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QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"Everyone carries with them
at least one piece to
someone else's puzzle"
~ Lawrence Kashner



Penny the Pangolin
UHP'S UNOFFICIAL MASCOT

As the weather gets colder and the seasons change, it's important to stick close to the things that mean most to you! Whether that is gathering more with loved ones to remind them you care and are grateful for them, or taking self-care days just doing whatever you love! You could also get into that thing you've always wanted to do that'll bring you joy! Moreover, the semester is more than half way over, which means you are almost done with Fall 2024! Finish strong and take care of yourself!

**We're Thankful
for You!**



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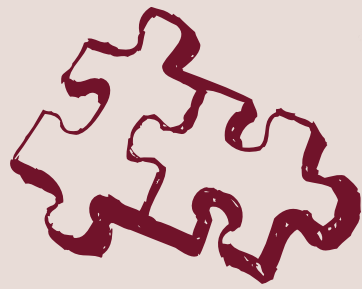
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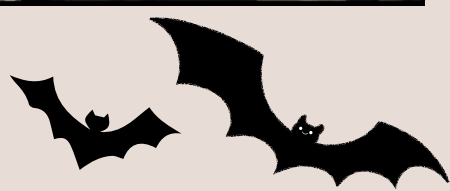
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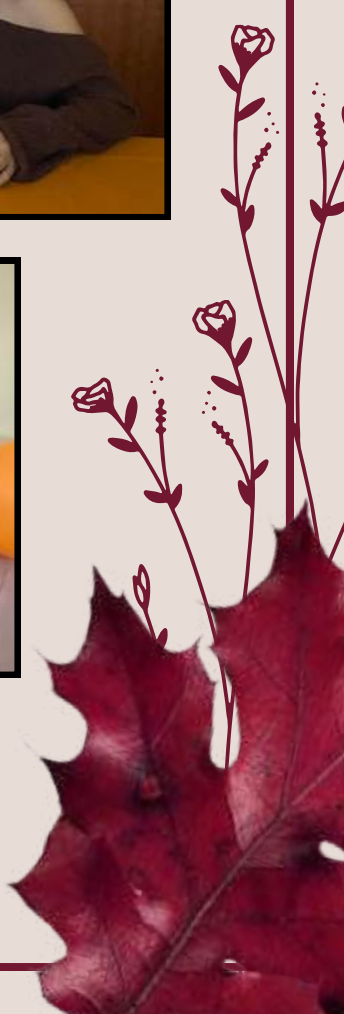
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FACULTY SPOTLIGHT

Professor Nelson



Professor Nelson is one of the esteemed faculty who teach an HON 3100/3150 course pair! What she enjoys most about teaching Honors students is getting to see how much they grow during a semester. She feels like she always walks away from the HON classes feeling like she learned something new because of how collaborative it is! Her focus is primarily on the development of innovative classroom instructional techniques, especially game-based pedagogies. Her first works in this consisted of an interactive fiction game based on a group trip from Paris to Morocco!

Since Dr. Nelson is now semi-retired, she has pursued many interests! She began a 4 year series at uni. of Chicago where they read the "Great Books"! She also is taking drawing and water color classes, and has learned to crochet & knit thanks to Dr. Talyn and the HON students!

"It is easy to think of learning as only a list of assignments; instead try to think of learning as a chance to explore, experience, and to be curious. HON students have already demonstrated their excellence at academic work, but it's their creativity of ideas that will change the world. Look beyond the To Do List, you might discover things that amaze and delight you, but also lead you to big ideas that make this world a better place for everyone."

~ Dr. Terri Nelson

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FACULTY SPOTLIGHT

Professor Talyn



Professor Talyn is one of the esteemed faculty who teach an HON 3100/3150 course pair! She enjoys that HON students are deeply dedicated to their education, not just a diploma, and are passionate about learning itself. She loves that HON students always have really interesting ideas, knowledge & experiences to contribute to discussions and Dr. Talyn feels like she's learns so much from them!

Dr. Talyn's discipline is in Biology. She first became fascinated by it at 7 years old when she visited the Bay of Fundy in Canada, which has the biggest intertidal zone in North America! She loved how many animals lived in this zone & has been passionate about studying the unique animals ever since!

Another big part of Dr. Talyn's work is in her research lab where she examines the effects of herbicides used in agriculture on animals' behavior anatomy, physiology, and reproduction. She also has her own farm, Rancho de los Proyectos!

"Embrace your inner 2 year old. Little kids are so curious about the world around them, and one great way to stay young is to maintain that curiosity and love for learning, Ask questions. Explore the world. Try to see the world from someone else's perspective and really understand how they think, feel experience the world. Dig Deeper"

~ Dr. Becky Talyn

Upcoming Events

FOOD & SUPPLIES drive

The University Honors Program is partnering with the *Sahaba Initiative* in hosting a ***Food & Supplies Drive*** in November. There will be a donations box located in the entry way of the Honors Space from **Nov. 1st-22nd**

We'll be working on collecting new/unused:



Non - perishable / shelf-stable foods

Toiletries (Shampoo, Conditioner, Body Wash, Individually package Tooth Brushes, Toothpaste, Deodorant, etc.)



The *Sahaba Initiative* is a non-profit Social Services provider with outreach in both San Bernardino and Riverside counties. They provide counseling, food and wellness assistance, emergency financial resources, and more. Their services are available to any who need it.

They have an *established food pantry* in San Bernardino county, created a *mobile food pantry* during COVID, and are currently working on establishing a *food pantry in Riverside county*.

University Honors Program Presents
San Bernardino Campus

De-Stress & Relax

As the end of the semester gets busy, it's important to take some moments for yourself! Join us to de-stress with bubbles, coloring sheets, puzzles, fidget toys and more!

🕒 All Day!

📍 CJ-140

November 12 & 13

Upcoming Events

HONORS RAS & FACULTY PRESENT



19TH NOVEMBER | HONORS SPACE
7:00- 9:00 PM

Get help from Professor Zarate &
Shephard on final papers!

Study with friends!

Pizza, snacks, & drinks!



IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF A DISABILITY-RELATED ACCOMMODATION TO PARTICIPATE, PLEASE CONTACT DHRE FIVE BUSINESS DAYS IN ADVANCE AT RESED@CSUSB.EDU.

Upcoming Events

Inviting all PAES Scholars

Meet the New SSP!



Brandon Landrum

We are inviting all PAES Scholars to join us to get to know Brandon!

- Brandon is UTP's new SSP!
- We will be going over what services he will be providing for our honors students and PAES Program such as advising, planning events and so on!

WHEN: November 20th

TIME: 12:00-12:45

WHERE: Via Zoom

Meeting ID:
817 5232 0379



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Friends Giving

PALM DESERT CAMPUS



Nov 20th

🕒 12:00-12:50

📍 IW-206

The UHP invites you to come hang out with your Honors community at our annual Friendsgiving Potluck! Although it is not required, you are more than welcome to bring your favorite dish, snack, beverage, or dessert for everyone to share!

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HAVE QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS ABOUT THE HONORS PROGRAM?

If you ever have questions or issues that you want to get answers from Honors Program Staff, the best way to contact us is by **direct message** through Canvas OR via email: honors@csusb.edu! We will not always have someone available at the front desk or at the phone who will be able to answer in person.

VISIT THE WEBSITE!

The University Honors Website on the CSUSB website is a superb reference for all of your general questions or curiosities on curriculum, and other aspects of the program!

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if you have any comments, suggestions, concerns, or would like to promote your club/event feel free to reach out via email :
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UNTIL NEXT TIME

