



WEEKLY UPDATE – Nov. 7

Living and Lifestyle

In this week's newsletter, our office is highlighting international student living and lifestyle. See information below about housing, both on and off-campus, as well as reminders for upcoming events. As always, if you have any immigration questions or concerns, please reach out to ISSS via [email](#) or [make an appointment](#) with your ISSS adviser online.

On-Campus Housing

Student Housing is now accepting housing applications for current undergraduate and graduate students who want to live on-campus during the spring 2023 semester. Please see deadlines below:

- The Guarantee Deadline for New Freshman and Transfer Students that deposited prior to Sept. 1 was Nov. 1, 2022
- The Priority Deadline for Graduate, Law, Continuing and New Freshman/Transfer students that deposited after Sept. 1 is Dec. 7, 2022

It's strongly encouraged that all continuing students view the [Continuing Students webpage](#) as well as the [Contracts and Documents webpage](#) to view the housing contracts associated with the application. [Learn more about Student Housing »](#)

Off-Campus Living

If you are interested in renting an apartment in the Bay Area, the **Office for Off-Campus Living (OCL)** offers resources to assist you in your search and planning. You can review rental listings on the [USF rental website](#) or search these [additional rental websites](#). Keep in mind that the rental market in San Francisco has become more available for student rentals in the past year, so this might be a good option for you for the spring semester. [Learn more about OCL »](#)



Class Registration

Class registration for intersession and spring 2023 opens this week! Check out the [University Registrar](#) website for important registration information and step-by-step instructions about online registration. You can also find out your final exam schedule, request transcripts and enrollment verification letters, and search for specific courses. Contact their office by [email](#) or call **(415) 422-7260**.

[View full academic calendar »](#)



Update your MyISSS Address

Students are responsible for updating their address in MyISSS. Any change of address must be reported to the U.S. government within 10 days. To update your address in MyISSS, please follow the instructions in the [MyISSS Student Handbook](#).



Film Screening: Everything Everywhere All at Once

The Center for Asia Pacific Studies at USF invites you to join them for a screening of *Everything Everywhere All at Once*, in **Fromm Hall 120 – Xavier Auditorium, Nov. 16, 5–7 p.m.** This sci-fi adventure film stars Michelle Yeoh as Evelyn Wang, an unlikely hero who, when an interdimensional rupture unravels reality, must channel her newfound powers to fight bizarre and bewildering dangers from the multiverse as the fate of everything hangs in the balance. Open to USF students, faculty, and staff. Registration required. [RSVP here »](#)

Co-Sponsors: Center for Asia Pacific Studies, Asian Studies, First-Year Seminar Program, and MA in Asia Pacific Studies



Culturescape

Get ready for Culturescape! This highly anticipated annual event, organized by the ISA Club, is a celebration of cultural diversity featuring performances and cuisines from the various cultural clubs that call USF home. Join us on **Friday, Nov. 11 at 6 p.m. in the McLaren Conference Center**. Tickets are required — advance purchase is recommended. [Buy your tickets now »](#)



Searching for Home in the New World: The Philosophy and Neuroscience of Belonging in America

The Lane Center hosts a public talk with Ian Marcus Corbin, a philosopher and research fellow in neurology at Brigham and Women's Hospital/Harvard Medical School, to discuss belonging in America. This event will be held today - **Monday, Nov. 7 from 11:30–1 p.m. PDT at McLaren Conference Complex, Room 251**. Registration is required. [Learn more or register here »](#)



Outdoor Adventure

Join the last Outdoor Adventure trip of the fall semester to the SF Premium Outlets on **Saturday, November 19th from 12–7:30 p.m.** Find impressive savings at SF Premium Outlets in Livermore, with over 180 iconic stores including designer names like Burberry, Prada, Tory Burch, Kate Spade New York, Nike, Michael Kors, UGG, Oakley, Saint Laurent, Timbuk2, and much more! [Shop more or register here »](#)

ISSS OFFICE RESOURCES

Requesting a Document from ISSS?

If you are requesting an immigration document or letter from our office, remember that we request **ten business days** to process requests. Make sure you plan accordingly so you have enough time to receive your document before you need it. All ISSS requests should be submitted through the [MyISSS student portal](#) (select the home icon, site home, and then requests on the left-hand menu). You can view our [MyISSS Student Handbook](#) for assistance with your submission.

Adviser Appointments and Workshops

Appointments can be made online. Please visit the [ISSS website](#) to schedule an appointment. Appointments are still booked in 15-minute increments. To schedule a workshop, select workshops from the first menu option in our scheduler. Students must complete an OPT workshop before applying for OPT.

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