



# CHI Digest

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## A Time To Be Thankful !

There is always something to be thankful for!

by [Anthony Abate](#) on November 11, 2017



On behalf of CHI we would like to express gratitude to the people who make this program successful. First we would like to express thanks for the CHC Foundation, which contributes to funding our program and all of the events and workshops we are able to

provide. We would also like to express our thanks to all of the committed Honors faculty who challenge students with innovative projects and courses that help drive our success.

Most importantly, we would like to thank all of you, the Honors students. Through your hard work, commitment, and drive we have been able to expand the Honors courses offered, as well as the growth of the program. Being a student is hard work, but being an Honor's student is an entirely different challenge, and we appreciate all the hard work. You all represent CHI and Crafton Hills so well!

THIS MONTH'S  
ANNOUNCEMENTS & HIGHLIGHTS



## Honors Transfer Council of California

by **Pargool Arab** on November 11, 2017

HTCC (Honors Transfer Council of California) is a student research conference that is held at UC Irvine every April. Honors students from California community colleges come together to present their research. One can present a poster presentation or oral presentation. Students can also participate as moderators. Moderators have many tasks, including keeping track of the time and introducing oral presenters. By attending this conference, you will receive points for the CHC Honors Research Fellow Award.

# The Foundation

by [Maranda Jiles](#) on November 11, 2017

Crafton Hills College Foundation is an integral part of the College Honors Institute. The Foundation is a nonprofit corporation devoted exclusively to raising funds for scholarships, grants, and other types of assistance for CHC students and faculty. Michelle Riggs, the Foundation director, states, "Our goal is to enhance educational excellence." Michelle Riggs and Carrie Audet, Administrative Secretary, believe the College Honors Institute does just that, enhances our educational experience. I believe that is why they are dedicated to their pursuit of finding funding to "fill in the gaps" in the budget for CHI. The foundation, along with funding from Crafton Hills, covers the cost of our research conference, helps pay for our luncheon and other events, and pays for our graduation stoles. Take time this week to stop by the Foundation and thank Michelle and Carrie for their hard work and commitment to our success.



# Honors Professor Highlight

by [Anthony Abate](#) on November 2, 2017



Meet Professor **T.L. Brink!**

PSYCH 100H - General Psychology

**What you can expect while taking one of his Honors classes:**

*"First, exposure to statistical analysis of quantitative data. Second, high expectations and standards for your work. Third, a lot of help from me in my office (but you have to show up)."*

**The qualities he expects to find in each Honors student:**

*"First, the ability to write well. Second, a willingness to re-write to make something better. Third, the courage to learn something new.*

*Fourth, the self-discipline to meet multiple deadlines."*

**What being an Honors professor means to him:**

*"A lot! It means helping to launch the career of someone who will make major contributions in some field."*

Swing by the honors lounge to check out Dr.Brink's full interview.

## Honors Student Highlight

by **Maranda Jiles** on November 11, 2017



Meet **Emily Hinckley!**

Emily is a business administration major with plans to transfer to Cal State San Bernardino in 2019.

**Emily's Educational Goals:**

*"I plan to get a bachelor's in business, what specific concentration I don't know yet, as well as maintain Spanish and American Sign Language. I might try to pick up another language too."*

Swing by the honors lounge to check out Emily's full interview.

## Get Involved With Our Newsletter!

by **Anthony Abate** on November 11, 2017

We would like to give CHI students an opportunity to showcase their talents. If you would like to write a short article or share your art or photography with others, now is your opportunity! We are now accepting submissions. Email any submissions or questions about being featured to: [a.abate3394@student.sbccd.edu](mailto:a.abate3394@student.sbccd.edu)

## Do You Have Honorable Friends?

by **Anthony Abate** on November 11, 2017

We continue to grow in numbers weekly here at CHI but we know there are more honorable students who would like to challenge themselves with the exciting opportunities in our program. We encourage you to share your experience with friends and classmates and encourage them to apply to join CHI. All of the qualifications as well as the benefits of completing the program can be found on our school website as well as in the link at the

bottom of our newsletter. The only thing better than succeeding and accomplishing your goals is being able to do it with friends!

## Upcoming Events

**Wed., Nov. 29:** Honors Students and Faculty Luncheon, 12:00, CHL 100. (This is one of the **MANDATORY** events for all CHI students. If you cannot attend, please let Judy know in advance.)

**Tues., Dec. 5:** PIZZA IN THE LOUNGE!

**Wed., Dec. 6:** HTCC Conference (UC Irvine, April 7) abstracts due to Judy at [honors@craftonhills.edu](mailto:honors@craftonhills.edu).

**Mon., Dec. 11 – Fri., Dec. 15:** Finals

[Have You Told Your Friends About  
Joining CHI?](#)



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