

LBCCFA's Monday Morning Message- 11 March 2019

Did You Know?

- **An overview of contract provisions pertaining to intersession scheduling** has been posted to the "Important Documents" page of the LBCCFA website. Click [here](#) to access it.
- **LBCCFA is sponsoring an Equity Speaker Series that will kick off on April 24th** with poet Terisa Siagatonu discussing Gender Pronouns, Awareness, and Inclusivity. See the "Upcoming Events" section below for more details.
- **The deadline to register for Spring 2019 Flex Day is Tuesday, March 19th.** Click [here](#) to register (password is FLEX2019).

Upcoming Events:

- **LBCCFA Flex Day Happy Hour**
 - Thurs., Mar. 21, 4 PM – 6 PM, [Eldo Bar and Grill](#)
- **LBCCD Board of Trustees meeting:**
 - Weds., Mar. 27, 5:30 PM, LAC, T-1100
- **LBCCFA Representative Council Meeting:**
 - Friday, Apr. 19, 10 AM, PCC, Room TBA
- **LBCCFA Equity Speaker Series:**
 - **Who:** Terisa Siagatonu. Terisa is a poet, spoken word artist, and activist from the Bay. Her presence in the poetry world as a queer Samoan woman and activist has granted her opportunities to perform and speak in places ranging from the White House (during the Obama administration) to the UN Conference on Climate Change in Paris, France. In 2012, she received Obama's Champion of Change Award for her activism and spoken word poetry in the Pacific Islander community.
 - **What:** Gender Pronouns, Awareness, and Inclusivity
 - **When/Where:** Weds, Apr. 24, 1:30 PM – 3 PM, LAC, T-1200

This Week in Labor History:

On March 10th, 1919, the U.S. Supreme Court issued its decision in *Debs v. United States*, affirming the prosecution and jailing of labor leader Eugene Debs under the Espionage Act of 1919. The case stemmed from Debs' arrest the previous year for a speech he gave in Canton, Ohio, in opposition to U.S. participation in World War I. In 1920, Debs ran for president from prison, garnering nearly a million votes.

Respectfully,

Your LBCCF A Executive Board



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