

## LBCCFA's Monday Morning Message- 06 May 2019

### Did You Know?

- **One of LBCCFA's important functions is to help ensure that members benefit from their contractual rights, including leave requests (e.g., maternity, bereavement, etc.), teaching load, and initial salary placement.** If you are encountering difficulties with any of these or other issues, contact your department FA rep. or the FA Grievance Chair, Velvet Pearson ([velvetpearson@gmail.com](mailto:velvetpearson@gmail.com)). Administrative hurdles are not something you have to confront alone!
- **On May 17<sup>th</sup>, the L.A. Angels are holding School Employee Appreciation Night.** Click [here](#) to check to see if discounted seats are available in your preferred section(s).
- **Phyllis Hall, EOPS counselor, was honored by CCA at the Spring Conference** for being a founding member and implementing the Building Strong Locals Academy for more than 13 years.
- **Faculty teaching online or hybrid courses should complete LBCC's Teach Online Series by the end of spring 2019.** This effort is in support of our contract item 11.5.4.2. Six hours of Flex Credit is offered for completing these self-paced modules. Please contact Faculty Online Coordinator, Melvin Cobb ([mcobb@lbcc.edu](mailto:mcobb@lbcc.edu)) or click [here](#) for more information on course objectives and scheduling. For a list of relevant FAQs, click [here](#).

### Upcoming Events:

- **Equity Speaker Series** (RSVP [here](#) using password Spring 2019):
  - Cultural Sensitivity
    - Thurs., May 9, 8:45 AM – 10:45 AM, LAC, T-1200
    - Thurs., May 9, 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM, PCC, GG-238
- **LGBTQ Safe Zone and Ally Training** (RSVP [here](#) using password LBCC Ally):
  - Viking Pride
    - Thurs., May 9, 12 PM – 1 PM, LAC, T-1100
- **LBCCFA Representative Council Meeting:**
  - Friday, May 10, 10 AM, LAC, Room T-2312
- **LBCC Board of Trustees Meeting:**
  - Wednesday, May 22, 5:30 PM, LAC, T-1100

## **This Week in Labor History:**

**On May 6<sup>th</sup>, 1935**, President Franklin D. Roosevelt issued Executive Order #7034, which created the Works Progress Administration (WPA), a federal work relief program that provided jobs building/improving urban infrastructure for the many Americans unable to find work in the private sector during the Great Depression. By 1936, the WPA employed over 3 million on projects including public school and post office construction, bridge and road repairs, and even public artwork like murals and sculptures. In fact, the WPA left a lasting stamp on LBCC; the agency repaired and rebuilt Long Beach City College in response to the damage the campus suffered after the 1933 earthquake. To see more WPA projects in Long Beach, visit the [Living New Deal website](#).

Respectfully,

## **Your LBCCFA Executive Board**



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