Please welcome our new Intern Coordinator, Tammy Bye! Tammy has over 20 years of experience in science and math education and most recently comes to us from Shoreline Middle School where she taught math and science for the past nine years. She received her BS in Zoology at Michigan State, and her teaching credential at CSUMB. In addition to coordinating internships, Tammy will be teaching the CaT1 Science seminars. Stop by JBEB 157C to say hello!

We still have room in the Cal Teach 1 Math* (CaT1 Math) seminar for fall 2015! Apply ASAP if interested. The seminar (EDUC 50B) meets Tuesdays 6-7:45 pm. *The science seminar is currently full. Click here for more info on the internship and a link to the application.

Email calteach@ucsc.edu with any questions.

Save the Dates

New Intern Orientation
for fall CaT1 interns
Friday, September 25, 5-6:30 pm, JEBB 160

UCSC MA/Credential Info Night
for prospective UCSC MA/C applicants
Thursday, Oct. 8, 7-8:30 pm, Kresge Town Hall

Cal Teachers Happy Hours, Seabright Brewery
for graduates and host teachers
Friday, October 9, 4-5:30 pm
Friday, November 13, 4-5:30 pm
Friday, December 11, 4-5:30 pm

Cal Teach Intern Panels/Info Sessions
for prospective interns
Wednesday, October 14, 3-3:30 pm, JEBB 173
Thursday, October 22, 4-4:30 pm, JEBB 173

Cal Teach Credential Info Night
for prospective credential program applicants
Thursday, October 22, 6-7:30 pm, JEBB 160

CA Math Council North Conference Dec 11-13
for current and future math teachers
Early bird registration deadline: October 29

CBEST Exam Dates
September 26 (emergency registration by 9/18)
December 5 (register by 10/30)
February 6 (register by 1/1)

All CSET Exams Are Now Computer-Based
http://www.ctceexams.nesinc.com/about_cset.asp

Winter Quarter Priority Application Deadline
for first time and continuing interns
Monday, November 9

Attention Seniors!

If you’re considering a teaching credential program for 2016-17, you should start preparing to apply NOW! To-do list:

☑ Identify programs of interest and their requirements and deadlines
☑ Enlist mentors to write letters of recommendation
☑ Apply for Certificate of Clearance
☑ Take CBEST exam (dates, left)
☑ Take CSET exams/arrange subject-matter waiver
☑ Research and apply for scholarships (like Cal Teach scholarships - see box below)

The Cal Teach Credential Info Night (left) can help you plan. The Edward and Miriam Landesman Fund for Future Teachers can reimburse interns applying to credential programs for testing and fingerprinting expenses.

Attention Cal Teach Graduates!

The Edward and Miriam Landesman Fund for Future Teachers helps Cal Teach reimburse current students and graduates for professional expenses to advance your teaching career - like registration for the California Mathematics Conference or classroom equipment. Please contact Cal Teach for professional support!

Cal Teach offers Scholarships for UCSC’s MA/credential program!
You must have participated in a Cal Teach internship to apply for the NSF Robert Noyce Scholarships. Contact the Cal Teach office or look online for more information.
Cal Teach interns worked hard in 42 summer teaching & lab internships!
• Santa Cruz City Schools Algebra Bridge program
• Gavilan College TRIO program, Gilroy
• Bruce W. Woolpert Algebra Academy, Watsonville
• Professor Rita Mehta’s lab, UCSC
• Professor Grant Hartzog’s lab, UCSC
• UC Berkeley Cal Teach Research Institute, UCB
• Cañada College STEM Institute, Redwood City
• San Jose City College Caminos program, San Jose
• Gonzales Unified Summer School, Gonzales
• Fairview Middle, Gonzales High, and James Lick High Intensive Internships, Gonzales & east San Jose

We are proud of our interns’ contributions!
Lisa Storer (SCCS Algebra Bridge): Your Cal Teach interns were stars of the show!!!
Marcella Grant (Cañada College): Thank you so much for placing [interns] with us this summer. They did an excellent job.
Caminos Bridge Team (SJ City College): [Intern] was a team player. She was able to communicate with the students, host teacher and all team members. ... She knew when to ask questions and when to seek guidance. As well, she was able to notice when students needed the guidance and help.

Quotes from Summer Interns
Juana Contreras Chavez (Gonzales Summer School): My mentors gave me great advice that will help me in the future, and I got more experience with how to connect with students and learn about them.
Gustavo Guzman: (Gonzales High Intensive): Many of the faculty have been really inviting and have shared their experiences and what it is like to teach in their particular district, how to communicate with certain kids, and what it is like to be a Spartan (Gonzales H.S. mascot).
Darby Halloran (SCCS Algebra Bridge): I’m much more confident now because I’ve seen what students respond to and what doesn’t work, and feel confident that I can help students that are struggling.
Randi Houser (Mehta Lab): I gained many skills that allow me to feel more confident about teaching science to students.
Jessica Martinez (SCCS Algebra Bridge): Showing the students that you are a part of their support system and that you are not giving up on them can make a big difference.
Tenavi Nakamura-Zimmerer: (Bruce W. Woolpert Algebra Academy): I found it difficult to explain concepts I find basic and intuitive, and to encourage students to come up with the connections themselves. Practice with this was what I found rewarding.

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