



ACADEMIC SENATE News and Views

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Business Time Let's Welcome Erin Thomas

As the daughter of a Marine Corps officer, I've lived all over the country, but I call Southern California home. Teaching is my second career after spending 17 years in the telecommunications, defense and non-profit industries. My early years were spent developing and deploying complex Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) and other information systems for Qualcomm. Before I retired from Qualcomm, I spent four years on international assignments, including customer relationship management and product deployments in Asia, Europe, and Latin America. Between work and pleasure, I've spent time in 28 different countries; airport layovers don't count!



I have nine years of college-level teaching experience and have taught at other colleges, including MiraCosta College, Point Loma Nazarene University, and Palomar College. Other courses I've taught include Business Communication, International Business, Small Business Management, and Human Resources Management. My passion is international business, and I look forward to developing courses and certificates in this area as the newest faculty member in the Business Department.

I received both my undergraduate degree in Information and Computer Science and my Masters of Business Administration from University of California, Irvine.

1. What was the best concert that you have been to?

I love live music and have been to many, many concerts over the years, but I'll have to list my favorite as seeing the Red Hot Chili Peppers at John Anson Ford Amphitheatre in the late 1980s. Being at the Police concert at Hollywood Park in the mid-80s would be a close second.

2. You just won a trip around the world... congratulations. Here is the catch... You have to use at least three different modes of transportation, and you can only visit five cities. What are they?

My cities list: Tokyo, Dubrovnik, Prague, Buenos Aires, Singapore
Transportation: Air (first class, ideally!), train, and small cruise ship (think Viking)

3. Do you have a favorite painting or artist?

I enjoy art and wish I spent more time at art museums. I appreciate impressionists like Monet and Manet, but a current favorite is the Flower Seller by Diego Rivera. It's a simple piece that actually speaks volumes.

4. You get to have dinner with a historical person, alive or dead... Who would it be and what is on the menu?

Sushi with Barack Obama, of course.

Greetings, Faculty!

-Ann Holliday

We are almost halfway through the fall 2018 semester, and there still doesn't seem to be a lull in work here at Coastline. With trainings in Canvas, accessibility, and equity as well as work on guided pathways, program review, faculty prioritization, and accreditation, I know that all of you are very busy. With so much to do, often we become narrowly focused, and forget to take time to visit a committee that we aren't assigned to or to visit with a faculty member not in our discipline or to even read email that doesn't directly impact us. If you have time, visit a committee (Academic Senate meets the first and third Tuesdays in the College Center 4th floor conference room from 12:30 – 2:30 pm) to see what is going on here at Coastline. Do something fun like check out the latest art show, or attend the Classified Fall Festival lunch on October 26th. Join in the conversations taking place here at Coastline!



Diego Rivera
The Flower Seller, 1941
Oil on canvas

Plagiarism Prevention

Part 2 •

Turn-it-in

Part 2 in our 4-part series about Plagiarism Prevention will focus on Turnitin.

Turnitin is an Internet-based plagiarism detection software that can be used in Canvas. Faculty can have students submit assignments in Canvas that has Turnitin linked to it, and Turnitin will give an “Originality Report” that shows where information in the assignment came from and shows if it is plagiarized.



Turnitin recently expanded its services in Canvas, as stated in its website: “Good news: Now you can use both Turnitin’s similarity checking feature and Speedgrader on the same Canvas assignment.” View the article here: <https://tinyurl.com/y9789em6> This might be an easier way to use Turnitin in Canvas and keep RSI all in one place. Perhaps Coastline would like to pilot this to see how it works?

Turnitin can be used to catch plagiarism and can also be used as a tool to help students learn about in-text citations and about how to cite. It is another technology in the faculty tool belt to help Prevent Plagiarism.

Test it out and see what you think.

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Zero-cost Course Materials

Coastline’s faculty has adopted zero-cost course materials at an accelerating rate over the past year. The total number of sections—regular side plus contract ed side—has gone from 53 total in Fall ’17 to 140 total in fall ’18. Part of the reason for this growth is the successful completion of the projects funded by the college’s mini-grants. (See graph on following page)

- Tanya Murray provided professional development to Biology instructors and developed a Bio 100 zero-cost master shell.
- William Diaz-Brown converted the History 175 telecourse to zero-cost.
- Jean Dupon wrote an OER lab manual for Chem 110.
- Amy Evangelista and Jordan Huynh created a Counseling 104 zero-cost master shell.
- Nancy Parent created a Health 223 OER textbook.
- Karen Morehouse and Marilyn Brock, in collaboration with Maribeth Daniel and Marilyn Fry, wrote an OER textbook for Engl 103.
- Petra Petry developed materials to convert online Spanish 1, 2, and 3 to zero-cost.

Congratulations to these and all instructors who have adopted zero-cost materials. Your students thank you! Our goal is continuous growth.

If you have not yet adopted zero-cost course materials or open educational resources (OERs), please contact the OER Coordinator, Scott Davis, @ sdavis@coastline.edu.

Sign up for Walktober

What could be easier — and more popular — than walking? It’s low-impact, easy, inexpensive (all you need is a good pair of shoes), and it has multiple health benefits, including emotional/psychological/mental lift, more energy, improved sleep, better weight control, and lower risk for many chronic conditions.

Sign up for Walktober beginning October 8, 2018. Get ready to step up to a healthier you. Registration for Walktober is now open. This 42-day walking program has a motivating team competition, interactive message board, a Sole Mates feature, helpful resources, interesting articles, and more. The last day of the program is Sunday, November 25, 2018.

Sign up by October 19 @ coastcollegeswellness.walktober.com

Number of zero-cost sections by semester



A Trip to the Moon

*I was listening to the news the other day and there was this brief portion of the program that began to talk about Space X, Elon Musk, and his Big Falcon Rocket. This will be interesting from what I understand, Space X and Yusaku Maezawa, a Japanese billionaire, are planning a trip to the moon by 2023, which always gets me thinking...I need to see what **David Devine** is up to.*

-DML

This has been a great semester for Astronomy at Newport Beach! Venus, Jupiter, Mars and Saturn are visible just after sunset, and the students have been able to set up the telescopes and see the rings of Saturn and the moons of Jupiter. Speaking of students...this is a great group of students! They are the first class to be able to completely align the telescopes and link them to the Celestron Sky app.

Here is a photo taken of the moon by a student



Incarcerated success rates increased 9.4 percentage points from 2014-15 (60.4%) to 2017-18 (69.8%)

Thanks for the info Aeron Zentner

Do you want to know more about interesting facts? Well the News and Views can find what you are looking for - just ask.

esprit de corps

@ The Academic Senate
1st and 3rd Tuesdays 1230-230

**In the Art Gallery at Newport Beach
Lunchtime Lecture Series @ noon**

Wednesday, October 17, 2018

Tony Pinto

Professor, Artist and Designer

Wednesday, October 31, 2018

Catlin Moore

Programs Manager @The Beall Center for Art + Technology

November 7

Laura Black

Curator @Fourth Element Gallery

November 14

Kevin Moran

Artist, Alumnus

Coastline Art Gallery presents a survey of work from:
Tony Pinto | Ning Yeh | Chris Sullivan
Friday, October 12, 2018 | 6:00 - 8:00 pm



A schedule of the evening's events include:

A Poetry Reading | 5:15 - 6:00

Dr. Paul Kareem Tayyar, Professor of English (GWC)

Music Performance by the Department Chair | 6:45 - 7:30

Chris Hornung rocking the bass in the gallery.

Catalog Release of "The Essence of Being" | 7:30 - 8:00

Have a chat w/ the artists Anushe & Natasha Shoro.

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"Chicken Feed" was the original name of the candy with production starting in the 1880s. Wunderlee Candy Company was the first to produce the candy. Following the 19th century, the Goelitz Confectionary Company (now called Jelly Belly) manufactured the product. Along with other agriculture-inspired treats at the time, the late 19th century, Americas' confectioners sought to market candy corn to a largely rural society.

- Thanks for the info Wikipedia

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