

# SSHA Update

School of Social Sciences, Humanities, and Arts  
Academic Advising Newsletter

**SSHA PEER MENTOR PROGRAM**  
FEATURING • Calvin E. Bright Success Center

## SUCCESS & SURVIVAL SOCIAL

**WHEN**

**December 11th, 2014  
3 PM**

**WHERE**

**Willow Room  
(COB 322)**

sshapeermentor@ucmerced.edu

**OPEN TO ALL  
STUDENTS**

**PREPARE FOR  
FINALS THE  
RIGHT WAY!**

**Come in to...**

- Exercise relaxation & stress techniques
- Learn good nutritional habits
- Practice good study skills

**Refreshments  
will be  
provided!!**

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**SSHA Advising – COB 208**

**Open: 9am-12pm; 1-4pm**

**Walk-In Advising Hours**

**December 10 - December 19**

**Monday–Thursday: 10-12p; 1-4m**

**Friday: Closed**

**\*\*There will be no afternoon  
walk-ins on Wednesday,  
December 17<sup>th</sup>.**

## Semester-at-a-Glance: Fall 2014

- **Friday, December 12** – Instruction ends
- **December 13-19** – Final Exams
- **December 20-January 19** – Winter Break

### Spring 2015 Graduation Application

If you are a senior planning to graduate, you will need to complete the Graduation Application for the term in which you will complete your degree requirements. Participation in the Commencement requires a separate application.

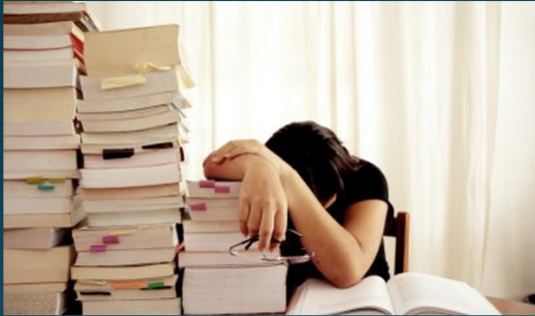
Finishing in Spring? >>> Apply online **September 16 – February 15**

Finishing in Summer? >>> Apply online **September 16 – June 15**

Finishing in Fall? >>> Apply online **February 16 – September 15**

Students who wish to participate in Spring 2015 must have an active graduation application and submit a [commencement application](#) before March 13.

## Preparing for Final Exams



Find out how to prepare effectively for finals while avoiding heightened stress!

December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2014  
8:00PM  
California Room

Calvin E. Bright Success Center  
Kolligian Library 222

## Calvin E. Bright Success Center

[Learning.ucmerced.edu](http://Learning.ucmerced.edu)

(209) 228-7252  
Kolligian Library (KL) 222  
Monday – Friday 8:30PM – 5PM

## PALS Services

Offers tutoring in a variety of subjects – from Biology to Writing, the Bright Success Center can help!

Visit their website for the [Learning Support Schedule](#)

## The Finals Frenzy



Drop in briefly or stay the whole time. Lots of tutors will be present to help you prepare for finals!

December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2014  
6:30PM – 9:30PM  
California Room

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Kolligian Library 222

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## Frequently Asked Questions

**How should I contact my SSHA Advisor?**

Choose one method and stick to it - either email only or come to our walk-in advising hours.

**Do SSHA Advisors make advising appointments?**

No, but we have ample walk-in hours to most efficiently serve our students. During peak advising times, we extend our walk-in hours!

**Where can I find SSHA Advisors?**

You can access SSHA Advising walk-in hours by checking into COB 208 during the hours listed on our website.

**Where do I turn in forms?**

All forms should be turned in to COB 208 during 9am-12pm and 1-4pm. All forms, if necessary, will be available for pickup in COB 259.