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Alumni to Speak at Homeland Security Conference

Two distinguished alumni with expertise in national security and emergency preparedness will be featured at Cal U's fifth annual Conference on Homeland and International Security, from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Oct. 25 in the Performance Center.

The theme for this year's conference is Transnational Crimes and Security.

The keynote speaker is Maj. Gen. Donna F. Barbisch '84, who retired after a 38-year career in the U.S. Army. She now is president of Global Deterrence Alternatives and director of the Institute for Global and Regional Readiness.

Also on the program is former special agent Mark Camillo '76, a law enforcement and security professional who specializes in emergency preparedness operations. He is senior vice president of strategic planning for Contemporary Services Corp., the world's largest event security firm, and president of Apex Security Group, an affiliated executive security company.

Past conferences have attracted a mix of law enforcement and security professionals, educators and students.

"This is a private and public partnership coming together to defend our homeland and provide better security for our citizens," said Dr. Michael Hummel, associate professor of Leadership and Security Studies.



Barbisch



Camillo

"This conference is also an excellent networking opportunity for our students, and we are honored to have two distinguished alumni among our guest speakers."

Following opening remarks by Cal U President Angelo Armenti, Jr., Hummel will discuss "Kidnapping for Profit." Agent Jenny Wells, of the Office of Personnel Management, Federal Investigative Services Division, will speak on "Counterintelligence and Security."

Barbisch's luncheon talk will focus on "Building Resilience to Transnational Crimes."

The afternoon session includes a presentation by Dr. Andrae Marak, a former Cal U professor, on "Borders, Borderlanders and Crime."

Camillo will examine "Soft Targets for Terrorism: Securing Major

International Sporting Events," and Dr. Emily Sweitzer, chair of Cal U's Department of Justice, Law and Society, will give closing remarks

About the speakers

Barbisch began her military career in the Army Student Nurse Program and rose through the ranks in a multitude of active-duty and reserve assignments from Vietnam to the Pentagon. Her final military assignment was as director of Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear Program Integration for the Office of the Secretary of Defense.

Today, her focus is providing visionary policy and program solutions related to the national security threats posed by terrorism, natural disasters and emerging infectious diseases.

With more than 20 years of experience in managing complex private and public, medical and organizational challenges, Barbisch tackles the complexities of combating terrorism through comprehensive planning and cultural change.

A frequent lecturer, she is engaged in numerous think tanks and seminars on national and international public policy, strategic planning and integration. Her professional activities include RAND studies; ANSER, Institute for Homeland

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Free Counseling Offered to Area Vets

Cal U will offer free counseling services to military veterans and their families through the Office of Veterans Affairs.

Area residents who have served in any branch of the military are eligible to attend counseling sessions. Their dependents and family members also may receive counseling. Non-students are welcome.

Appointments are available from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Tuesdays on these dates: Oct 11, Oct. 25, Nov. 8, Nov. 22, Dec. 6 and Dec. 13.

Licensed professional counselor Jason Brosk from the Vet Center, Department of Veterans Affairs, will meet with clients in the Cal U Wellness Center, Room G-57, Carter Hall.

Services include individual and marriage counseling, readjustment counseling, and counseling for drug and alcohol issues, bereavement, and military sexual trauma.

Counseling also is available, as needed, for Cal U veterans and community members with loved ones who have been deployed.

"We have developed a relationship

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Gay Athletes, Allies Topic of Talk

Brian Sims, the only openly gay football team captain in NCAA history, will speak inside Cal U's Vulcan Theatre this Thursday at 11 a.m. in celebration of Diversity Awareness Month. Sims, a defensive standout on Bloomsburg University's 2000 national finalist football team, will speak on 'LGBT Advocates, Allies, Athletes and Policies.' See story on page 2.

PSO Returns to Campus Oct. 18

California University will continue a fall tradition by hosting a performance by the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra.

Students, faculty, staff and the California community may attend the concert at 8 p.m. Oct. 18 in Steele Hall Mainstage Theatre.

Conductor Lawrence J. Loh will lead violinist Yuko Uchiyama and the orchestra in a program that includes the Overture to *Die Zauberflöte* (*The Magic Flute*) by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart.; Violin Concerto in D minor, by Jean Sibelius; and Symphony No. 4 in F Minor, by Piotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky.

The PSO first performed on the California campus in 1994, and the fall concert has become an annual event. Each spring Cal U students, alumni and University friends travel to Pittsburgh for a symphony performance in Heinz Hall.

Students who wish to attend the Oct. 18 performance will be admitted free with a CalCard. Cost is \$10 for other members of the Cal U community or the general public.

Tickets are available at the Steele Hall Box Office, in advance or at the door. To place a credit card order, call 724-938-5943; there is a \$2.50 processing charge for credit card orders under \$200



The Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra will return to campus for the 18th consecutive year with an 8 p.m. performance Oct. 18 in Steele Hall's Mainstage Theatre.

and a \$5 processing charge for orders over \$200.

Cal U's Alumni Association will host a pre-symphony reception to support the Alumni Scholarship Fund. PSO Conductor Loh is expected to attend the gathering of Cal U alumni and friends at 6:45 p.m. in the Kara Alumni House. Hors d'oeuvres and limited bar service will be offered.

Cost is \$75 for the reception, symphony performance and optional

shuttle service between the Alumni House and Steele Hall. A portion of the ticket price benefits the Alumni Scholarship Fund and is tax-deductible.

Visitor parking is available in the Vulcan Garage, near the campus entrance.

For reception tickets or more information about the Alumni Association event, contact administrative assistant Montean Dean at dean@calu.edu or 724-938-4418.

Football Player Discusses Gay Athletes, Allies

In celebration of Diversity Awareness Month, the Office of Multicultural Student Programs will welcome Brian Sims to campus.

The team captain of Bloomsburg University's 2000 football team and a Regional All-American defensive lineman, Sims is the only openly gay football team captain in NCAA history.

At 11 a.m. Thursday in the Vulcan Theatre, inside the Natali Student Center, Sims will discuss "LGBT Advocates, Allies, Athletes and Policies."

During his senior season, Sims helped the Huskies overcome a 0-2 start and win 12 consecutive games before losing to Delta State (Miss.) in the NCAA Division II National Championship game. He led the Huskies in sacks, with nine, while recording 47 total tackles.

Sims initially went public with his homosexuality when one of his teammates broached the issue in the middle of the season. In a videotaped interview, Sims said that season was the most surreal of his life, but he had the full support of his teammates and coaches. The story grew the following year as more and more players discussed "the gay captain."

After graduating Sims attended law school and earned his Juris Doctorate at Michigan State University School of Law. OutSports magazine covered his story, which also has been featured in Gay.com, TheAdvocate.com, and numerous newspapers. His openness has prompted hundreds of personal responses from athletes, coaches, parents and allies in more than 40 states and 30 countries.

Sims is now an LGBT advocate and a successful policy attorney. He lives and works in Philadelphia. In addition to his practice, Sims serves as president of the board of directors for EqualityPA and chairman of GALLOP (Gay & Lesbian Lawyers of Philadelphia).

In 2010, Sims joined the faculty of the Center for Progressive Leadership and the National Campaign Board of The Victory Fund. The National LGBT Bar Association named him one of the Top 40 LGBT Attorneys Under 40 in the United States.

Sims recently resigned as the staff counsel for policy and planning at the Philadelphia Bar Association, where he worked with the chancellor, executive director and board of governors to pursue and implement the legislative and policy agenda of the association.

Currently the managing editor of the Bar Association's newest publication, UponFurtherReview, he has also served as the legal editor for M.D. News Magazine and as an associate editor at The Philadelphia Bar Reporter.

Although he no longer plays football, Sims has remained an avid athlete and regularly competes in marathons and triathlons across the region.

The Diversity Awareness Month event is free and open to all members of the campus community, as well as the general public.

Plays Spotlight Student Directors

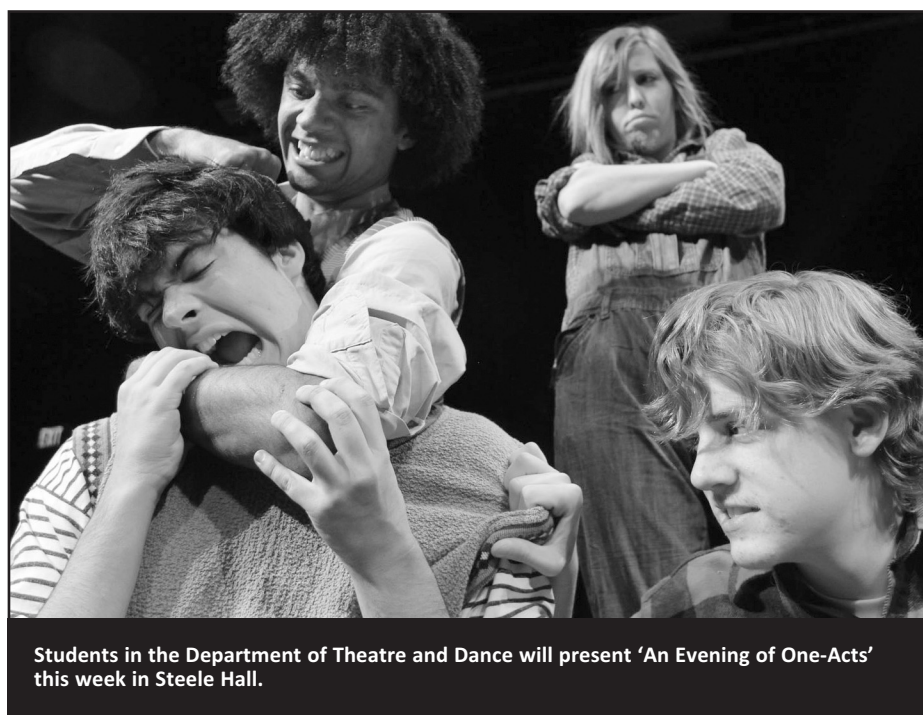
The public may attend "An Evening of One-Acts," a series of short plays directed by students and presented by the Department of Theatre and Dance.

Curtain time is 8 p.m. Thursday and Friday, and 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday. All performances are in the Gerald and Carolyn Blaney Theatre in Steele Hall.

The department's first performance of the Fall 2011 semester features plays that may be humorous, thought-provoking or shocking, but always entertaining.

Cost is \$12 for adults, seniors and children. Students with valid CalCards are admitted free; they must leave a \$5 deposit that will be returned if they attend performance.

For ticket information, or to order tickets (with a credit card) by phone, call the Steele Box Office at 724-938-5943.



Students in the Department of Theatre and Dance will present 'An Evening of One-Acts' this week in Steele Hall.

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Security advisory group; and the Metropolitan Washington Bioterrorism Task Force.

Barbisch chairs the subcommittee on quarantine for the Department of Veterans Affairs' Technical Advisory Committee on Emergency Management and the committee on homeland security for the Reserve Officers Association. She serves on the board of directors for Humanitarian Aid International Consultants, the Armed Forces Foundation, and the Homeland Security Council for the American Board of Forensic Examiners.

She is on the faculty of George Washington University and the Army War College.

Along with her degree from Cal U, Barbisch holds a master's degree in public health from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and a

doctorate in health administration from the Medical University of South Carolina.

Camillo began his career in law enforcement as a special agent in the U.S. Secret Service, where he protected four U.S. presidents during three White House assignments, including a stint as head of the White House Security Branch.

Camillo has played key security roles at major events, including leading the security team for the 2002 Winter Olympics at Salt Lake City, Utah.

He has held positions at Lockheed Martin, where he directed public safety and homeland security initiatives, and now holds a key leadership position with Contemporary Services Corp, which provides event staffing, crowd management, security and guest services for entertainment, sporting and civic events at major venues across the country.

To register

The conference is sponsored by the Department of Justice, Law and Society at Cal U. Cost is \$25 per person; fee includes lunch.

To register as an individual, send a check for \$25, payable to the Foundation for California University; please include "JLS" (Justice, Law and Society) in the memo line. Mail checks to Dr. Emily Sweitzer, Security Conference Co-Chair, California University of Pennsylvania, Department of Justice, Law and Society, P.O. Box 30, California, PA 15419.

Registration information for groups and corporations is online at www.calu.edu; look for the event in the "News" or "Events" carousel on the homepage.

For more information, contact Dr. Emily Sweitzer at 724-938-4438 or swetizer@calu.edu, or Dr. Michael Hummel at 724-938-6043 or hummel@calu.edu.

Groups Explore Medieval Arts

Cal U students have been recognized for their mastery of medieval arts.

Members of the year-old Medieval and Renaissance Society traveled to Buffalo, N.Y., last spring for the Festival of the Passing of the Ice Dragon, a medieval-style event.

They won the Group Category in the Pentathlon, an arts-and-sciences display and competition that showcased their skills in five areas: needlework, clothing and accessories, woodworking, cooking, and heraldry.

The society grew out of the Cal U Fencing Club. At its weekly meetings, the club offers free lessons through the Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA), a medieval re-enactment group with members around the world.

The fencing club, which now has 45 members, competes regularly in tournaments. Instead of Olympic-style fencing, many members practice historical swordsmanship, training with a thin-bladed epee or using the thicker, broad-bladed rapier.

Because of the club's connection with the SCA, participants were exposed to a variety of medieval crafts, "so we started a society to facilitate people being able to study the arts of medieval

times," said Cindy Speer. Secretary for the Department of History and Political Science, she serves as an adviser to both clubs.

The two groups have many members in common, Speer said. The Medieval and Renaissance Society explores all aspects of world cultures prior to 1601.

For the festival competition in Buffalo, society members created a medieval-style marzipan subtlety, a confection shaped like a Viking ship; hand-sewn heraldic banners; a painting; and a Viking-style chest made from wood.

Support for the trip was provided by Dean Mohammed Yamba and the College of Liberal Arts.

This fall the group intends on having workshops in blackwork embroidery, wire weaving, medieval dance and much more. They are already preparing for next March's Pentathlon, where they intend to enter craft projects related to medieval regalia.

Faculty, staff and community members are encouraged to join Cal U students as members of fencing club or the medieval society. The fencing club meets at 7 p.m. Thursdays in Herron Hall Gym B while medieval enthusiasts gather at 7 p.m. Wednesdays on the second floor of Gallagher Hall. Cindy Speer at speer@calu.edu.

Follow Mission Day Discussion via Twitter

Registration for Mission Day XIII on Oct. 26 is ongoing. Check the Cal U website, www.calu.edu, for a link to the registration page, or visit www.calu.edu/events/mission-day/index.htm.

Events will feature a keynote address by Sugata Mitra, whose "hole in the wall" project demonstrates the power of curiosity to stimulate self-instruction and peer-shared knowledge. To engage in the conversation, please follow @CalUofPA on Twitter and use the #calumday hashtag to share your thoughts on this provocative topic.

Remember that daytime classes, from 8 a.m.-4 p.m., are cancelled on Mission Day so that students, faculty, staff and alumni can participate in the program. Evening classes may be cancelled at the instructor's discretion.

Softball Stars Prepare for International Play

This fall student-athletes Jillian Russell and Natalie Wideman will represent their country and Cal U at two of the world's most prestigious women's softball events.

Russell, a senior infielder from London, Ontario, is a member of the Canadian National Senior Softball Team. She has been selected to compete in the 2011 Pan American Games, to be held Oct. 17-24 in Guadalajara, Mexico.

In July Russell helped the team earn a bronze medal at the World Cup of Softball, held in Oklahoma City, Okla. Former Vulcan softball standout and 2008 Olympian Megan Timpf is also a member of this team.

Wideman, a sophomore catcher-infielder from Mississauga, Ontario, is a member of the Canadian Junior Women's World Softball Championship team. She will play at the International Softball Federation (ISF) Junior Women's World Softball Championships, Dec. 6-17 in Cape Town, South Africa.

Last summer Wideman and Cal U second baseman Shelby Lia, a sophomore, helped the Canadian Junior National Team win 12 of 14 games at the Canadian Open Fastpitch International Championship from July 11-17 in Surrey, British Columbia.

"The impact of having two players of this caliber from one university, especially a Division II university, is outstanding for the players individually," said Rick Bertagnolli, Cal U's 19th-year head softball coach. "The promotional impact it has for California University and Cal U



All-American Jillian Russell (left) will play for the Canadian National Senior Softball Team in the 2011 Pan American Games beginning Oct. 17. Sophomore Natalie Wideman (right) is a member of the Canadian Junior Women's World Softball Championship Team, which will compete in the ISF Junior World Championships in December.



softball is enormous worldwide."

Russell will play third base at the Pan American Games. As a shortstop at Cal U, she twice has been named PSAC-West Player of the Year. She's also a 2011 National Fastpitch Coaches Association (NFCA) third-team national All-American.

Last spring Russell tied the single-season school record with 14 home runs, a total that ranks second in the PSAC. She finished second on the team with a .366 batting average (53 for 145), posting 13 doubles, one triple, 50 RBI, 36 runs and eight steals while starting all 43 games. She enters her senior season only

six home runs shy of the all-time school record, 38.

Wideman, who earned first-team all-conference honors as a freshman, also started all 43 games last season. She batted .348, with 47 hits, 28 runs, eight doubles, two triples, 23 RBI, 10 walks and six stolen bases.

Both players helped the Vulcans win 29 games in 2011 and make the program's 17th NCAA Division II Tournament appearance in the past 18 years.

Russell already is preparing for the Pan-Am Games with the Canadian National Team, and Wideman will leave on Nov. 28.

Both opportunities will be once-in-a-lifetime experiences for both players, Bertagnolli said, and he credited the faculty and administration for their cooperation and support as the student-athletes work to blend high-caliber competition with academics.

"The faculty is as big a part of this as anyone," he said. "My coaching staff and I are so appreciative of their roles in enabling these young women to participate.

"Our faculty understands the significant impact of this opportunity, and everybody has been on board and extremely helpful in getting this done."



President Angelo Armenti, Jr. poses with the 2011 President's Faculty Award recipients (seated from left) Dr. Christine Patti, Marsha L. Nolf, (standing from left) Drs. Ralph Belsterling, Donald Thompson and Robert S. Whyte.

Nominations Open for President's Faculty Awards

Nominations are being accepted for the 2012 President's Faculty Awards. Tenured faculty members who have demonstrated excellence in teaching, research or service are eligible to receive one of these prestigious awards, which are presented at the annual President's Gala.

Any member of the Cal U community — students, faculty, staff or alumni — may make a nomination. Self-nominations are permitted. Nominations close at 4 p.m. Oct. 28, 2011.

Although a faculty member may be nominated in multiple categories, he or she may compete for only one award. The nominee may select the category. For example, if a faculty member is nominated in both the teaching and service categories, he or she may submit support materials for one or the other, but not both awards.

Support materials from nominees are due by 4 p.m. Nov. 14, 2011.

University President Angelo Armenti, Jr. established the awards to recognize

deserving faculty for their outstanding work. Each 2012 award recipient will be honored at the President's Gala in June and presented with a medallion, an engraved paperweight and a \$2,000 check.

The 2011 President's Faculty Award winners were Dr. Christine Patti, honored for teaching; Dr. Robert S. Whyte, for research; and Dr. Ralph Belsterling, for service.

President's Faculty Awards are separate from the awards given by the Faculty Professional Development Committee, which recognizes recipients at Commencement.

Nominations will be accepted by e-mail or paper copy. Please submit e-mail nominations to the President's Faculty Awards Committee chair, Dr. Joseph Heim, at heim@calu.edu. Send hard copies to him at the Department of History and Political Science, Box 6.

Each nomination must include the name of the nominee, category of nomination (teaching, research or service), and the name of the nominator.

Cal U Joins National Veterans Day Roll Call

California University of Pennsylvania will mark Veterans Day on Nov. 11 by participating in the Remembrance Day National Roll Call.

The names of the more than 6,200 military members killed in Iraq and Afghanistan in the 10 years since the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks will be read outside the Natali Student Center and at schools nationwide starting at 9 a.m. Names will be read in chronological order. At 2 p.m., Cal U will join with these schools for a minute of silence to honor fallen service members. The Roll Call is expected to conclude at approximately 4 p.m.

The Remembrance Day National Roll Call is sponsored nationally by the Veterans Knowledge Community of NASPA Student Affairs Administrators in Higher Education. NASPA is a 12,000-member association for the advancement, health and sustainability of student affairs professionals.

At Cal U, the event is being organized by the Veterans Club.

The University is inviting relatives and friends of fallen service members to participate in the Roll Call by reading the name of their loved one.

"We want to rally our campus and local communities to send a powerful message to the troops currently serving that we have not forgotten their service and sacrifice, and we certainly have not forgotten the fallen," said Robert Prah, a captain in the Pennsylvania Army National Guard and director of Veterans Affairs at Cal U.

"The reading of each individual name is extremely powerful because it emphasizes the significance of each and every life lost in the last 10 years."

For more information, please contact Prah at 724-938-4076 or veterans@calu.edu.

Counseling Offered for Vets

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with the Vet Center in McKeesport that will provide services to any of the more than 200,000 veterans who live in southwestern Pennsylvania," said Capt. Robert Prah, director of the University's Office of Veterans Affairs.

"We are fortunate to have built a strong partnership between Cal U and the Vet Center, and we hope it can benefit military veterans throughout the region."

For more information about the free program at Cal U, or to request an appointment, call California University's Office of Veterans Affairs at 724-938-4076 or e-mail vetcenter@calu.edu. Visitor parking is available in the Vulcan Garage. Veterans, dependents and family members also may request special appointments by contacting counselor Jason Brosk at the McKeesport Veterans Center, 412-678-7704.

Consistency Leads to Hall of Fame Induction

Editor's Note: Cal U will hold its 17th annual Athletic Hall of Fame Banquet Oct. 21 at the Performance Center in the Natali Student Center. For reservations, contact Montean Dean at 724-938-4418. Throughout the fall, *The Journal* will profile each of the 2011 Hall of Fame inductees.

She made the most famous shot in Cal U basketball history, but Megan Storck earned her Hall of Fame induction for her effective play over four years.

Still, she will always be remembered for her three-point swish, tossed with 28.6 seconds left in Cal's 75-72 NCAA National Championship victory over Drury (Mo.) on March 27, 2004.

"It was just a moment that you won't forget the rest of your life," she said. "In the last few minutes of that game, the emotions were just running so high. I still get choked up about talking about it all these years later.

"I wish I could bottle that emotion and open it whenever I want to go back to it. It was just a dream come true from when I was little girl playing. It's just something you never forget."

A three-year starting point guard and four-year letter-winner, Storck played for the Vulcans from 2002-2003 through 2005-2006.

She finished her career with 1,409 points, 767 career assists, 359 steals and 160 three-point baskets. Her career assists total remains a team and PSAC record, as does her single-season total of 285 assists in 2004.

Her 132 steals in 2004 still ranks second in PSAC history and her three-point total is second in team history.

"Everyone talks about the assists, but the fact is that I was very fortunate to have four other girls on the floor who were great scorers," Storck said. "You could just throw the ball up and Sarah (McKinney) or Sameera (Philyaw) could go put it in. The other players made the records possible."

Success came early in Storck's collegiate playing career. She was voted the 2003 PSAC-West Freshman of the Year after averaging 10 points per game with 122 assists, 70 steals and 35 three-point baskets. That year Cal rolled to its first undefeated PSAC-West season (12-0), won a second consecutive PSAC championship, and advanced to the national semifinals before losing by two points and finishing 33-2 overall.

Storck led all scorers, with 17 points, in the 14-point national quarterfinal win over North Florida.

The following year she was named the 2004 Elite Eight Tournament MVP after producing three consecutive "double-doubles," including a 16-point, 10-assist effort and the clutch game-winner in the nationally televised finals.

Storck averaged 14 points per game as the Vulcans achieved a school-best 35-1 overall record, but she continues to



Megan Storck, a 2011 Hall of Fame inductee, was a key player on Cal U's 2004 NCAA Division II National Championship team.

emphasize Cal's team-oriented style.

"We would not have been to that point in the game if it wasn't for my teammates," she said. "I remember Erin Dillon hitting a big three-pointer late in the game to stop Drury's rally. I would have never been in position to make that (winning) shot if it wasn't for my teammates."

In Storck's final two seasons, Cal went 26-6 and 26-5. The Vulcans won their fourth conference crown in five years her senior season, and they advanced to the NCAA Regional semifinals in 2005.

Storck reflected proudly about the team's ability to maintain its championship caliber of play. She and Lisa Gottuso were co-captains in 2005-2006.

"My final two years were more rewarding to me because of the countless hours and work that we as a team put into making sure that the program stayed at that level," she said.

"My senior year we weren't the most talented, but we played the best as a team, and I will always be proud that we won the conference championship that year."

During Storck's four years on the team, Cal and former head coach Darcie Vincent compiled an amazing 120-14 (.895) cumulative record, with a 46-2 PSAC-West mark.

Storck helped the Vulcans win four straight PSAC-West titles and NCAA tourney appearances, three conference titles, two consecutive Final Four showings and the coveted national championship.

"It's amazing when you say 120 wins

for a career," Storck said. "Not many people can say that. I was very fortunate to have come in at the right time to be the point guard of a great basketball team.

"Cal's women's basketball program has such a rich tradition. I am honored to be part on its Hall of Fame list."

Storck was a first-team all-conference selection in 2004 and 2006, and she earned second-team honors in 2005. She remains the only player in Cal history with 1,000 career points, 500 career assists, 300 career steals, and 100 career three-pointers.

Her exceptional career and ability to perform in the clutch make her an ideal addition to the Hall of Fame, said 2000 inductee and current assistant coach Annie Malkowiak '94, '96.

"When the game was on the line, she was one who wanted the ball in her hands," Malkowiak said. "Megan was never outworked. She gave her all each and every day. She was simply one of the greatest players in school history."

A three-time Academic All-District selection, Storck received her bachelor's degree in sport management in 2006.

"My entire time at Cal was a pleasant experience from the first time I stepped on campus," she said. "From people at the student union to professors like Dr. (Ayana) Lyles, everyone was nice and helpful.

"President Armenti was one of my mentors and had such a big influence on everything I did at Cal," she added. "I have to thank him a lot, because he invests so much of his time in Cal and in the women's basketball program."

Originally from Macungie, Pa., Storck is a graduate of Emmaus High School, where she helped the Hornets win consecutive district titles while scoring 1,320 career points and averaging five steals and 4.1 assists per game. She also competed in field hockey and track and field in high school.

Since graduating from Cal U, Storck has earned a teaching certificate in health and physical education from Edinboro University, and she is pursuing her master's degree in education.

Storck lives in Conneaut Lake, Pa., where she is a health and physical education teacher at Linesville High School. For the past three years she also has been an assistant coach for the Lions' varsity basketball team.

"I try to coach my players and help the program by emulating the same type of team and program that Coach (Darcie) Vincent ran," she said. "Playing at Cal has helped earn the respect of my players, and I carry the knowledge I learned from Cal. Hopefully, someday I can be a head coach and build my own program."

Like many alumni, Storck is impressed with Cal's growth and looks forward to visiting the new Convocation Center.

"I thought Hamer Hall was the best place to play in the PSAC, and now they're going to be playing such a great place," said Storck. "Any student who goes to Cal is getting the best of the best. It's turned into a tremendous university for anyone, no matter what degree they're getting or which sport they play."

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