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Happy Week 5!

We hope everyone has had a pleasant Spring Quarter so far. See below to find information regarding upcoming events and research opportunities offered by Cal Poly and other organizations.

Announcements and Upcoming Events

Undergraduate Panel (Week 5)

Join us for a talk with undergraduates at Cal Poly currently conducting research to learn more about their experiences and how you can get involved. The panel will be on Thursday, May 4th from 11:15 AM – 12:00 PM in building 180, room 112.

Club Meetings (Wednesdays, 11-12 PM)

Our next meeting will be during Week 6. Location will be announced via e-mail. Topics covered will be upcoming events, opportunities that arise, and brief presentations. The meeting will go no longer than an hour.

Survey (Week 5)

We will be sending out a quick assessment survey towards the end of Week 5 to help target our search for research opportunities and acquire data on the club membership and member feedback. Please be on the lookout for this and respond to it once it’s sent; it will really help us help you!

T-Shirts

We have T-shirts! Currently, we have them in small, medium, and large sizes, each for $6. If you’re interested in purchasing one, please e-mail us at undergradra.calpoly@gmail.com.
Opportunities at Cal Poly

http://www.mbnep.org/State-of-the-Bay/

A non-regulatory, nonprofit organization that monitors, maintains, and conducts research on the health and cleanliness of Morro Bay. See their website to find out more about getting involved as a Morro Bay research assistant, restoration volunteer, or educator!

https://tinyurl.com/l9rvy42

A listing of field internship sites (i.e. fieldwork opportunities) under the psychology and child development department. Even if your major is not in this department, we encourage you to check out what projects are going on here, especially if you’re at least slightly interested in this field.

http://socialsciences.calpoly.edu/students/internships/anthropology-geography

A listing of field internship sites (i.e. fieldwork opportunities) under the anthropology department. Even if you’re not an anthropology major, we again encourage you to check out these internship opportunities, especially if you’re at least slightly interested in this field. Note that this listing may be outdated as it was posted at the beginning of the 2016 SY. However, there may be some projects currently underway that are still taking students.

http://socialsciences.calpoly.edu/students/internships/sociology

A listing of field internship sites (i.e. fieldwork opportunities) under the sociology department. Once more, even if you’re not a sociology major, we again encourage you to check out these internship opportunities, especially if you’re at least slightly interested in sociology. As with the previous listing, note that this listing may be outdated as it was posted at the beginning of the 2016 SY. However, there may be some projects currently underway that are still taking students. You’ve just got to ask!

http://ethics.calpoly.edu/about.htm

“The Ethics + Emerging Sciences Group is... a research and educational group... involved with ethics and risk assessment, course development, publishing projects, media outreach....” and a plethora of other endeavors to analyze the interplay between and evolution of technology, society and ethics. Hosted by the department of philosophy, contact Dr. Patrick Lin at palin@calpoly.edu or visit their site above to find out more about their work and how you can get involved.
Other Opportunities

https://www.idealist.org/en/?type=ALL (Idealist.org)

Navigable listing designed to make it easy for users to find research and internship opportunities based off keyword searches.

https://www.nsf.gov/crssprgm/reu/reu_search.jsp (NSF REU Sites)

Short-term research projects in various disciplines at numerous universities throughout the United States and other countries. Positions range from 8 to 10 weeks long and typically offer a stipend and paid housing. Applications usually open in late-December. Although most applications have closed by now, it is a good idea to look at this site now to find programs you might like to participate in next year and plan accordingly.

https://uracalpoly.wordpress.com/about/ (URA’s Department Faculty Listing)

Check out Cal Poly’s academic departments to learn more about research being done across disciplines and find faculty members to work with.

Contact Us!

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