To: CPP Faculty

From: Victoria Bhavsar

Subject: Spring break, Faculty Day, and a funding opportunity

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Dear faculty,

I hope you're having a "wicked good" but safe spring break! – and meanwhile, here are two time-sensitive items of interest:

- ***Faculty Day 2025*** **is Thursday April 17, 11:30am – 1:00pm!** Faculty Day is a long-standing tradition when all CPP faculty -- full-time, part-time, retired, new, and all in between -- are invited to enjoy lunch and time with colleagues. We're thankful to the Pace Setters group for helping to sponsor Faculty Day 2025! **Please rsvp by April 11.**
- ***Call for Proposals – CSU Artificial Intelligence Educational Innovations Challenge:*** Released April 1 (today) from the CSU Chancellor's Office; proposals due **April 30**. This initiative aims to enhance critical thinking skills, promote ethical AI use and integrate AI literacy into curricula. Proposals for projects to develop innovative instructional strategies that leverage artificial intelligence (AI) tools are encouraged to launch in summer 2025 and conclude by spring 2026. Tier 1 (up to $30,000) for individual courses; Tier 2 (up to $60,000) for multi-course or interdisciplinary projects. See the link above for the CFP Guide and submission details. For questions, contact Leslie Kennedy, assistant vice chancellor, Academic Technology Services, or Emily Magruder, director, Innovative Teacher and Future Faculty Programs.

Take care,

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