



NEWS AND UPDATES

Student Events & Activities Newsletter

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EVENTS

Student ID/Event Pass is required to attend events. Don't have a Student ID, please stop by Enrollment Services in the Taylor Building.

DOWNLOAD YOUR CSI EVENT PASS

SIGN IN Sign in to **ENGAGE**

Click on your initial
(located on the top right corner)

Click on the QR code icon

Download/Save your CSI event Pass to your phone!

SAVE

(QR code image is not representative of what **your** CSI Event Pass will look like)

Download your CSI Event Pass

Golden Eagles! We have a new addition to campus events. A digital CSI Event Pass that allows us to scan your event pass and get into the events and activities. For events and activities, we will be using the Event Pass as a way to check you into events, for you to provide us feedback and so much more. Download now:

https://mycsi.campuslabs.com/en_gage/



Sweata Weatha Eagle Hour

Tuesday, January 27th

11:00-1:00 PM

Location: Upper SUB

Stop by to get something
cozy to keep you warm for
this weather! While
supplies last.



Baby, It's Still Cold Outside Eagle Hour

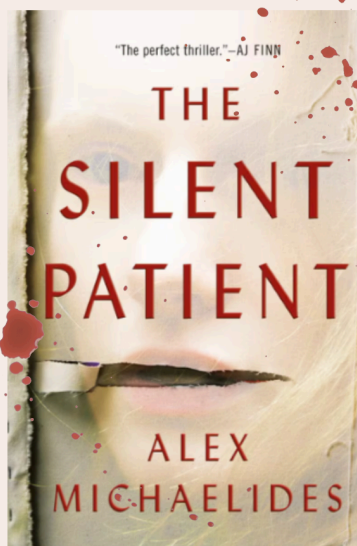
Thursday, January 29th

11:30-2:30 PM

Location: Upper SUB

Join us for a cup of hot
chocolate, identify your
advisor, learn about transfer
opportunities and ask
questions to Advising
Services.

THE LIBRARY'S CURRENT BOOK
CLUB PICK IS...



Library Book Club

Thursday, January 29th
12:00-1:00 PM
Location: CSI Library

The library's book is The Silent Patient. Copies available for check out in the CSI Library.

CRACKING THE COLLEGE CODE:

Success Strategies for Non-Traditional Students



JANUARY 29
THURSDAY, 6:00 PM
CANYON 119

College can feel overwhelming—especially when juggling work, family, and school. This workshop reveals the “hidden curriculum” of higher education and shares all the things you didn't know you needed to know.

LEARN HOW TO

- Manage your time
- Utilize valuable campus resources
- Build connections that support your success here at CSI and beyond



Childcare and Food will be provided!

Cracking the College Code

Thursday, January 29th
6:00 PM
Location: Canyon 119

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Boots and Beats

Open dance with line dance instruction benefitting CSI Coed Cheer's nationals dreams

January 31st
8-10pm
@ Fifth Avenue Point Event Center
243 5th Ave S Twin Falls ID

\$15

Boots and Beats

Saturday, January 31st
8:00 - 10:00 PM

Location: Fifth Avenue Point
Event Center
243 5th Ave S., Twin Falls

**Open dance with line
dance instructions
benefitting CSI Coed
Cheer's Nationals dreams.
Admission is \$15.**



**JOIN US FOR
WRITING
MATTERS**

CSI's literary conference
for Idaho college and high
school students.

Featuring Authors
Dr. Mikel Vause
Dr. Sarah Vause
Diana Gibson



**Scan the QR to enter
your work!**

Contact the English Dept.
for more details:
Clark Draney
cdraney@csi.edu

**Are you
a poet,
a storyteller,
an essayist,
a writer?**

CSI
COLLEGE OF
SOUTHERN IDAHO

CONFERENCE
FEB 19-20, 2026

SUBMISSIONS
JAN 31, 2026

Writing Matters

February 19th - 20th
Submissions due January
31st

Are you a poet, a storyteller,
an essayist, or a writer?
CSI's literary conference for
Idaho college and high
school students will be
featuring Authors Dr. Mikel
Vause, Dr. Sarah Vause, and
Diana Gibson.

Contact the English Dept. for
more details: Clark Draney
cdraney@csi.edu.

Submit work [here.](#)

Financial Opportunities

Join Our Team



We have Work Study positions available for Spring 2026 at the CSI Early Learning Center. These positions may include working with children, cleaning, helping in the kitchen, organizing materials, and/or assisting with office tasks. To qualify, students must be eligible for Federal Work Study through FAFSA.

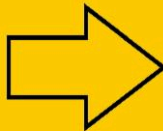
If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Clara Centeno at (208) 732-6645 or [cccenteno@csi.edu](mailto:ccenteno@csi.edu).

Work Study Position Open

We have multiple Work Study positions open at the CSI Early Learning Center. In these positions you will be working with children, cleaning, organizing, and/or helping in the office. You will need to qualify for FAFSA to receive the Work Study Grant. Please contact Clara Centeno at (208) 732-6645 or [cccenteno@csi.edu](mailto:ccenteno@csi.edu).

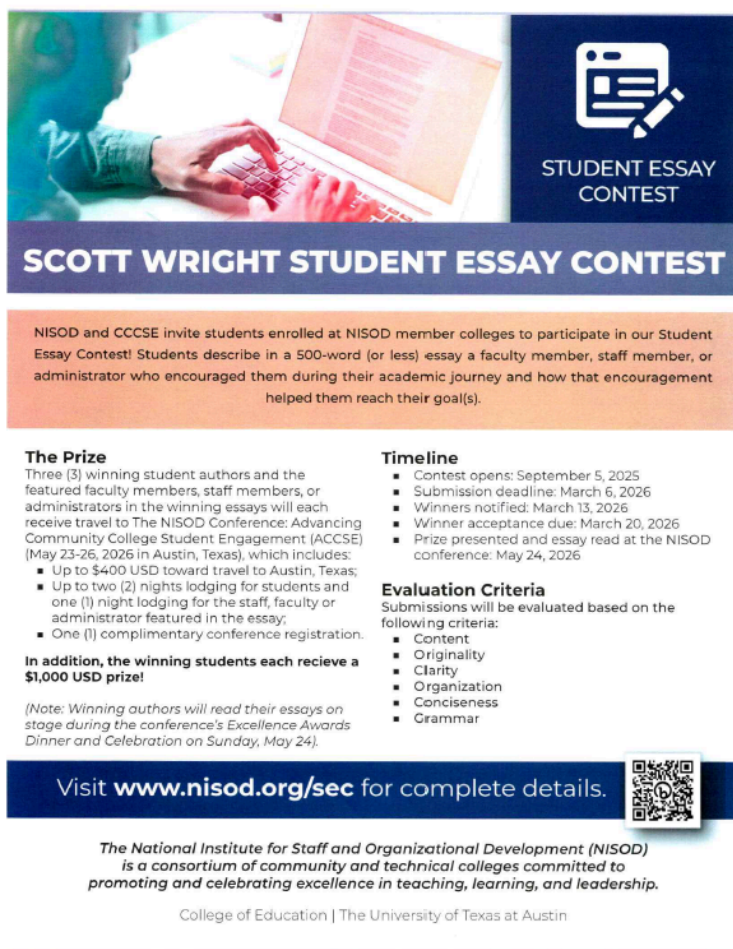
CSI CHILDCARE SCHOLARSHIP NOW OPEN

**SCAN
TO LEARN MORE**



CSI.EDU/FINANCIAL-AID/SCHOLARSHIPS

CSI Childcare Scholarship is now open for applications. Go [here](#) to apply.



STUDENT ESSAY CONTEST

SCOTT WRIGHT STUDENT ESSAY CONTEST

NISOD and CCCSE invite students enrolled at NISOD member colleges to participate in our Student Essay Contest! Students describe in a 500-word (or less) essay a faculty member, staff member, or administrator who encouraged them during their academic journey and how that encouragement helped them reach their goal(s).

The Prize

Three (3) winning student authors and the featured faculty members, staff members, or administrators in the winning essays will each receive travel to The NISOD Conference: Advancing Community College Student Engagement (ACCSE) (May 23-26, 2026 in Austin, Texas), which includes:

- Up to \$400 USD toward travel to Austin, Texas;
- Up to two (2) nights lodging for students and one (1) night lodging for the staff, faculty or administrator featured in the essay;
- One (1) complimentary conference registration.

In addition, the winning students each receive a \$1,000 USD prize!

(Note: Winning authors will read their essays on stage during the conference's Excellence Awards Dinner and Celebration on Sunday, May 24).

Timeline

- Contest opens: September 5, 2025
- Submission deadline: March 6, 2026
- Winners notified: March 13, 2026
- Winner acceptance due: March 20, 2026
- Prize presented and essay read at the NISOD conference: May 24, 2026

Evaluation Criteria

Submissions will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Content
- Originality
- Clarity
- Organization
- Conciseness
- Grammar

Visit www.nisod.org/sec for complete details.

The National Institute for Staff and Organizational Development (NISOD) is a consortium of community and technical colleges committed to promoting and celebrating excellence in teaching, learning, and leadership.

College of Education | The University of Texas at Austin

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www.nisod.org/sec.

SERVICES FOR STUDENTS



CSI LIBRARY

Spring Semester Hours

MONDAY - THURSDAY
7:30 AM - 9 PM

FRIDAY
7:30 AM - 4 PM

SATURDAY
12 - 4 PM

SUNDAY - CLOSED

CSI Library Fall Semester Hours

January 20th - May 14th

Monday-Thursday
7:30am-9:00pm

Friday
7:30am-4:00pm

Saturday
12:00pm-4:00pm

Closed Sundays



**ARE YOU A
SINGLE PARENT
OR DISPLACED
HOMEMAKER?**

EMAIL

cnd@csi.edu

PHONE

208.732.6219

WEBSITE

csi.edu/center-for-new-directions



Stronger careers, brighter futures—
CSI's Center for New Directions is here to support
single parents and displaced homemakers on their
journey to success!

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CSI WORK-BASED LEARNING CENTER

Stuck on your career path? Resume help, career coaching and internship matching are right here! Visit the Work-Based Learning Center, formerly Career Services, in the ATIC Building.

get help now!

www.wbl.csi.edu 208-732-6303

Work-Based Learning Center

If you're looking for career help, visit the Work-Based Learning Center! WBLC Manager Stefanie Hauff is available to help you find a job or internship or start charting your career path.

What we do:

- 1-on-1 meeting to identify a career path.
- Paid Internships
- Help with your resume, cover letters and LinkedIn account.
- Mock interviews
- Eagle Job Board is full of real, local job openings from trusted employers.
- Watch our video for more information - [Click Here](#)

CSI WORK-BASED LEARNING CENTER IS EXCITED TO OFFER:



GILBERT'S INTERVIEW CLOSET

Are you headed to a job interview, internship, career fair, or networking event? Don't stress about what to wear - we've got you covered. Let us help you show up with confidence!

Free Professional Clothing for CSI Students!

AVAILABLE AT THE WORK-BASED LEARNING CENTER







Blazers Dress Shirts Blouses Pants Shoes

STOP BY DURING OFFICE HOURS OR SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT HERE!

Questions?
Visit the Work-Based Learning Center
Or call us at 208-732-6303.
We are located in the Applied Technology & Innovation Center, Building #500.



www.wbl.csi.edu | 208-732-6303 | wblc@csi.edu

Gilbert's Interview Closet

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RIDE TFT



TWIN FALLS TRANSIT

RELIABLE

RIDE TFT hours of operation are:
6 a.m. - 9 p.m. Mon. - Fri.
7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturdays

\$3 Standard fare
\$1 60 and older or with disability

SAFE

RIDE TFT is available for individual riders as young as 12 to ride alone. Any age with an adult. Be assured that you and your loved ones are safe.

CONVENIENT

Download the convenient app and schedule your ride, see your wait time and drivers location, and more!

FAST

Pick up at your door and drop off at or near your desired location. It's better than a big bus, it's micro transit.

+1 208-974-7433





Ride TFT Twin Falls Transit

For current hours visit their website [here](#).

\$3 Standard fare (if book online)

\$4 Standard fare (if you book over the phone)

Call 208.974.7433 to schedule a ride.

Looking for Resources?

Check out the Student Support Services. Click on the MYCSI Tab at the top of the CSI homepage and then select Student Services or follow the link

[Student Support Services](#)



If you are a current student who could use food assistance please know that your request will be handled privately and confidentially. You are eligible for a food box twice a month.

Click on the link below to access the form.

Gilbert's Pantry Form

Gilbert's Pantry is located in the Student Affairs Office on the 2nd Floor of the Taylor Bldg.

We listen. We care. We help you learn skills for dealing with life.

Student Mental Health Services
Phone: (208) 732-6260



Located on the 2nd floor of the Taylor Building in the Center for Student Support and Connection.



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Follow us on snapchat:

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To be in the know of the student events and to ask us any questions you have!

Check out the links below to get more information on services available for you.

Food and Dining

Herrett Museum & Planetarium

Student Housing

Library

Student Mental Health Services

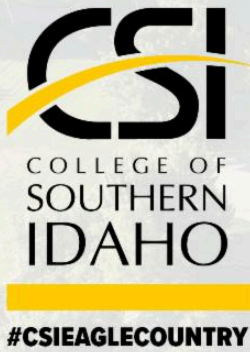
Outdoor Recreation & Challenge Course

Student Accessibility Services

Recreation Center

Visit the CSI Event Calendar!

Student Activities



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