

Instructionally Related Activities Report Form

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ACTIVITY TITLE	DATE (S) OF ACTIVITY
Campus Reading Celebration	Oct. 11, 2002

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

Attach:

- 1) Student evaluations or assessments
- 2) A list of attendees complete with each student major and expected graduation date, and
- 3) Images demonstrating student participation (up to 6 images)
- 4) A summary of expenses

E-mail to the IRA Coordinator at lisa.ayre-smith@csuci.edu within 30 days after the activity.

Thank you for your commitment to engaging our students!!

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

(1) PROVIDE A DESCRIPTION OF THE ACTIVITY;

The Campus Reading Celebration provides an annual opportunity for the campus community and public to share in a common intellectual experience. This year's Campus Reading Celebration book, chosen by CI students, recounts the story of Oscar, a sweet but disastrously overweight ghetto nerd who dreams of becoming the Dominican J.R.R. Tolkien and, most of all, finding love. Featuring the linguistic acrobatics of one of America's finest young writer's, Sam Anderson of New York Magazine writes, "Díaz finds a miraculous balance. He cuts his barnburning comic-book plots (escape, ruin, redemption) with honest, messy realism, and his narrator speaks in a dazzling hash of Spanish, English, slang, literary flourishes, and pure virginal dorkiness."

(2) HOW DID THE ACTIVITY RELATE TO A COURSE(S) AND/OR LEARNING OBJECTIVES?

Many UNIV courses employed the book, or portions of it, in their classes. In addition, ISLAS UAE's introduced the speaker and were important in making the event a success. Last, a number of English Faculty (Dr. Momsna, Dr. Balen, Dr. Peters) used the text in their Literature classes

(3) WHAT DO YOU SEE AS THE STRENGTHS OF THE ACTIVITY? I think that the biggest strength is the support--students read the book, faculty use the text in their classes, and the community attends. In short, it is a campus wide event that has a great deal of fans throughout a number of communities.

(4) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY ARE/WERE THE ACTIVITY'S WEAKNESSES?

I am always concerned about promotion.

(5) HOW WOULD YOU IMPROVE THIS ACTIVITY FOR NEXT TIME?

Make arrangements sooner. Do a better job of inviting non-CI community members.

(6) WHAT DID YOU LEARN FROM THE PROCESS?

That with is a difficult job

FOR A GOOD DESCRIPTION OF THE EVENT, VISIT HERE:

HTTP://WWW.CSUCI.EDU/NEWS/CHANNEL/FALL-2012/F-THE-WONDROUS-VOICE-OF-JUNOT-DIAZ.HTM

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CAMPUS READING CELEBRATION

Thursday, October 11, 2012

<u>Item</u>	<u>Estimated Budget</u>	<u>IRA Actuals</u>	<u>Funding 2011</u>	<u>Notes</u>
Rentals: Stage	\$400.00	\$658.60	IRA	<i>quoted cost</i>
IT Chargeback: on-site technician	\$0.00	\$0.00	IRA	<i>internal event = no cost</i>
OPC Chargeback	\$650.00	\$375.00	IRA	<i>estimate</i>
Parking Chargeback: 100 community; signage	\$200.00	\$350.00	IRA	<i>estimate</i>
Printing: Posters; bookmarks;kiosk	\$1,250.00		IRA	
Swag	\$750.00			
Flowers: Podium Piece	\$500.00	\$180.00	IRA	<i>estimate</i>
Lunch/Refreshments	\$1,200.00		Provost/SA?	<i>not included in estimated total</i>
Freshman Books	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00	IRA	
Speaker Fee	\$14,000.00	\$14,000.00	IRA	
Misc. (In-State Travel)	\$250.00			
Estimated Total:	\$25,000.00	\$22,563.60		
Ticket Sale Revenue:	\$250.00	\$0.00		
Grand Total:		\$22,563.60		

\$25,000.00 total IRA budget