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SOCIETY FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF CHICANOS AND NATIVE AMERICANS IN SCIENCE

## Week 3 Newsletter: Sun Valley Reminder

Check out the announcements for this week:



SACNAS AT UCLA PRESENTS:

# SACNAS SLAM

## COMPETITION

Graduate and undergraduate researchers! Improve your scientific presentation skills in a low pressure environment by giving a 3 minute talk on your research. Prizes awarded to top undergraduate and graduate presenters!

Wednesday, January 30, 2019 (Week 4)  
5:30P-6:45P



Are you in research? **Do you want to practice presenting your research in a low pressure environment? Sign up for SACNAS SLAM!** Every presenter will be allowed one slide and 3 minutes to explain their research. **Prizes will be awarded to top presenters!** Sign up through this [link](#).

**\*\*Perfect experience to add to your CV to show your excitement and passion for research. Great practice to improve your presentation skills\*\***

**Volunteers Needed!**

**SUN VALLEY OUTREACH EVENT**

AUDIENCE: 8TH GRADERS  
FRIDAY, JANUARY 25, 2019  
8A-3P (30 MIN SHIFTS)  
PAULEY PAVILION CLUB

Modules:  
Roller Coaster Physics  
Visual Illusions  
Paper Chromatography  
Waves of the World

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**Volunteers are needed for the Sun Valley Outreach Event on Friday, January 25th!**

Please come out to join us in Pauley Pavilion Club and have fun teaching 8th graders about science.

We have 30 min shifts to accommodate classes.

To sign up, click on this [link](#) or use the QR code to the left.

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SACNAS AT UCLA PRESENTS

**STUDY NIGHT**

**SACNAS will be hosting a study night event on the Monday of Week 10 from 6pm-9pm.** Be sure to keep an eye out for future announcements. It will be a great opportunity to hang out with your fellow SACNistas and prepare for finals!



## Check out the RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES below:

The **Genentech University Talent Acquisition Team** in South San Francisco is looking to recruit talented students from UCLA for internships and rotational programs. They will be hosting an info session on Tuesday, January 29, 2019 from 6pm - 7:30pm in Young Hall 4216. They will be discussing the opportunities available, the application process, the companies mission and their own personal internship experiences. Anyone interested in learning about the biotech industry is welcome to attend. Free food will be provided.

The **Nonprofit Networking Night** will be held on Wednesday, January 30<sup>th</sup> from 7pm - 9pm in the Carnesale Commons Palisades Room. It's a great opportunity to meet and network with nonprofit organizations such as the Peace Corps, Teach for America, and many more. Register now at [uclacsc.org](http://uclacsc.org).

The **Graduate Student Recruiting Program (GSRP)** is a competitive program that provides senior graduate students the opportunity to explore postdoctoral fellowships at the NCI. During the two-day program in May invited applicants will visit the NIH, learn about the various resources that NIH and NCI have to offer, and network with NCI investigators, staff, and current postdocs. In addition, the poster sessions provide an excellent opportunity to network and foster collaborations with scientists at the NIH. Visit the GSRP website [here](#) for more details and information on how to apply. The deadline for submission is January 31, 2019.

The **Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowships Program (SURF)** is recruiting undergraduates for an 8-week summer research intensive experience that is combined with professional development workshops. They are specifically interested in undergraduates that are seriously considering in a career in basic research and graduate school in Biomedical Sciences. To apply or learn more visit their website [here](#). The deadline is January 31<sup>st</sup>.

The **Amgen Scholars Program** is an intensive 10-week research experience for undergraduates interested in biotechnology and drug discovery. All expenses are paid (including travel) and students will receive a stipend. To apply or learn more visit their website [here](#). The deadline is February 1<sup>st</sup>.

The annual **Bioengineering Research Day** will be held on Friday, February 8th,

2019 from 8am - 6pm. This event will be held in the Mong Learning Center in Engineering VI (Address: 404 Westwood Plaza, Los Angeles, CA, 90095). Bioengineering Research Day highlights the activities on campus at the interface of engineering disciplines and medical applications, and will feature speakers from departments across the Samueli School of Engineering. The program focuses on translational research highlighting the innovative spirit on the UCLA campus. Our diverse and accomplished student body will also be presenting their original research in both poster and oral presentations.

All the Best,  
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