May 4, 2007, Newsletter from President Margie Lewis

David Glover Selected as Outstanding Graduate for Class of 2007

- Associated Students president has focused on expanding student participation; he also established student vs. faculty athletic events.

David Glover, who currently serves as president of the Associated Students, is the 2006-2007 Outstanding Graduate of the Year.

He was selected from among 18 finalists for the annual award. “The committee felt that overall this was the best group of candidates we have had in a number of years,” said Paul Bottiaux, advisor of the Student Activities program at Cypress College.

Glover, a Garden Grove resident, has been continuously enrolled at Cypress College since the fall, 2004 semester. The 26-year-old Civil Engineering major has served on a number of campus committees, including the President’s Advisory Cabinet, as part of his various student-government roles. He is active in four clubs on campus; the Alpha Gamma Sigma Honor Society, the Society of Future Engineers, the KEMA Chemistry Club and the Society of Physics Students.

“It has been my pleasure to know David for the past two years and to see the significant contributions he has made to the college,” Dr. Lewis said in a letter of recommendation accompanying Glover’s nomination. “This year’s A.S. students are among the most committed and enthusiastic I have seen in my eight years as college president, and I attribute much of their success and involvement to David’s leadership.”

Notable among his accomplishments was the work he did to organize the first faculty-versus-students softball and volleyball competitions.

Glover’s academics have been strong as well. With an overall GPA of 3.86, he has been named to the President’s honor roll four of the past five semesters.

Fall 2007 Class Schedule Now Online; Copies to Arrive on Campus Before Finals

The schedule of classes for the fall semester has been added to the Cypress College Web site with printed versions due on campus before finals begin. The book is a complete listing of the courses available during the 2007 fall semester.

Classes begin on August 20, with late-start courses kicking off on September 4, the Tuesday following the Labor Day weekend. Second “Half-Semester” courses begin the week of October 22.

Scholarship Awards Convocation on Monday

The Cypress College Foundation Scholarship Awards Ceremony will be held on Monday (May 7, 2007) in the Theater Lobby and the campus is invited to join in the celebration — where 174 students will receive the 68 scholarships being presented. Because of the increasing number of scholarships awarded each year, there will be two award ceremonies on Monday. The first is from 1-2 p.m. with the second from 3-4 p.m. In between the two is the reception for all the recipients, donors and campus.

Faculty Selected by Senate for Awards

The Cypress College Academic Senate has announced the recipients of their three faculty awards for the 2006-2007 academic year. Kathy Godshalk (Mathematics) is the Outstanding Full-Time Faculty Award recipient. Bryan Seiling (History) is the recipient of the Outstanding Adjunct Faculty Award. Meg Wilson (Nursing) received the re-named Faculty Development Award, which is now called the Charger Award. The three each receive a stipend as part of the honor.
Whether blazing trails within a corporate setting or committing to doing it their own way, these under-40 Orange County entrepreneurs and execs have one thing in common: the willingness to take risks. With risk comes the adrenalin rush they crave; the result of creative energy, on-the-edge decision-making, and the “Yeah!” moments that brand them as a success.

Richard Rams (29)
dean of Student Support Services, Cypress College
cypresscollege.edu
Rams is probably one of the youngest deans of anything, anywhere. He oversees a multi-million-dollar budget and a large staff at Cypress College.

Smartest move: “My smartest career move came in 2003, at the age of 25, when I accepted my first management position at Golden West College as the interim director of financial aid and scholarships. It was a major professional risk at the time.”

Cameron Lumsden (37)
partner, Blue Coral Seafood and Spirits
bluecoralseafood.com
Lumsden is one of the driving forces behind this phenomenal restaurant that became an instant success when it opened in Fashion Island last summer.

Smartest move: “Getting the opportunity to partner with restaurant visionaries Bill Allen and Paul Fleming to put the Blue Coral concept smartestmove.com.”
Cypress College Athletics

30th Annual

Hall of Fame
Induction Ceremony

Wednesday, May 16th, 2007
7:00p.m.

You and your family are cordially invited to the
2006-07 Thorpe House Hall of Fame Cypress
College Gymnasium II (second level)

Honoring
❖ Most Valuable Athletes from each team
❖ Scholar-Athlete award winners
Light refreshments will be provided
❖

For more information, please contact the sports information department 714-484-7356
"A Night with Forensics"

Come listen to our competitive Speech and Debate students. These Forensics speakers will also share their experience of collegiate competition and what it takes to be an award-winning speaker.

Tuesday, May 8th from 7 – 9:00 PM
Room Humanities – 131

Event sponsored by: Cypress Forensics and Department of Communication Studies
The Music Department would like to invite you to attend one or more of our “end of the semester” concerts, to be held in May as shown below, and offer all faculty and staff 2 tickets for the price of one. Please contact Susan Weil in the Music Department at Ext. 47/40 to purchase your 2 for one tickets. We appreciate all your past support and look forward to seeing you this concert season.

The Jazz Band Ensemble - Sunday, May 6, 4 pm  
Recital Hall FA-304 - $6

The Concert Band - Tuesday, May 8, 7 pm  
Recital Hall FA-304 - $6

The Vocal Jazz Ensemble - Thursday, May 10, 7 pm  
Fine Arts, FA-306 - $6

Cypress Masterworks Chorale, Camerata and orchestra  
Saturday, May 19, 7:30 pm and  
Sunday, May 20, 4 pm  
Main Theater Stage - $15
Save the date…

RETIREMENT RECEPTION FOR NANCY BYRNES

WHEN:  TUESDAY, MAY 8, 2007
TIME:  1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Please plan to join us for a reception in Nancy’s honor. Invitations to follow.

If you are interested in contributing towards a bench and plaque honoring Nancy, you can send your contribution to the Foundation Office, and reference Nancy on the memo line or attach a note.
Retirement Reception for Dr. Margie Lewis

Help us celebrate a grand farewell!

Wednesday, May 16, 2007
Time: 1:00-3:00 p.m.
In the Theater Lobby

Please respond by May 4th.
Contact Rhonda Kraft at
(714) 484-7000 x48038 or
rkraft@cypresscollege.edu.

No gifts, please.

The Margie Lewis Leadership Development Fund

The Margie Lewis Leadership Development Fund has been established through the Cypress College Foundation to honor Margie’s ongoing commitment to making professional growth opportunities available to all Cypress College employees.

If you are interested in making a contribution, you can send it to the Foundation Office and reference "MLLDF" on the memo line, or attach a note.
CALL FOR GIFT BASKETS FOR THE

End of the Year Luau

Cypress College Staff Development Annual Fund Raiser

The Cypress College Staff Development Office raises funds to pay for awards for 25 year honorees and retirees, and to subsidize costs for campus hospitality such as the Opening Day Lunch, End-of-the-Year Luau, and Classified Appreciation Luncheon.

The Staff Development Committee is inviting interested divisions, groups, or clubs to develop and donate a basket of selected items in a theme of their choice to be part of an opportunity drawing at our End-of-the-Year Luau. All proceeds will be used for Staff Development events.

A ticket for the opportunity drawing will be included with the price of each luau lunch, and additional tickets will be available for sale on the day of the event. At the luau, the opportunity tickets can be placed in a container next to the basket of choice and at 1:00 p.m. the drawings will begin.

Save the date:
Baskets will be given away during the opportunity drawing at the End-of-the-Year Luau on May 15, 2007, under the L/LRC Patio. Lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m.; the awards ceremony begins at 12:15 p.m.

To donate a basket, email edouglas@cypresscollege.edu or contact Elizabeth at x47324. Please provide the following information to Elizabeth before Wednesday, May 9, 2007:

- the group represented
- the theme of the basket
- the name of the contact person for the group
- the contact phone number and/or e-mail address
Yes, I will attend. Here is $9.00 for my luau lunch and one free opportunity ticket.

Name ______________________________
Div/Dept __________________________

Make checks payable to Cypress College.
Cypress College Theater and Dance Department Presents

People in Motion

Directed by: Holly Lampe

May 11 & 12 at 8:00 p.m.

Theater Arts Campus Theater
9200 Valley View Street
Cypress, CA 90630

General Admission: $12.00

For Tickets: 714.484.7200
Hello everyone!

This is the last chance to earn a stipend for completing the Hybrid/Online Training Program brought to you by the Title V Grant.

Hybrid/Online Training Program offers participating instructors a $1000 stipend or 3 equivalent units to learn how to teach hybrid and online classes.

The program itself is taught as a hybrid class and requires both online and on-campus participation.

Upon completion of the program, instructors are qualified to teach online and hybrid classes at Cypress College.

Sound interesting? If so, please read below for more details about the program and the application process.

To be considered, you MUST apply by Monday, May 7th so you can complete the required Computer Literacy Pre-Tests and have your Department Chair and Division Dean submit a support letter by Monday, May 21st (please see below for more details).

This program provides an exciting and challenging way to enhance your teaching and technology skills, so don’t delay…apply today!

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**How To Apply**

HOT Fall 07 is conducted as a hybrid class, meeting on campus (for hands-on training) and online (for virtual work). On campus meetings will be every Friday from 9 AM - 1PM for eleven weeks, beginning September 14th. The last on-campus meeting will be November 30th:

- September 14, 21, 28
- October 5, 12, 19, 26
- November 2, 9, 16, 30

**Step 1**

**On or before May 7, 2007**

Apply by email to Jessica Puma at: jpuma@cypresscollege.edu and include the following information:

1. Your name
2. The classes you teach and which (if any) are approved (or being approved) by the Curriculum Committee for online instruction
3. Your experience with technology and teaching
4. Why you want to participate in HOT and how you plan to use the knowledge you gain from it
5. Your availability for 11 Friday on campus meetings.

**Step 2 & 3**

**On or before May 21, 2007**

1. Complete the Computer Literacy Pre-Tests. (Test materials will be sent to you upon receipt of application email.)
2. Have your Department Chair and Division Dean send a letter of support for your participation in the Hybrid Online Program to Jessica Puma at: jpuma@cypresscollege.edu
LEARNING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The Cypress College Title V Learning Community Development Program (LCDP) is an opportunity for you to partner with a faculty member from another department in order to help students make meaningful connections in both your courses. You will build a supportive relationship with your partner as you create integrated curriculum that promotes active learning and student achievement.

In the LCDP you will collaborate with a colleague, expand your repertoire of teaching approaches, revise course content, and earn a $1000 stipend or 3 equivalent units.

3 STEPS TO APPLY

On or before May 18, 2007

Step 1: Find a partner!

Step 2: Apply by email to Michael Brydges and include the following information:

- Your name
- The class you will teach
- Your partner’s name
- Why you want to participate
- Your availability for the Wednesday meetings

Step 3: Have both your Department Chair and Division Dean send a letter of support for your application to Michael Brydges at mbrydges@cypresscollege.edu

What?
Successfully complete the LCDP to qualify and teach in a 2-faculty member learning community and earn $1,000 or 2 equivalent units.

Why?
- Improve student retention
- Increase student achievement
- Broden your instructional repertoire
- Collaborate meaningfully with a faculty partner
- Create coherent linkages for students through interdisciplinary study

When?
Wednesdays, 2-5 pm, from September 12 to November 14 in the LLRC.

How?
Apply today!

For more information or help with any part of the application process, please contact:

Michael Brydges, LC Coordinator
mbrydges@cypresscollege.edu
or
Jessica Puma, LCDP Facilitator
jpuma@cypresscollege.edu

The LCDP BASE MODEL:
Two courses for which students co-register. Faculty coordinate syllabi and interdisciplinary assignments, but teach their classes separately.

CYPRESS COLLEGE TITLE V: STRENGTHENING HISPANIC-SERVING INSTITUTIONS GRANT
SEPTEMBER
Hispanic Heritage Celebration
Library Brochure in recognition of Hispanic Heritage Month

OCTOBER
Disabilities Awareness Month
Library Brochure in recognition of Disabilities Awareness
Muslim Awareness Month
Library Brochure in recognition of Muslim Awareness
“Disability Jeopardy” – October 18, at 2 p.m. in the Fine Arts Staff Conference Room
Brian Wetzel Presents: “Side By Side” A Journey with Depression – October 17, (10 AM-12 PM) and October 18, (1 PM-3 PM) in the Cypress College Theater
Disabilities Event – October 24 & 25 by LLRC from 9 AM – 2:30 PM

NOVEMBER
Library Brochure in recognition of Native American Heritage Month
International Education Week (11/13-11/17)
International Films – November 14, 15 & 16 (beginning at 2 PM) in H-131

DECEMBER & JANUARY
Kwanzaa Awareness Speaker & Potluck – December 6, from 3PM – 5PM in Culinary Arts
Mr. Kohei & Mr. Inoue Taiko Drum Duo – December 4

FEBRUARY
Black History Month
Library Brochure in recognition of Black History Month
Opening Day – February 1 from 9 AM – 3 PM in the Theater (See Below)
Historical Black College Fair from 9 AM – 11 AM
Step Show from 12PM – 1PM
So. Cal. Historical Facts Slideshow from 1 PM – 2PM
Speaker, Dr. Jerome Hunter and Panel Discussion from 2PM-3PM

Ali Movie – February 9 from 4PM-6:30PM in H-131
Speaker, May May Ali – February 9 from 7PM – 9PM in H-131
Gospel Concert – February 23 from 7PM – 9PM in FA304

MARCH
Women’s Recognition Month
Library Brochure for Women’s Recognition Month
Women’s Day of Expression – March 13 from 2:30 – 5:30 PM in the Theater Lobby
Kindercaminata – March 30

APRIL
Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual & Transgender Awareness Month
Library Brochure in recognition of Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual & Transgender Awareness
Celebrating Diversity Forum & Speaker Dr. Terrance Roberts – April 16 from 2-3:30PM in H-131
World Fest – April 25 in front of LLRC from 11AM – 2PM

MAY
Asian Pacific Islander Heritage Month
Library Brochure in recognition of Asian Pacific Islander Heritage

For more information contact: Gina Marrocco – (714) 484-7049 or gmarrocco@CypressCollege.edu
Have you lived, studied or worked abroad? Are you interested in sharing your overseas experience with others? Or are you planning to go overseas in the future to study, travel, work or to live? Or are you simply interested in learning more about different cultures and discussing international and global issues with the like-minded students? If any of the three describes you, then we encourage you to join this new and exciting club and become members!

**Coming to Cypress College in Fall 2007!**

**INTERNATIONAL CLUB**

On Wednesday April 25, 2007, there will be a table for International Club set up among other campus clubs and organizations at our annual World Fest, and we invite all students interested in joining this exciting new campus club to stop by and sign up!

For more information, please contact Cypress College International Students Program @714-484-7050
The annual Classified Appreciation Luncheon was held on Friday, May 4, 2007 on the lawn adjacent to the Humanities Building.

Fran Wahl; pie-eating contest. Need we say more?

OK.

Bev Harrington; bird hat.

Click anywhere to enjoy the gallery!