**Announcements**

There's still time to join the Women in Policy LEADERSHIP TEAM!

Women in Policy is organizing a panel discussion on Oregon's new parental leave policy this fall. The policy was passed this summer and on paper is one of the most generous ones in the U.S. That said, we want to hear from policy-makers and academics what they think about the policy, how it works and the effects they think it will have.

Our second event this fall is the **Wake-up Coffee**, which is hosted in turn by Women in Science, Women in Marine Sciences and Women in Policy. The discussion is always related to social justice issues and there is usually a lead speaker, who is invited by the hosting organization.

**This is where you come in:** helping organize these events and similar ones in the future. This does not have to be time consuming - usually sending out a couple of emails or reserving a room is all it takes!

If you are interested in helping organize the parental leave panel discussion and/or the Wake Up coffee, please send an email to womeninpolicy@oregonstate.edu

Looking forward to hearing from you!

- Women in Policy

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**Funding, Research and Job Opportunities**

**Early Learning Division (ELD) Legislative Coordinator & Equity Fund Manager**

The Early Learning Division is hiring for two positions: Legislative Coordinator and Equity Fund manager. Please share with your networks:

ELD Legislative Coordinator

ELD Equity Fund Manager

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**Fellowship Opportunities with the Smithsonian Institution**

**FELLOWSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR GRAD STUDENTS, POSTDOCS, AND FACULTY.**

The Smithsonian Institution offers a host of fellowship programs throughout its museums and research centers to support the increase and diffusion of knowledge.
The Smithsonian Institution Fellowship Program

- Open to: graduate students, predoctoral students, and postdoctoral and senior investigators
- Research areas: outlined in Smithsonian Opportunities for Research and Study, interdisciplinary approaches encouraged
- Duration & funding:

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- more details (& application instructions): https://www.smithsonianofi.com/fellowship-opportunities/smithsonian-institution-fellowship-program/
- deadline: November 1, 2019

The Smithsonian Biodiversity Genomics Postdoctoral Fellowship Program

- research areas: comparative genomic approaches with a component that involves significant bioinformatics analysis
- location: National Museum of Natural History (NMNH), Smithsonian Conservation Biology Institute/National Zoological Park (SCBI/NZP), Smithsonian Environmental Research Center (SERC), and/or the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute (STRI) in the Republic of Panama
- duration: 12-24 months
- funding: stipend $50,400 per year AND up to $4,000 research allowance
- deadline: November 1, 2019

The James Smithson Postdoctoral Fellowship

- 2020 Theme: Open Access
- independent research topics might include: data improvement at-scale, solving issues in digitization and data quality, solving environmental challenges with historical scientific data
- duration: 9/14/2020-9/13/2021 (This is a cohort fellowship, thus the dates are fixed)
Winter and Spring 2020 International Student Funding

Jen Murphy, International Scholarship Coordinator at the Office of International Admissions, had a number of international scholarships that went unused for the fall term, and thus is able to give additional scholarships for the Winter and Spring terms. If you have any degree-seeking international students (undergraduate or graduate) who might benefit from this opportunity please tell them to email international.scholarships@oregonstate.edu for more information. The deadline to apply is October 27.

Criteria:
Financial need (as determined by the CSS Profile)
3.0 or higher GPA for Graduate students
2.5 or higher GPA for Undergraduate Students
Closeness to degree completion (based on a student’s expected graduation term)

Upcoming Workshops and Campus Happenings

Thursday, Oct. 17

Social Justice Works Lecture: Artist, Activist and Executive Director of SisterSong Women of Color Reproductive Justice Collective, Monica Simpson will share her experience using art for activism to create community-based social justice collaborations and health advocacy programs. Thursday, October 17, 5pm in Waldo 400.

Alumni Sharing Knowledge (ASK) Night — CLA alumni come back to campus to share career information and advice with students at this informal reception. 5:30-7 p.m., Bexell 214. See Osualum.com/cla for more details and join our ASK LinkedIn Group.

Friday, Oct. 18
**OSU Disability Network** — Interested in Disability Studies? Want to help promote diversity, equity and inclusion? If so, join the OSU Disability Network for our upcoming event: Disabled Students’ Union, **11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Milam 301.** Accommodations for disability can be made by emailing jenkstep@oregonstate.edu or calling 541-737-6517.

**Music à la Carte** — BMW Jazz Trio: **Ryan Biesack** (drums); **Ben Mutschler** (saxophone); **Steve Willis** (guitar). **12 p.m., Memorial Union Lounge.**

**OSU Anthropology Lecture Series** — Assistant Professor **Judy Bluehorse Skelton** of Portland State University, will present “Reclaiming the Urban Forest for Food, Medicine and Ceremony: An Overview of Indigenous Cultural Collaborations in the Portland Metro Area” from **12-12:50 p.m., LINC 268.** For further information, please contact Shaozeng.zhang@oregonstate.edu.

**College of Public Health and Human Sciences Lecture** — Assistant Professor of Anthropology **Emily Yates-Doerr** will give a lecture titled “Global Future Health: When Fetal Development is Global Development in Guatemala— and Beyond.” **1-2:30 p.m., Hallie Ford Center Room 115.**