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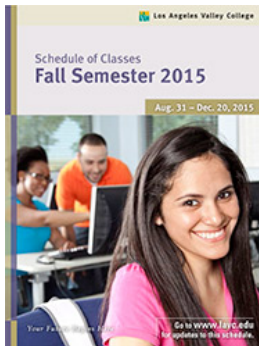
LAVC College Bulletin September 6-12, 2015

This Issue's News & Events



LAVC WILL BE CLOSED ON SEPTEMBER 7 FOR LABOR DAY

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STILL LOOKING FOR A CLASS? ATTEMPT TO ADD A CLASS BY REQUESTING AN ADD SLIP FROM THE INSTRUCTOR

Students can still attempt to "add" a class for Fall Semester 2015 by receiving an add slip from the instructor and turning it into the Admissions & Records Office. Students are encouraged to check the Schedule of Classes Web page to find out which Fall Semester 2015 classes may have open seats. After August 30, enrollment for the Fall 2015 semester can only be done if a student has received an Add Card from an instructor; the last day to add a class for Fall Semester 2015 is Friday, September 11. For more information on open classes, visit the "Class List by Subject" section for Fall Semester 2015 on the [LAVC Schedule of Classes Web Page](#).



LAVC ART GALLERY NOW SHOWING ITS STUDENT ART SHOW 2015; EXHIBITION CLOSSES ON SEPTEMBER 17

The LAVC Art Gallery and the LAVC Art Department is presenting its annual exhibition of student work called Student Art Show 2015 from September 2-17 in the LAVC Art Gallery in the Art Building. This annual showcase highlights the tremendous range of artwork created by Los Angeles Valley College students during the 2014-2015 academic year. Juried by the art and photojournalism faculty, the selected works are among exemplary pieces produced in courses taught within the art department that span a wide range of disciplines in the visual arts such as drawing, painting, design, illustration, photography, printmaking, three-dimensional design, sculpture and ceramics. Students of diverse backgrounds, both art majors and non-art

ones, remarkably demonstrate a variety of approaches to material, methodology, and subject matter, revealing the successful outcome of a comprehensive art program. At the same time, each artwork reflects the very unique and nuanced style of individual students. Whether at the beginning, intermediate or advanced level, the works on display collectively exhibit a thorough exploration of artistic expressions. The Art Gallery is open Monday-

Thursday from 11 a.m.-2 p.m., and 6-9 p.m.; the Art Gallery will be closed on Monday, September 7 for the Labor Day holiday. Parking permit is required during regular gallery hours; a daily parking permit can be purchased in Parking Lot D. For more information, visit the [LAVC Art Gallery Web Page](#) or call (818) 778-5536.



WANT TO TAKE THE HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVANENCY TEST? LAVC OFFERS THE PAPER-BASED AND COMPUTER-BASED HISET TEST; PRACTICE TESTS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE

The LAVC CalWORKs (California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids) Office will be offering the paper-based HiSET® (High School Equivalency Test) on Friday-Saturday, September 18-19; the last day to register is September 9. In addition, the computer-based test will be offered by appointment only. It will offer the next HiSET practice test on Friday, September 11, and also by appointment. The HiSET is the new alternative to the GED; the CA State Board of Education approved the HiSET for individuals to earn a California High School Equivalency Certificate. To be eligible to take the HiSET, you must be a California resident, be 18 years or older, have a valid government issued identification, and not be currently enrolled in high school. The HiSET paper-based test will be held on Friday-Saturday, September 18 and 19 (must attend both days for each session); register by September 9 in Bungalow 14. The computer-based test is available by appointment only. The fee for the full test is \$150.00 and additional fees may apply (non-refundable). Space is limited and pre-registration is required. The HiSET practice test, which will give you an idea of how well you may score on the official HiSET test, are offered at 9 a.m. on designated Fridays (September 11, 18, 25, October 2, 9, 16, 23, and 30) in Bungalow 14; check-in at 8:45 a.m. The practice test is also available by appointment. Dates are subject to change without notice. The fee for the test is \$10.00 (non-refundable). For more information on HiSET® Official and Practice Testing, including registration information and all upcoming test and practice test dates and times, visit the [LAVC CalWORKs Web page](#).



THE PLANETARIUM
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LAVC TO HOLD A "THE FALL SKY" PLANETARIUM SHOW ON SEPTEMBER 11

The LAVC Earth Science Department and the Los Angeles Valley College Astronomy Group will present a public planetarium show titled "The Fall Sky" on Friday, September 11 at 8 p.m. in the LAVC Planetarium; Doors open at 7:30 p.m.

With the return of cooler weather, familiar constellations reappear in the Winter sky. "The Fall Sky" will show how you can find these constellations, and will take a humorous look at the myths behind them. Admission for the show is \$6 for adults, \$5 for senior citizens and LAVC students with a valid student ID card, \$4 for kids ages 8-12, and free for LAVC Astronomy Group members with a valid membership card.

The [LAVC Earth Science Department](#) offers courses in the disciplines of astronomy, environmental science, geography, geology and oceanography. In addition, it offers a public astronomy program called the [LAVC Astronomy Group](#), which conduct several public events each month for its members, LAVC students and the public. For more information about the LAVC Earth Sciences Department's public astronomy program, visit the [LAVC Astronomy Group Web page](#).



LET THE LAVC PR OFFICE HELP PROMOTE YOUR DEPARTMENT'S NEWS, EVENT OR ACTIVITY TO THE CAMPUS COMMUNITY

The LAVC PR Office is available to assist college departments, programs and services with promoting its news and events in the [College Bulletin](#), on the [electronic marquees](#), in the [online calendar](#), on the [campus news Web page](#), and on [LAVC's social media pages](#). The LAVC Public Relations (PR) Office oversees the college's internal and external communications, [media relations](#), publications, campus construction special events, and emergency notifications to students, faculty, staff. The office also manages the college's official [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), and [LinkedIn](#)

page, and assists college with creating social media sites for department, program or service. In addition, the Public Relations Office oversees usage of the [college logo](#), maintains the [LAVC Graphic Standards and Style Guide](#), and the college's photo archive. For more information or to [submit a PR Request](#), visit the [LAVC PR Office Web Page](#).

Additional news and events are posted online at www.lavc.edu/campusnews/index/News-Blog.aspx.

LAVC in the News



August 28, 2015

How the LA Fellows program is putting people back to work

The LA Daily News featured a front-page story on the LA Fellows Program at Los Angeles Valley College, which helps unemployed and underemployed professionals get back to work through a combination of intensive job training and volunteer work. The competitive program, which was launched in 2010, has offered free job training and professional development to 315 fellows from around the Los Angeles region, three-fourths of whom have found a "solid career position" within about three months. To read the entire article, visit

<http://www.dailynews.com/marketplace/20150828/how-the-la-fellows-program-is-putting-people-back-to-work>.

Please Announce to All Students:

The following are important campus announcements for your students:

- **DID YOU KNOW? ATTEMPT TO ADD A CLASS BY REQUESTING AN ADD CARD FROM THE INSTRUCTOR.** After August 30, enrollment for the Fall 2015 semester can only be done if you receive an Add Card from an instructor for your desired class. You can still attempt to "add" classes until the last day to add a class deadline; the last day to add a class for Fall 2015 is September 11. If you wish to add a class, follow these steps:
 1. Look at the [LAVC Schedule of Classes Web Page](#) to find out which classes may still be open (or have open seats).
 2. If a class is open (or, it is listed as "closed" or full), you can still attempt to "add" (or "crash") by attending the next class meeting date and requesting an Add Card from the instructor.
 3. If you receive an add card from the instructor, take it to the [Admissions & Records Office](#) in the Student Services Center (1st Floor) on or before September 11.For more information on open classes, visit the "Class List by Subject" section for Fall Semester 2015 on the [LAVC Schedule of Classes Web Page](#).
- **LAVC CLOSED ON SEPTEMBER 7 FOR LABOR DAY.** Los Angeles Valley College will be closed on Monday, September 7 in observance of the Labor Day holiday. All college offices and services will be closed. The college will resume its normal hours of operation on Tuesday, September 8. For a complete list of campus holidays and other important academic dates and deadlines, visit the [LAVC Calendar of Events](#).
- **DON'T FORGET! MAIN FULTON AVENUE ENTRANCE CLOSED AND ONLY RIGHT HAND TURNS INTO PARKING LOTS DURING THE FIRST TWO WEEKS OF THE FALL SEMESTER.** From August 31-September 11, the main Fulton Avenue entrance (at Hatteras Street) will be closed, only left hand turns permitted into college parking lots, and there will be officers and cadets stationed at entrances of all student lots to help manage traffic and close full parking lots. For more information regarding parking, visit the [LAVC Parking Information Web page](#).
- **NEED TO PAY YOUR STUDENT FEES? EXTENDED HOURS AT THE BUSINESS OFFICE UNTIL SEPTEMBER 15.** The LAVC Business Office will have extended hours of operation from August 31-September 15. The Business Office will be open Monday-Thursday from 8 a.m.-7 p.m. and Friday from 8 a.m.-3:45 p.m. It will be closed on September 7 for the Labor Day holiday. For more information, visit the [LAVC Business Office Web page](#).
- **BUY YOUR BOOKS AT THE LAVC MONARCH STORE! EXTENDED HOURS UNTIL SEPTEMBER 12.** The LAVC Monarch Store (Bookstore) will be open for extended hours from August 31-September 12; it will be closed for Labor Day on September 7. From September 8-12, it will be open Tuesday-Thursday from 7:30-8 p.m., Friday from 7:30-3:30 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. The Monarch Store will be

closed on September 7 for the Labor Day holiday. For more information, visit the [LAVC Monarch Store Web page](#).

- **[WANT BETTER GRADES? NEED UNITS? ENROLL IN ENGLISH 67, 68 AND/OR 69!](#)** Seats are still available English 67, English 68 and English 69! These credit/no credit classes will help you improve your writing, reading skills, and/or computer skills. To enroll, visit the Writing Center (LARC 229) to request an add card today! For more information on English 67, English 68 and English 69, visit the [LAVC Writing Center Web page](#).
- **[WANT TO LEARN ABOUT 20TH CENTURY AMERICA THROUGH SUPERHERO COMICS? ENROLL IN HUMANITIES 2.](#)** Seats are still available in a special Humanities 2 course (section #1472, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 11:20 a.m.-12:45 p.m.) that will focus on 20th Century American through examining superhero comics. Request an add card from the instructor. For more information, contact Professor Heikkinen at heikkidl@lavc.edu.
- **[LAST CHANCE TO EARN COLLEGE CREDIT FOR YOUR JOB! LAVC COOPERATIVE EDUCATION NOW ENROLLING FOR FALL 2015.](#)** LAVC Cooperative Education gives students the opportunity to earn college credit for their work or internship experience. It is now accepting enrollment applications for Fall Semester 2015; last day to enroll is September 11. For more information and to download the Fall 2015 application, please visit the [Cooperative Education Web Page](#).
- **[FREE WORKSHOPS TO HELP STUDENTS IMPROVE THEIR WRITING AND STUDY SKILLS!](#)** Improve your grades and become a better student by attending Valley College's free workshops! The LAVC Academic Resource Center to offer a "Resources at LAVC" workshop on Tuesday, August 8 from 10:00-11:30 a.m. and "Time Management and Note Taking" workshops on Wednesday, August 9 and Thursday, August 10 from 1:00-2:30 p.m.; all workshops are held in LARC 212. For a detailed schedule of topics, visit [LAVC Tutoring Services Web page](#).
- **[COME MEET THE CAMPUS CLUBS AT THE ASU CLUB DAY ON SEPTEMBER 9!](#)** The LAVC Associated Student Union (ASU) will have representatives from all chartered student clubs at the ASU Club Day on Wednesday, September 9 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. in Monarch Square. All students interested in joining a campus club are invited to come out and learn about the various student clubs on campus. For more information regarding student clubs at Los Angeles Valley College, visit the [ASU Inter-Club Council Web page](#).
- **[ATTENTION STUDENTS—LAST DAY TO ADD OR AUDIT A CLASS BY INSTRUCTOR ADD PERMIT, AND LAST DAY TO CHALLENGE PREREQUISITES IS SEPTEMBER 11.](#)** The LAVC Admissions & Records Office reminds all students that the last day to add or audit a class (by instructor permit only) and the last day to challenge a course prerequisite is Friday, September 11. For more information, including the Admissions & Records Office hours, visit the [LAVC Admissions & Records Web page](#).
- **[WANT TO GET INVOLVED ON CAMPUS? APPLY NOW FOR A STUDENT GOVERNMENT POSITION.](#)** The LAVC Associated Student Union (ASU) is looking for motivated students who are interested in holding an active role of student government at Valley College. It will be accepting application for students officer positions until Friday, September 18 at 1 p.m. For more information, visit the [LAVC Associated Student Union Web page](#).

Announcements for Faculty/Staff

[Faculty/Staff—Don't Forget to Update Your Information in the LAVC Phone & Email Directory.](#) The LAVC Administrative Services Office is asking all department chairs, supervisors, faculty and staff to review their departmental and faculty contact information on the online [LAVC Phone/Email Directory](#). If an employee finds that his/her information is inaccurate or missing, he/she should send the following information to his/her department chair or supervisor, who upon verification and approval will send the information to Arlene Stein in Administrative Services at (steinar@lavc.edu):

- (1) employee's full name,
- (2) nickname (if applicable),
- (3) title,
- (4) department,
- (5) building location with room number
- (6) LAVC phone number or voice mail extension,
- (7) fax number,
- (8) LAVC email address, &
- (9) secondary phone number or email address (if applicable)

Arlene will notify the employee's supervisor when the information has been updated online. If you have any questions, contact Arlene Stein at steinar@lavc.edu or by calling extension 2336.

Don't Forget—Temporary Changes to Accessing the Campus Parking Areas During the First Two Weeks of the Semester. Los Angeles Valley College experiences an increase in traffic in and around the campus at the beginning of the semester. To help manage traffic and ensure the safety of all students, faculty and staff, the College Sheriff has temporarily changed vehicular access to the campus. In addition, the College Sheriff is monitoring campus parking lots to help ensure the safety of all students, faculty and staff. Please keep in mind the following when coming to the campus during these high traffic times of the school year:

- Vehicular access to the main Fulton Avenue entrance (roundabout) from Hatteras Street and Fulton Avenue will be closed.
- No left turns are allowed into campus parking lots from southbound lanes of Fulton Avenue and the eastbound lanes of Burbank Boulevard will be blocked.
- All students, faculty, staff and guests visiting the campus should plan to take a route to the campus that will enable them to make a right turn into the campus.
- The College Sheriff will have officers and cadets stationed at the entrance of all student parking lots (Lots A, B, C, D, F, G, L, M and the Parking Structure) from Monday-Thursday between 7 am-1 pm and 4-10 pm, to help direct traffic and close full parking lots.
- Staff parking in College Road North will only be accessible from the Fulton Avenue entrance to Lot B.
- Staff parking in College Road South will only be accessible from the Burbank Avenue entrance to Lot A.
- If a parking lot is closed, faculty/staff must show their valid Valley College parking permit to the officer or cadet stationed at the parking lot entrance.
- Access to the campus for Access Services Vehicles to the disabled student drop-off and pick-up location in the main entrance circle will only be available from the Fulton Avenue entrance to Lot A & B.
- All students will be given a two-week grace period for parking (in student lots only) during the beginning of the Fall Semester; however, students/guests parking in the faculty/staff parking areas, will be ticketed. Students are encouraged to purchase their parking permit from the [LAVC Business Office](#).

The college Sheriff reminds everyone to obey traffic laws and drive safely. All legal violations will be enforced. Visit the [LAVC Campus Map](#) to view entrances to all parking areas. For more information regarding parking, visit the [LAVC Parking Information Web page](#).

Activities this Week

The following is a list of selected campus events and meetings that are scheduled to take place at LAVC. Please contact the listed department/contact person for more detailed information. A complete list of campus activities is posted on the online LAVC calendar at www.lavc.edu/calendar/.

LAVC Calendar of Events for September 6-12, 2015

Sunday, September 6

All day **Fall Semester 2015 - Filing Period for Fall 2015 Graduation Petitions**
Calendar: Academic Dates & Deadlines

Monday, September 7

All day **Labor Day (Campus Closed)**
Calendar: Holidays

All day **Fall Semester 2015 - Filing Period for Fall 2015 Graduation Petitions**
Calendar: Academic Dates & Deadlines

Tuesday, September 8

All day **Fall Semester 2015 - Filing Period for Fall 2015 Graduation Petitions**
Calendar: Academic Dates & Deadlines

11am - 2pm **"Student Art Show 2015" Exhibition sponsored by the LAVC Art Gallery**

Where: Art Building, LAVC Art Gallery

Contact: LAVC Art Gallery, (818) 778-5536, <http://www.lavc.edu/arts/artgallery.html>

Calendar: Arts/Music Events

1pm - 5pm **ASU Executive Council Meeting sponsored by the LAVC Associated Student Union (ASU)**

Where: Campus Center 104

Contact: LAVC Associated Student Union, (818) 778-5516, <http://www.lavc.edu/asu/index.aspx>

Calendar: Student Events

3pm - 4:30pm **"UC Transfer Agreement Guarantees (TAG) Workshop" sponsored by the LAVC Career/Transfer Center**

Where: Student Services Annex, Career/Transfer Center

Contact: LAVC Career/Transfer Center, <http://www.lavc.edu/transfer/>

Calendar: Student Events

5:30pm - 7pm **"Probation 2 Workshop" sponsored by the LAVC Career/Transfer Center**

Where: Student Services Annex, Career/Transfer Center

Contact: LAVC Career/Transfer Center, <http://www.lavc.edu/transfer/>

Calendar: Student Events

6pm - 9pm **"Student Art Show 2015" Exhibition sponsored by the LAVC Art Gallery**

Where: Art Building, LAVC Art Gallery

Contact: LAVC Art Gallery, (818) 778-5536, <http://www.lavc.edu/arts/artgallery.html>

Calendar: Arts/Music Events

Wednesday, September 9

All day **Fall Semester 2015 - Filing Period for Fall 2015 Graduation Petitions**
Calendar: Academic Dates & Deadlines

9am - 1pm **ASU Club Day ("Welcome Day") sponsored by the LAVC Associated Student Union (ASU)**

Where: Monarch Square

Contact: LAVC Associated Student Union, (818) 778-5516, <http://www.lavc.edu/asu/index.aspx>

Calendar: Student Events

9am - 1pm **CSUN Peer Mentor sponsored by the LAVC Career/Transfer Center**

Where: Student Services Annex, Career/Transfer Center

Contact: LAVC Career/Transfer Center, <http://www.lavc.edu/transfer/>

Calendar: Student Events

10am - 11:30am **"Undecided Major Workshop" sponsored by the LAVC Career/Transfer Center**

Where: Student Services Annex, Career/Transfer Center

Contact: LAVC Career/Transfer Center, <http://www.lavc.edu/transfer/>

Calendar: Student Events

10:30am - 1:30pm **CSU Los Angeles Admissions Representative (by appointment only) sponsored by the LAVC Career/Transfer Center**

Where: Student Services Annex, Career/Transfer Center

Contact: LAVC Career/Transfer Center, <http://www.lavc.edu/transfer/>

Calendar: Student Events

11am - 2pm **"Student Art Show 2015" Exhibition sponsored by the LAVC Art Gallery**

Where: Art Building, LAVC Art Gallery

Contact: LAVC Art Gallery, (818) 778-5536, <http://www.lavc.edu/arts/artgallery.html>

Calendar: Arts/Music Events

2:30pm - 4pm LAVC Student Success Committee (SSC) Meeting

Where: Administration 2, President's Conference Room

Contact: LAVC Student Success Committee, <http://www.lavc.edu/ssc/>

Calendar: Shared Governance

6pm - 9pm "Student Art Show 2015" Exhibition sponsored by the LAVC Art Gallery

Where: Art Building, LAVC Art Gallery

Contact: LAVC Art Gallery, (818) 778-5536, <http://www.lavc.edu/arts/artgallery.html>

Calendar: Arts/Music Events

Thursday, September 10

All day Fall Semester 2015 - Filing Period for Fall 2015 Graduation Petitions

Calendar: Academic Dates & Deadlines

10am - 11:30am "Probation 2 Workshop" sponsored by the LAVC Career/Transfer Center

Where: Student Services Annex, Career/Transfer Center

Contact: LAVC Career/Transfer Center, <http://www.lavc.edu/transfer/>

Calendar: Student Events

11am - 2pm "Student Art Show 2015" Exhibition sponsored by the LAVC Art Gallery

Where: Art Building, LAVC Art Gallery

Contact: LAVC Art Gallery, (818) 778-5536, <http://www.lavc.edu/arts/artgallery.html>

Calendar: Arts/Music Events

12pm - 1:30pm "UC Transfer Agreement Guarantees (TAG) Workshop" sponsored by the LAVC Career/Transfer Center

Where: Student Services Annex, Career/Transfer Center

Contact: LAVC Career/Transfer Center, <http://www.lavc.edu/transfer/>

Calendar: Student Events

1pm - 3pm LAVC ASU Inter Club Council (ICC) Meeting sponsored by the LAVC Associated Student Union (ASU)

Where: Campus Center 104

Contact: LAVC Associated Student Union, (818) 778-5516, <http://www.lavc.edu/asu/index.aspx>

Calendar: Student Events

5pm - 7pm Pepperdine University Graziadio School of Business and Management Admissions Representative (by appointment only) sponsored by the LAVC Career/Transfer Center

Where: Student Services Annex, Career/Transfer Center

Contact: LAVC Career/Transfer Center, <http://www.lavc.edu/transfer/>

Calendar: Student Events

6pm - 9pm "Student Art Show 2015" Exhibition sponsored by the LAVC Art Gallery

Where: Art Building, LAVC Art Gallery

Contact: LAVC Art Gallery, (818) 778-5536, <http://www.lavc.edu/arts/artgallery.html>

Calendar: Arts/Music Events

Friday, September 11

All day Fall Semester 2015 - Filing Period for Fall 2015 Graduation Petitions

Calendar: Academic Dates & Deadlines

All day Fall Semester 2015 - Last Day to Add and Audit (by instructor permit only)

Calendar: Academic Dates & Deadlines

All day Fall Semester 2015 - Last Day to Challenge Prerequisites

Calendar: Academic Dates & Deadlines

9am - 12pm HiSET Practice Test sponsored by the LAVC CalWORKs (California Work Opportunities and Responsibility to Kids) Office

Where: Bungalow 14

Contact: LAVC CalWORKs Office, (818) 947-2976, <http://www.lavc.edu/calworks/hiset.aspx>; Cost: \$10 (non-refundable)
Calendar: Community Events

8pm - 8pm "The Fall Sky" Planetarium Show sponsored by the LAVC Earth Science Department and the LAVC Astronomy Group

Where: Planetarium

Contact: LAVC Astronomy Hotline, (818) 947-2335, <http://www.lavcastrogroup.org>

Calendar: Community Events

Saturday, September 12

All day Fall Semester 2015 - Filing Period for Fall 2015 Graduation Petitions

Calendar: Academic Dates & Deadlines

8am - 3pm LAVC Women's Water Polo Home Game (LAVC Mini-Tourney) sponsored by the LAVC Athletics Department

Where: Aquatics Center

Contact: LAVC Athletics - Women's Water Polo Team,

<http://www.lavc.edu/athletics/waterPoloWomens/index.aspx>

Calendar: Athletic Events

MISSION STATEMENT

Los Angeles Valley College serves as a leader in student success, with pathways for certificates, degrees, transfer, and continuing education. We enable students to advance their education, personal development, and quality of life, empowering them to be productive and engaged members of the global community.

VISION STATEMENT

Los Angeles Valley College inspires, educates, and enriches our diverse community, developing critical and creative thinkers and lifelong learners.

For the LAVC Mission and Vision Statements and Core Values, visit www.lavc.edu/vision-mission/

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