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QUARTERLY ISSUES REPORT

First Quarter 2024 (January, February, March)

Get the Funk Out with Janeane Bernstein

Duration: 60 minutes

Wednesdays from 9 am to 10 am

February 28, 2024: Lyn Slater—better known as her viral Instagram handle Accidental Icon—“rules are meant to be broken” philosophy in her new memoir, HOW TO BE OLD: Lessons in Living Boldly from the Accidental Icon.

February 21, 2024: Keri Pickett, Filmmaker and co-director, shared her extraordinary, acclaimed and feel-good movie of the year, “Finding Her Beat” about Asian drumming divas smashing gender roles and redefining power on their own terms.

January 17, 2024: Dr. Romie Mushtaq shares new book - The Busy Brain Cure The Eight-Week Plan to Find Focus, Tame Anxiety, and Sleep Again.

Ask A Leader with Claudia Shambaugh

Duration: 60 minutes

Tuesdays from 9 am to 10 am

March 5, 2024: Claudia interviews 5 voters in SoCal on Ask A Voter-CA Primary segment.

January 16, 2014: Claudia interviews C Cummings, K Martinez, and K Ajlouny on the topic of Girls applying to universities post Dobbs decision.

January 9, 2024: Claudia interviews Alonzo King from King's Lines Ballet @Segerstrom.

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Weekly Signals with Nathan Callahan and Mike Kaspar

Duration: 60 minutes

Fridays from 8 am to 9 am

February 23, 2024: On this week's episode, Nathan, Mike, and Mahler the Deep Fake News Dog talk about artificial intelligence-driven hiring platforms, the end of all things, the truth about Luddites, Exodus, Locust, nonnative earthworms, SoCal coastal radioactive waste, Sponge City, The Election Outcome Pledge, preregistration at 16, student loan forgiveness, spies in the skies, J0529-4351, Alzheimer's Stage 1, a chalk, a spark, a line, and so on.

February 9, 2024: On this week's episode, Nathan, Mike, and Mahler the Deep Fake News Dog talk about cussing parrots, wind turbine installation vessels, the Right to Mine law, high-risk A.I. systems, veterinary cannabis, stoned empathy, Russia's accidental bombings, Takata air bags, Martian gridlock, public tipling, no parking zones, Dorothy's ruby slippers, and so on."

January 19, 2024: On this week's episode, Nathan, special guest co-host Claudia Shambaugh, and Mahler the Deep Fake News Dog talk about ashes to ashes, the world's five richest men, Eastern monarch butterflies, illegal sand mining, Greenland's ice sheet, the blood brain barrier, death in the Rio Grande, exorbitant overdraft fees, the right to vote for 16 year-olds, a primordial galaxy, a cloned rhesus monkey, recycling wine and liquor bottles, a bloody pig mask, a fetal pig, live insects, a funeral wreath, weather manipulation, and so on.

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Film School with Mike Kaspar

Duration: 60 minutes

Fridays from 9 am to 10 am

February 2, 2024: Vishniac - Director Laura Bialis. Roman Vishniac was difficult and flamboyant, a shameless self-promoter, bender of the truth and master of reinvention. He was also one of the groundbreaking photographers of the last century – a brilliant artist whose body of work spans decades, continents, and the catastrophic fallout from two world wars. With help from his daughter Mara director Laura Bialis' brilliant documentary VISHNIAC resets the misconceptions and perceptions of Vishniac into a wholly formed figure in the world of photography, art and science.

January 26, 2024: Makayla's Voice: A Letter to the World, Director Julio Palacio

In the heartwarming short documentary, Makayla's Voice: A Letter to the World, we are introduced to a remarkable young girl whose spirit and determination defy all expectations. Makayla, a black teenage girl, has spent her life grappling with a rare form of autism that rendered her essentially nonverbal. However, her parents (father, Grammy-award winning producer Needlz and business owner mother, Mañana), filled with unwavering belief in their daughter's potential, embarked on a transformative journey to discover the true depth of Makayla's inner world.

January 12, 2024: Four Daughters - Director Kaouther Ben Hania. One of the year's most acclaimed releases, FOUR DAUGHTERS by Oscar®-nominated filmmaker Kaouther Ben Hania uses an audacious formal conceit to tell the story of Olfa Hamrouni and her four daughters. Attempting to answer the question of how and why the Tunisian woman's two eldest were radicalized, Ben Hania reveals a complex history. We watch as the family relives key events in their lives with help from professional actors standing in for the missing girls. Winner of the Best Documentary award at the Cannes Film Festival, Best Documentary Feature at the Gotham Awards, and Best Writing at the IDA Documentary Awards.

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In the Garden with Dece Morgan

Duration: 60 minutes

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March 7, 2024: The Master gardeners discuss Truffles with Tom Michaels & Susi Gott-Seguert.

February 22, 2024: The Master gardeners discuss Soil Analysis with Janet Hartman.

January 26: The Master gardeners discuss African Violets with expert Leonard Re.

Operation Community Stimulus with Ann Herr

Duration: 30 minutes

Fridays from 5:30 pm to 6:00 pm

March 8, 2024: Tustin Museum (Tim Williams) shared information on the museum and activities.

January 26, 2024: Girls Inc Cynthia Williams shared what they do for girls to enhance their lives.

January 18, 2024: Ke Mari Moore and actor from 13 Reasons Why shed information on what is going on in the entertainment industry.

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Encuentros del Ser with Oswaldo Diaz

Duration: 60 minutes

Thursdays from 5 pm to 6 pm

March 22, 2024: Oswaldo interviews Pilar Domenech on the Journey of the evolving consciousness.

March 14, 2024: Oswaldo interviews Nuria Guinart on the topic of non-dual forgiveness

January 29, 2024: Oswaldo interviews Ernesto & Brenda Ueman on the Invitation to the Holistic Expo in Los Angeles

All Talk with Walter Campos and Jason Hillyer

Duration: 30 minutes

Mondays from 5:30 pm to 6 pm

February 28, 2024: Walter and I give our New Years Resolutions with special guest Karson Goodger!

February 21, 2024: AllTalk and Office Hours (Newton Zachary Hood's Show) does a 1 hour collab.

February 13, 2024: Jason discusses the risks of Nuclear Proliferation.

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Based Tunes with Arian Salimy

Duration: 60 minutes

Fridays from 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm

February 23, 2024: Arian discusses the interesting History of Jerry Springer/Maury shows.

January 26, 2024: FNAF movie review with non-fan guests Rune and Sasha.

The Fourth Fishbowl with Yushin Son

Duration: 30 minutes

Fridays from 4 pm to 4:30 pm

January 17, 2024: Pt 1; Yushin discusses intro and ideas for fiction.

January 24, 2024: The diary of a madman by Guy de Maupassant writing fiction step by step by Josip Novakovich (series).

March 6, 2024: Pt 8; Arian discusses the “Scene”.

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Being Aware with Isha on Air with Isha Gupta

Duration: 30 minutes

Wednesdays from 8:30 am to 9 am

January 24, 2024: Public Speaking and Activist-oriented Theatre - Featuring Dr. Annika Speer. This episode dives deep into the realm of public speaking, which is an essential and required skill in almost every industry. This episode covers important aspects and thought-provoking questions about public speaking, such as screen-based communication, improvisation, memorization, and fear of public speaking, which is quite a prevalent concern. Furthermore, this episode covers activist-oriented theatre too and this episode can be quite relatable to our listeners, as it features the Co-Director of the UC-Wide Public Speaking Initiative and a knowledgeable UC professor.

February 7, 2024: Raising Social Awareness of Caregiving - Featuring Dr. Aaron Blight. This episode sheds light on caregiving, including the diverse dimensions of wellness that encompass it, and features a top internationally recognized healthcare leader. This episode is very significant as it illuminates an important topic and how there can be many forms of caregiving, including even just checking in with a friend virtually and occasionally. It is a strong episode as it also reflects on important aspects including, caregiving in our post-COVID world, different walks of life caregivers can come from, and safeguarding and promoting caregivers' own health and wellness.

March 6, 2024: Therapeutic Arts - Featuring Dr. Carla van Laar. This episode communicates the power of the creative arts to help promote healing and features a seasoned visual artist, painter, and therapeutic arts practitioner. It covers how the arts can be a healthy outlet and source for creative freedom and emotional expression. Along with amplifying this power, this episode also explores how the arts can help raise awareness and facilitate conversations about important topics in engaging ways. This episode brings insightful perspectives on the benefits the arts can offer both people and society as a whole. "

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Office Hours with Newton Hood

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January 30, 2024: Walter Campos and Jason Hillyer; Joint show between Office Hours and All Talk.

February 26, 2024: Newton interviews Saul Martinez on what Med school is like in his experience.

February 12, 2024: Newton interviews Lexi Accinelli on what it is like being a UCI student and comedian.

Extra Innings with Avery Cheshire

Wednesdays from 8 am to 8:30 am

February 14, 2024: Interview with Padres play-by-play radio broadcaster Jesse Agler; where we had a conversation about radio within the world of baseball. He tells about his professional radio career, how he got started in college radio himself, and his thoughts on the San Diego Padres this upcoming season.

January 17, 2024: Interview with MLB professional photographer Brendon Baranov. They discussed his career as an MLB photographer, projects he has worked on with professional athletes, where he gets artistic inspiration from, and his thoughts on the Los Angeles Dodgers.

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January 21, 2024: The exceptional start to UCI's baseball season, scores and updates on UCI's men's and women's basketball teams, and ended with some relevant talk about the Los Angeles Angels and the Los Angeles Dodgers MLB teams.

I'm Just a Girl with Melissa Telliano & Hannah McCarthy

Mondays from 8 am to 9 am

March 18, 2024: The girls interview Brandon Lindsay on Getting a guy's perspective on questions all girls want to know.

February 19, 2024: Melissa and Hannah discuss the topic of When to know it's time to walk away from a relationship.

January 29, 2024: Melissa and Hannah interview Sydney Nickels on Navigating Crushes in college.

Pandora's Box with Paige Townsend

Thursdays from 8 am to 8:30 am

January 11, 2024: Prometheus / Pandora's Box - Introduced the main theme of the show, surrounding the Greeks version of the start of humanity and consequence.

February 1, 2024: Medusa / Aracne - Bringing more ordinary figures into the stories of Greek mythology.

February 22, 2024: Oedipus / Antigone - some of the most well-known Greek tragedies and literary works.