### CONCORDIA WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

### **INTRAMURALS**

#### **DROP IN VOLLEYBALL**

Monday, January 30 12:00-1:00PM Ralph King Gym No team required Equipment is provided



#### THE FOCUS ON WOMEN RESEARCH CLUSTER



All students welcomed to attend a presentation on:

## PORTUGUESE PUNK GIRLS AND YOUTH RESISTANCE

Wed., Feb. 1
12-1:00 pm
Room HA 207
A presentation given by:
Dr. Paula Guerra,
Invited Professor from the
University of Porto in Portugal

#### **INSIDE THIS EDITION:**

- Learn About the Alberta Oil Sands
- Spiritual Life Week
- Concordia Board of Governors' Town Hall
- Chinese New Year Celebration
- Concordia Concert Choir & Silent Auction
- · Coffee with the President
- Let's Fly Away

   Study Abroad Info Session
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- Cancer Society Relay for Life
- Teaching Sexual Health
- Model UN Club Information
- A.I.M.U.N. 2017

#### **GRAD PHOTO SESSION**

**MARCH 20-23** 

**BOOK NOW** 



Last session before Grad!

**SOLICITING FOR DONATIONS IS NOT PERMITTED ON CAMPUS.** If you are asked for donations, please inform a CUE staff member or contact security at  $780 \ 479 \ 8761$  or 5555 from an internal phone.

#### CAFETERIA MENU: Jan 30-Feb 3

- Monday: Kung Pao Chicken & Jasmine Rice
- Tuesday: Traditional Beef Chili / Garlic toast
- Wednesday: Garlic Orange Chicken Breast, Oven Roasted Potatoes & Sautéed Veggies
- Thursday: Home Style Battered Cod, Tartar Sauce
   & Spicy Wedge Potatoes
- **Friday**: Penne Primavera Alfredo with Chicken

#### **ATTENTION STUDENTS!**



When parking near Campus, please:

- Park Responsibly
- Adhere to Local Parking Restrictions
- Respect our Concordia Neighbours





# **Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About the Alberta Oil Sands\***

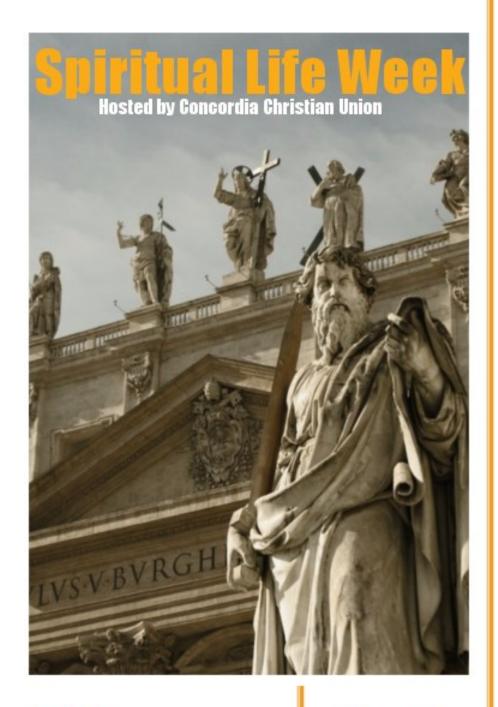
\*But Were Afraid to Ask Jacques Lacan

Monday, January 30, 2017 | 4-5 pm | HA015

Presented by Richard Kover, PhD

Co-hosted by CUE Institute of Christian Studies and Society and the Theology and Science research cluster.

Using examples from current pro-oil sands public relations campaigns, this presentation will utilize the theoretical lens of psychoanalytic thinker Jacques Lacan to argue that in such advertisements oil is presented as a fetishized object or the objet petit a—"the object cause of desire" whose possession is seen to heal all economic, political and ecological ills.



**WHEN** Jan 30-Feb 4

Chapel
Monay at 12
In the Auditorium

## **BAKE SALE**

Monday Jan 30 11-2 in Tegler

## FAITH AND ACADEMICA PANEL

Friday at 12 in HA009
Professors and
students discuss
"What does your faith
mean in your
academic
discipline?"

## BLADE RUNNER MOVIE NIGHT

Friday 6 PM in HA 238
Watch a classic movie
with us and join in
discussion about it!

## COMMUNITY DINNER

Saturday 6PM at Bethlehem Lutheran Church Entry costs \$2 Come for food, stay for board games!

# CONCORDIA BOARD OF GOVERNORS' TOWN HALL

FEBRUARY 1ST, 2017 | 12-2 PM

Join us at Edmonton's university for a discussion with our new President and Board of Governors about how we can make Concordia Canada's preeminent small university.

Town Hall Meeting (Al and Trish Huehn Theatre): 12–1 pm Refreshments with the Board & the President (Tegler Mezzanine): 1–2 pm



CELEBRATION

TIME: FEB. 1st

11 to 1

LOCATION: TEGLER

dough art, paper cutting Chinese Knots and selling











# Concordia Concert Choir Presents

## Around the World

Silent Auction & Entertainment Refreshments Provided

> February 3, 2017 7:00 pm

Robert Tegler Student Centre 7128 Ada Boulevard, Edmonton, AB

Student/Senior \$10 Adult \$15
Tickets Available at the Door



## LET'S FLY AWAY

## Study Abroad Info Session

February 6 at noon, HA 312 (Refreshment provided)

## ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE SARAH GAULIN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP



The Gaulin Foundation is pleased to announce that it is once again accepting applications for the Sarah Gaulin Memorial Scholarship – a national scholarship that promotes the resilience of individuals with mental illness pursuing post-secondary education.



The \$1,000 scholarships are being offered in honour of Sarah Gaulin, who died at the age of 26 after a longtime battle with mental illness. We would appreciate you sharing the attached information with students you work with.

In order to apply, students must be registered in a post-secondary institution and provide documented proof of their mental illness. Scholarships will be awarded to outstanding applicants who meet the criteria of the program. Deadline for applications is April 1, 2017.

Details about the scholarship can be found at www.gaulinfoundation.org



Student Event:

# Coffee with President

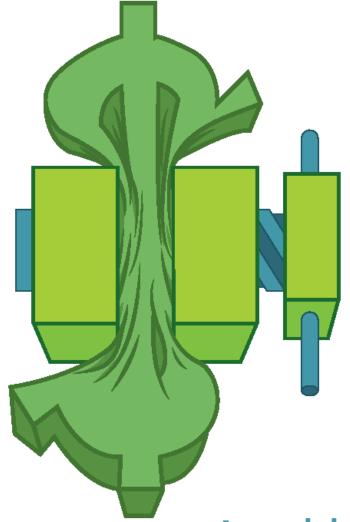
February 8, 12-1 pm in HA206

All CUE students are invited to join the new President of Concordia for a chance to have a brief update from the President, along with an informal coffee and conversation.

### PARKING ISSUES NEAR CAMPUS

PLEASE BE CONSIDERATE WHEN PARKING IN THE RESIDENTIAL AREAS AROUND CONCORDIA'S CAMPUS. KINDLY OBEY ALL PARKING SIGNAGE POSTED IN THE NEIGHBOURHOOD





# Financially Squeezed?

## **Concordia's Bursary Program**

Fall Term Deadline: October 15<sup>th</sup> Winter Term Deadline: February 1<sup>st</sup>

Apply Online concordia.ab.ca/studentawards

## **Cancer Society Relay For Life**

On March 3<sup>rd</sup> 2017, the University of Alberta Relay for Life team is hosting a Canadian Cancer Society Relay for Life in the Main Gym at the University of Alberta from 6:00 pm to 12:00 am. Relay For Life is an inspiring fundraiser that gives the opportunity to celebrate cancer survivors, remember and honour loved ones lost, and fight back against this indiscriminate disease. The six-hour event is full of activities and rich in emotions. Particularly, the luminaries' ceremony is quite popular. Candles in the name of loved ones affected by cancer are lit up and provide inspiration during the whole night.

The event is in its third year and participation goes beyond the university community. The past four events were very well received by participants and they are excited to come back this year. We are pushing for more participants and more visibility.

This non-competitive relay involves teams of approximately 10-15 people who run or walk around a pre-marked area. Teams are encouraged to have themes and costumes, and to fundraise for the Canadian Cancer Society in the weeks leading up to the event. The money raised funds the most promising cancer research, support programs for people living with cancer, comprehensive cancer information, prevention initiatives, and advocacy for healthy public policies. Significant progress is made every day in the fight against cancer. As a community, our goal is to raise at least \$25,000 for the Canadian Cancer Society.

We would love to have representation of Concordia University of Edmonton at our event! Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Here is the link to a register a team: <a href="http://convio.cancer.ca/site/TR/RelayForLife/RFL">http://convio.cancer.ca/site/TR/RelayForLife/RFL</a> AB odd ?fr id=22814&pg=entry

Sincerely,
Brittany deGraves
University of Alberta Relay for Life Leadership Committee
degraves@ualberta.ca

# TEACHING SEXUAL HEALTH



**Professional Learning Day** 

February 21, 2017

8:30am — 3:30pm

Learning beside EPSB teachers

## TRAINING PROVIDES

- Interactive practical activities that can be used in a classroom
- Skills to support students
- A chance to gain knowledge on a wide range of topics
- Strategies to support EPSB Comprehensive School Health Approach
- A certificate recognized by EPSB

A FUN LEARNING DAY!

Register for

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https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/teaching-sexual-health-professsional-learning-day-tickets-30872659957



https://www.facebook.com/events/63084888712311-

\*DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS FERRIJARY 13 2017











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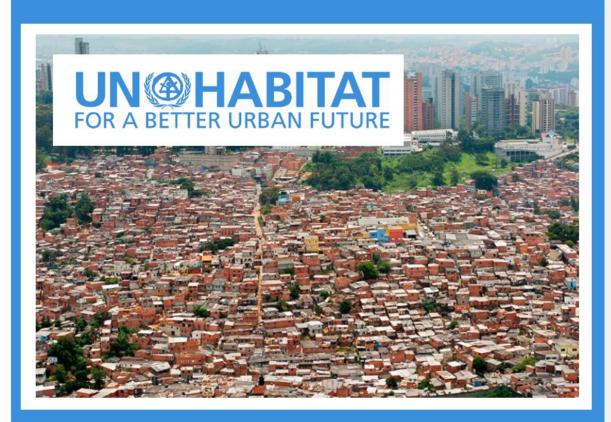
University of Alberta ED South 2nd floor

## **IOPICS**

- Healthy Relationships
- Gender Diversity
- Being Sex Positive
- Safer Sex & STI's
- Sexual Violence
- Supporting Youth

## A.I.M.U.N. 2017

Building Sustainable Cities: Meeting SDG 11







Alberta Intercollegiate Model United Nations (AIMUN) 2017 will be held at Concordia University of Edmonton March 3-5 2017.

#### Please Visit:

http://www.ourcsa.ca/aimun-2017-registration.html For information and registration.



