

# Rebel Voice newsletter

## ADVISING CENTERS:

- **Academic Success Center**  
895-3177 ASC-100
- **Business**  
895-3363 BEH-100
- **Education**  
895-1537 CEB-221
- **Engineering**  
895-2522 TBE-A207
- **Fine Arts**  
895-5390 CDC 2
- **Health Sciences**  
895-5448 BHS-100
- **Honors**  
895-2263 LLB-3270
- **Hotel Administration**  
895-3616 BEH-543
- **Liberal Arts**  
895-1997 WRI-B131
- **Pre-Law Advisor (Dr. Wood)** 895-2525  
WRI-A214
- **Sciences**  
895-2077 MPE-A130
- **Pre-Health Advisor (Dr. Nika)** 895-3170  
MPE-A131
- **Urban Affairs**  
895-1009 GUA-4th Floor

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## Meet Our Student Academic Advisory Board Members!

In 2006, UNLV created the Rebel Voice Commission to give students a voice in academic advising. To assist this commission, the Student Academic Advisory Board was formed to research topics for further exploration, provide scholarly insight, and make recommendations for improving academic advising for all students at UNLV. If you want to learn more about SAAB please email [rebelvoice@unlv.edu](mailto:rebelvoice@unlv.edu)

### Samantha Hilton

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Samantha Hilton is a senior who will be graduating in Spring 2012 with a BSBA in Accounting. Academic advising is a passion of hers, and upon graduation she hopes to either get a job in advising or enter into the Higher Education Master's program. She is also a member of the honor society Beta Alpha Psi. In her free time she likes to play video games and spend time with her fiancé.

### David Lopez

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David Lopez is entering his second year at UNLV. He is majoring in Political Science and plans to obtain the tools needed to better serve others. David has immersed himself in the idea of representing others and not just himself. He is proud of what he has done, however much of it can be attributed to those around him including fellow peers and family. David plans to assist in any way that he can to ensure a better outlook for the student body. He will always make the students' concerns his top priority.

### Ashley Celis

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Ashley Celis is currently a Psychology major and Italian Studies minor now in her senior year. She is an avid fan of Developmental Psychology and plans on pursuing a PhD in said field after graduating. Until then, Ashley is active in several organizations on campus and dedicates her time to the UNLV community as a Research Assistant in the Infant and Child Lab, and as a newly elected CSUN Senator for the College of Liberal Arts.

### Crystina Blaze

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Crystina Blaze is a Senior in her Meeting and Event Management Degree through the Hotel College. Her graduation date is set for May 2013 but she hopes to continue her education going for a Masters in Hospitality Management. She is active on campus through the Resident Hall Association and Student Conduct Code Board. She is actively involved in planning events and is known as the go to girl for questions regarding students. She moved to UNLV from a community college in Oregon where she was in charge of Student Leadership on Campus.

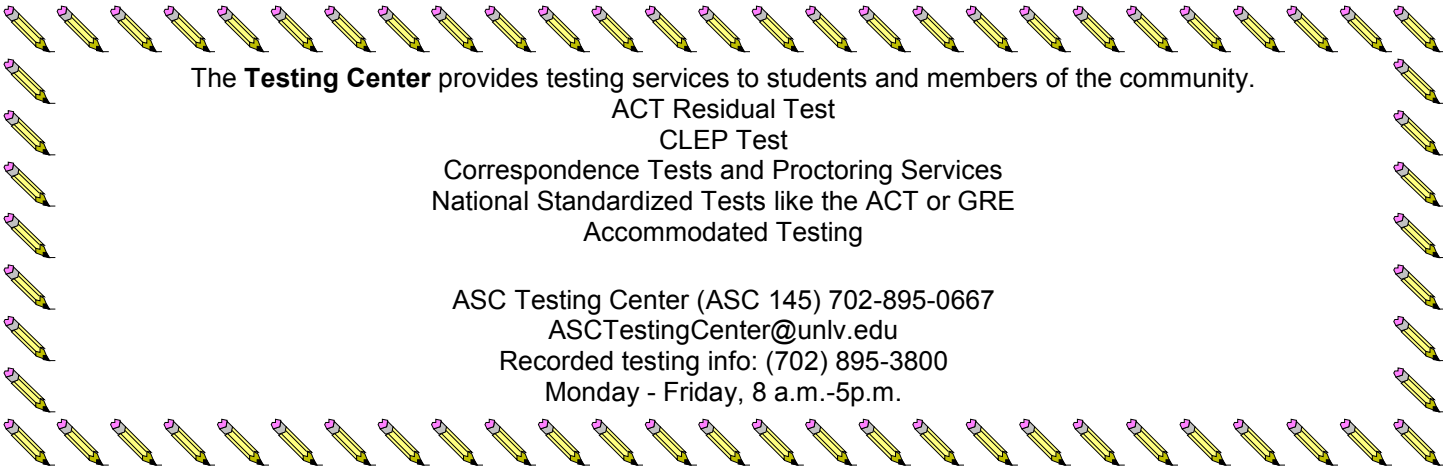
## SPRING SPORTS!

- Swimming & Diving 2/4
- Men's Tennis 2/3
- Softball 2/10
- Baseball 2/28
- Women's Golf 2/20
- Men's Basketball 2/1
- Women's Basketball 2/4
- Women's Tennis 2/17



SAAB Members: (l-r) Samantha, David, Ashley, Crystina





The **Testing Center** provides testing services to students and members of the community.

ACT Residual Test

CLEP Test

Correspondence Tests and Proctoring Services

National Standardized Tests like the ACT or GRE

Accommodated Testing

ASC Testing Center (ASC 145) 702-895-0667

ASCTestingCenter@unlv.edu

Recorded testing info: (702) 895-3800

Monday - Friday, 8 a.m.-5p.m.

## CAMPUS PARTNERS

ARAMARK, our campus dining partners, has a sustainability intern on staff that walks the operations every day to ensure they do everything they can to optimize their sustainable practices. They work closely with Rebel Recycling to recycle cardboard, glassware, cans, and food waste, and constantly try to seek new ways to partner.

Aramark helps our environment by:

- Diverting fryer oil into bio diesel
- Minimizing water usage through their cooking practices
- Utilizing only "green" chemicals for cleaning
- Using "trayless" dining to cut down on water (for washing the trays), and food waste (so people don't stack food they won't eat).
- Offering zero-waste events for catering
- Purchasing as much local produce/products as possible

## Did You Know???

The to-go containers were introduced this semester to cut down on paper goods that eventually become trash. Every time customers bring in a to-go container at the DC, they receive a washed and sanitized one from Aramark that they can fill up. When they are done, they must keep the container and bring it back the next time they want a meal to go.

Most of their sustainable practices are pre-consumer as they are working with the university to invest in more recycling bins so they can start offering post-consumer recycling.

### **Who Gives the Rebels A Voice?**

A group of academic advisors founded the commission to bring the students' "voice" to academic advising. These advisors collect data from students regarding their attitudes toward academic advising and the experiences they have had within advising. They study this data and present it to the other academic advisors across campus in hopes to improve the academic advising experience. Some accomplishments and events created by this commission include:

Awarded "Outstanding Commission of the Year"

Student Confessionals

News article in the Review Journal

Academic Advising Poster Contest

Academic Advising Student of the Year

Presentations at National, Regional and State Conferences

Student Newsletter

### **Rebel Voice Commission**

RebelVoice@unlv.edu

**Valarie Morgan (Chair/Academic Advisor--Liberal Arts)**

**Janet Hollinger (Academic Advisor--Sciences)**

**Christina Zboril (Academic Advisor--Hotel Administration)**

# Apply for Scholarships today!!

There are many scholarship opportunities at UNLV!!

Check out the following link:

<http://financialaid.unlv.edu/apps/ScholarshipSearch/index.asp>

Also, check out these scholarships from your **UNLV CSUN**—  
Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada

### **CSUN Head Start Scholarship**

Continuing UNLV students with a high class load who display the ability to sustain a high GPA while maintaining a job/internship relating to their future career.

### **CSUN Leadership Scholarship**

Continuing UNLV students who display leadership abilities and potential within the campus and community.

### **CSUN Pre-Professional Scholarship**

Continuing UNLV students who are achieving degrees in pre-professional or occupational studies displaying leadership abilities and potential.

### **CSUN Student Teaching Scholarship**

Continuing UNLV students who will be student teaching in Nevada.

### **CSUN Tom Weisner Scholarship**

Continuing UNLV students who display community and university involvement.

### **CSUN Think Ability Scholarship**

Undergraduate students who have a documented disability.

### **Emergency Aid Scholarship Domestic/International – ROLLING DEADLINE**

To demonstrate CSUN's goodwill and appreciation of UNLV's Domestic and International student population by aiding Students in a time of national catastrophe or extreme personal struggle which may hinder them from paying for tuition or maintaining their livelihood.

Tutoring-895-3177

<http://academicsuccess.unlv.edu/tutoring/>

Testing Center-(ACT/CLEP) 895-0667

<http://academicsuccess.unlv.edu/advising/testing.html>

Study Abroad-895-3896

<http://internationalprograms.unlv.edu/>

Career Services-895-3495

<http://hire.unlv.edu/>

CSUN/Student Organizations

<http://getinvolved.unlv.edu/>  
<http://unlvcsun.com/>

Writing Center-895-3908

<http://writingcenter.unlv.edu/>

Library-895-2100

<http://www.library.unlv.edu/>

Graduation Office-895-3443 &

895-3229 <http://commencement.unlv.edu/>

Counseling & Psychological Services-895-3627

<http://studentlife.unlv.edu/caps/>

Scholarships-895-3424

<http://finaid.unlv.edu/scholarships-grants/>

Student Recreation & Wellness Center-895-4290 <http://srwc.unlv.edu/>

IT Help Desk-895-0777

<http://oit.unlv.edu/help/it-help-desk>

## Resources

