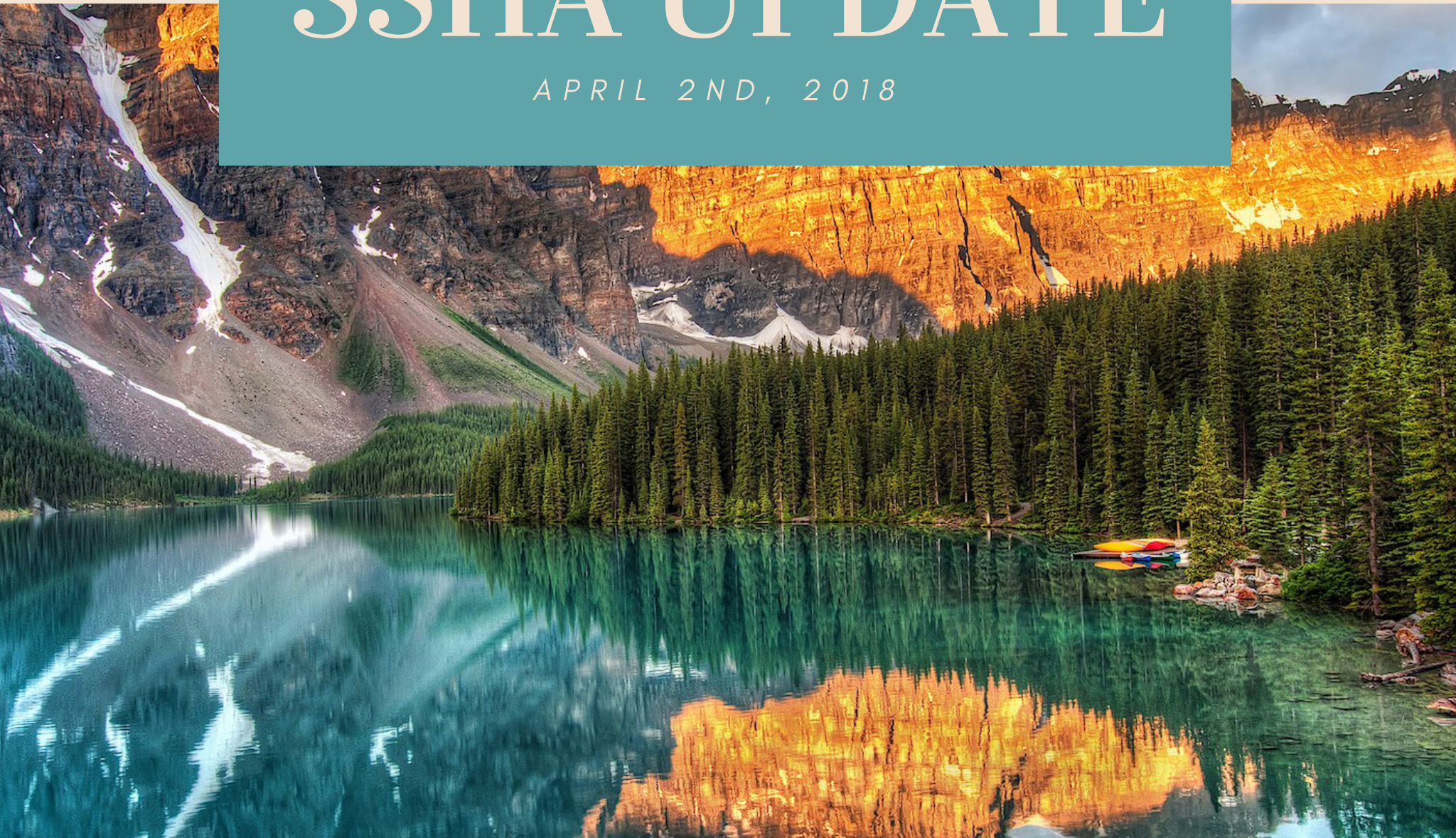


# SSHA UPDATE

*APRIL 2ND, 2018*



# Workshops on Campus

## Bright Success Center



UC MERCED  
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Come learn more about the steps to taking summer courses at a CSU or community college!

### Summer Session Workshops

**Non-UC Summer Courses**

March 15 • 11AM-12PM • KL 296

April 19 • 1:30-2:30PM • COB1 279

Questions? Contact:  
nspeermentor@ucmerced.edu  
sshapeermentor@ucmerced.edu

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### Final STRETCH: De-Stress & Management Workshop

April 10, 2018

5-6PM: SAAC

### Academic Motivation

April 12, 2108

7:30-8:30PM; COB 113

### First Gen Success: Redefining Your Strengths

April 19, 2018

5-5:50pm; Bobcat Lair (KL 169)



SSHA MAJOR SERIES

A BOBCAT'S GUIDE  
TO MASTERING YOUR MAJOR

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COME EXPLORE WHAT YOUR SSHA MAJOR HAS TO OFFER IN ACADEMICS AND POSSIBLE PROFESSIONAL CAREER PATHS!  
SNACKS WILL BE PROVIDED

**February 22** HIST/ANTH/SOC/CRES  
11 AM - 11:50 AM | KL 296

**March 6** MBE/ECON/POLI  
11 AM - 11:50 AM | KL 296

**March 20** PSY/COGS/PH  
11 AM - 11:50 AM | KL 296

**April 10** ENG/SPAN/GASP/PHIL  
11 AM - 11:50 AM | KL 296

For any further questions, please contact a SSHA Peer Mentor at sshapeermentor@ucmerced.edu

# Job Opportunities

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

## Departments Hiring!

### Admissions!

*Tour Guides!*

### Fiat Lux!

*Academic Scholars*

*Lead Scholars*

*Community Scholars*

### Library!

*UC Cooperative Extension*

*Digital Curation and Scholarship*

*Student Assistant*

*And much more!*



## NOW HIRING!

PEER HEALTH EDUCATORS

### What?

- Learn more about your personal health and the health of UC Merced students
- Provide health education to UCM students
- Connect students to health-supporting resources
- Advocate for changes that support a healthy campus

### Why?

- Promote a healthy campus environment
- Make positive changes on campus
- Get public health experience
- Meet new people!

### Qualifications

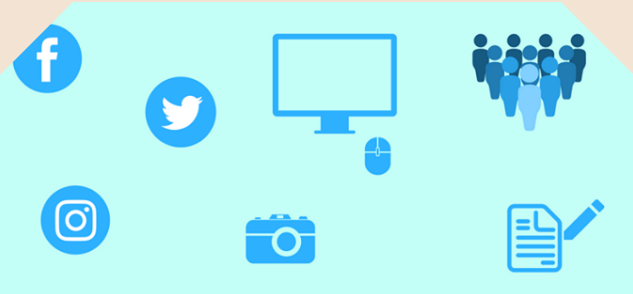
- APPLY at [jobs.ucmerced.edu](http://jobs.ucmerced.edu) by Tuesday, April 03
- Complete the week-long Health Promotion training (in August)
- Commit to working 8-10 hours/week for the entire 2018-2019 academic year

Great opportunity for students interested in: education, direct social service, community organizing, public administration/policy, advocacy, social justice, computer science, psychology, social science, marketing, business, and economics



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## NOW HIRING!

MARKETING INTERN

### What?

The Marketing Intern will coordinate all activities promoting the programs and initiatives of Health Promotion. These activities may include:

- Create posters and flyers
- Create and maintain social media (Facebook, Twitter & Instagram)
- Take pictures at Health Promotion events
- Develop innovative techniques for promoting department programs and services
- Manage the department website

### Qualifications

- APPLY at [jobs.ucmerced.edu](http://jobs.ucmerced.edu) by Tuesday, April 03
- Complete the week-long Health Promotion training (in August)
- Commit to working 15-18 hours/week for the entire Fall 2018 and Spring 2019 semesters; summer 2018 availability is preferred
- Knowledge with Photoshop
- Knowledge design/maintenance of website

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# Pride Week 2018 : Reclaiming our Colors

April 2nd - 8th 2018

**2nd  
Mon**

## March to Reclaim our Colors

12:45pm - 1pm, Cat Quad

Kick off Pride Week by marching alongside our fellow LGBTQ+ and Ally community up Scholar's Lane to a QT healing circle.

## Pride Carnival

1pm - 4pm, Scholar's Lane

Enjoy some carnival food and games while learning about the LGBTQ+ community at our resource and activity booths.

**5th  
Thurs**

## Building Healthy LGBTQ+ Relationships

12pm-1pm, KL 369

Discuss healthy and identity affirming queer relationships and create art projects that depict such!

## Building Community Awards

3:30pm - 5pm, Crescent Arch Room

Building Community Awards recognizes the outstanding contributions of individuals within the University and Merced community regarding LGBTQ+ concerns at UC Merced.

## Night of Glamour

6pm-7pm Crescent Arch Room

Join us for a night of makeup, fashion, and dance. Come as you are or get glammed up by one of our makeup artists. Tonight we express our inner selves!

## ¡Cuir Noche!

7-9:30pm, Crescent Arch Room

¡Noche de expresión! A night to express yourself with dancing the Latinx rhythm of Cumbia.

**8th  
Sun**

## Lube Olympics & Tie-dye/button making/face painting

2 - 5pm, Mariposa Hall lawn

Celebrate sex positivity as we learn about queer culture via Queer Jeopardy! Answer wrong and you might get slimed with lube! If you're not down with lubing up, try racing in drag all while learning about safe sex practices.

**3rd  
Tues**

## Expression Through Art

1pm-4pm, Scholar's Lane Grassy Area

Join us in expressing ourselves and community through spray painting murals!

## Queer Chill Night

6pm-9pm, Bobcat Lair

Join us for a night of hot cocoa, board games, and fun in this chill hangout room, perfect to relax with your QT and Ally buddies!

**6th  
Fri**

## Lavender Community Unite

3:30pm-5:00pm, California Room

Join us in building community amongst out LGBTQ+ & Ally undergraduate, graduate, postdoc, staff, and faculty Bobcats! Stop by for a great conversational space and food.

## Queer Sleepover

7:30pm - 7am (overnight), Bobcat Lair

Build community with a good old-fashioned slumber party. Enjoy a night of karaoke, drag, video games, and snacks! \*Closed to UCM students only.

**4th  
Wed**

## Self Empowerment and Resistance Panel

2pm - 3:30pm, CA Room

Come listen to Onar Primitivo, Andre Frise, the Lambda Alliance executive boards and more as we discuss life as an LGBTQ+ person on campus.

## Express Yourself: Art and Open Mic Night

7-9pm New Beginnings statue

Join us for a night of self-expression through dance, spoken word, poetry, music, and more!

**7th  
Sat**

## Queer Picnic

2pm - 5pm, Lake Yosemite

Splash in the sun and join us for a day out at Lake Yosemite and for some fun games, activities, and food!

## Drag Show!

6:30-9:30pm

LGBTQ+ Initiatives hosts the annual UCM Drag Show!



Please Contact Lambda Alliance with any question you have  
[lambdalliance@ucmerced.edu](mailto:lambdalliance@ucmerced.edu)

## PAVING THE WAY SCHOLARSHIP

The Paving The Way Scholarship was created with the sole purpose of distributing the money that had been allocated by the Consulado de Mexico of Fresno to Students Advocating Law and Education (S.A.L.E.) as a way to support students of Mexican Descent. S.A.L.E. is aware that a vast majority of our undocumented student population is of Mexican descent and for that very reason we became affiliated with the Mexican consulate in order to ameliorate the financial burden of these students at UC Merced. Students will be able to grant \$1,070 scholarships to UC Merced students who meet the criteria below:



### Application Requirements:

- Must be enrolled for the Fall 2018 and be continuing students for Spring of 2019 at UC Merced
- Must have completed more than one semester at the University
- Must be undocumented **AND** of Mexican Nationality/Descent
- Must have a GPA of a 2.70 or above
- Must provide a copy of unofficial UC Merced Transcript AND resume
- Additional requirements will be set upon receiving this scholarship
- **Must be present at the annual Recognition Ceremony on April 14<sup>th</sup> (no exceptions)**
- **Personal Statement: Respond to ONE of the following prompts (no less than 350 words):**

### Prompt 1:

The United States has been in an internal conflict for a long time, fighting for and against undocumented student's status. Describe you have played a role in this battle and show how it has affect those around you?

### Prompt 2:

Describe the importance of a particular person or event that has shaped your educational and professional aspirations? In addition, describe what you currently have done to achieve these aspirations?

S.A.L.E. will be recognizing the students awarded the Paving the Way Scholarship at its annual Recognition Ceremony on April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018. In order to be considered for the Paving the Way Scholarship you must submit your unofficial UC Merced Transcript, Resume and Personal Statement to [sale.ucmerced@gmail.com](mailto:sale.ucmerced@gmail.com) by Saturday, March 24, 2018 - by no later than 9:00 PM. For any further questions or inquires, please contact our Internal Chair: Katia Gilbon – [kgilbon@ucmerced.edu](mailto:kgilbon@ucmerced.edu)



FOURTH CINEMA PRESENTS

# MERCED EXPERIMENTAL FILM FESTIVAL



APRIL 27, 2018  
8:00 - 10:30 PM  
SSM 125 (COURTYARD)

SUBMIT ANY TYPE OF  
FILMED PROJECT FOR A  
CHANCE TO WIN THE  
GRAND PRIZE.

TO SUBMIT A FILM, EMAIL THE  
FOLLOWING ADDRESS AS A MP4:

MERCEDEXPERIMENTALFILMFESTIV  
AL@GMAIL.COM

ANY TYPE OF FILM WILL BE  
CONSIDERED AND NO  
PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE  
NECESSARY TO ENTER.

# Student Resources



**Provides Free and Confidential Assistance for all UC Merced Affiliates**

**Location:** KL 107

**Office Hours:** Tues. & Wed.

12pm - 1:30pm

**Campus Advocate:**

(209) 386-2051

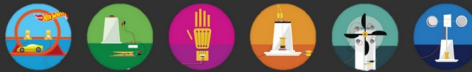


**Valley Crisis Center  
24/7 Hotline  
(209) 722-4357**



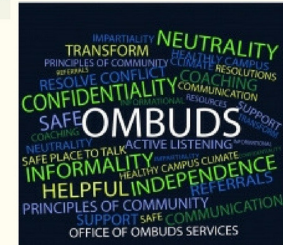
**STEM  
RESOURCE CENTER  
UC MERCED**

**Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics**



**STEM Center Peer  
Tutor/Mentor Program -  
Fall 2017 - AOA 114**

<http://stemresourcecenter.ucmerced.edu/academic-services>



## Ombuds Office

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

**PHONE:** 209-228-4410

**LOCATION:** STUDENT SERVICES

**BUILDING 211**



**STRESS  
MANAGEMENT**



**SLEEP**

<http://heroes.ucmerced.edu/>



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**Friday: 9:00am - 2:00pm**

**Location: KL 101**



**Contact:** [international@ucmerced.edu](mailto:international@ucmerced.edu)

# BASIC NEEDS HUB UC MERCED FOOD RESOURCES

\* Services provided during office hours

## CalFresh (KL 117)

Drop In: Mondays 2:00-5:00 p.m.

Appointment: Thursdays 9:00-12:00 p.m.

Link: <http://heroes.ucmerced.edu>

CalFreshoutreach@ucmerced.edu

## UC Merced Food Pantry

Tri-College Center

Third Friday of every month

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

## Fresh Fruit Wednesdays

SSM 130 & KL 117

## iCare

On campus student-to-student  
meal assistance

## CropMobster

<https://merced.cropmobster.com>

## UC Merced Community Garden

Periodic harvests throughout the year.

## Pop Up Produce

Offering FREE fresh produce to  
students twice a month!

Scholars Lane 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Spring 2018 Dates: Feb. 8 & 22,

March 8 & 22, April 12 & April 26

## Produce on the Go

Every Tuesday & Wednesday

Location: COB2 Quad

10:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

## Community Microwaves

KL 117

SSM 130

Outside the ASUCM Office

## Emergency Food Boxes

KL 117 and SSM 130

## Merced Produce Map

Locations in Merced where fruits and  
vegetables are sold.

Link: <http://heroes.ucmerced.edu>

## Merced County Food Bank

Open 7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

## Resource Centers: SSM 130 and KL 117

Emails: [basicneeds@ucmerced.edu](mailto:basicneeds@ucmerced.edu)

[foodpantry@ucmerced.edu](mailto:foodpantry@ucmerced.edu)

[heroes@ucmerced.edu](mailto:heroes@ucmerced.edu)



## A Resource for Students

UC Merced Food Pantry Distribution  
10AM-2PM | Location: Merced Tri-College

February 16th  
March 16th  
April 20th  
May 18th

Sign Up at: <http://studentlife.ucmerced.edu/content/uc-merced-food-pantry>

NEED A RIDE? Want to Volunteer?

For More Information Email: [foodpantry@ucmerced.edu](mailto:foodpantry@ucmerced.edu)



# SSHA ADVISING

## PEER MENTORS



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sshapeermentor@ucmerced.edu

**Walk-in Hours: April 2nd-April 13th**

**Mondays: 9:15AM-12:00PM; 1:00PM-4:00PM**

**Tuesdays: 9:15AM-10:45AM; 1:00PM-4:00PM**

**Wednesdays: 9:15AM-12:00PM; 1:00PM-3:00PM**

**Thursdays: 9:15AM-12:00PM; 1:00PM-4:00PM**

**Fridays: 9:15AM-12:00PM**

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A serene sunset scene over a calm lake. In the foreground, a dark canoe is partially visible, resting on a rocky shore. The sky is filled with soft, colorful clouds in shades of orange, red, and purple, reflecting on the water's surface. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

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