Community Announcements
A publication for students, alumnae, and friends of Colorado Women's College at the University of Denver

New This Week

International Travel Course to Uruguay - Summer Quarter
Course: LAS 3600 | Uruguay - Case Study in Regulating New Markets: Cannabis in the 21st Century
Information Session: Monday, May 18, 5-5:45pm, Room 150
On-campus class dates: Tuesdays, 6:00-9:00pm, June 16, 30, July 14, August 4, 11
Travel Dates: August 15-22, 2015
Application/Scholarship Deadline: May 31, 2015
Travel Fee: $4000 (Includes airfare, accommodations, transportation, and all official course activity fees)
This course will introduce students to various ways in which new markets can become regulated, focusing on variations to national/international drug policy. Students will contrast and compare the monumental shift in marijuana policy in Uruguay to that which is occurring in Colorado, other U.S. States, and the world. The class will work closely with the Universidad Católica del Uruguay, the Uruguayan government, business interests, and related activist groups.
Scholarships are available! Apply by May 31st (application materials available on the Travel tab of Portfolio).

For questions, plan to attend the information session on May 18 or contact Meghan Brenner (meghan.brenner@du.edu) or the instructor, Bob Hoban (robert.hoban@du.edu).

Attention Spring Graduates!
Please be sure to RSVP for the Graduate Tea with the Dean on Wednesday, June 3rd and to the Spring Commencement Breakfast on Saturday, June 6th. To RSVP, email Shawna Matthews at shawna.matthews@du.edu by May 22nd.

Changes in the PRC
This week, we installed new computers in the right wing of the Pioneer Resource Center. **PLEASE DO NOT SAVE ANY DOCUMENTS TO THE DESKTOP OR DOCUMENTS FOLDERS.** These computers refresh completely after each use, so any documents saved will be automatically erased, and there is no way to retrieve them. Please plan to use a flash drive to save documents while working on these computers, and make sure to save often to avoid losing your work. Flash drives are available in the PRC, so please see a PRC staff member if you need a flash drive. The rest of the computers in the PRC will be replaced over summer interterm. For questions, contact a Pioneer Resource Center staff member (303.871.6824; cwc.prc@gmail.com) or Meghan Brenner, Assistant Director of Academic Services (meghan.brenner@du.edu; 303.871.6832).
**Gifts to Graduating Seniors from the Green Team**
The Green Team would like to honor graduating seniors with a "green" gift! The Green Team will be handing out flowers to graduating seniors in the first floor lobby, so please stop by!
Saturday, May 16, 11:30am-2:30pm
Tuesday, May 19, 4:30-6:00pm
Wednesday, May 20, 4:30-6:30pm

**Bake Sale to Benefit Victims of Nepal Earthquake**
On May 2nd, students organized a bake sale for victims of the earthquake in Nepal and raised $206.88 that will go to Doctors Without Borders to support in their emergency response efforts! Special thanks to Leanna Stoufer, Jes Ward, Kiara Klinkhammer, Marie Martinez, Bethany Lefebvre, Faduma Sufi, and Dr. Carol Zak-Dance for their help in making this bake sale a possibility, and to all those who supported the sale. If you were not able to support the sale on that day, there is still time to help us reach our goal of $500 for victims in Nepal! The fundraising continues online through the end of May at [http://events.doctorswithoutborders.org/campaign/cwc2015](http://events.doctorswithoutborders.org/campaign/cwc2015).

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**Coming Up**

**Student Presentation on Travel to Dubai**
**Saturday, May 16 | 12-1:30pm | Room 160**
Please join us for a presentation from the students who traveled to Dubai over spring interterm. Students will share what they learned and experienced in Dubai and will share photos from their travels. Feel free to bring your lunch into the presentation.

**Volunteers Needed for Humanitarian Crisis Simulation on Campus**
**Sunday, May 24 and Monday, May 25 | Josef Korbel School of International Studies**
The Humanitarian Assistance Program at DU’s Korbel School of International Studies is seeking volunteers to enact roles such as internally displaced persons, border patrol guards, international and national relief workers, missionaries, etc. for its Humanitarian Crisis Simulation event. This is a great opportunity to practice your acting skills while learning more about humanitarian work and international crisis situations. For more information and to volunteer, contact haprog@du.edu.

**Opportunity to Assist Nepal Relief Effort**
As we all become increasingly aware of the extent of the devastation in Nepal in the wake of the April 25th earthquake, many of us have been looking for opportunities to assist in some way. Our own Dr. Linda Smith is Director of the nonprofit organization Filters for Families. She is organizing a donation campaign through her organization. She is aiming to purchase water filters that will provide long-term access to safe water for distressed families. She is leaving for Nepal on May 19th to deliver the water filters that are purchased through her campaign. Check out the flyer that describes the work that Linda and her organization are doing, along with links
to portals for online donations to Filters for Families. If you wish to donate, please follow the instructions in the flyer. For more information please contact Linda at director.linda@gmail.com.

**Share your Textbooks with Sister Students!**

**PRC Bookshelf**

Do you have old textbooks just sitting on your shelves collecting dust? Ditch the clutter by donating to your sister students! Starting May 2015, bring your gently used textbooks to the marked section of the PRC bookshelf. Need a book for a class? Take what you need, then return it for others to use in future quarters.

**High School Graduates Come to Campus**

Once again it is time for DU to host the area's high school graduations beginning in May. Some of these events have the potential to make parking an issue on the north side of campus; you can see the full schedule online. If you are a current parking permit-holder, you will receive more information via email in the coming weeks if your parking area is affected.

**CWC Spring Graduate Needing Extra Graduation Tickets?**

CWC graduating students if you need extra tickets for graduation speak amongst your fellow graduating classmates and/or plan to pick up your cap and gown rental on June 2, to request the additional tickets. Additional tickets for the ceremony may be available on the June 2nd cap and gown pick up date.

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**Campus Happenings**

**DU Vin Festival**

**Wine Pairing Dinner- Thursday, May 14**

**Grand Tasting- Saturday, May 16**

The DU Vin Festival features something for everyone including a five-course wine pairing dinner with Chef Frank Bonanno on Thursday, May 14 and a grand wine tasting event on Saturday, May 16 complete with over 160 different wines to taste, three complimentary seminars on wine and food topics, a chef/student pairing challenge with seven local Denver restaurants and live music! DU faculty, staff, alumni and students can purchase discount tickets of $35 per ticket for the festival. For more information and to purchase tickets please click here.

**Used Book Sale**

May 15-16 | 9 am -3 pm | Book Stack, Mary Reed Building

The used book sale benefits University Libraries. Over 40,000 quality books are for sale at the Book Stack, a used bookstore run by volunteers, located on the main level of the Mary Reed Building.

**New Tuition Payment Portal**

The University of Denver is implementing a new payment portal for DU tuition payments. While the old system let you to share your account information with one additional person, the new payment portal allows for multiple users to set up individual credentials to access your account.
(i.e. parents). You will need to access your account beginning July 1 and identify authorized users by Aug. 1 in order for additional people to receive information on the next billing cycle. You will receive an email on July 1 with instructions.

With the new system, you will no longer receive tuition bills as PDF attachments via email. Once you set up your authorized users, you will each receive an email alert when a new bill is available, and must log on to the payment portal to view the bill. The new payment portal offers many additional features, such as payment options including setting up recurring payments and scheduling payment in advance. It also utilizes a secure platform to store account information and log transactions.

Denver Men's Lacrosse advances to quarterfinals
Senior goalkeeper Ryan LaPlante made 16 saves, including 13 in the first half, and sophomore Connor Cannizzaro scored five goals to lead the No. 4 seed University of Denver men's lacrosse team to a 15-9 win over Brown in the NCAA Tournament First Round on Sunday afternoon at a sold out Peter Barton Lacrosse Stadium (2,451). Denver advances to play Ohio State on Saturday, May 16 at 3:30 p.m. at Sports Authority Field at Mile High. For the full story, click here. Tickets are now on sale for the quarterfinals; buy yours by 5 p.m. this Friday (use promo code "DU").

Campus Perceptions of Unwanted Sexual Experiences
Last week, you received an email inviting you to take a survey regarding "Campus Perceptions of Unwanted Sexual Experiences." Please take 15 minutes out of your day to take this important survey: http://bit.ly/1ccbg6v.

Over this academic year, the University has been providing a series of updates about its ongoing efforts to both address sexual misconduct and create a more compassionate and supportive community at DU. They are taking steps to assess our current environment and understand which areas need improvement, and this anonymous survey is a key part of the process.

Hyatt Regency Discounted Rates for Students
Seniors, do you have friends and family coming into town for graduation? Or, are your parents coming in to visit? The Hyatt Regency in the Denver Tech Center offers University of Denver students premium rates. Amenities at the hotel include: pool, hot tub and sauna facilities, access to over 20 restaurants, and just a 10-minute light rail trip to campus. To book, go to www.techcenter.hyatt.com and enter code 49674, or call at 1-800-233-1234 and ask for "DU rate."

Colorado Happenings

Explore Denver
Explore Denver is a program in which DU students, faculty and staff can receive free or deeply discounted tickets to attend local events and attractions such as Denver museums, theatrical and sporting events, cultural events and many others. Visit du.edu/exploredenver to see what's coming up.

5th Annual Women Veterans of Colorado Save the Date
September 12 | Inverness Hotel and Conference Center, Englewood
The 5th Annual women Veterans of Colorado Conference will be held on September 12, 2015 at The Inverness Hotel & Conference Center, Englewood, Colorado. More information can be
Community Announcement Submissions

Have an announcement you would like to display in CWC's Community Announcements? Please email announcements in the same format as follows to communicationscwc@gmail.com. **All submissions should be submitted by 10 am MT on Thursdays.** Late submissions will be placed in the following week's announcements.

**Event/Announcement Title:**
**Event Date:** (Only for Events)
**Start Date/Time:**
**End Date/Time:**
**Location:**
**Event Description:** (In three lines or less)