created with John Bernd), **Postwar** (1982), **Cost of Living** (1983), **Democracy in America** (1984), **Buddy Systems** (1985-created with Doug Sadownick), **Some Golden States** (1987), **Stretch Marks** (1989), **Sex/Love/Stories** (1991), **My Queer Body** (1992), **Naked Breath** (1994), **Fruit Cocktail** (1996), **Shirts & Skin** (1997), **Body Blows** (2002), **Glory Box** (1999) and **US** (2003). Miller's performances have been presented all over North America and Europe in such prestigious venues as Yale Repertory Theatre, the Institute of Contemporary Art (London), the Walker Art Center (Minneapolis), and the Brooklyn Academy of Music. He is the author of the books **Shirts & Skin** and **Body Blows**. His solo theater works have been published in the play collections **O Solo Homo** and **Sharing the Delirium**."

More on Tim Miller and his works [HERE](#)

### Queer Youth Digital Media Festival

Saturday, June 3rd, 11:00am-3:00pm  
The Center (Hillcrest)

The first ever Queer Youth Digital Media Festival is taking place on Saturday, June 3rd, 2006 from 11am – 3pm at the Center. The festival is a collaboration between Arcolris Lounge, the Center, and the Hillcrest Youth Center.

This festival is a first of its kind for queer youth in San Diego and will provide a forum for queer youth, ages 24 and under, to learn and participate in digital storytelling and youth media activism. It is different than any other youth conference because it enables identities and communities to empower themselves using media tools via their own stories and voices. The festival will provide a safe space for LGBT youth to establish their stories and voices as

expressions for education, resistance, activism, and empowerment.

Through media and art practices, youth will gain the platform to envision themselves in a positive light, serve as role models for other youth, and promote media justice and social change. Without such communicative mediums, underrepresented youth, like queer youth, are left without outlets of expression and of self-determination.

Participants of the festival will get the opportunity to: watch other youth produced local and statewide media; acquire the basic tenets of creating their own digital stories; interact with other queer youth; and learn how they can become involved in media activism.

### **UCSB Assistant Director of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, & Transgender Resources Job Opening**

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA** is recruiting for an Assistant Director of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, & Transgender Resources. This position is housed in the Resource Center for Sexual & Gender Diversity, which is within the Division of Student Affairs. [www.sa.ucsb.edu/sgd](http://www.sa.ucsb.edu/sgd)

#### **GENERAL SUMMARY OF DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

The Assistant Director of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, & Transgender Resources works to raise campus awareness of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender issues to create a safe climate for the campus community. Primarily responsible for the office oversight/management of the Resource Center for Sexual & Gender Diversity, Rainbow Lounge, and David Bohnett CyberCenter. Responsible for outreach and liaison to student groups and assisting in the planning and implementation of educational/cultural programs. The Assistant Director directly supervises three student interns (25%) and five front desk employees (30%).

This position is classified as SAO-I (Student Affairs Officer level 1)

Full-time, 100%, 12-month career position

Salary: \$2924/month (\$35,088/year)

Start Date: September 1, 2006

May need to work some evenings and weekends

#### **For More Information and To Apply:**

Visit the UCSB Human Resources website: <http://jobs.ucsb.edu>

Job #: 20060260

Application Deadline: June 9, 2006

For questions or more information, please contact:

Kyle Richards, Director of LGBT Resources

[kyle.richards@sa.ucsb.edu](mailto:kyle.richards@sa.ucsb.edu)

(805) 893-5846

### **Online Survey To Help LGBT Youth**

We are very excited to introduce an online survey that Live Out Loud created to learn the specific needs of LGBT youth. We will use this invaluable information to develop future programming for our youth to continue to empower them to LIVE OUT LOUD!

Live Out Loud is a non-profit organization focused on providing mentorship, support, and education to lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) youth. In an effort to help shape the future services and activities we offer, we would like to hear your thoughts and perspectives on the current needs and challenges of LGBT youth.

If you are an LGBT or questioning youth between the ages of 13 and 21, we would greatly appreciate you taking a few minutes to complete this survey. Feel free to answer only those questions to which you feel comfortable responding.

All surveys and responses are completely anonymous. Please visit <http://express.perseus.com/perseus/surveys/1734848031/1f1231e7.htm> for the online survey. This survey should take approximately 10 minutes to complete.

We want to hear your voices! Thank you in advance for your participation!

For more information on any of the above, please contact the **LGBT Resource Center** at (858) 822-3493 or [rainbow@ucsd.edu](mailto:rainbow@ucsd.edu). This is a regular compilation of news, tidbits, and information from the UCSD LGBT Resource Center to keep everyone in the know. It will be published weekly. If you have things to submit, please forward them by Friday at 5pm to [rainbow@ucsd.edu](mailto:rainbow@ucsd.edu) and type "Rainbow Newsletter" in the subject line. They should be UCSD & LGBT focused! Newsletters are archived at <http://lgbt.ucsd.edu/newsletter>. Problems with the listserv? Did you get this multiple times? Please let us know.

[rainbow@ucsd.edu](mailto:rainbow@ucsd.edu) | [lgbt.ucsd.edu](http://lgbt.ucsd.edu)



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The LGBT Resource Center at UCSD collaborates with

their Arts and Culture Intern to presents

## **The Queer Perspective**

This exhibition will be on view at the new

LGBT Resource Center on

**May 24, 2006**

The *Queer Perspective* features the works of seven queer student artists from different regions of southern California, namely San Diego, Los Angeles and Santa Barbara. The exhibition's prime focus is to address queer issues that are reflected in the art of these artists. Issues concerning identity-- the very troubles or concerns that we have to deal with in everyday life, like consumerism in the gay community. Social issues in regards to what it means to be LGBT-- the stereotypes that we as individuals and as a community fall into by society's restrictions. And visibility of sexuality and gender, the visual aesthetic representation of who we are, what we are and who we love.

## Raul Batiz



b. 1985

"Raul Batiz Landeros was born and raised in Rialto, California on December 22nd, 1985. At a young age he discovered his passion for photography. Raul is currently attending Brooks Institute of Photography where he is working on his Bachelors of Arts. After graduation he plans on moving to Los Angeles and pursuing a career in fine art, portraiture, and fashion photography."

## Charles Erwin



b. 1980

"The cultural space [Charles Erwin] occupies within the unprecedented acceleration of growth and implementation of computer technology in the 21st Century, becomes his irresistible excuse for creative exploration of a unique intersection between traditional studio, new media and conceptual art practices. This personal vantage point has resulted in a growing body of work concerned with merging ideas of consumerism, homosexual identity, exploration of relationships between the correlative camps of critique and art-making, and the utilization of performative elements of sound."

website: [www.charleyten.com](http://www.charleyten.com)

## Roxanne Mather



b. 1985

"I am 20 years old and a Junior in John Muir college at UCSD. I am majoring in studio art with drawing and painting as my emphasis, and my body of work is done in the media of oil paint."

## Blanca Munoz



b. 1985

"I was born and raised in Los Angeles. My photographic career began in high school [while attending] South Gate High School. I graduated and began working at Home Depot. After working there for almost two years I realized I should be studying photography. I enrolled Brooks Institute of Photography soon after. I love what I do and hope to be very successful working with photography."

## Mildred Fernandez



b. 1985

"My name is Mildred Fernandez. I'm 20 years old and I live in Los Angeles. I've always been interested in photography, but apathy and procrastination get the best of me as you can see."

## Louise Ly



b. 1984

"Louise Ly, 22, is from San Jose, California. She studies sociology, anthropology, and art at UCSD. She is a visual artist who primarily works with graphite, pastels, oil and acrylic paints, and ink."

## Salomon Rodezno



b. 1985

"I am Salomon A. Rodezno, 21. I'm a first generation Salvadorean-American from North Hollywood, CA. As an undergraduate, I am currently in the film and video program in the University of California, San Diego. In the near future, I plan to move to the east coast and attend the graduate film program at the Savannah College of Art and Design. My favorite feeling to investigate/explore/challenge and share is the importance of love in my life--there's exist NOTHING as powerful as love."

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The exhibition is curated by **Elvia M. Arroyo-Ramirez**,  
LGBT Resource Center's Arts and Culture Intern and a  
UCSD Undergraduate Art History student.

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Thank Yous and Acknowledgements:

**LGBT Resource Center**

**Raul Batiz**

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**Mildred Fernandez**

**Crisalia Gonzalez**

**Marlene Hernandez**

**Louise Ly**

**Roxanne Mather**

**Blanca Munoz**

**Salomon Rodezno**

**Samuel Santos**

**Roberto Tejada**

**Shaun Travers**

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Exhibited at:  
University of California, San Diego  
Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Resource Center  
9500 Gilman Dr. #0023  
La Jolla, CA 92092-0023



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The UCSD Asian American and Pacific-Islander Planning Committee Presents 2007's

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**Spring Roles**

Intersecting Stories, Struggles, and Identities of  
our Asian American and Pacific Islander Communities



APRIL 15 - SUNDAY, DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM

**FUSION HIP HOP DANCE COMPETITION**

RIMAC, WWW.UCSDMASA.ORG

APRIL 17 - TUESDAY, 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

**MABUHAY COMPAÑERO: INTERETHNIC FARMWORKER**

**COALITIONS 1920's-60's DR. RUDY GUEVARRA**

CROSS-CULTURAL CTR, NMAGPUSAO@UCSD.EDU

APRIL 18 - WEDNESDAY

**DAY OF SILENCE**

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO TO END THE SILENCE?

UCSD DAYOFSILENCE@YAHOO.COM

APRIL 20 - MAY 31

**UCSD STAFF ARTWORK EXPRESSIONS:**

**A WATERCOLOR AND PHOTO JOURNAL DISPLAY**

UCSD BOOKSTORE AND WOMEN'S CENTER

APRIL 22 - SUNDAY, 7:00 PM

**HAWAI'I CLUB LUAU**

INTERPRETIVE DANCE, MUSIC, PRESENTATIONS

PRICE CTR, UCSD.HAWAIICLUB@GMAIL.COM

APRIL 25 - WEDNESDAY, 4:00 PM

**COMM(UNITY) VOICES: A SHARING OF IDENTITIES,**

**THROUGH ART EXPRESSION AND MURAL PAINTING**

SAAC LOUNGE AT PRICE CTR, KMANN@UCSD.EDU

APRIL 27 - FRIDAY, 8:00 PM

**RE-INTRODUCTION:**

**NIKKEI STUDENT UNION CULTURE SHOW**

PRICE CTR, WWW.NSU.EDU

APRIL 28 - SATURDAY, 8:00 PM

**CAMBODIAN STUDENT ASSOCIATION'S**

**CULTURE NIGHT**

PRICE CTR BALLROOM, CAMBODIA@UCSD.EDU

APRIL 30 - MONDAY, 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM AND 7:00 PM

**BLACK APRIL REMEMBERING FALL OF SAIGON**

PRICE CTR PLAZA; 7 PM SEMINAR IN GALLERY A

VSA@UCSD.EDU

MAY 1 - TUESDAY, 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM KICKOFF

**FAR\*EAST MOVEMENT HIP HOP GROUP**

**AND CULTURAL PRESENTATIONS**

PRICE CTR, JOSEPHALLEN.RAMIREZ@GMAIL.COM

MAY 3 - MAY 5, THURSDAY - SATURDAY

**20TH ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICANS IN HIGHER EDUCATION**

CONFERENCE IN OAKLAND'S CHINATOWN, WWW.APAHE.NET

MAY 4, 8, AND 11 - FRIDAY, 12:00 PM; TUESDAY, 3:00 PM

**ASIAN FILM FESTIVAL**

CROSS-CULTURAL CTR, NMAGPUSAO@UCSD.EDU

MAY 5 - SATURDAY, 7:00 PM

**UCSD SANGAM CULTURE NIGHT**

CALIFORNIA CENTER FOR THE ARTS, ESCONDIDO

WWW.ARTCENTER.ORG

MAY 9 - WEDNESDAY, 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

**THE STATE OF ASIAN AMERICA AT UCSD AND BEYOND**

RE-VISITING THE (IN)VISIBILITY OF ASIAN REPRESENTATIONS

FACILITATED BY DR. LISA SUN-HEE PARK

CROSS-CULTURAL CTR, NMAGPUSAO@UCSD.EDU

MAY 9 - WEDNESDAY, 7:00 PM

**DOCUMENTARY: SAIGON, USA**

VSA@UCSD.EDU

MAY 14 - MAY 17, WEEKLONG

**MUSLIM STUDENT ASSOCIATION PRESENTS**

**JUSTICE IN PALESTINE WEEK: SPEAKOUT, FILM, TALK**

PRICE CTR, UCSDMSA786@YAHOO.COM

MAY 16 - WEDNESDAY, 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

**IRON CHEF COOKING COMPETITION**

A CONTEST OF CULINARY SKILLS AND TALENT

ERC-GREAT HALL, JPACHECO@UCSD.EDU

MAY 17- THURSDAY, 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

**ISRAEL AND PALESTINE: AN OPEN DIALOGUE**

CROSS-CULTURAL CTR, OOREVI@UCSD.EDU

MAY 21 AND 22 - MONDAY AND TUESDAY, ALL DAY

**HUMAN TRAFFICKING: FROM ASIAN CITIZENS**

**TO WESTERN HEMISPHERE CONFERENCE**

MARINA VILLAGE CONFERENCE CTR, SAN DIEGO

619 336-0770 RSVP: INFO@BSCCINFO.ORG

MAY 24 - THURSDAY, 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

**ALL PEOPLE'S RECOGNITION CEREMONY**

CROSS-CULTURAL CTR, 858 534-9689

MAY 25 AND 26 - FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, 8:00 PM

**KAIBIGANG PILIPINO'S**

**PILIPINO CULTURAL CELEBRATION**

NORTH PARK THEATER, WWW.KPUCSD.ORG

MAY 31 - THURSDAY, 6:30 PM

**MEMORIES OF A FORGOTTEN WAR: FILM AND TALK**

DOCUMENTARY ON THE U.S. AND PHILIPPINES WAR

BONITA SUNNYSIDE LIBRARY, SANDIEGO@GABNET.ORG

JUNE 3, SUNDAY, 6:00 PM

**KAMALAYAN KOLLECTIVE**

**OPEN MIC NYTE AND BENEFIT SHOW**

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**UPDATES**

<http://ccc.ucsd.edu/aapi.html>

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