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Welcome our New Advisor – Moises Orozco Villicaña!

Sociology Advising and Dr. Holtzclaw-Stone are happy to introduce the latest addition to our staff – Mr. Moises Orozco Villicaña. Moises joins us after most recently advising on a semester at sea program. Prior to that, he worked as an advisor in Access and Achievement in the College of LAS. We are excited about all of the talent and experience that “Mo” brings to the position, please stop in and say hello to your new advisor sometime this Fall.

Welcome Back to Lincoln Hall!

The Sociology Department (as well as the College of LAS and the Department of Communication) have all moved back to Lincoln Hall. The main Sociology office is Room 3116, while Sociology Advising is Room 3070 (located near the Northwest elevator). Faculty offices are located in the hallways stretching between 3116 and 3070.

The College of LAS is located on the Second Floor, and is only accessible on the quad side of the building.

Please drop in and check out our new space.
**New Sociology Walk In Hours**

Walk in Hours:

M-F: 1-2:30

We will have limited walk in hours going forward – please email soc-advising@illinois.edu to set up an appointment with an advisor.

Beginning in Fall 2012, we will be utilizing our walk in hours and appointments for distinct purposes – please pay attention to the following when determining which is the appropriate type of appointment for you:

Walk in appointments will include:

- Late Add forms
- Add/drop forms
- Minor forms
- Late Course Add/ Section Change/ Credit Change Forms
- Minor Modification Forms
- Major Plans of Study Modification Form
- Independent Study Form

Appointments will cover:

- Satisfactory Appeal Progress Forms (Financial Aid)
- Major Plans of Study
- Course Selection/ Schedule
- Post-Graduation Discussions (career/ graduate school)
- Opportunities for student involvement in RSOs, SOC CLUB, AKD
- Study Abroad

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**Sociology Course Announcements**
This course has several objectives:

To provide guided readings on multiple systems of domination and resistance.

To explore possible approaches to scholarship on the intersections of race/ethnicity, gender, class, sexuality and other dimensions of oppression and liberation and the implications of a commitment to attention to these intersections.

To foster dialogue that will contribute to a departmental focus on inequality scholarship in sociology and related programs and departments.

To help students formulate research topics connected to broad scholarly debates in these areas of inquiry.

Law and Society: Sociology 396

Instructor: Rebecca L. Sandefur, Assistant Professor of Sociology and Law

- How does the justice system really work? How much do laws matter?
- What does law have in common with organized crime?
- Why does the US put more people in prison than any other similar nation?
- What are the jobs of lawyers, judges, and police officers really like?
- What creates contemporary challenges like mass incarceration, bias in the justice system, and lack of access to justice? How can we respond?

**LAW AND SOCIETY** examines law and legal institutions by drawing on insights from sociology and social psychology. We begin with an introduction to theoretical perspectives on the problem of order, illustrated by juxtaposing formal law with other means of achieving order, like organized crime. We then move to considering law and legal systems in action, including relations between law and the economy, inequality, culture, ideology and social change. Finally, we investigate the relationship between law’s aims and principles, and law’s real-world implementation.

Lincoln Hall Scavenger Hunt – Sept. 5, 4:30-6:00 pm
The Sociology Club and Sociology Advising invite you to bring your camera or photo ready cell phone to participate in a digital scavenger hunt in the newly renovated Lincoln Hall. Food and prizes and scavenging! Can you find the U of I garden gnome in the SOC department?

Marketing/ Events Planning Internship in Sociology Advising

Unpaid internship available for Fall 2012 with possibility of extending through Spring 2013.

Internship Description:

The intern will help with a variety of tasks within the Sociology Advising Office including but not limited to:

- Assisting with development of creative materials such as brochures, fliers, and posters
- Inputting articles and artwork into newsletter in InDesign
- Planning, publicizing, and executing advising events

Requirements:

- The intern must work well with others and take direction well.
- The intern must be proficient in InDesign and MS Office.
- The intern must be available to work between 5-10 hours per week.
- Sociology major or minor preferred.

Please send a cover letter and resume to soc-advising@illinois.edu by August 31. Please include the names and contact information of three references (letters not necessary at this point).

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