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The Global Minute



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Canada has its own No-Fly List

Classes in the downtown Fresno criminology degree program resumed on 1 August 2007. Dr. K. CLEMENT is teaching Crim 170 (Research in C.J.) and Dr. H.O. Schweizer Crim 112 (Professionalism/Ethics in C.J.) Another set of two classes will begin on 1 October.

Phil 120 Contemporary Conflicts of Morals Crim 117 Criminal Legal Process

The program is beginning to generate interest among other area law enforcement agencies, with a new student from Fowler P.D., and prospective students from Parlier P.D. and the Madera County Sheriff's Office.

to ground passengers who pose an immediate threat to aviation security. Airlines are mandated to check all passengers who appear to be over 12 years of age against the list. Persons identified as being on the list can, however, show identification and provide additional information to convince the airline to permit them to board the aircraft. If that does not work, they can file a complaint with the Canadian Transport Agency.



Freshman, Sophmores and Juniors interested in a local law enforcement career can still enroll in the Fresno P.D. Fall Crim 108 program. The F.C. Sheriff's Office Crim 108 class has been filled but may be re-opened.

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Demanding, challenging & rewarding.

A unique and exciting opportunity awaits those professional individuals who are energetic, innovative & solution oriented and qualified to assist the ATF Team in its mission to prevent terrorism, reduce violent crime and protect the public.

The San Francisco Division of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives will be conducting an Information Session for individuals interested in a career with ATF and on an upcoming **special** agent announcement/ TEA examination:

When: August 20, 2007

9:00 am - 11:00 am OR Time:

1:00pm to 3:00pm

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Dublin, CA 94568

Facilitators: **ATF Headquarters Recruiting**

and San Francisco Division Personnel

Admittance only by RSVP to Larry Sovinsky or SA Paula Vallerga: 925-479-7500.

Entering a government office you may be subject to search of your person and items.

You must have and present a valid United States Driver's License upon arrival.

The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives will be conducting a TEA **Examination** in the November/December timeframe. The specific date is to be determined.

All interested individuals should contact the ATF Recruitment and Hiring Center on September 4, 2007, at (202) 648-9100 and request that the special agent announcement be e-mailed or faxed to them. The announcement will provide detailed instructions for submitting your application. Please do not call earlier as ATF will not accept applications or resumes before the Sept. 4, 2007 date. Qualified applicants will be scheduled to take the upcoming TEA examination and an applicant assessment test.

For additional answers to FAQs go to: http://www.atf.gov/jobs/sa faq.htm

MEETING ANNOUNCMENT



Region 35 International Police Association

Date: 19 August 2007

Time: 1000 (Sunday Brunch)

Location: Ramada Inn; Shaw/Hwy 41 \$15 for adults, half price for children **R.S.V.P. Jim Hickman 674-1328**

Active and retired law enforcement officers are encouraged to join the I.P.A. **Effective Policing** requires international effort and the existence of a fraternal global and professional community such as the I.P.A.

CRIMINOLOGY DEPT. NEWS

The department is pleased to welcome Ms. Emma Hughes as a new addition to the full time faculty. Ms. Hughes comes to us from the United Kingdom, though she has spent half of her life in California. Her area of expertise is corrections and her research focus has been prison educational programs. She is also interested in prison art. She will be defending her doctoral dissertation this fall.



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Emma Hughes

STUDENT ACCOMPLISHMENT

Timothy Kotman, a May graduate and one of our honors program students, completed a 640 hour internship with the F.B.I. Field Intelligence Group during his last semester.



Timothy Kotman

The quality of his work was so extraordinary that he received a letter from FBI director R. Mueller highlighting his accomplishments and expressing his appreciation for his service. Tim's efforts, according to Director Mueller, will continue to bring fruit even after the completion of the internship.

Congratulations Tim!!!!!

Fall 2007 Pre-semester Advising Law Enforcement Option Faculty

Dr. Ryan Wed/Thu 22/23 Aug 0800-1100 Dr. Schweizer 22/23 Aug 1300-1600 Dr. Kissner Thu/Fri 23/24 Aug 1400-1700

In memory of Professor Harvey Wallace the Criminology Department is establishing a scholarship fund for a Victimology option student. Contributions can be sent to California

State University-Fresno, Department of Criminology, 2576 E San Ramon MS# ST 104, Fresno, CA 93740.

DEDICATION OF BENCH TO DR. HARVEY WALLACE IN COURTYWARD OF SCIENCE II BLDG.

Phi Omega Alpha the CSU Fresno Criminal Justice Association is collecting funds to dedicate a bench to Dr. Wallace in the center courtyard. of the Science II building, which houses the Criminology Department. The cost of the dedication ranges between \$3000-\$5000, and the association is grateful for any assistance/donation.

For more information or to arrange a donation, contact Kristine Crothers, President of Phi Omega Alpha at 559-972-1680 or email her at: favbigsisterof7@sbcglobal.net

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Spotlight Japan

Part II of a series of articles on Criminal Justice Issues in Japan.

Japan's system of policing was the model for "community policing" efforts around the globe. Small police posts and "chuzaisho's" (the officer and family live in a house integrated with a small police office) can be found all over Japan, in urban, suburban and rural areas. The location of police posts, or Kobans, as they are called, is marked by traffic like signs adjacent to the roadways.



Kobans do not all look alike, and every new officer graduating from the police academy is first assigned to a Koban.



A Koban in Miyazaki City, Japan



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With a large aging population, Japan has many older drivers whose driving pattern (very slow) frustrates other drivers around them, To diffuse some of the frustration experienced by other motorists, drivers 70 years of age or older, place a special decal on the front and back of their vehicle.

This alerts other motorists that an elderly person is behind the wheel, resulting in more patience among the motorists around them.



Yellow/orange leaf decal-associated with "autumn of life."

Very young/new drivers, conversely, may similarly frustrate surrounding motorists. Such drivers are "required" to have a yellow/green decal indicating their new driver status, on the back and front of their vehicle.