

DHLI NEWS

Dolores Huerta Labor Institute Newsletter

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DHLI Director Takes New Position



Starting fall 2015, Dr. Shigueru Tsuha will join Pierce College as a full-time Sociology faculty member of the Philosophy and Sociology Department. DHLI congratulates Dr. Tsuha on his new path, and will miss the work and contributions he has dedicated to the program as its director. During his four years as director, DHLI coordinated more than 300 events reaching almost 20,000 students. Dr. Tsuha will continue to work with DHLI in his new capacity as an instructor and will serve as a member of DHLI Faculty Action Committee. Kenadi Le is returning part-time to DHLI this fall and will be back full-time after her work on Accreditation at LA Trade-Tech College is complete in April 2016. She is currently working with the DHLI Steering

Committee to hire a second coordinator for DHLI.

Harry Bridges Performance at LA City College

DHLI has partnered with The Harry Bridges Project to bring a performance about historical labor leader Harry Bridges, "From Wharf Rats to Lord of the Docks" to LA City College. The event will take place on Thursday, September 17, 2015. We thank Leslie Ferreira, department chair of the Theater Academy at LACC for bringing this performance to students. Also joining DHLI to make The Harry Bridges Project performances available to community college students through Southern California are the Richard C. Munroe Foundation, the LA County Arts Commission, and the ILWU Credit Union.



2015 InLak'Ech Institute at LA Mission College

DHLI is co-sponsoring the XITO Califas 2015 InLak'Ech Institute & Youth Summit at LA Mission College with the Chicana and Chicano Studies Department. The Institute takes place Friday, October 9 through Monday, October 12, 2015. Special thanks to department chair John Morales and vice chair Jose Maldonado for this opportunity. Register at: <http://www.xicanoinstitutela.org/register-inlakech-institute.html>

Quick News

- DHLI's website has been updated. Please visit our webpage at www.laccd.edu/DHLI
- DHLI completed its 2014-2015 program review and met its performance standards for the assessed service area outcome and performance objective.
- Linda Tubach from the Collective Bargaining Education Project will be running a collective bargaining simulation for one of Joe Meyer's Political Science 1 courses at LA City College on September 28 and 30.
- Labor and labor-themed courses scheduled for fall 2015:
 - ◇ English 100: Accelerated Prep—College Writing, a newly labor-themed course taught by Jan Gangel-Vasquez for the Advanced Transportation & Manufacturing Pathway at LATTC
 - ◇ History 82: A History of Working People in the United States 2, one face-to-face and one online course taught by Ellen Joiner at LAHC
 - ◇ History 81: A History of Working People in the United States 1 taught by Renee Elisaldez at LAHC.
 - ◇ Labor Studies 4: Labor in America: taught by Lou Siegel at LATTC
 - ◇ Labor Studies 21: Working Class in Cinema taught by Mindy Chen at LATTC
 - ◇ Two sections of Labor Studies 101: Introduction to Unions taught by Lou Siegel at LATTC
 - ◇ Philosophy 45: Philosophy of Labor taught by Zack Knorr at LAVC
 - ◇ Sociology 84: Simulated Society taught by Laura Scott at LAVC

