

CSUF Alumni Association

Latest Headlines



Alumni Association Stepped up with a \$45,000 Grant to Help Current Students

When the pandemic hit, the campus was forced to send thousands of students home to complete their classes virtually. These uncertain times led the Alumni Association Board to assess and identify a larger commitment to mitigate student hardships. The Alumni Association has been generous throughout the years, contributing \$12,500 to the Giving Tuesday Campaign in November, supporting [Project Safe](#) for the past three years, and providing \$10,000 in matching funds for last year's [Day of Giving](#). This year, the association has committed to a \$45,000 grant to the Tuffy's Basic Needs Program to be distributed within the next three years.

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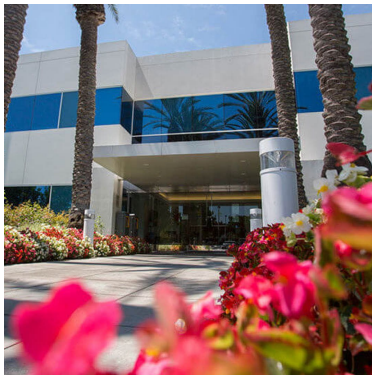
Stay at Homecoming: Virtual Titan Community Celebration

Join us for the weeklong festivities, Feb. 15-20, in celebration of the first-ever virtual [Stay at Homecoming](#). Activities include a virtual race, a scavenger hunt, Cooking with a Titan tailgate edition, and more. Order your official



Homecoming celebration package by Feb. 5 and receive it by the start of Homecoming. In addition, participate in four or more Homecoming events and be entered into drawing for a 58" smart TV! Lastly, for all Titan chefs and grill masters, submit a photo of you with your favorite dish and the recipe to receive a CSUF Alumni branded grill spatula. Available only while supplies last.

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Irvine Center to Close in June 2021

CSUF has entered escrow to sell the two-building Irvine Center; after nearly 10 years, CSUF's Irvine Campus will close its doors in June. The university faced financial challenges after losing a lessee and found limited use for it during the virtual semester. CSUF's Office of the President announced the decision to put the property on the market in January. All courses offered at the CSUF Irvine Center will be available at the Fullerton campus or another location.

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\$500,000 Grant From NBCUniversal to Advance Training of Diverse Journalists

The College of Communications is one of 17 institutions across the U.S. partnering with NBCUniversal to expand learning opportunities for underrepresented journalism students. The \$500,000 two-year grant funds \$250,000 in scholarships; \$200,000 to support faculty and classes in



which NBCU journalists will be guest speakers; and \$50,000 in digital editing and production tools for multimedia reporting. Students will work one-on-one with news professionals and access industry internships and jobs.

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The College of Engineering and Computer Science has launched its new alumni and community microsite – CONNECTION. We invite you to explore how our students, faculty, staff, and alumni are making a Titan-sized impact on the world. Check back as often as you'd like and help share the news by posting your favorite stories on your social channels.

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Rock Solid CSUF Education Inspires Couple to Support Future Geologists

Christine Irwin '93 has been recognized by her school district as an outstanding educator and has influenced young scientists throughout her teaching career. Last year, Christine was selected as the 2020 Alumni of the Year from CSUF's Department of Geological Sciences in the College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics. Christine and her husband, Michael Irwin '95, have pledged a \$400,000 legacy gift to support geology students in their academic endeavors.



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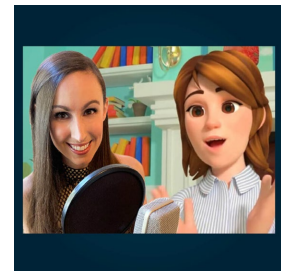
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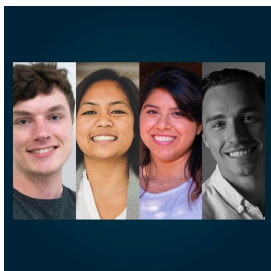
Titans in the Spotlight

Music Alumna Stars in Popular 'CoComelon' Series on YouTube, Netflix

CSUF alumna Kristen Princiotta '12, auditioned over the phone singing "Twinkle Twinkle Little Star," which landed her a leading role in "CoComelon," a nursery rhyme show that skyrocketed to popularity in 2016. "CoComelon" now boasts nearly 600 videos, 103 million subscribers and more than 90 billion views. It's the No. 1 most viewed YouTube channel in the U.S. and the No. 2 channel in the world. In December, Forbes magazine and streaming tracker Reelgood ranked "CoComelon" the No. 1 show on Netflix in 2020.



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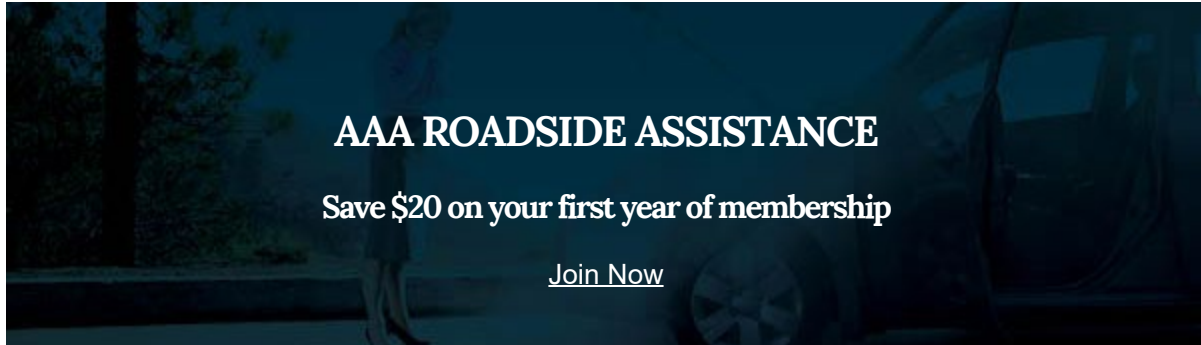


Faces of First Place: Communications Students Share Winning Secrets

Four Cal State Fullerton communications students, whose work took top honors in national and statewide competitions in the fall semester, share how it takes passion, resilience and opportunities to practice and master a craft. Students pictured include, Alex Bosserman '20 (B.A. communications-advertising, minor in

philosophy), Kristen Cuaresma '20 (B.A. communications-public relations), Giselle Martinez (communications-journalism), Jake Toohey (cinema and television arts).

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Activities and Events

Feb.

5, 6, 11, 12, 13

The Adjacent Possible: An Evolving Communal Orchestra

The Adjacent Possible is a live, online theater experience that mixes storytelling, improvisational performance, and technology to transform the audience into an orchestra. The experience culminates in the performance of a piece of music that is published - the first and last ever to take place. No musical experience is required.

[Learn more](#)

Feb.

15-20

Stay at Homecoming

Titan family, it's time to show your Titan Pride! Join in for the first-ever virtual Stay at Homecoming!

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Feb.

Titan Table Talk: Civic Engagement & Advocacy in the Black Community

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Join us for a dialogue with Black CSUF Alumni, local community members, and others as they discuss civic engagement in the community. Register to receive a link to the webinar.

[Register](#)

Feb.

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Asian, Pacific Islander, and Desi American (APIDA) Alumni Career Panel

Join the Alumni Association and CSUF Asian Pacific American Resource Center (APARC) for a career panel featuring Asian, Pacific Islander, and Desi American (APIDA) alumni from STEM, business, and media. Take the time to network with Titan alumni and learn from their experiences during and after graduation.

[Learn more](#)

Feb.

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Abrego Future Scholars Virtual Open House

The VP of Student Affairs invites alumni and friends to join a virtual open house and learn more about our Abrego Future Scholars. Attendees will hear from students, followed by an open Q&A.

[Learn more](#)

Mar.

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#Titansgive

For 24 hours – ONE DAY – our Titan Family will celebrate our second annual day of giving. Together, let's uplift all things new, now and next for Cal State Fullerton. It takes students, alumni, faculty, staff, parents, fans and friends – every member of our CSUF Family – to make a difference. Mark your calendars!

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