#### WHERE DOES YOUR A.S. FEE GO?

Your Associated Students fees support a variety of programs and services for the benefit of the student body. Through your elected representatives, you have a voice in how this money is spent. For fiscal year 2014-2015, Associated Students has allocated \$4,457,480 to the programs and services listed below.

#### **ADMINISTRATION**

The Administrative Offices perform the general management functions of the ASI Corporation including accounting, financial management, human resources, and information technology. This area also houses the Office of the Executive Director and the ASI Archives Project.

#### BEACH PRIDE PROGRAMS

The official home of ASI's programming operations, Beach Pride Programs works to enhance "Beach Pride" by increasing student engagement on campus through extracurricular activities and major campus-wide programs featuring renowned artists, scholars, and performers.

#### CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

The Isabel Patterson Child Development Center provides early childhood education for children of CSULB students. Services include affordable childcare, parent education, student employment, and a developmentally appropriate curriculum for infants, toddlers, preschool, and school-age children. The Center is accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children.

#### FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT

This allocation represents funds invested in the upkeep and renovation of ASI facilities and equipment necessary for the operation of the Isabel Patterson Child Development Center, Recycling Center, Soroptimist House and other ASI programs.

### MARKETING & DEVELOPMENT

The ASI Development Office works to secure external funding for ASI programs and services through grants, contracts, and the solicitation of contributions from both corporations and individuals. Meanwhile, ASI's public relations program plans and executes communications, outreach, and public affairs programs to ensure that the campus and the public receive relevant, timely, and accurate information about ASI and its programs.

## RECYCLING CENTER

ASI Recycling facilitates recycling and conservation operations for CSULB and the surrounding communities. The programs operated foster student involvement in ecological awareness, responsibility, environmental sustainability and action.

### STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Associated Students is the official seat of student governance at CSULB. Opportunities for the development of leadership and career-related skills are offered through election or appointment to over fifty student government positions. In addition to providing for self-government of the student community, Student Government oversees the

management of the ASI corporation, engages in political activism in support of students' needs and interests, and participates with faculty and administration as an equal partner in the shared governance of the university.

## STUDENT MEDIA

Student Media includes College Beat TV, the Long Beach Union Weekly and K-Beach radio. These programs provide a valuable means of communication regarding events and issues and often simply entertain. They also offer practical training experiences for students in the form of paid jobs, volunteer jobs, and internships.

# STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Associated Students is committed to the development and preservation of a vibrant student community and believes that student organizations play a vital role in that effort. ASI provides grants of money for student club and organization programs and sets aside a budget reserve to fund new grants or augment existing ones.

# STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

Student Support Services include the ASI General Scholarship Fund, Student Travel Fund, the EOP Book Grants program, Study Abroad Scholarships, and the Student Research Fund.

## UNIVERSITY ATHLETICS

Through adoption of the Beach Pride Referendum in 2000, students increased the number and dollar amount of scholarships available to student athletes. As a result, CSULB boosted its ability to recruit the best and brightest athletic talent to the "The Beach." ASI also funds the Long Beach State spirit programs including the award winning Cheer and Dance teams, Mascot, and Beach Band.

