



Influenza vaccinations will be given at the Student Health Center every WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, AND FRIDAY FROM 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. beginning October 24th and continuing until the end of Fall term. Only one injection is needed.

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Annual flu immunizations ARE RECOMMENDED for the following:

- 1. Healthy persons 65 years or older
- Persons with long-term heart or lung problems.
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Influenza vaccine MAY be given to persons wishing to reduce their chances of catching the flu, persons who provide essential community services, and students or others in schools or colleges.

For more information, call the STUDENT HEALTH CENTER at (346)-4441



Support sought by Salvadoran

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Stop at University is part of effort to educate Americans

By Catherine Hawley Emerald Associate Editor

Victor Navarro was a college student working at his data processing job in a San Salvador bank last January when five men in civilian clothing arrested him and took him to military headquarters, where he was tortured and raped for five days.

Navarro, on campus Tuesday as part of a national speaking tour of U.S. colleges, said he knew his work with a student political organization at the University of El Salvador made him vulnerable to arrest.

"I knew that someday that could happen." he said. "I wasn't sure that I would come out alive."

His release was negotiated by his father, a bank official, who was able to offer the military some money in exchange for his son's freedom. "That's the kind of luck that not all Salvadorans have," Navarro said.

Navarro, 24. fled to Los Angeles the same day he was released by the military, staying with family and seeking treatment for his broken legs.

Since then he has been working with several U.S.-based El Salvadoran organizations, including University Students in Exile, the Central American Refugee Committee and the Committee in Solidarity with the People of El Salvador, the group sponsoring his college tour.

Navarro said the purpose of his tour is to inform American students about events taking place in his homeland and to let them know what they can do to support their counterparts at the University of El Salvador.

The universities in San Salvador and Eugene have been linked for the past five years through the Sister University Project, said group member Rob Margraf. Students at the University have raised money for San Salvadoran students through book drives and other activities in recent years.

Navarro first became involved in El Salvador's revolutionary movement as a 14-year-old high school student, painting slogans such as "We want education" on city walls.

In college, he joined the General Association of Salvadoran University Students, or AGEUS, and soon became a prominent member whose job included working with the international delegations that came to the university.

Besides openly criticizing the El Salvadoran government — and the support it receives from



Photo by Andre Ranieri

Victor Navarro, from El Salvador, is touring the United States in an effort to inform Americans about events in his country.

the United States — AGEUS students use skills in medicine, economics and agronomy learned at the university to help the thousands of farm workers flocking to the slums of San Salvador.

However, owners of El Salvador's private industries resent the help given to El Salvadorans to operate their own small cooperatives, Navarro said. And El Salvador's ruling oligarchy, consisting of industry owners and military leaders, retaliates against the students.

For the past week, El Salvadoran soldiers have surrounded the university campus with tanks an action that is not unusual for a military that occupied the university from 1980-84 and again for seven months beginning last November, Navarro said.

Navarro said the most recent military action is in retaliation for an attack on an air force base by the rebel group FMLN on Friday.

"Whatever FMLN does is taken out on the civilians," Navarro said.

President invites comment today

Brand to hold first open forum of year

By Bob Waite Emerald Reporter

University President Myles Brand will be available for comments from faculty, students and staff Wednesday at the first open forum of the year.

The event is being held from 3:30 p.m. until about 5 p.m. in Room 150 Columbia.

"This is just a good way to talk with the president on a one to one basis." said Christine Leonard, Brand's assistant. through computer electronic mail on the campus Vax computer network, at the PRES address. Information on how to send electronic mail, to use campus mail terminals or to establish an account on a noncampus computer can be obtained at the University Computing Center, between the law school and the Chiles Center.

Those who prefer a personal meeting with Brand may ar-



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Many good suggestions, such as adding more lighting or bicycle parking on campus, have come from students or staff members in discussions with Brand, Leonard said.

Representatives from the vice presidents' offices will also be at the forum to answer questions and discuss issues.

Outside of the monthly forums, Brand can be reached

range an appointment by calling his office at 346-3036.

Groups may also call for meeting appointments, but group size should be limited to no more than five people per meeting, Brand said.

Weekly appointments are available Thursday from 2 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.; Wednesday, Oct. 31, from 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.; Tuesday, Nov. 6, from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Nov. 13, from 10:30 a.m. to **Myles Brand**

noon; Wednesday, Nov. 21, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Wednesday, Nov. 28, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.; and Tuesday, Dec. 4, from 10:30 a.m. to noon.

Leonard said the meeting times usually fill up fast, and advised calling early for an appointment.



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