



## **International Update**

### **California State University, Chico**

**June 18, 2008**

#### **Announcements:**

- **School of Graduate, International, and Interdisciplinary Studies (GIIS) is moving** to Student Services Center Room 440 during the first week of July. All phone numbers and campus zip will remain the same.
- **Study Abroad Office is moving** to the Student Services Center Room 406 during the first week of July.

#### **International Opportunities:**

- **CSU, Chico Offers Trip to Peru and Machu Picchu**, The College of Humanities and Fine Arts at CSU, Chico is sponsoring a tour to Peru to include a visit to Machu Picchu. The trip is scheduled for 11 days from Jan 5 to Jan 15, 2009. The faculty-in-residence will be Religious Studies Professor Andrew Flescher.
- **Wanted: English Language Conversation Partners for International Students**, The American Language and Culture Institute (ALCI) located on the CSU, Chico campus is looking for conversation partners for international students from a variety of countries with varying language abilities. You will have the benefit of learning about different cultures and practicing communication with non-English speakers. If you are interested or have questions, please visit ALCI on the second floor of the Regional and Continuing Education building, email [alci@csuchico.edu](mailto:alci@csuchico.edu), or phone 898-6821.
- **Call for Papers: Asian Social Protection in Comparative Perspective**, Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, Singapore, announces "Asian Social Protection in Comparative Perspective" January 7-9, 2009. Asia's growing economic and geopolitical importance has led to increased interest in its social protection and social welfare programs. How do these diverse countries deal with aging, disability, drug and alcohol abuse, housing, income supports and welfare, health care coverage, old-age pensions, single mothers, social services, unemployment, and the working poor? Are there lessons in this experience for other parts of the world? Are there lessons Asia can learn from the experience of others? And, how can we encourage cross-national exchanges among researchers, academics, practitioners, and government officials? Proposal Deadline July 1, 2008.
- **Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program**, Sends nearly 800 scholars and professionals each year to 140 countries where they lecture or conduct research in a variety of academic and professional fields. Applicants must have current U.S. citizenship, hold a PhD or other terminal degree, have university teaching experience, and have foreign language proficiency in the country where the project will take place. Deadline August 1, 2008.
- **Grant: Japan-United State Friendship Commission**, Supports reciprocal research programs between the U.S. and Japan in support of the continuation of close friendship and cooperation. Deadline August 1, 2008.

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