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Events

Nov. 20

Women, Sorcery and Talmud

Maggie Anton, author of the historical fiction trilogy “Rashi’s Daughters” will discuss her newest book, “Rav Hisda’s Daughter,” in the University Student Union, Grand Salon from 11 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Reservations are preferred.

For more information—call (818) 677-4724 or email jewish.studies@csun.edu.

Nov. 24

29th Annual Pow Wow

American Indian Studies hosts its annual Pow Wow from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on campus, at Plummer Street, east of Reseda Boulevard. Activities will include American Indian dance and music, children’s craft activities, arts and crafts vendors, and native frybread. Admission is free.

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Condolences

Carl J. Olsen

Carl J. Olsen, Ph.D., emeritus faculty of the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, passed away on Oct. 23. Professor Olsen, who specialized in organic chemistry, joined the faculty at California State University, Northridge, then San Fernando Valley State College, as a founding member of the department in 1961 and remained an active faculty member until 1995. Prior to coming to CSUN, he served in the U.S. Army at Walter Reed Medical Center and earned his doctorate from the University of Southern California. As remembered by fellow emeritus faculty member Sandor Reichman, Olsen was an outstanding instructor and colleague and a substantial member of the department. He is survived by his wife, Dr. Willa Olsen and their sons, John-Carl and Eric. The funeral service will be private. The family asks that donations be made to the CSUN Foundation to support the Professor Carl Olsen Graduate Scholarship in Chemistry, CSUN Foundation, 18111 Nordhoff St. Northridge, Calif. 91330. To make a gift online, click "Give" at www.csun.edu and note that the gift is in memory of Professor Olsen in the specified field.



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Volunteers Honored at Annual Service Awards Luncheon

by Ann Conkle | on November 16, 2012 | in [Community, Faculty and Staff News](#)



President Dianne F. Harrison poses with the 2012 Dorothea “Granny” Heitz and Dean Ed Peckham Award winners alongside past awardees. From left: Jim Gorman, Al Lapidès '68 (Business), Sherry Lapidès, President Dianne F. Harrison, Larry Twersky '85 (Marketing), Milt Valera '68 (Journalism), Dennis DeYoung '87 (Finance), Gene Detchemendy '84 (Marketing), Wayne Adelstein '70 (Political Science), Warren Campbell and Nancy Owens. Photo by Lee Choo.

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California State University, Northridge presented awards to 20 volunteers at its 11th annual Volunteer Service Awards on Nov. 1, including the organization's two highest honors: the Dean Ed Peckham Award, presented to emeritus professor Nancy J. Owens, Ph.D., and the Dorothea "Granny" Heitz Award for Outstanding Volunteer Leadership, presented to Larry Twersky '85 (Marketing).

The university also honored eight college recipients, three university recipients and seven alumni chapter recipients during the luncheon at the Airtel Plaza Hotel in Van Nuys.

"We are grateful to you for your leadership," said CSUN President Dianne F. Harrison to the honorees and other association members who serve on boards and committees. "You help select scholarship winners and student and alumni award recipients. You record affirming testimonials and participate as expert panelists and guest lecturers. Others of you are mentoring the next generation of students and alumni so that they, too, will be prepared to be successful in their professional lives."

Both D.G. "Gray" Mounger, assistant vice president for Alumni Relations, which organized the event, and Dennis DeYoung '87 (Finance), president of the Alumni Association who gave the opening remarks at the event, congratulated the winners. Mounger said more than 300 individuals had been honored since the event was first launched 11 years ago.



Nancy Owens

Nancy Owens, winner of this year's Dean Ed Peckham Award, given annually to an emeritus or retired member of the faculty or staff who continues to contribute to the CSUN community, is a wonderful example of this commitment to the university.

Since retiring from CSUN in 2003 as a professor emeritus, Owens has remained an active volunteer. As the curator of the Family and Consumer Sciences Historic Costume Collection, she catalogs, photographs and stores donated garments and antique and ethnic textiles. The oldest pieces date back to the 1880s.

Before retiring, Owens was active with the Faculty Senate, serving as president for two years. She is past president of the Association of Retired Faculty and is the association's current program chairperson. Not forgetting how scholarships helped them, Owens and her husband set up endowed scholarship programs in the Department of Family and Consumer Sciences and in the College of Engineering and Computer Science, and created an endowment to support the textile laboratory and the costume collection.

Named in honor of the late Granny Heitz, CSUN's unofficial spirit leader and founder of the "Granny Girls" spirit squad, the Dorothea "Granny" Heitz Award for Outstanding Volunteer Leadership is annually presented to alumni or friends who serve the university as outstanding volunteer leaders.

This year's winner, Larry Twersky, has earned a national reputation during the last 25 years as a visionary entrepreneur and is recognized as a foremost expert in automated customer relationship management (CRM). Twersky developed the first wireless CRM product for Palm and established Corporate Computer Center, one of the most successful CRM consulting practices. His experiences



Larry Twersky

include 10 years as president of 1-800-DENTIST, and he is the founder and current CEO of 1-800-Snoring.

Twersky serves on the College of Business and Economics Dean’s Council of Advisors and mentors CSUN business students. He was appointed to the CSUN Alumni Association Board of Directors in 2003 and elected to the association presidency in 2007.

As president, Twersky was credited with helping to increase the alumni association’s membership by 50 percent to 10,000 members. The highlight of his term was CSUN’s 50th Anniversary Grand Reunion, which attracted an audience of 5,000 alumni and friends.

“I am so honored to receive the Granny Heitz Award,” Twersky said. “Granny exemplified the enthusiasm and dedication I hope all alums feel for CSUN. By putting that enthusiasm into action through joining the Alumni Association, volunteering and giving, our 200,000 alums can be a powerful force for helping CSUN shine even brighter.”

Following are the other award winners honored at the event.



**COLLEGE
RECIPIENTS**

- 1. Sue Haber '64**
Mike Curb College of Arts, Media, and Communication
- 2. Roy Salter '79**
College of Business and Economics
- 3. Theresa Quarry**
Michael D. Eisner College of Education
- 4. Charles H. Volk, Ph.D.** College of Engineering and Computer Science

- 5. Ronora W. Sayaman '97** College of Humanities
- 6. George Thomas, Ph.D.** College of Science and Mathematics

7. Kurt Christiansen '85 College of Social and Behavioral Sciences

8. Jeremiah "J.B." Williams MPA '12 Tseng College



UNIVERSITY RECIPIENTS

1. Dotti Goggin '75 Arts Council

2. Michael Arone '00 Intercollegiate Athletics

3. Iris Caplan '81 Delmar T. Oviatt Library



ALUMNI CHAPTERS

1. Susan Barney '04 Accounting and Information Systems

2. Hasmig Baran Cred. '95, M.A. '97 Alumni and Friends of the Armenian Studies Program

3. Shanté Morgan-Durisseau '90 Black Alumni Association

4. Joyce Munsch, Ph.D. Child and

Adolescent Development Alumni Association

5. Laurie Cartwright '70, Cred. '92, M.S. '92 Communication Disorders and Sciences

6. Robert Finkelstein M.S. '78 Environmental and Occupational Health

7. Joel Fisher, MPA '07 Masters of Public Administration

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Celebration Highlights CSUN's Focus on Research

by Ann Conkle | on November 20, 2012 | in [Faculty and Staff News](#), [University News](#)



More than 100 faculty researchers were recognized by CSUN President Dianne F. Harrison at inaugural Principal Investigators Recognition Celebration event. Photo by Lee Choo.

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When President Dianne F. Harrison joined the California State University, Northridge community this summer, she set an

ambitious goal: to double the amount of grant or contract-funded research on campus in the next five years. In keeping with that goal, the president has renewed the campus' focus on supporting faculty who are conducting funded research projects.

On Nov. 1, Harrison hosted about 100 faculty researchers from each of CSUN's nine colleges at the inaugural Principal Investigators Recognition Celebration at her home. Each principal investigator, the lead researcher on a funded project, was individually honored and presented with a token of the university's appreciation for their dedication to projects that cover subjects that range from nanotechnology and solar astronomy to education and ecology.

Before introducing the researchers, the president affirmed her dedication to research on campus, which she said not only contributes to the ongoing development of crucial basic and applied science—essential to solving today's challenging problems—but also benefits students. Principal investigators serve as mentors for the students and fellow faculty working with them on their projects.

“We know that students who are involved and working with faculty, side-by-side, do better,” Harrison said. “They do better academically. They do better in completion. They do better in a whole host of ways.”

Harry Hellenbrand, provost and vice president for academic affairs, also spoke about the importance of research in effective teaching. “If you aren't out there practicing what you preach, then you can't preach well,” he told the researchers. “So what you're doing is essential for good teaching.”

In addition to mentoring students, principal investigators mentor young faculty, preparing the next generation of CSUN's faculty to lead funded projects, an essential element to reaching the president's goal to double research funding—important in today's challenging budget environment.

“Any kind of additional, non-California-state revenue that we can bring in is all to the good,” Harrison said

Radha Ranganathan, a CSUN biophysicist and the principal investigator on a National Institutes of Health-funded project to model the relationship between cell membrane structure and enzymatic activity, was encouraged by the event.

“The inaugural principal investigator event was very special,” she said. “The president's focus on increasing grant-funded research is crucial to the university's future and recognizes the importance of research in an institution of higher learning. I am excited to be part of it.”



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CSUN Psychology Student Wins CSU Award for “Outstanding” Achievement

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Hearst Scholar Corie Lee Loiselle '09 (Psychology) is a graduate student at CSUN earning a master's in the joint school counseling/marriage and family therapy program.

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Growing up, Corie Lee Loiselle '09 (Psychology) could never predict which type of mother she would wake up to in the morning. Some days she would awaken to an energetic mother who would want to go shopping, bake cookies and play all sorts of fun games. But on other mornings, she would rise to find that her mother couldn't even get out of bed, and she would go the entire day without seeing her.

Loiselle grew up puzzled about the shifts in her mother's emotions and moods. "When I was younger I was told often that my mom was 'sick' or 'not feeling well today,' but I never saw anything wrong with her," Loiselle said. "I felt confused a lot of the time."

It was not until she began her undergraduate career at California State University, Northridge and took an abnormal psychology course that she finally understood what her mother's condition was—bipolar disorder, a mood disorder characterized by extreme highs, or manias, and extreme lows, or depressions. Today, her mother is healthy and has her illness under control.

Loiselle is now a graduate student at CSUN earning a master's in the joint school counseling/marriage and family therapy program. The California State University system has rewarded her drive and determination to make a difference in the area of mental health and the resilience to overcome major obstacles by selecting her as one of 23 extraordinary students to receive the 2012 William Randolph Hearst and CSU Trustees' Award for Outstanding Achievement.

The Hearst award is reserved for students who have not only demonstrated academic excellence but who have also overcome major adversity over the course of their lives. Loiselle is one of 23 students from throughout the CSU system who were honored by the CSUN Board of Trustees in September. The honorees received a scholarship between \$3,000 and \$10,000.

"I was delighted by the opportunity to meet Corie and to join the Trustees and other CSU presidents in honoring her and the other Hearst scholars for their accomplishments," said CSUN President Dianne F. Harrison. "Corie has overcome major life challenges and struggles and managed to remain an exceptional student at CSUN. She is another example of how CSUN shines."

The 28-year-old Loiselle said she is grateful to have received this honor. "When I got the award, I thought, 'Oh wow, this is going to help out a lot with the cost of my research thesis,'" Loiselle said.

Loiselle has advice for children growing up with family members who suffer from mental illness. "Reach out for support, because that is what makes the difference," she said.



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“Escape Fire” Screening

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For more information—contact La Ronda Jones at laronda.jones.66@my.csun.edu or at csunhsci@gmail.com.

Dec. 4

Myth Goes to the Movies

English professor Robert O. Lopez hosts the third installment of a review of 50-year classics, screening “Dr. No” from 4 to 7 p.m. in Sierra Hall 390. The film will be accompanied by student presentations and a talk with Melvis Barnett on “Stress and Stress Management as it Relates to the Role of the Spy.” Admission is free thanks to the Arthur N. Rupe Foundation.

Public Meetings

Faculty Senate

Meets 2–4:30 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 29

Jack and Florence Ferman Presentation Room

(Room 81, West Wing, Lower Level of Oviatt Library)

Classes

Nov. 27

An Analysis of Understanding the Risks Associated with Global Outsourcing

The College of Engineering and Computer Science presents “Tuesdays@Noon Brown Bag Research Seminar Series.” Faculty are encouraged to bring their lunch to Jacaranda Hall1568 from noon to 1 p.m. and listen to colleagues speak about their research interests and exciting projects that they are working on.

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