

# **RCSGD Quarterly Report**

Winter 2020

# **Programming**

**Total Programs: 84** 

**Total Event Attendance**: 1639 (7.5% increase from Fall 20)

**Program Types** 

Movie Screenings QTPOC Empowerment Spaces Food Security Events Emerging Leaders Institute

Graduate Student Programming Social Events
IdentiTEAs Speaker Events

Housing Fair Trans Empowerment Spaces

LGBTQIA+ Identity Days Zine Making Clubs
Mentorship Events Trans Revolution Series

**Collaborations** 

AS Queer Commission Queer and Trans Community

Campus Advocacy Resources & Education Queer and Trans Graduate Student Union Counseling and Psychological Services Residence Hall Association

Educational Opportunity Program

Sociology Department

Feminist Studies

Student Health Services

Financial Crisis Team The HUB

Food For All Peers Transfer Student Center

Health and Wellness UCSB Library
Human Resources UCSB Masc Project

LGBTQ Staff & Faculty Collective Undocumented Student Services

MultiCultural Center Veterans Resource Center

Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Women's Center

What came from these collaborations

MJ Rodriguez (20th Anniversary Speaker) Financial Crisis Workshop

Gaucho HIV Testing Zine Making Club Winter Wonder Drag Robyn Ochs

LGBTQ Staff & Faculty Luncheon Rainbow Parents Group QT Grad Student Town Hall Immigrant Resilience Week

Queer Dining LGBTQ+ Housing Fair



# <u>Advocacy</u>

# **One-on-one Counseling**

Coming Out Support Student Organization Support Gender Identity Exploration Bias in the Classroom

Food Insecurity

Housing Security

Financial Crisis

Identity Development

Legal Name and Gender Change

Programming

Student Safety

Mental Health

#### **All Gender Restrooms**

Official List & Map Updated
All Gender Restroom Wayfinding Videos Created
All Gender Restroom Policy Committee Prepared Final Draft of Policy and FAQs Document
Multi-stall restrooms successfully installed in GGSE and SAASB

#### **RCSGD Demands**

Agreements to revisit demands and committee creation Held town hall to discuss what has been done and what the future plans are

# **LGBTQ+ Student Organization Support**

Queer Commission
Queer and Trans Community
Queer and Trans Graduate Student Union
RHA Queer and Trans Student Engagement Chairs
Friendly Undergraduate Queers in It Together
Republicizing and assistance in reforming QTAPI

### Trans\* Task Force

Student-only Trans Town Hall on 2.20.2020

UCSB Trans+ Campus Survey from Dr. Lal Zimman and the Curriculum Subcommittee Residential and Community Living now has student pronouns data

### **Queer Trans Identities & Experience Seminar**

We facilitated 11 QTies with a total attendance of 334 people.

• 9 Queer & Trans 101 Seminars and 2 Trans 101 Seminars

# **Daily Statistics**

**Visitors to the Center:** 1811 (0.07% decrease from Fall 19)

Peak Times/Days: 12-2PM; Mondays & Thursdays

Services most used: Lounge/Meetings with Career Staff

#### **RCSGD Infrastructure**

Review and editing student staff position descriptions

Recurring program calendars



New Volunteer Program structure

New computers for David Bohnett Cybercenter

Update of RCSGD Library

Weekly limited edition buttons produced

Weekly tabling at set times and locations on campus

Continued annual Winter traditions, including Trans Revolution Series, Emerging Leaders Institute, and Winter Wonder Drag

## Weekly Empowerment Hours - Weekly Discussion Groups and Program

**QTPOC Empowerment Hours** 

Quarterly QTPOCluck

**Trans Empowerment Hours** 

Trans, Non-binary, & GNC Weekly Discussion Group

**Quarterly Trans Potluck** 

Queer and Trans Resilience Workbook Circle

Bi Us For Us Discussion Group

IdentiTEAs Series

#### **Website Updates**

More updates to user navigation and creation of new headers

### Pages Added:

Bisexual Resource Page Identities

Campus Partners Interpersonal Relationships
Coming Out Resource Page Names and Pronouns Advocacy

### Pages Updated:

About The Staff Homepage

All Gender Restrooms

Alumni

Calendar of Events

LGBTQIA+ Glossary

Name Change at UCSB

Student Organizations

David Bohnett Cyvercenter UCSB Out List

### **General Notes**

- The most successful and well-attended events of the RCSGD this quarter were the ones in which
  we collaborated with other departments such as Sociology, the MultiCultural Center, and queer
  and trans student organizations.
- The most accessed service of the RCSGD is now our lounge space, with a majority of folks coming into the space not for an event or specific purpose beyond simply enjoying the space.
- For Instagram, there was a shift in the content that we were posting. The lower reach and engagement stems a majority of the time for event promotion rather than highlighting campus services, queer students, or identity awareness days.
- Due to COVID-19, Week 10 and Finals Week programming, lounge hours, and services provided were heavily impacted and reduced with the amount of students who needed to leave campus and socially isolate themselves.



# **Social Media Engagement**

### **Facebook**

Followers: 1843

Net Gain This Quarter: 20

### Reach

• Peak post reached: 1.3k

• Total reach of posts: 46.6k between Jan. 6th and Mar. 22nd

#### **Page Views**

• Daily between 35 - 70 (regardless of posts made by the RCSGD)

• Peak days: Awareness Days/Computer Access Post

Posts Made: 71

### Instagram

Followers: 3817

**Net Loss This Quarter: 26** 

#### Likes

• Total Likes: 2302 (34.87% decrease from Fall 19)

• Most Likes On A Post: 159 - Queer Commission Chairs

• Most Popular Posts: Student Leadership Highlights

• (New) Average Likes Per Post: 73.3 likes/post

#### Reach

• **Peak Post reached:** 4.36k (11.79% increase from Fall 19)

• **Total reach of posts:** 52.2k (40.82% decrease from Fall 19)

## **Page Views**

• Daily between 51-200 (regardless of posts made by the RCSGD)

• Peak days: Wednesday

Posts Made: 40 (19.37% decrease from Fall 19)

## Twitter (New Platform)

Followers: 199 (24.38% increase since Fall 19)

Posts Made: 60

#### The Letter O: The RCSGD e-Newsletter

Subscribers: 2925 (2.8% increase since Fall 2019)

# **Engagement Levels**

Amount Opened: 30.5kAverage Rating: 8.5Avg. Open Rate: 53.26%

• **Opt Outs**: 2

#### **OUT List**

• LGBTQ-Identified Sign Ups: 273



• Supporter Sign Ups: 282