The Connection

What’s happening Week 5?

Winter Enrollment Workshops
Need help selecting courses for Winter Quarter? Have questions about the two pass enrollment process? Join College Academic Counseling (CAC) and College Academic Mentors (CAMs) for a Winter Enrollment Workshop! This 60-minute workshop will answer all of your questions about the enrollment process and will also review where to find options for your winter quarter GE and major courses. After a short presentation, CAMs will be available to assist you individually in planning your study list for next quarter. Sign-up for a Winter Enrollment workshop on MyUCLA (Academics>Workshops).

Veteran Resource Center
Have you heard about the Veteran Resource Center (VRC)? The VRC serves domestic and foreign military veterans/dependents (a dependent is any person with a direct military connection, such as a spouse, guardian, or parent). The VRC provides caring and personalized support for veterans by providing a welcoming space, mentoring services, guidance on educational benefits, and much more! The VRC also provides many resources including free printing, snacks, coffee, a study space and computer lounge, career advising, drop-in counseling, and additional resource assistance. The VRC is located in Kerckhoff Hall Suite 132-A and they are open Monday through Thursday from 9am-5pm and on Friday from 9am-2pm. For more information on the VRC, visit their website or drop by!

Hygiene Kit Drive
Donations are needed for hygiene kits! UCLA’s Veteran Resource Center (VRC) is planning on donating 500 hygiene kits to homeless veterans in the Los Angeles community during their Garden and Grill Day event on Friday, November 30th from 10am-1pm at the Veterans’ Garden. How can you help? Anyone is welcome to donate products including: soap, shampoo, conditioner, toothbrushes, toothpaste, floss, combs, brushes, socks, deodorant, and feminine hygiene products. All products should be dropped off at the VRC located in Kerckhoff Hall Suite 132-A. Donations will be accepted until Monday, November 26th. If you are interested in gardening or handing out hygiene kits during the VRCs Garden and Grill Day event, please visit https://tinyurl.com/fallgardenandgrill.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND DEADLINES

MONDAY, OCTOBER 29 (Week 5)
• Winter 2019 Schedule of Classes online

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5 (Week 6)
• MyUCLA winter priority pass enrollment appointments begin

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8 (Week 6)
• MyUCLA winter first pass enrollment appointments begin

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9 (Week 6)
• Last day for undergraduates to change grading basis on optional P/NP courses through MyUCLA with per-class fee

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12 (Week 7)
• Veteran’s Day Holiday; campus closed

CAC Advising Hours & Locations

ASK Peer Counselors
ASK Web Lab, A316 Murphy Hall M-F 9am-3pm
Registrar, 1113 Murphy Hall M-F 10am-3pm
Royce Quad M-F 10am-2pm
Court of Sciences M-F 11am-2pm
Campbell/Bunche M-F 11am-2pm
Transfer Center, 128 Kerckhoff Th 11am-2pm
Covel Dining Hall T 5pm-8pm
De Neve Dining Hall M 5pm-8pm

College Academic Mentors (CAM)
A316 Murphy Hall, Window 1 M-F 8:30AM-4:30PM
CAM On The Hill (DeNeve) M-Th 3PM-8PM

College Counselors
A316 Murphy Hall, Window 2 M-F 8:30AM-4:30PM
Expected Cumulative Progress

Have you been wondering what ECP is? Then no worries, because we’re diving into this College policy in this week’s newsletter!

What is ECP?
The Expected Cumulative Progress Policy (ECP) is designed to promote 4-year graduation for undergraduates in the College of Letters and Science. ECP is a progress check that occurs every two registered quarters freshmen-admits are enrolled.

Is everyone held to ECP?
No, only students who entered as freshmen are held to ECP. If you entered UCLA as a transfer student, you are not held to ECP.

When do ECP checks occur?
ECP checks occur on registered even-numbered quarters. If a student is consistently enrolled at UCLA in the first year, their academic progress will be checked once after Winter Quarter (Quarter 2, completed 27 UC units).

During the second year, the student's academic progress is checked twice (Quarters 4 and 6).

Do AP/IB credits count towards ECP?
AP/IB credit and any community college courses completed during high school and prior to UCLA matriculation DO NOT count for ECP. ECP only checks for units completed after you become a UCLA student.

What if I do not comply with ECP?
1st Shortage: If you do not meet ECP unit targets during a monitored term, a hold is placed on your record. To remove the hold you need to complete a short online workshop found on CCLE.

2nd Shortage: Another hold is automatically placed on your record. To remove the hold, you need to meet with a College Counselor to discuss your progress and create a program plan.

3rd Shortage: A hold is automatically placed on your record. You need to meet with a College Counselor to check your academic progress. If you can graduate in 4 years, you may file an ECP Exemption. If you are not graduating in 4 years you need to file an ECP Appeal. Once filed, a committee will review your ECP Exemption or Appeal. If approved, your hold is removed. If your plan is not approved or if you do not follow your plan, you may be required to complete units at another institution.

What does an ECP hold do?
ECP holds will prevent you from making current study list changes on MyUCLA (e.g. change of grading basis, drop a course) and prevent enrollment for the following term. Campus services may also be restricted. ECP holds are typically placed after your monitored term during week 5.

Please visit your counseling unit for any further questions about ECP!

CONDUITS

Are you looking for hidden campus gems to enhance your time at UCLA? Look no further! Every week Conduits will feature a campus resource, selected by our very own ASK Peer Counselors, that will help you maximize your academic and social experience at UCLA.

Ever find yourself in need of legal aid, but are unsure of how to navigate and find it? Look no further than the Student Legal Services Office! For only $10 students can receive a 1-hour consultation with an experienced attorney. During this consultation, students receive legal advice on topics ranging from landlord-tenant issues, car accidents, faculty misconduct, or criminal charges (like sexual misconduct or citations for alcohol possession). This service is completely confidential and all students can use this service. Students can schedule an appointment by calling (310) 825-9894, or in person at A239 Murphy Hall. Student Legal Services also offers workshops on various legal topics, such as, immigration; and hosts outreach events, such as, Lunch with a Lawyer and Law in the Union. To learn more about all their services, visit www.studentlegal.ucla.edu.