

**GAIL MILLER
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS NEWSLETTER**

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FAREWELL DEAN BROMLEY



Dr. Dennis Bromley

Colleagues,

It is with great appreciation that I announce that Dennis Bromley, Dean of the Gail Miller School of Business, is retiring, effective February 28, 2023. Dennis began his career at SLCC in July 2009 as the Division Chair of Business and has served as Dean since 2011. SLCC has truly benefitted from Dennis' broad experience in higher education, his innovative leadership in curriculum reform and student-faculty engagement. Dennis' wisdom and expertise has provided valuable perspective and direction for the SLCC Discussion Team for several years. While we will miss Dennis, we appreciate the outstanding leadership and service he has given to Salt Lake Community College.

Our very best wishes to Dennis as he begins the next chapter in his journey!

**Clifton Sanders, PhD
Provost for Academic Affairs**



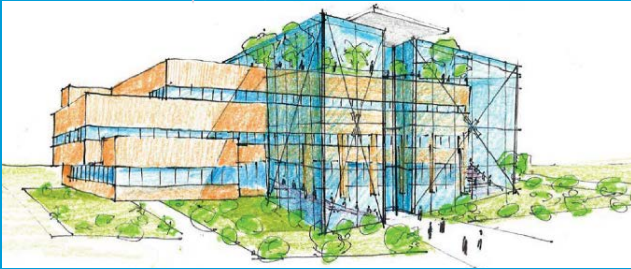
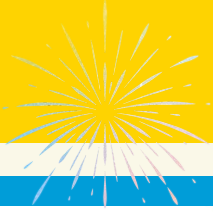
A HISTORIC ANNOUNCEMENT AND CELEBRATION ON Thursday, October 20

The Larry H. & Gail Miller Family Business Building



SLCC is grateful for the generous \$10 million donation from the Larry H. & Gail Miller Family Foundation to reinvent our Business Building and expand our academic business programs. In honor of this gift, SLCC is renaming its business school the [Gail Miller School of Business](#), the only business school in Utah and one of only a few in the country named exclusively for a woman. SLCC is also renaming its Business Building the [Larry H. & Gail Miller Family Business Building](#).

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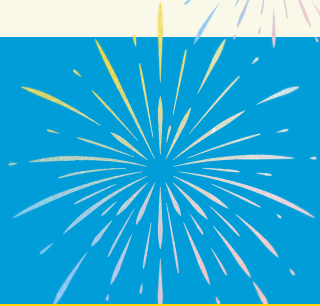


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DEAN BROMLEY



PRESIDENT HUFTALIN



CALI BOURDOUS, STUDENT

GENESIS RUIZ, STUDENT



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Thank you for joining us!



Culinary Institute



PARTICIPATE IN
CHEF'S TABLE TODAY



ASSOCIATE DEAN: JEFFREY COKER

Hello Friends,

Sharing some great news on our recent American Culinary Federation Accreditation visit. CONGRATULATIONS and THANK YOU ALL for your hard work in preparing for this renewal!!! We had a great visit thanks to the efforts of students, faculty and staff who demonstrated superior hospitality and professionalism. The results are broken down into three categories; Commendations, Suggestions, and Non-Compliance. The program received ZERO non-compliance findings, several commendations and a few suggestions to help improve our program. This is a great outcome and we are thrilled! Here's to another five year renewal! Up next, EXEMPLARY program status.



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Culinary Club

Friendsgiving



Our Culinary Club has been busy over the fall semester with various activities. The one that stands out most was their Friendsgiving Celebration on Friday November 18th. Over 20 of our students and some of their friends and family members got together to eat some delicious food. Interested in the club? Contact our office 801-957-5348 or email tori.hunter@slcc.edu for more information.



Congratulations to all the students who participated in the event. On behalf of the faculty and staff, it is a wonderful thing to see the comradely and hospitality grow within the program! It makes us all better. Thank you.



CULINARY INSTITUTE

5 QUESTIONS

with Braden Roundy

Braden is currently working towards a Culinary AAS and is expected to graduate spring of 2023

1 Where are you currently working and what do you like about it?

I am working at Pig and a Jelly Jar (360 degrees restaurant group). I like that it provides great opportunities to grow, learn, and advance my career.

2 What was your favorite Culinary Institute Class?

Catering Class is my favorite class because it's fun to learn how catering works from start to finish and to be able to execute my own event.

3 Who is your favorite celebrity Chef or TV show and why?

Does Chef Keri count? Guy Fieri would probably be my favorite celebrity chef because how much he gives back to the community, and how he is focused on more than just his career.

4 What would your favorite or last meal be?

Mashed potatoes would probably be my last and my favorite meal. Mashed potatoes are so versatile, and you can make them mesh with any cuisine and dish.

5 What advice would you give to those starting out?

Focus on the end. It can be hard to want to complete the degree when you are in the middle of it, but the reward will make it worth it.

Utah High School Entrepreneur Challenge

by Associate Dean Barbie Willett

On Friday, November 4, the Gail Miller School of Business hosted the 1st Annual Utah High School Entrepreneur Challenge (UHSEC) “Kick-Off” Event at the Taylorsville/Redwood Campus. The purpose of this event was to introduce high school students to the challenge and encourage them to enter the competition. Students in business-related concurrent enrollment classes, DECA and FBLA members, and students enrolled in the Junior Achievement program, were all invited to participate.



The purpose of the “Kick-off” event was to increase participation in the UHSEC, especially among students attending high schools on the west side of the Salt Lake valley. The University of Utah holds an entrepreneur challenge for both high school and college students each year. The best business ideas win cash prizes, which the students can use to launch their business or expand on an existing business.

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The Gail Miller School of Business worked in partnership with the University of Utah's Lassonde Entrepreneur Institute to develop the "Kick-off" event. The event was held in the Technology Building Auditorium. The attendees were given an overview of the programs and services offered by the SLCC Gail Miller School of Business and The Lassonde Institute. Then students were given an opportunity to quickly develop a business or product idea, and "pitch" their idea to the group. This gave students a vision of what it would be like to enter the UHSEC.



After the student "pitch" session, we moved over to the Student Event Center, where the high school students could talk to SLCC academic advisors, Financial Aid/Scholarship representatives, Lassonde Ambassadors, and SLCC DECA and FBLA members. The SLCC student band, "Mystery Machine" provided music, while the students had lunch.

Thank you, to everyone who volunteered for this event! SLCC faculty and staff engaged the students and made every effort to recruit them as future SLCC students. Thank you to the Lassonde Asst Director, Pat Jones, and the Lassonde Ambassadors for letting us partner with you to engage more students in the UHSEC competition. Our first-year event was small, but we hope to increase our participation each year.



CSIS PROGRAMING CLUB

by Interim Associate Dean AC Cox

In November, the CSIS Programming club, led by Associate Professor Margarethe Posch, hosted a panel discussion with CS program alumni that transferred to local four-year universities. Students representing the University of Utah (Austin & Isac), Weber State University (Mark), and Utah Valley University (Nyles) shared their experiences transferring from SLCC to these other institutions. They spoke of the highs and lows of being at SLCC versus their current institutions, the successes and challenges of the transfer process, and the importance of the SLCC courses to their ability to keep up with their current learning environment. Approximately 25 students attended the meeting, and panelists were open and engaging during the Q&A session at the end. The student reception was positive, and we expect more of these sessions.



SEMINAR AND EDUCATIONAL FAIR

for the Hispanic/ Latino community

by **Hau MoyKwan**
Assistant Professor

Saturday, October 29th, Ali and I held a Seminar and educational fair for the Hispanic / Latino community at Miller Campus. More than 300 people attended the event. We introduced the HSI (Hispanic Service Institution) to the community. We share with the community all the resources, benefits, and career opportunities offered by the Community College. We had the participation of advisors from different departments such as ESL, PACE, Dream Center, Workforce Training & Continuing Education, TRIO, Business School Programs, etc. Likewise, we had the participation of external entities. The event was a full house and successful. I would like to say Thank you to Daysi Hernandez, Jen Klenk, and Isac Zuniga (CSIS Student) who were promoting our Business and CSIS programs voluntarily. We will keep continuing working to make the Gail Miller School of Business a Memorable and Special place for our students and Community.



The Gail Miller School of Business Spreads Happiness!

The Gail Miller School of Business is always looking for ways to build a community within the school. During the Fall semester, the school hosted a weekly “Happy Hour.” The event was held every week on alternate Tuesdays and Wednesdays. The school division offices and dean’s office rotated the hosting duties each week. Examples of the “Happy Hour” activities are:

- DECA Casino, hosted by the SLCC DECA Club
- Robot Racing, hosted by the CSIS Division
- The Many Flavors of Ramen, hosted by the Accounting, Finance, and Paralegal Division
- Giving Thanks, hosted by the Division of Management and Marketing

The activities varied each week, but there were always beverages, food, and treats available for the students. The students could drop by for something to eat or stay and enjoy the activities. Many students took note of the weekly “Happy Hour” and made a point to stop by every week. The faculty and staff had an opportunity to sit with the students and get to know them and answer questions they had about their degree programs, student support services, and other concerns they may have. The students were very appreciative of the efforts the school faculty and staff made to make them feel at home and “Happy” at SLCC.

Gail Miller School of Business Happy Hour Events



MEET WITH THE DEAN



Gail Miller School of Business students sharing meaningful academic experiences and feedback with Dean Bromley at our regularly held "Meet With the Dean" event.



BUSINESS JAM

Highlights from our successful Fall 2022 Semester Business Jam: students attended financial class student portfolio presentations, CSIS Jamboree, Après Jamboree, Shark Tank, Trivia Night, DecaSino, Accounting Ledger Mania, Transfer Institution Tables, and Taco Buffet events. Look for other upcoming Gail Miller School of Business events.



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