

## NSC eUpdate - April 20th, 2015

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## ***Reminders:***

### **Instructor/Lecturer - Apply for Promotion**

If you are thinking about applying for promotion to Associate Instructor/Lecturer in the fall, now is the time to begin the process.

The first step is to have a discussion with NSC Acting Director, Dr. Arlen Chase to talk about the process and your readiness to apply.

For the 2015-16 cycle, only Instructors and Lecturers hired in or before 2009 (in an instructor/lecturer line) shall be eligible for promotion.

Prior years of service at other institutions or as a Visiting Instructor/Lecturer at UCF may count toward eligibility, but 3 years of full-time service as an Instructor/Lecturer must be obtained at UCF.

### **Assistant Professor - Apply for Promotion & Tenure in 2015-16**

COS Assistant Professors who are either in their year 4th or 5th year and are required to apply for Promotion & Tenure in 2015-16 or if you are thinking about going up a year early, now is the time to begin the process.

The first step is to have a discussion with NSC Acting Director, Dr. Arlen Chase and talk about the process and your readiness to apply and also begin the external reviewer process ( selecting reviewers, preparing the materials, sending the materials).

### **Associate Professor - Apply for Full Professor**

If you are thinking about applying for promotion to Full Professor in the fall, now is the time to begin the process.

The first step is to have a discussion with NSC Acting Director, Dr. Arlen Chase and talk about the process and your readiness to apply.

You should also be beginning the external reviewer process by selecting reviewers, preparing the materials and sending the materials.

# **American Institute of Indian Studies**

*Fellowship Competition 2016-2017*

Deadline: **July 1, 2015**

The American Institute of Indian Studies is a cooperative, non-profit organization of eighty American colleges and universities that supports the advancement of knowledge and understanding of India, its people, and culture. AIIS welcomes applicants from a wide variety of disciplines. In addition to applicants in the Humanities and Social Sciences AIIS encourages applicants in fields such as Development Studies, Natural Resources Management, Public Health, and Regional Planning.

Applications to conduct research in India may be made in the following categories:

- **Junior Research Fellowships**
- **Senior Research Fellowships**
- **Senior Scholarly/Professional Development Fellowships**

***For further information, please contact :***

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## **Retirement Reception for Rosemary Monroy**

## ***Retirement Reception for Dr. Rosalyn Howard***

Rosemary Monroy came to the  
University of Central Florida from the

University of South Florida to join the Political Science Department in 1989.

Rosemary has played a critical role for COS, working with our faculty and staff and Facilities & Safety and others, to make sure each new build or renovation was completed to meet our needs for safe and effective use. .

Please join us for a reception to wish Rosemary well on **Thursday, April 30, 2pm in CSB 201** and email Maggie at [Margaret.LeClair@ucf.edu](mailto:Margaret.LeClair@ucf.edu) if you have any questions.

## Commencement Stories

UCF News & Information is looking for commencement stories. If you know a student who has an interesting or touching personal story of success, please contact: Zenaida Gonzalez Kotala ([zenaida.kotala@ucf.edu](mailto:zenaida.kotala@ucf.edu))

## Department of Anthropology

Please join us on **Thursday, May 7 from 2-4 pm in the College of Sciences conference room, 221**, as we honor Dr. Rosalyn Howard for her many years of dedication and service to the department and university. Light refreshments will be served.

Please contact Jennifer Branson ([Jennifer.Branson@ucf.edu](mailto:Jennifer.Branson@ucf.edu)) in the Anthropology department if you have any questions.

## Distinguished Speaker Series Nominations

Nominations for the distinguished speaker series are due June 1st, 2015. If you have any nominations, please submit them to Dr. Boyd Lindsley at [boyd@ucf.edu](mailto:boyd@ucf.edu)

## *Mark Your Calendar*

### **April 27**

Classes End

### **April 28**

Faculty Meeting

NSC 228, 10:30 a.m.

*Study Day -- No classes*

### **April 29-May 5**

Final Exams

### **May 8**

#### **Commencement**

9:00 a.m. at CFE Arena

### **May 8**

#### **UCF College of Science Graduation Reception**

#### **Psychology Building Lobby**

11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.



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