

# Administration of Justice



LOS ANGELES MISSION COLLEGE

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## Los Angeles Police Foundation awards scholarships

Los Angeles Community College District (LACCD) Chancellor Mark Drummond and LAPD Chief William Bratton presented 28 Los Angeles Police Foundation Scholarships to deserving students during a ceremony on May 30, 2008 in the Board Room at the district office, 770 Wilshire Blvd. in downtown Los Angeles. "Our AJ programs that prepare candidates for careers in law enforcement, parole, probation, correc-

tional prison officers and homeland security positions are recognized by all criminal justice agencies."

Scholarships are given annually to students with a 3.0 grade point average. Recipients also must have completed at least 12 units toward an administration of justice program leading to a law enforcement career.

"I am very thankful to have been selected as a recipient for the scholarship. I will use the money

to pay for the cost of my books for the semester," said Mission College student Ana K. Saurin.

The \$1,000 Scholarships are made possible by the generous support of the Los Angeles Police Foundation/Lori Gonzales Scholarship Fund and the Winnick Family Foundation. Winners from Mission College included Ana Saurin, Joshua Diaz and Fernando Amendola.

Congratulations!

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## Testing for Custody Assistant, Los Angeles Sheriffs

The Los Angeles County Sheriff's department is conducting on-going testing for custody assistants. Custody assistants perform numerous and various functions essential to

the efficient operations of the sheriff's custody division. Custody assistants mainly work in the jail system throughout L.A. County. Salary starts at \$3,300 per month.

Testing is offered the 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month. For more information, go to their website at [lasd.org](http://lasd.org).

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## Los Angeles School Police hiring Police Communications Rep

The Los Angeles School Police Department (LASPD) is conducting a search for dedicated, qualified, individuals who have the desire to serve as a Police Communications Representative for the fifth largest police department in Los Angeles County and the second largest school police department in the United States. This is an excellent opportunity for the exceptional

person who has an interest in working in the field of law enforcement. The Police Communications Representative exercises independent thinking and judgment; receives, monitors, analyzes and responds to emergency calls to the Department's Police Communications Center utilizing the Computer Aided Dispatching system; and dispatches School Police

patrol units.

Starting salary is \$36,800 per year.

Minimum qualifications are a high school diploma and pass a background check.

Benefits include medical, dental insurance and retirement plan. Vacation leave as well. The written test is scheduled for 8-9-2008. To apply go to their website at [lausdjobs.org](http://lausdjobs.org)



## Writing APA style papers for Criminal Justice courses

In criminal justice programs around the area, more and more professors are requiring their students to submit research papers using the APA format. APA stands for "American Psychological Association" and is the preferred method of writing research papers in the social sciences.

For those students that are

familiar with MLA, APA is very similar but with a few differences.

There are several resources for students to learn about APA style both on-line and here on campus. The AJ program has a link on its website to Cal State L.A.'s writing center where all the different writing styles are discussed and demonstrated. Here on

campus, students can go to the writing center located on the first floor of the library building and speak to someone regarding APA. The writing center also provides a handout detailing by examples exactly how to write in APA format and how to avoid plagiarism.

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## Administration of Justice shirts are here!

The Administration of Justice program now has its own shirts.

Shirts come in S, M, L, XL and XXL sizes in navy blue.

T-shirts sell for \$10 and proceeds go to the Administration of Justice program trust fund which is used to support students in our program.

To purchase shirts, contact Mr. Kelly William Enos in the Administration of Justice program at 818-364-7610 or e-mail at [enoskw@yahoo.com](mailto:enoskw@yahoo.com)



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