The Division of Academic Affairs has initiated this weekly communication during spring 2022 as we return to face-to-face instruction, sharing the latest questions and highlights from our faculty, staff and students.

**AA Commitment Statement:**
Wherever you see an answer to a question, we will quote the source and provide a link for additional information.

**Missed Last Headlines? Available Online!**
February: 2, 9, 16, 24; March 3, 9, 16, 23; April 6, 13, 20, 27; May 4

**Other questions?**
More ideas? [Share Yours Here]

**COVID-19 Reporting Hotline**
(310) 243-2076 Reporting a Positive Case

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**Announcement:**

**Faculty Awards Celebrating our 2022 Faculty Excellence!**

On May 3rd, the Division of Academic Affairs honored 2022 Faculty Excellence recipients and recognized Faculty Members who have reached Years of Service Milestones and Service Anniversaries. The event was broadcasted livestream and recorded to proudly share with our CSUDH community!

- **Presidental Outstanding Professor Award**
  Dr. Kimberly Huth, English

- **Excellence In Service Award**
  Dr. Rama K. Malladi, Accounting & Finance

- **Excellence in Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activity Award**
  Dr. Mary T. Lacanlale, Asian-Pacific Studies and Humanities

- **The Lyle E. Gibson Distinguished Teacher Award**
  Dr. Anne Soon Choi, Interdisciplinary Studies

- **The Catherine H. Jacobs Outstanding Faculty Lecturer Award**
  Dr. Laurie D. Inman, Liberal Studies

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**Announcement:**

**Going for the Gold! Faculty Sustainability in the Classroom and YOU can help!**

As sustainability is a core value of the campus, the Provost has offered to write a letter that will be viewed favorably during RTP for faculty members integrating sustainability into their curriculum and research activities.

To receive recognition for sustainability activities to your course and/or you or your students have conducted sustainability research in the last academic year, please report it via this 5-10 minute survey by May 20th so we can recognize your efforts.

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**Question:**

**Are you ready to Celebrate Class of 2022 Commencement?**

Yes!! The time to celebrate our graduates is almost here! The Class of 2022 Ceremonies are scheduled May 20 and 21. Bring your friends and family as we proudly announce the graduates at this joyful occasion in the Dignity Health Sports Park Tennis Stadium located at CSUDH. Guest tickets are not required to attend, but all seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Orchid leis and bouquets for graduates will be available for purchase on site. Graduates are encouraged to wear their leis on stage and in pictures.

Get the free iToro app at the [Apple App Store](https://apps.apple.com/us/app/iToro/id1477395857) and [Google Play Store](https://play.google.com/store/apps) to stay informed on Commencement for parking information, schedule changes, directions, and alerts to your mobile device. Be there and share your experience on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com), [Twitter](https://twitter.com), and [Instagram](https://www.instagram.com). To enhance your experience, either at the event or joining on the internet, livestream will be available from the [Commencement](https://www.csudh.edu/commencement) homepage.

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