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# CAMPUS NEWS

## LA SALLE UNIVERSITY'S WEEKLY INFORMATION CIRCULAR

Mar.9th,2001

TO: La Salle Community  
FROM: Michael J. McGinniss, F.S.C.  
DATE: March 5, 2001

Just a reminder to come and celebrate our Charter at the dinner on **Tuesday, March 20, 2001 at 4:00 p.m. in the La Salle Union Ballroom**. All offices will close **at 4:00 p.m.** so that the entire community can participate.

In the hope that you will consider attending, I am happy to list some of the fine foods from which you can choose. From **4:00 to 7:30** you can enjoy both hors d'oeuvres and dinner which will include:

*Nachos, vegetables and dip, fruit, cheese and assorted breads and crackers.*

*Penne pasta with marinara sauce and garlic bread*

*Hot Turkey Sandwich Station*

*Green Garden Station with Green Salad, Spring Mix with Shrimp or Caesar Salad*

*Wraps (flour tortillas filled with shrimp, tuna fish or vegetables)*

*Crepe Station (made to order vegetable or chicken crepes)*

And best of all the dessert station featuring:

*Fondue Station (cheese fondue with french bread and vegetables for dipping, white and dark chocolate fondue with strawberries, bananas, and other fruit for dipping)*

*Creme Brulee torched tableside*

*Ice cream Treats*

*La Salle Birthday Cupcakes*

In addition, some of our own faculty and administrators including myself will be guest chefs.

So don't forget, **come and enjoy and wear La Salle colors!**

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# COMMENCEMENT 2001

## Announcement

This year the Commencement hotline phone number is  
(215) 951-5025  
or send e-mail to  
[commencement@lasalle.edu](mailto:commencement@lasalle.edu)

Please encourage students to access our web site,  
[www.lasalle.edu](http://www.lasalle.edu), for further information.

Note: The Graduate's Guide for Commencement will be  
distributed by mid to late March.

Aimee Rogers  
Director of University Events



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TO: Members of the English Department

FROM: Richard A. Nigro

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Richard A. Nigro".

DATE: February 26, 2001

I offer an apology on behalf of the Academic Affairs Committee for the fifth item in the minutes of the Committee's November 2, 2000 meeting. That paragraph reads as a negative evaluation of the Department's preparation of students for further college work.

In our review of the matter with Dr. Butler at our meeting on February 19, we realized that the paragraph was not an accurate report of the discussion or its context. The point to have been made was that the University needs to insure that effective feedback mechanisms are in place to monitor the new Core Curriculum's provision of students with skills and knowledge they need to be successful in the rest of their college career. The Committee did not intend to assess any department's current record, and it certainly did not intend to disparage the quality of the English Department's work.

I apologize that we failed to scrutinize adequately the minutes before publishing them, and I hope that the Department will accept that the statement is an unfortunate editorial error rather than a judgement.

Thank you.

RAN:dm



Anna Melnyk Allen, Assistant Dean of Students

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TO: The University Community

DATE: March 1, 2001

SUBJECT: Student Awards Reception

Earlier this semester, nominations were solicited from the University Community for our annual Student Awards. I am pleased to invite you to join us for the **Twenty-Seventh Annual Student Awards Reception**.

The reception is scheduled for **Wednesday, March 21, 2001, at 6:00 p.m. in the La Salle Union Ballroom**. The ceremony will last for approximately one hour, with refreshments and social time immediately following.

The awards to be presented include: the Victor D. Brooks and Hugh Carroll Awards for Continuing Studies students; Student Activities Achievement Awards; *Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities*; the International Student Award; the Dennis Dougherty Memorial Scholarship; the Dr. Joseph Flubacher Leadership Award; the Brother Emery C. Mollenhauer Award; the James A. Finnegan Memorial Award; and the John McShain Award.

While not every student nominated will receive an award, of course, I believe it is important for us to celebrate together as nominees, recipients, and fellow Lasallians. I have extended invitations to all nominated students and their families and hope that other members of the University Community will join us, as well. Please contact my office at 215.951.1374 by Friday, March 16, if you would like to attend.

For Immediate Release  
March 7, 2001

Contact: Jon Caroulis (215-951-1085)  
Office of University Communications

### **James S. Kemper Foundation Awards \$125,000 Grant To La Salle University's E-Commerce Institute**

The James S. Kemper Foundation of Illinois has given La Salle University's e-Commerce Institute a three-year \$125,000 grant to further develop the internship and corporate mentoring components of its Student Fellows Program.

"We think this is an important milestone for the Institute because the Kemper Foundation has a national reputation for its support of business education," said Bernie Krimm, Director of Corporate and Foundation Relations at La Salle.

"Certainly, we're extremely honored to be the recipient of the grant," said Paul Brazina, Executive Director of the Institute and assistant professor of accounting at La Salle. "This grant shows the program we began two years ago has substance and validity. We're going to use the grant to take our student involvement in the e-business community to a much higher level, with supervised internships and corporate partnership programs."

Unlike the approach that offers only a separate degree or a minor in e-commerce, La Salle's e-Commerce Institute is open to all full-time undergraduate students, MBA and e-Commerce certificate students desiring a working knowledge of this field. "One of the main features that the Kemper Foundation staff liked about the University's Institute is that it goes beyond business majors and reaches out to the entire student body," said Fred Foley, La Salle's Director of Grants Research.

"E-commerce is already a big part of the economy and it's growing. Everyone, not just business people, are going to have to know how to deal with it," said Brazina. "Online services and information are exploding, and people in all walks of life are going to need to understand how electronic commerce works. This expertise has an important impact on our students, businesses and community. We want this to be as applicable to nursing students as it is to business students and arts and science students."

Students enrolled in the Students Fellows program build a portfolio of e-commerce studies, research, and work experience. Students must complete either approved courses that deal with e-commerce, or attend several lectures by industry experts in e-commerce. Also required are a research paper, which can be assigned from any course, and 40 hours of professional activity related to e-commerce, which can include a co-op or internship, consulting to a business on e-commerce matters. It is this final part of the requirements that Brazina hopes to enhance and expand with the Kemper Foundation grant.

(more)

## Kemper grant/Add one

Founded in 1942 by the Kemper family and the Kemper insurance companies, the James S. Kemper Foundation primarily supports business education at American colleges and universities. In addition to its unique scholarship/internship program (the Kemper Scholars Program), the Foundation promotes faculty development, ethics in business education, and professional careers for liberal arts graduates. It is located near Chicago in Long Grove, Illinois.

La Salle is a comprehensive, coeducational university established in 1863 by the Christian Brothers, a Roman Catholic teaching order. Today, the university educates approximately 5,600 undergraduate and graduate students in nearly 60 academic disciplines at its four campuses in Philadelphia and the surrounding counties. One of seven Christian Brother colleges and universities in America, and one of 72 around the world, La Salle is built on a strong tradition of quality education, service to students and overall excellence.

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... Your zeal for the students under your guidance would be very imperfect, if you expressed it only in teaching them; it will only become perfect if you practice yourself what you are teaching them.

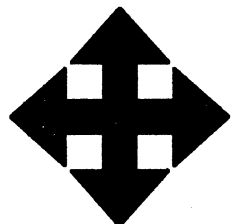
Example makes a much greater impression on the mind and heart than words.

— *Saint John Baptist de La Salle*  
from "*Meditations for the Time of Retreat*"

Let us remember...  
we are in the holy presence of God.

*De La Salle*

Another in a series from University Ministry & Service







**Division of Student Affairs**

**Brother Charles Echelmeier, F.S.C., Director, University Ministry & Service**

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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Catholic Faculty & Staff

**FROM:** Charles Echelmeier, FSC

**DATE:** Wednesday, March 07, 2001

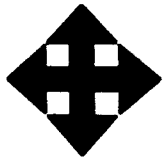
**SUBJECT:** Bishops' Conference Survey

We have been asked to circulate information about a project initiated by the Catholic Bishops of the United States.

The National Conference of Catholic Bishops' Committee on the Laity has just launched an online survey of all lay Catholic men and women. The survey can be found at

<http://www.laysurvey.org>

and is available in English and Spanish. The focus is on soliciting suggestions as to how parishes can better help lay people respond to their calling in the world.



On Sunday,  
March 18th, the  
Third Sunday in Lent,  
the Liturgy will be  
celebrated at  
9:00 PM only  
in the  
De La Salle Chapel.

— Permission to Post until Monday, 3/19/01 -- University Ministry & Service



## End-Of-Year Activities Schedule - 2001

- March 31:** Federal Perkins Loan Exit Interviews: Information for on-line exit interviews will be mailed to all graduates by March 31<sup>st</sup>.
- April 1:** Ring Ceremony and Mass: The ring ceremony will take place in the Union Ballroom. Mass will be held in the chapel.
- April 2:** Federal Stafford Loan Exit Interviews: Information for on-line exit interviews will be mailed to all graduates.
- April 10:** Standard Graduation Announcements on Sale:  
Campus Store
- April 16 to 19:** Cap and Gown Fitting/Purchasing:  
Campus Store, 12:00 to 7:00 p.m.
- April 25:** General Information session for graduates:  
La Salle Union Dan Rodden Theatre, 12:30 p.m.
- May 8:** All Residence Halls, Apartments, and Town Houses close at 6:00 p.m. Graduating seniors who are interested in inquiring about housing extensions should contact the Administrative Services Office, extension 1370, two weeks in advance.
- May 8:** All library materials to be returned/fines paid.
- May 12:** Baccalaureate Mass:  
The Cathedral Basilica of S.S. Peter and Paul, 3:30 p.m.  
Vesting, 2:30 p.m. Procession begins 3:00 p.m.
- May 13:** Commencement Exercises:  
McCarthy Stadium – Campus, 10:30 a.m.  
Graduate Vesting, 9:15 a.m. Procession begins 10:00 a.m.
- Weather Alternative: Hayman Center  
Undergraduate and Graduate School of Business  
Administration and School of Nursing, 10:30 a.m.  
Vesting, 9:15 a.m.  
Undergraduate and Graduate School of Arts & Sciences,  
3:00 p.m. Vesting, 1:45 p.m.
- May 13:** Faculty-Graduate Reception  
on the McShain Quad,  
immediately following Commencement.



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**Women's Studies Program**

## **Women's History Month March 2001**

- Monday, March 19      **"Killing Us Softly 3"**  
Images of Women in Advertising  
Film and Discussion  
1:00-1:50, Women's Studies Center, Olney 105
- Tuesday, March 20      **Women's Issues Across the Generations**  
Panel Discussion  
Dr. Phyllis Betz, English  
Louise Giugliano, University Ministry and Service  
Dr. Pidge Molyneaux, English  
Jennifer Curley, Women's Studies Minor  
Amanda Innes, Women's Studies Minor  
Patricia Sarkis, Women's Studies Minor  
12:30-1:45, Women's Studies Center, Olney 105
- Wednesday, March 21      **Women's Studies Reading Group**  
[in preparation for Diplomat-in-Residence Program]  
Casting stones : prostitution and liberation in Asia and the United States by Rita Nakashima Brock and Susan Brooks Thistlethwaite.  
(Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 1996).  
Copies are available for purchase in the Campus Bookstore.  
3:30-5, Women's Studies Center, Olney 105
- March 22-23**  
**What Does it Mean to Be Human: Gender and Disability Across the Life Course**  
A Conference Sponsored by the Greater Philadelphia Women's Studies Consortium  
[La Salle is a member]. Conference is free but pre-registration is required. Contact Dr. Jacqueline Pastis, x1340 for more information.
- Thursday, March 22      **Plenary Session**  
Nancy Mairs, poet, essayist, author of  
Waist High in the World: A Life Among the Non-Disabled  
8 pm, Haub Executive Center, McShain Hall,  
St. Joseph's University
- Friday, March 23      **Panel Presentations**  
Sex and Body Issues  
Conversations Across the Generations  
Work and Citizenship  
The College Experience  
Aging  
8:30am-4:30pm, Temple University, Student Activities Room

*For more information about Women's History Month or the Women's Studies Program contact Dr. Jacqueline Pastis, Program Director, x1340 or [pastis@lasalle.edu](mailto:pastis@lasalle.edu).*



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**Women's Studies Program**

## **Women's History Month** **March 2001**

**March 26-28**

**Diplomat-in-Residence Program**

**Diplomacy and the Sex Trafficking of Women and Children**

Monday, March 26

**Impact of Globalization and Political Unrest  
on Vulnerable Populations**

1:00-3:00, Dan Rodden Theatre

Tuesday, March 27

**American and International Initiatives  
Against Illegal Immigration and Prostitution**

12:30-2:30, Dan Rodden Theatre

Wednesday, March 28

**Criminal, Moral and Cultural Aspects of  
Sexual Exploitation**

7:00-9:00pm, Dan Rodden Theatre

Tuesday, April 3

**"Rosie the Riveter" [rescheduled]**

Women Industrial Workers During WWII  
Film and Discussion

12:30-1:45, Women's Studies Center, Olney 105

Thursday, April 5

**Women's History at La Salle: The 1970s**  
Panel Discussion

Dr. Marjorie Allen, English

Dr. Pat Haberstroh, English

Dr. Barbara Millard, Dean, Arts and Sciences

Br. Emery Mollenhauer, English

12:30-2, Music Room

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Philosophy Department

# LA SALLE UNIVERSITY

## PHILOSOPHY SERIES

2001 ALUMNI/AE

LECTURE

**William Sullivan, Ph.D.**

Senior Scholar, Carnegie Foundation  
for the Advancement of Teaching  
(La Salle University, Class of 1968)

ST. AUGUSTINE AND THE MBA:  
WHAT CONNECTS PROFESSIONAL AND LIBERAL  
EDUCATION

DATE	➤	MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2001
PLACE	➤	COLLEGE UNION MUSIC ROOM
TIME	➤	RECEPTION: 5:30 – 6:15 P.M.
		LECTURE: 6:15 – 7:30 P. M.

# La Salle University Teaching and Learning Center

## Presents

A Discussion on

*What do our students learn in their required  
composition classes?*

Thursday, March 22  
12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.  
College Hall 205

As we prepare writing assignments in our courses, we may falsely assume that our students have been taught a particular writing style or research method in a writing class. In order to create appropriate writing assignments, however, it is important for all of us to have realistic expectations.

Members of the Composition Committee will discuss course objectives (real and ideal) and approaches to teaching freshmen composition.

- ✓ Tom Malatesta    ENG 100
- ✓ Mary Robertson    ENG 107
- ✓ Dolores Lehr    ENG 108

Please join us for an interesting and informative discussion.

To ensure sufficient seating and refreshments, please contact Kathi McNichol at 951-1824 or [mcnichol@lasalle.edu](mailto:mcnichol@lasalle.edu).

*Co-sponsored by the New Core Curriculum and the Teaching and Learning Center.*



**Diplomat-in-Residence Program 2001 Conference  
Dan Rodden Theatre**

**Diplomacy and the Sex Trafficking of Women and Children**

**Monday, March 26 - 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.**

**Impact of Globalization and Political Unrest on Vulnerable Populations**

- Dr. Howard Perlmutter, Professor and Director, Emerging Global Civilization Project, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania
- Dr. Louise Ivanov, Professor of Public Health, School of Nursing, University of Virginia
- Mr. Dimitri A. Masyuk, First Secretary, Embassy of the Russian Federation
- Mr. Valeriy Hrebenuk, Consul, Embassy of Ukraine, Washington, DC
- Mr. Han Peters, Counselor, Embassy of the Netherlands, Washington, DC

**Tuesday, March 27 - 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.**

**American and International Initiatives Against Illegal Immigration and Prostitution**

- Mr. Apirath Vienravi, Minister Counselor, Permanent Mission of Thailand to the UN
- Ambassador Enrique Manalo, Deputy Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of the Philippines to the UN
- Ms. Linda Valentine, Supervisor of Special Agents, INS, Philadelphia
- Mr. Mark Getchell, Regional Representative for Asia, IOM (International Organization for Migration), Manila, Philippines
- Representative from the Department of Justice, Criminal Division, Washington, DC

**Wednesday, March 28 - 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.**

**Criminal, Moral and Cultural Aspects of Sexual Exploitation**

- Ambassador Flavio Miragaia Perri, Consul General of Brazil in New York
- Ms. Erika Harms, Deputy Chief of Mission, Embassy of Costa Rica, Washington, DC
- Ms. Anita Botti, Deputy Director, International Women's Initiatives, Department of State
- Ms. Robyn Mudie, First Secretary, Australian Mission to the UN
- Ms. LaShawn Jefferson, Deputy Director, Women's Rights Division, Human Rights Watch, Washington, DC
- Representative from the Mission of Mexico to the UN





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**Campus Store**

# Exams are Just Around the Corner!

Dear Faculty Member:

As the Spring term progresses, we need to begin working on the Summer and Fall semesters. We would like your selection of course related materials by April 6, 2001.

We have sent Course Book Information Request forms to the Department Chairperson for your use. Giving us your book information now reduces potential problems such as publisher's shipping delays and errors, and out-of-stock situations. In addition, having your request before exams allows us to pay a higher price to students when they sell their books at the end of the current term. Your prompt response also helps ensure that the materials needed by our students will be on the shelf before classes begin next term.

Of course, we would be happy to assist you, please contact us. We are here to help you.

Sincerely,

Cathy Kelly

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**215-951-1395**

# SGA's Annual "Shoot for a Cure"

24-HOUR Marathon to raise money for the American Cancer Society

HAYMAN CENTER

Friday, March 30 at 3pm--straight through the night until--Saturday, March 31 at 3pm.

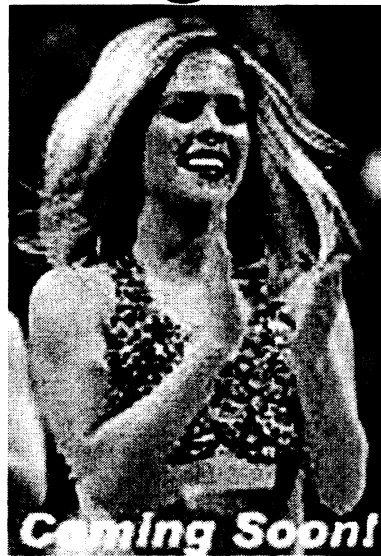


To register a team or place an AD in our Ad Book,

Stop by Union 303 or call 215-951-1385.

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## Be the Cheerleader of the Night!



Come cheer on the many  
student, faculty and local  
business teams!

FRIDAY, March 30<sup>th</sup>

starting at 3pm (ALL NIGHT!)

# CAMPUS POSITIONS AVAILABLE

LA SALLE UNIVERSITY IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY/AFFIRMATIVE ACTION EMPLOYER

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## Secretary for the La Salle University Neighborhood Nursing Center

The Neighborhood Nursing Center has an opening for a part-time secretary. La Salle University is a Roman Catholic institution of higher education in the tradition of the de La Salle Christian Brothers. This position will work closely with the Director of the Neighborhood Nursing Center at the School of Nursing as well as the Chew and Wister Nursing Center site. A professional demeanor, computer literacy and a customer service commitment are all required. AA/EOE

Interested candidates should submit resume with 3 professional references by March 28, 2001 to:

Dr. Katherine K. Kinsey  
Director, La Salle Neighborhood Nursing Center  
Bob 808 1900 W. Olney Avenue  
Phila. PA 19141-1199



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Jennifer Pubentz – Assistant Director

Thursday, March 22  
1:00 PM  
Room 120 Holroyd Hall

Ramapo Anchorage Camp, nationally recognized as a leader in therapeutic camping, offers a comprehensive program of services to special needs children, preschool through age 15.

The Dept of Psychology is offering students the opportunity to earn credit while gaining invaluable experience working with children in this outstanding summer camp environment.

Ramapo Anchorage Camp is located 95 miles north of New York City, in the beautiful Hudson River Valle, and is situated on 235 wooded acres with its own lake. Counselors receive a salary, room and board, and travel reimbursement.

*For more information please contact Dr. Ellen Halpern, Department of  
Psychology, x5174 or halpern@lasalle.edu*

**215- 951-1270**

