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# CSU dumps **Enron**

By Anna Bakalis

After months of negotiations with Enron, the California State University system has decided to take its energy business elsewhere.

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"We jumped at the chance to
run a new contract," said Mark
Guntheinz, CSU chief of planning and utilities.
The Enron contract expired on
March 31, and Guntheinz, who
has been in charge of the contract for the whole system, decided not to extend it. ed not to extend it.

Enron became the energy provider for CSU and most Uni-versity of California campuses back in 1998, prior to the energy crisis. Since last summer, the Public Utilities Commission needed to pay back the debt incurred from the crisis. The PUC regulates utilities companies like PG&E, where raised fees created an expense that led big customers like the CSU to direct-access companies.

Last October, the PUC drafted

a proposal to suspend direct-access companies, and CSU energy officials started looking to alternatives to Enron

"We were looking at going back to bundled services (PG&E), but it would have cost twice as much,"

said Guntheinz. Guntheinz has now negotiated a new energy contract from APS Energy Services, based out of Phoenix, Ariz. It is a company similar to Enron, but has not sought protection from bank-runter by filips for Chapter 11.

ruptcy by filing for Chapter 11. Guntheinz said it is also a directaccess company that provides energy at low cost without the utilities fees that PG&E charge.
The cost of the new contract

will be comparable to the Enron contract, but exact figures were

not available Tuesday.

At the end of March, energy officials were waiting on a PUC vote that could have nullified certain energy contracts. The CSU-Enron contract was one of them. In a March 21 meeting, the

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# Remembering holocaust

Yearly event organized by the Jewish Student Union

By Alvin M. Morgan

DAILY STAFF WRITER

Each year, many Jewish organizations across the world, as well as the San Jose State University Jewish Student Union take part in a holocaust memorial. It's a day of remembrance for those who perished during the 12-year long holocaust. Tuesday was that day for SJSU.

Student Amphitheater served as the backdrop and the stage was the

focal point for the memorial. The more than 6 million victims were remembered by a reading of their names over the public address system.

The reading, attended only by the media and an occasional student passing by, heard the names read in alphabetical

According to David Good-man, a senior majoring in busi-ness administration and the current treasurer of the JSU said the sparse attendance at the reading didn't diminish the

impact of the event.
"After 15 minutes of listening to the names being read, I didn't want to hear it either, it became upsetting to listen to it, besides the purpose of the memorial was not to get a packed amphitheater. It was about remembering those killed. We want to focus on them as much as possible," Goodman said.

During the course of an hour, different members of the Jewish Student Union took turns reading the more than one thousand names from a list provided to them by the U.S. Holocaust Museum.

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Right, Chau Le and Eitan Gelber acknowledge the flags that were set up to symbolize the many people who died in the Holocaust. Gelber's father was a survivor of the Holocaust.

Ivan Kashinsky / Daily Staff





David Goodman, treasurer of Hillel, reads off names of people who died in the Holocaust to an empty Student Union Amphitheater, while Aaron Baskin, president, and Brynne Speizer sit in support.

# Department chair gets outstanding professor award

By Michelle Giluso

The only job Kathleen Roe ever wanted was to be a teacher.
"I love it," Roe said. "I could teach forever."

Needless to say, Roe, chair of the health science department at San Jose State University, was stunned when she received a call

from SJSU president Robert Caret, notifying her that she is the recipient the 2001/2002 Out
member whose academic career worried about something and I go into class and within 15 minutes they've got me laughing or excitation."

to be here. They've grown up in an age of technology. They have they've got me laughing or excitation."

that I don't always find in some of my other classes," Stolan said.

"It's just full of great direction." Caret, notifying her that she is the recipient the 2001/2002 Out-

standing Professor Award. "Even to be considered for this award is the best thing that could happen for me," Roe said. "Then selected is extraordinary

The award is one of the three highest faculty awards given by the university and recognizes a faculty

SJSU has kept her interested everyday. "I have never once looked for another job or considered doing something different." Roe said.

Roe said one her favorite aspects of teaching is the students. "I can be so stressed out or ed or thinking about things in a different way

She said her students have life experiences that she will never

"I probably learn more from them than they do from me," Roe said. "People have crossed oceans

from world situations I could never imagine

One of Roe's students, June Stolan, said she feels empowered when she leaves Roe's classes

"She gives her students a ance and the freedom to express themselves in such a way

In 1975, Roe became the first

woman in her family to graduate She holds three degrees from UC Berkeley: a bachelor's in sociology in 1975, a master's in public health

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# Fair promotes students seeing the world



JaShong King / Daily Staff

Nao Mori, left, and Akane Matsukura man a booth at the Study Abroad Fair, held in the Student Union as a passer-by picks up a flier. Mori is an international student from Japan, while Matsukura is an exchange student from Waseda University, also in Japan.

By Kami Nguyen

DAILY STAFF WRIT

Nearly 14 countries, along with information tables and representatives, were in the Student Union for the Study/Work Abroad Fair on Tuesday. Dave Rudel, study abroad coordinator, said the fair was planned to take place at the Paseo

de Cesar Chavez, but moved to the Student Union mid-way through after it began to rain. "It's good that we had a back-up venue," he said. "It's usually better out in the plaza, but

we've had a good turn out so far."

Rudel said the fair has been held once a semester for the past five years, but is combined with International Week whenever possible.

Students interested in the studying abroad programs had a chance to talk to other students tho have either participated in the program before, or have just signed up for the program in

the coming semesters.

A row of tables featured countries such as Australia, Austria, Denmark, Italy and Mexico. Student Thi Duong volunteered to give out information for the program in France

Duong plans to go to France in the fall for a yearlong program as a French major.

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# Racial profiling of Asians shared

By Rima Shah

DAILY STAFF WRITER

"Racial profiling in the name of national security has not improved national security at all," said Helen Zia. Asian American journalist and author as the keynote speaker in the first event to celebrate Asian Pacific American Month.

Invited by the Pacific Rim Institute Distinguished Lecture Series, Zia talked about her per-sonal experiences as an Asian American, the heritage of Asian Americans and racial profiling

after Sept. 11. Zia also talked about Wen Ho Lee, with whom she has also co-authored a book called "My Coun-

try vs. Me. Asian Americans have a great deal of heritage and experiences, which pertain to national security issues of the day and it is not the time for any of us to be silent," Zia said. "Racial profiling by our gov-ernment has not accomplished what it set out to do."

Zia said Lee, a second genera-tion Taiwanese American, was arrested on suspicion of being a spy even though he was not the only person who had access to classified information at the Los

Alamos National laboratory. Zia said Lee was not formally charged of being a spy, but is still remembered as a spy because of the strength and potency of the

accusations. "In the technology industry, onethird of entrepreneurs and leading technicians are Asian Americans especially Chinese Americans and Indian Americans," Zia said, noting that the boom in the high-tech industry is in large part because of

Asian Americans ♦ See ZIA, Page 6

# **OPINION**



# **OPPOSING**

Should SJSU students be required to buy laptops?

# VIEWS

# Students should take advantage of technological advances made possible living in the Silicon Valley

ow that Provost Marshall Goodman's vision for implementing a wireless network-



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ing environment on San Jose State University's campus is starting to come full circle, students will most likely reap all the benefits of the high-tech plan. University technology officials say their plans for wireless networking in selected camus areas may be ready for use as early as the

fall 2002 semester. My only complaint: Why hasn't this hightech wireless network been implemented

If the plan is put into action, SJSU will join the many other college campuses around the country that have already upgraded their campus computer networks in conjunction with the continu-

ing and ever-changing technological revolution.

SJSU is in the center of the Silicon Valley, where many of the university's students will graduate and move on to work in computer and Inter-

It has become essential for people in the Bay Area to have access and understanding of the Internet's functions within this highly competi-

Wireless networking would be a more convenient and beneficial system for SJSU students to access the Internet because it will allow them to have research capabilities for their course assignments and e-mail available to them when they need it any annoying dial-up modems or network connection cables.

Major departments such as computer engineering, art and

design, education, and journalism would especially benefit from the wireless network since some of the schools' courses focus on Internet dis-semination for research and projects ∠EASING A

Under the proposed plan, students would be required to purchase or lease laptop computers com-patible with the wireless technology that will be used.

Most new laptops come standard with the essential Internet compatibilities, and if they don't, some manufac-turers will accommodate the customers' specific needs just to make a profit.

Laptops are easy-to-use, convenient machines that can be used anywhere as long as they are equipped with a

charged battery-pack.

It is already a requirement for students at SJSU to have some sort of access to a computer and the Internet.

The plan would simply take the present requirement one step

further by making laptop ownership a standard policy.

Considering students are already shelling out approximately \$1,500 for tuition and books per semester, a laptop requirement is not an outrageous financial request.

A new laptop's average asking price is somewhere around \$1,200, a price some may cringe about, but if you break it down it's only \$150 per semester for a four year graduation plan.

Leasing a laptop would be the less expensive alternative for students who rely solely on financial aid or scholarship funds to pay for their tuition.

However, the Associated Students computer lab in the Student Union rents them for reasonable

fees.
Some students already carry around several thick hard-covered books, which are much heavier

Many laptops are lightweight, manufactured in several sizes, and can easily be lugged around campus with a convenient carrying case, which can hold other school supplies as well.

Next semester's pilot phase of the wireless network will only be Macintosh compatible, but in

the future the operating system will include PC's. The pilot phase program will ultimately decide the future of the high-tech plan.

However, the easily accessible Internet with convenient wireless technology is not likely to produce many unwilling participants.

Illustration by Dawn Bozack

Requiring laptops is like selling out to big corporations; besides SJSU doesn't require many other things

y using such grandiose catchphrases as "embracing technology," "enhanced learning environment" and my favorite, "greater interaction," no doubt the wireless access/laptop initiative sounds appealing.

But hold on...
"REQUIRED" laptops?

That's going to mean a lot of prospective students either looking more enticingly at our programs or looking further away. If it comes down to choosing between paying rent and buying a laptop, most San Jose State University students would prefer a roof over their

"HIGHLY RECOMMENDED" laptops are more appropriate for a state university. Props can be given to the Art & Design department for wanting to "test pilot" this initiative. Good for them. Not good for all

If certain administrators have their way, we'll be walking on campus under a giant rainbow apple sign that will dominantly glow over tower hall.

OK, it's great that Apple is willing to sell each student a \$1,000 laptop. But take that

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Daily Staff Writer

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and multiply it by the student population of SJSU and you have a very nice income upgrade for Apple.

Why haven't we thought of this before? Let's align ourselves with big name companies so we can effectively eliminate our academic inclination. But do we require a decent command of the English language?

Do we require a basic understanding of how to use a library? Do we require a working knowledge of current events?

These are things that are less tangible (i.e.: you can't pay for them), and it's harder to encourage students to read and write than it is to ask them for more

While we're at it why don't we require students to ride the VTA if they live within 10 miles? That would effectively nix the parking Similar to those annoying credit card compa-

nies vying for your attention in front of the Students Union, or the 40-cent charge they put on those little cream cheese packets or the extra student fees on top of tuition, it's not enough to usually complain about, but enough's enough, already.

Sort of like the joint library, this initiative leaves students with a kind of icky feeling.

Like we're saying goodbye to a small sacred piece of academia. I have no problems with the idea of it, but in

reality, no thanks. Hey, what about those students in your class who periodically leave their cell phones on? No matter how often they do it, they still leave the ringer on.

Similar rudeness with the laptop deba-cle will probably happen. Students will now try to beat each other to tables and get the biggest desk so they can take notes on their fancy computer. Can't we at least have a choice? I'm still miffed at the fact that I can't buy a can of Coke anywhere on campus. This is a straight-up Pepsi terri-

Now it will be Apple land.

Hey, maybe if Sun Microsystems bids high enough, the Spartans can the Sunspots.

It's about false assumptions of education goals. But ultimately it's about students being informed about this issue,

because this will not go away soon. It seems that our self-termed "metropolitan university" catchphrase will be haunting us for a while.

We've broken the euphemistic "metropolitan" seal.

Once you start to upgrade, it's hard to stop. No more turning back for SJSU. Meanwhile, Apple can chuckle all the

way to the bank. Hey, why don't we call ourselves the Appleseeds?

Michelle Giluso is a Spartan Daily Staff Writer.

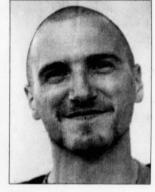
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# $\Gamma_{ALKING}$ HEADS Should SJSU students be required to buy laptops?



"No, I can't even afford a computer. A laptop? Hell no. No, no, no."

- Mindy Wynne



"I don't think that it's a good idea because it's expensive. Not everybody needs a laptop. I'm a computer science major and computer scienctists don't even need one."

- Wolfgang Aigner

"Sure, because it's easier to handle, take notes, have access to the computer, a printer and e-mail."

- Katherine Johnson



"No, I don't think so. But yes, if the school was willing to be able to pay for it. You have the option to go to the library and use a computer."

James Jenkins



I don't really see a lot of laptops in class, so I don't really know. It's cheaper to buy pencils and paper. I don't care. Let's cut down some trees and recycle some paper."

Andrea San Nicholas



"Since I started commuting, I had to get a laptop. It's a convenience thing for those who already have laptops. With my network at home, the Mac wouldn't function."

- Adam Foster

compiled by Amber Sheldon / photos by Krysti La Tour

# **OPINION**

# Shop-a-holic has plan to save others

e've all heard of alcoholics anonymous. We've heard of 12-step programs for nearly every addiction out there.

We've heard of support groups.

Some of us have actually joined them.

I haven't, but I'd sometimes feel guilty that I wasn't addicted to something, especially around chain-smoking friends who you to quit weekly. who vow to quit weekly. But now I've found a purpose.

Now I've found my addiction. Chances are it won't kill me or do me

physical harm. It won't hurt the people around me the way drugs do. And it won't get my pets taken away from me by government services. But it's harmful nonetheless.

I'm a shopping addict.
Don't laugh, it's a serious condition.
To determine if you have this problem, ask yourself these questions:

1. Does your credit-card debt make what you'll owe financial aid after you graduate look like chump change?

2. Does payday mean shopping spree 3. Which is more important, a new computer or eating only Top Ramen for

three weeks? 4. Have you had to live off loose

change for a week because your bank account was overdrawn?

If you chose "yes" or a product instead of a normal life to three of the four questions are the contractions of the contraction of the contra

tions you're a shopping addict. Now don't cry or do anything drastic -

you can kick this problem. I'm already cured.

MICHELLE JEW

group and a whole lot of money, you too can be cured.

Sound too good to be true? It's not. My 12-step program really

First you need to admit that you have a problem. Tell a loved one or someone you trust that you have a shopping addiction. Just discussing the problem will make you feel better.

Secondly, you need to sign up for my class. With only four easy payments of \$40, you will get a support group setting to discuss your problems, a journal to write your expenditures in and a laminated list of the 12 steps.

The third step is going to the weekly support group meetings and discussing your problems with others who understand and care about your needs.

Fourth is your personal mantra. This is key, because you'll be repeating it over to yourself at least three times a day, even more if you are faced with the temptation to buy. An example of this would be: "When

faced with the urge to buy, I can overcome it with chocolate."

(See next week's column on how to With the right plan, a good support cleanse yourself of a chocolate addiction.)

tice, practice, practice.
Once you're producing something and

doing a good job at it the urge to buy will be less severe Sixth, make a list of your expenses and

how much money you have to spend on Ask yourself if the \$300 you spent on

Rollerblades, a helmet, knee guards, elbow guards and wrist guards for your new hobby was a wise buy.
Did you have the money to buy them?

What will you have to cut back on until your next paycheck to stay within

Seventh, you need to make a monthly budget and stick to it. For the remaining five steps, you'll

have to invest in my program.

Again, that's four easy payments of \$40, payable in cash or check to me.

With that, you get the support of a support group, a journal and laminated list of the 12 steps to help you stay on

Don't delay, Spartan Daily reporters and editors are standing by to take your call. The debt you get out of may be your own.

Editor's note: Don't believe a word Spoiled says. She's not cured - she's still a shopping addict, and the money she plans to rake in on this scam will go to redecorating her room, a wardrobe revamp and getting out of debt.

Michelle Jew is a Spartan Daily Production Editor: "Spoiled" appears Wednesdays.

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tion, e-mail glbta@email.sjsu.edu.

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# **SPORTS**

# Spartans blow early lead, lose late to Stanford

By Julian J. Ramos

DAILY SENIOR STAFF WRITER

STANFORD — Leading 4-1 in the bottom of the eighth inning against Stanford University, it looked as if the Spartan baseball team would hold on to post a victory against the No. 2 ranked Cardinal.

Tuesday's Score

Spartans 4
Stanford Cardinal 5

Friday- SJSU vs. Fresno State 7 p.m.

That was until San Jose State University reliever Andy Cook (1-2) began to unravel and the Cardinal hitters began to show why they are one of the top teams in the nation.

top teams in the nation.

With two outs, two runners on base and SJSU (26-12) leading 4-1, Stanford designated hitter Jason Cooper smacked Cook's 1-1 pitch for the gametying home run.

tying home run.
After Cooper's game-tying homer, Spartan head coach Sam Piraro went to his bullpen and inserted Don Gemmell.

However, Gemmell couldn't close the door on Stanford (23-7). Two batters later, Cardinal pinch hitter Danny Putnam doubled home right fielder Carlos Quentin for the go-ahead

Piraro said the Spartans had dominated the game to that

point, but couldn't get the out t

end the inning.

"They showed tremendous plate discipline," Piraro said of Stanford. "We couldn't stop them from getting the guy they wanted to get to the plate."

The Spartans jumped to a 1-0 lead in the second inning when right fielder Travis Becktel singled home catcher Adam Shorsher from second

The lead was erased on the first pitch of the bottom of the inning when Quentin drove SJSU starter Mike Malott's first pitch to left-center field and off the outfield scoreboard for a home run.

The Spartans regained the lead with two runs in the top of third inning. Gabe Lopez started off the inning with a single and scored when designated hitter Hector Zamora doubled to

deep right field.

Zamora scored later that inning on a hit by catcher Adam Shorsher.

Zamora led all Spartans with two RBIs on two hits in three

appearances at the plate.

Cook entered the game in the sixth inning, up until that point, three SJSU pitchers, Malott, Frank Esposito, and Mike Dorsa had held the Cardinal to one run on two hits.

The Spartans are slated to return to action when they host Fresno State University on Friday at 7 p.m. at Municipal Stadium

While his teammates were in

Hawaii winning two of three games from the University of

Hawai'i and winning all six games at the Rainbow Easter

Piraro said Frandsen and the

Spartan training staff deserve a lot of credit for Frandsen's return

"He's not a 100 percent right new," Piraro said. "He's probably

at 70 percent. The kid is a win-

sen has 13 hits in 60 at-bats (.217) and nine RBIs. Last season in 55

games, he posted a .319 average with 59 hits, 28 RBIs and two

In 17 starts this season, Frand-

rehabbing his ankle.

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Frandsen



Ivan Kashinsky / Daily Staff

**Dino Quintero, center, and Adam Shorsher, of San Jose State University, anticipate** the next pitch during Tuesday night's game against Stanford University at Sunken Diamond. Cardinal shortstop Scott Dragicevich moves in to try and make a defensive play. Stanford won the game 5-4 in the bottom of the eighth inning.

# Infielder Frandsen rejoins baseball team

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DAILY SENIOR STAFF WRITER

After five weeks out of the Spartan baseball lineup, Kevin Frandsen returned to the starting roster over the weekend.

The sophomore left fielder/third baseman tore two ligaments in his left ankle on Feb. 24 on the road against Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo. Frandsen was running to first base when his

ankle rolled over the base.
"It feels great to be back outthere," Frandsen said.

The injury required Frandsen to wear a splint and use crutches to get around.

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Frandsen had said he planned to return to action in time for this weekend's three-game conference series against Fresno State University. He beat his own projection by a week and started all three home games against Rice

tion by a week and started all three home games against Rice University from April 5 to April 7.

Before his injury, Frandsen had been playing left field, a move head coach Sam Piraro made at the beginning of the season to insert Cerritos College transfer Hector Zamora at Frandsen's old position, third base.

position, third base.

Against the Rice Owls, Frandsen started all three-games at third base, while Zamora, who had a 13-game hitting streak this season, moved to designated hit-

ter.
"It was a tough decision to make," Piraro said.

Frandsen showed some rust from being inactive at the plate against the No. 3 ranked Owls. He had three hits in 12 at-bats and two RBIs.

"I tried to adjust during the games," Frandsen said. "In late innings, I picked things up, like pitching."

## **Getting Even**

When the Spartans (26-11, 6-6 WAC) traveled to Fresno State for a three-game Western Athletic Conference set from March 8 to March 10, they came away with only one win.

Beginning Friday, San Jose State University will host the Bulldogs (20-16, 8-4 WAC) at Municipal Stadium with a chance to get even with Fresno State or pass them and move into second place in the conference standings.

The last time the Spartans won the season series from the Bulldogs was in 2000, the year SJSU reached the College World Series.

# Common Opponent

The Spartan softball team (16-32, 4-8 WAC) is scheduled to play Fresno State in Fresno on Satur-

The first meeting of the season against the Western-Athletic-Conference-rival Bulldogs (32-13, 7-1 WAC) is scheduled for a 1 p.m. start.

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To the Students of San Jose State University:

Rather than simply informing you of the services Associated Students provides, as your current A.S. Controller, with the responsibility of keeping students abreast of current A.S. issues, I thought that students would benefit from knowing the truth about your student government actions as of recently. During the election, the "Spartan Party", many of which are currently serving on the Board, gave out false information and lied to obtain your student votes. Perhaps, this will set the record straight.

## FALSE INFORMATION

The current Controller, Julie Perrreira-Rieken, spent all of the Associated Students funds.

 The Controller is responsible for the Associated Students being in danger of terminating their contractual relationship with Valley Transportation Authority.

The Controller, while serving as President of a community college, gave funds to her daughter from the A.S. budget.

The Associated Students is out of money because the Controller spent it all.
The President and Controller both hate the "Greeks" (fraternities and sororities).

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President Maribel Martinez has refused to appoint students to various committees and Boards across campus.

The Controller has failed to in form student organizations of the imminent depletion of funds.

The Controller, in conjunction with the President, opposed the construction of the Associated Students run Computer.

Service Center located in the Student Union.

• President Maribel Martinez has missed more meetings with University wide hoards and committees than any provi-

President Maribel Martinez has missed more meetings with University wide boards and committees than any previous President.

That when elected, the "Spartan Party" will stop student fees from increasing.

# FACTS AND TRUTHS

The Controller cannot allocate any funds over \$500 without Board approval.

 Neither the Controller nor the Board has any control over the Valley Transportation Authorities decision to raise its fees.

Ms. Perreira-Rieken's daughter never received student funds.

While the Associated Students is not out of money, the funding for clubs and organizations on this campus has run
out. This is due to the fact that the Board (comprised of a majority of Spartan Party members) refuses to allocate
additional funding for clubs and organizations.

President, Maribel Martinez, and the Controller, Julie Perreira-Rieken, are both proud members of Greek Life. Ms. Martinez belongs to Sigma Theta Psi and Ms. Perreira-Rieken belongs to Chi Pi Sigma.

 Ms. Martinez has consistently brought forth names for various student representative appointments on boards and committees campus wide. These nominations have frequently been rejected by the Associated Students Board.

• The Controller has been instrumental in keeping student clubs and organizations informed of Board policy regarding how funding is obtained and making sure that club and organization representatives know why funds are not available. It is the responsibility of the Associated Students Board to allocate funds into clubs and organization funding.

The President and Controller were not opposed to the construction of a computer lab. They were opposed to locating the lab in the Student Union because the lab would provide 24-hour operation, as was promised to students. Additionally, the lab fee (\$18) was collected for three semesters before the lab finally opened. \$6 of this fee was initially allocated to financial aid scholarships, as mandated by the Chancellor's office. Since this order was rescinded the Associated Students Board has decided to keep that money rather than returning it to the students.

On the contrary, Ms. Martinez has attended more board and committee meetings than any other previous President. The "Spartan Party" does not control student fees statewide or on this campus. If student fees are to increase, the Campus President or the students of San Jose State University, through a special election, make that decision.

Agendas, minutes, and any additional documentation to support this information can be obtained by contacting your Associated Students Controller @ 924-6254.



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# **NEWS**

# FAIR Students who join have the opportunity to study in another country for a semester, summer or full academic year

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'A lot of students are interested," Duong said. "It's a good way to learn about the resources and get information."

She said some of the students she spoke to range from international business majors to mechanical and civil engineers. The Japan Exchange and

Teaching Programme information table was also an option for students.

Binh Tang, a former participant, said the program was for graduate students interested in teaching in Japan.

The program is sponsored by the Japanese government, is open for graduates in any major and does not require a teaching cre-

dential, said Tang

People who apply will sign up will have a one-year contract with the program, but are welcome to renew the contract for up to four

program pays about \$36,000 and provides accommodations as well as airfare.

"As long as you have a degree the main thing candidates should show is enthusiasm, and the ability to adapt to different cultures," Tang said. "It gives you the per-ception that the world is more than the way you're living."
The Cultural Experiences

Abroad program gives students in the United States an opportunity to travel out of the country

for an academic year, a semester or a summer term, said Michelle Lawrence, academic relations senior coordinator.

She said the program is an extension of the actual Study Abroad and is separate from the CSU program in that it doesn't sponsor international students into universities in the United

"Students will be fully immersed in a university along with foreign faculties," Lawrence said. "It's also open to all lan-guages and majors."

Sima Siddiqui, a management information systems major, came to the fair to pick up information

about the programs.
"I'm interested in doing study

abroad in the summer," she said. "Tve been thinking about it last semester. It's a once in a lifetime opportunity to experience college

life in another country."
She said she's still unsure if she'll sign up, but said she has received a lot of information from the different tables.

Working with 23 colleges throughout the country, the Uni-versity Studies Abroad Consortium enrolls nearly 1,700 students every year, said Heidi Hurst, assistant marketing director.
Students who enroll in the pro-

gram can study in such countries as Africa, Costa Rica and New Zealand, while staying in constant contact with an on-site study abroad staff.

Lisa Mistry, a marketing major, was also picking up information packets about the differ-

> "It's pretty cool, I've been to a few of the tables," she said. "It's something to take into consideration. I'm thinking about going to England, but I'm still looking

Freshman Jessica Nicole was

She said she is interested in

looking for information about

learning Italian, and is thinking

about going abroad with her

studying in Italy.

ent programs.

Other programs that were also present included: The School for Field Studies, American Institute for Foreign Study and the Cen-

ters for Interamerican Studies. Rudel said there are many difgram, which is sponsored by SJSU

and other independent programs.
"Through SJSU, students can

use financial aid and get college credit as if they are attending SJSU in another country," he said. "With the other programs, they

can't use any financial aid and they have to go through the process of transferring their credit as if they have attended another university."

He said students interested in any of the programs should contact the Study Abroad office at 924-5931 or stop by the Administration Building room 223A to look through the resource library.

# MEMORIAL Flags along Seventh and San Carlos streets were set up to remember the past and will be up until Monday

The memorial, organized by the Jewish Student Union, takes place once a year and is based on the Jewish calendar, which means that the day will most likely fall on a different day each year, said Brynne Speizer, coordinator of Jewish Campus Life for

the Hillel of Silicon Valley.

Speizer said in addition to reading the names of holocaust victims, it is also customary to

read the names of those who have

recently passed away.
"We're only reading about a thousand names. There is no way that we can read everybody's name." Speizer said.

Goodman described his feelings as he listened to the amplified broadcast of the victim's names.

"I was feeling angry that there e people out there who could kill in cold blood so many innocent peo-ple. It's disgusting," Goodman said. According to Goodman, former

Union, the fact that it is not possible to read six million names in one hour does not dissuade their determination to remember all the victims

"We also have flags set up on Seventh and San Carlos streets representing everyone. Also, next year, we can start reading names from where we left off this year," Goodman said.

Victims are also be remembered through the lighting of yel-

president of the Jewish Student low candles to be placed in windows as well as keeping those who were killed in their hearts and minds, Goodman said.

The flag memorial, which will be on display until Monday, was organized by Goodman and consists of about 750 flags of various colors, each placed in the ground to represent Catholic clergy, Jehovah Witnesses and gypsies killed in addition to the Jews that perished.

Unlike the name-reading

memorial, the flag display attract-

ed ample crowds of onlookers.
"It's hard to believe that six million (people) died. It blows me away. That is enough people to wipe out an entire race," said Jared Pimentel,

as ophomore majoring in history.

"1933 seems too recent for something like that to happen. You would expect something like that to happen during medieval times," Pimentel added.

Other students were equally

"It is really tragic. It's inhumane killing people like that, said Marilyn Ayar, a senior majoring in child development.

Ben Pastcan, a graduate student majoring in library and information sciences, said that the lessons of the holocaust should not be forgotten.

"It is a tragedy that must never be repeated again and we should learn a lesson from this for the future," Pastcan said.

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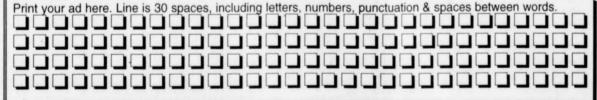
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Zia said Lee and the Japanese-Americans, who were interned during World War II, were accused of being spies through passing "secret coded messages" by saying "hello" or by growing tomatoes with stems, which point towards American air bases.

Through these incidents, Zia illustrated how international policies affect domestic policies and how important it is for Asian

Americans to speak up.
"We (Asian Americans), more than any other group, have felt the impact of international poli-

tics," Zia said.

Zia said every time there is a conflict in international politics, everybody who looks vaguely Asian American is perceived to be the enemy.

Zia also investigated the mur-der of Vincent Chin, the Chinese-American mistaken by two autoworkers as Japanese-Ameri-can and murdered because of

trade tensions with Japan. Zia said every time there is a recession, there is a drive to push out Asian Americans and they are attacked through massacres

and lynching. Through this, Zia talked about some of the contributions that Asian Americans had made to the United States and the way they were actually treated.

"We are at a time when we can find Asian Americans in every walk of life, in every community in America and these are some of the things that give us reasons to be opti-mistic. But even as we mark these changes in our demographics and in our contributions, we can also see that we live in a parallel universe," Zia said. "We live in the community, in our homes that represent our reality but also the other universe. The parallel universe that many people think about."

Zia said that while one out of every four health care worker is an Asian American, television shows, such as ER, show imagi-nary hospitals where Asian Americans don't exist.

"If you want to be seen, if you want to be heard and if you feel invisible and if you have to be seen and you have to raise your own voice," Zia said.

Zia, who is a daughter of Chi-

nese immigrants and who grew up in New Jersey, said she grew up in a time when she said she had no idea of the contributions that Asian Americans had made to the United States and felt invisible in the country.

She also said she grew up in a traditional family, where children were meant to be seen and not heard and as a woman, she was



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father, later her husband and her son if she grew up to be a widow. Because of all these factors, Zia said she became quiet and obedient and wouldn't even correct her teacher, who mispronounced her name.

She found her voice when she got a full scholarship to Princeton and her father wouldn't let her go because he said being at home was the proper place for an unmarried Chinese girl. Zia said it was the first time she put her foot down and said she would go.

This, she said, helped her find the courage to raise her voice and

she actually began to enjoy it.

Mentioning lesser known historical facts, such as the first indentured servants from China and India, who were brought to the United States to work along side African Americans in 1806. the year Britain banned slavery, Zia said these and other incidents

were "missing in history."

"All of us here today have to bring to mainstream America to share the real stories of each of us and bring those stories to the cen-ter of America," Zia said.

Speaking to an audience of about 200 in the Music Concert Zia said Asian Americans Pacific Islanders currently have the numbers, presence and population throughout the United States to make their voices heard. "We have to say who we are, our-

selves. Rather than react to other false images of ourselves," Zia said. "We are at a point when we don't have to just choose between being the silent-model minority or the alien invaders in America. We are at a historic point when we can say who we are ourselves."

Michael Ego, dean of the Col-

lege of Applied Sciences and Arts and the chair of the Asian Pacific Rim Institute, said he found the

speech very inspiring. "It was very courageous to speak the words she said today. And I applaud her courage to make statements like that. I liked the end of speech where she encouraged students to be a voice for change," Ego said. "There are a lot of things going on in the world today and it is important for all students to be active rather than to be silent."

The lecture is the first in the series of events to celebrate Asian Pacific American Month, which is scheduled to last until April 28.

# **ROE** Professor said she loves teaching

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in 1980, and a doctorate in 1985.

"When I was in college, I came to see that health, especially pub-lic health, was a really wonderful lens through which to look at the world because we experience our health very personally," Roe said.
"It just seemed like there were endless possibilities for effecting big change and effecting personal change by studying health and by being active in public health."

Roe began her teaching career at UC Berkeley in 1979 and later joined the SJSU faculty in 1985.

Roe previously served as director of SJSU's master of public health science department, before becoming department

chair last year.

Roe said there are several public health issues she could never have anticipated some of the most important health risks in which the world must face.

"In the 23 years of my teaching, there have been the first cases of HIV," Roe said. "There was no AIDS when I first started. The HIV epidemic has changed our country forever."

Roe said when she first began

her career in public health tobacco was seen as a personal prob-lem of the smoker.

"There were no tobacco control laws," Roe said. "When I first started teaching you could smoke in the grocery store and in hospi-

Roe said she is excited about being apart of SJSU right now because she likes the direction and focus of the university right

"It's very challenging because as faculty, we are asked to do a lot," Roe said. "In my particular department we don't have a lot of outside resources, but the administration, especially the president and the provost (Marshall Goodman) have exciting plans for all A former student of Roe's, Sab-

rina Valade, who received her master's of heath degree from SJSU, said as a professor, Roe is challenging, engaging and inspir"In her classroom and under her guidance, students are sub-jects, not things to be filled with statistics and theories." Valade said. "Her commitment to and profound respect for student at all levels (undergraduate and graduate) is reflected in her actions both inside and outside the classroom.

Even more, Valade said Roe is also a mentor, an ally, and an advocate.

"She works daily and tireless-ly to bridge the gap between aca-demics and practice by providing opportunities for both graduate and undergraduate students to connect what they learn in the classroom to practice, through hands-on professional and community-based experience,

Valade said. SJSU SJSU alumna Mary Nacionales said her former pro-fessor is especially deserving of the award.

"She is a woman who inspires and energizes every person that crosses her path," Nacionales said. "She truly cares and is devoted to her students, the health science department. The health education field and her

In the next 10 years, Roe said she would like to help the health

sciences department grow.
"We have fabulous students and great faculty and there are so many career opportunities for people in public health science, but so many students think that the future is in technology," Roe said. "A very important professional goal of mine is to be able to communicate better to young people and new professionals about how exciting and impor-tant choosing public health for a career is to our society."

Roe said another professional

goal is to make people more aware about vital public health problems by writing about issues such as HIV and the multicultur-al experiences she has learned

"There's not a single thing about teaching I don't like," Roe said. "Can you imagine how cool

# **ENRON**

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PUC voted to allow direct-access contracts in California. This vote secured the opportunity for Enron to continue business in California with customers like CSU. Gun-theinz said he was negotiating with Enron because the rates were very competitive, and a much better alternative to PG&E.

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"The university system is already under a budget crunch, and going back to PG&E would have eventually hurt students because by doubling the energy costs, programs would have suffered," Guntheinz said.

He said that if new PUC fees are added, the CSU has seven months to get out of the contract. If there are new fees tacked on to

If there are new fees tacked on to costs for delivering energy to California customers, the CSU has until October to change its mind.

"We have to watch closely and see what happens, both within the market and the PUC," Guntheinz said, adding that by October, the PUC will decide what fees will be

added to direct-access customers.

"Direct-access does not have a distribution charge, unlike utilities," said Ted Cunningham, energy and utilities manager for facilities and development at San Jose State University.

"We're going ahead as if direct-access will be permanent," he said. "But the PUC hasn't made it permanent yet."

Khoi Tran, a graduate student studying electrical engineering, said he would favor going with the best deal, as long as it was inexpensive.

inexpensive.

"As long as it doesn't affect student fees," he said. "I would prefer Enron if it was cheaper. I don't think they would dare make the same mistake twice."

Other students believed that APS Energy Services is the better alternative to Enron or PG&E.

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"In terms of morality and price, it seems reasonable to go with (APS Energy Services)," said Mey Ling, a child development major. "If (the new contract) is less than PG&E, and as long as they den't servey anybody over," said

don't screw anybody over," said Rey San Juan, a freshman in business marketing, "I think it's a good choice.

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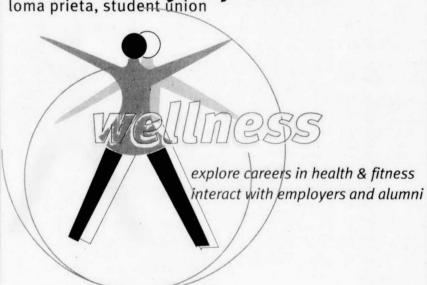
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Project Vote Smart - a citizen's organization based in Philipsburg, Montana dedicated to serving all Americans with accurate and unbiased information for electoral decision-making - is looking for candidates in the San Jose area to serve as City Program Manager for its 2002 Young Voters Program.

The San Jose Program Manager will be responsible for coordinating and overseeing all promotional and outreach activities for the Project's Stop the Spin campaign. The focus of the initiative will be to promote use of the Project's web site and related services among 18 to 25 year olds to break through the misinformation and manipulative tactics characteristic of most political campaigns in order to cast an informed vote.

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