



Chico LSAMP News 27 January 2009



Our funded activities include:

- Summer Calculus Boot Camp
- Academic Excellence Workshops
- Merit Awards
- Undergraduate Research Experience Stipend and Supplies Reimbursement
- Conference Reimbursement
- Upper Division Texts Reimbursement
- Grad School Visits and Fees
- Supplies and Grad Announcements
- Community College Transfer Program

If you are a senior, I can pay your graduate school application fees as well as any GRE fees or materials, and/or reimburse you for graduate school visits, so let us know when you plan to graduate and your postgrad plans.

URE = Undergraduate Research Experience

Please, let us know in which area you are interested. I can pay you up to **\$500** to learn what you want to learn in your major **and** we can cover up to **\$500** in supplies. You can work with a mentor of your choice or me, Lori. I have booklets to show you what other students have done.

This semester, our **Upper Division Texts** applications will require a personal statement from you as if you were writing to a grad school, but **we're raising the reimbursement to \$80 per book up to 3 courses.**

Sophomores and Juniors, it's time to think about graduate school. We can pay for grad school visits, grad school fees, and GRE prep. Talk to us. Grad school doesn't cost money. They pay you to go to grad school.

Graduate Preparation:

Dr. Chris Pavone is teaching a class to prepare students for graduate school on Wednesdays 5 – 7:50 in Holt 189. This could mean \$\$\$ for you. See Lori!

Have you finished your first semester of calculus?

Have you received a copy of "How to Ace the Rest of Calculus" (HARC)? We have a copy for you.

What are you going to do this summer?

Did you want to participate in an internship or other programs? Would you be willing to give a presentation about it? I'll pay you.

Summer Calculus Boot Camp

Applications will be arriving soon. If you recruit a student, it's a \$25 gift certificate for the first student and \$10 for each subsequent student. Start recruiting!

Congratulations to Merit Awardees who collectively earned \$4600 for excellence last semester. Please, give a high five Malaysia Anderson Xavier Carrillo, Sergio, Calderon-Gabribay, Jose Camberos, Vivian Casillas, Alyssa Gutierrez, Josh Hernandez, Christian Lopez, Edith Meraz, Nicolas Pellegrino, Breckon Ruiz, Janet Torres, David Valencia, Victor Valenzuela, Jamie Wenham, Oya Ross-Walcott, Chris Mendieta, Cola Knight-Salicka.

Be sure to apply for a Merit Award for this semester.

Also, please, give answers to these questions

on the clipboard under this newsletter, whenever you stop by for advice or supplies. Thank you.

1. What supplies do you need? graph paper (GP), batteries (B), binder paper (BP), pencils (P), colored pencils (CP), "How to Ace Calculus" (HAC), "How to Ace the Rest of Calculus" (HARC), or something else?
2. Do we have your current phone number(s), email address, home address? Check the database.
3. What clubs you belong to? Are you an officer in any of them?
4. Have I recorded all your honors, awards, internships, or scholarships recently?
5. When do you expect to graduate? 09S, 09F, 10S, etc.

6. What are going to do this summer?