

# SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTION

Angelo State University

## We're Back!

After a brief hiatus during the summer, Supplemental Instruction (SI) is back in full swing for the 2006-2007 school year. Between terms we lost several veteran SI Leaders—a few graduated in May '06 while others had schedule conflicts this term. As a result we have hired three new SI Leaders: Amy Bullock, Albert Fierro, and Norbert Rios.

We also welcome back our veteran SI Leaders: Beatrice Flores, who will support college algebra for the third time, and Ben Gilbert, an SI Leader during the fall of '05 who graduated at the end of that term.

We held fall '06 SI Leader training & orientation the

week prior to the start of the term so the SI Leaders were ready to begin working on August 28, the first day of classes.

This fall we are supporting four historically difficult courses: BIO 1410: Human Biology, BIO 2423: Human Anatomy, BIO 2424: Human Physiology, and MATH 1302:

College Algebra. See Page 2 for additional information on the SI Leaders and the fall master SI session schedule.

*Pictured below are fall 2006 SI Leaders (L to R): Albert Fierro, Beatrice Flores, Norbert Rios, Amy Bullock, and Ben Gilbert.*



### Important Dates:

October 2 — 1st Peer Observation Due!  
October 20 — 2nd SI Leader Portfolio Review!



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*A love affair with knowledge will never end in heartbreak.*

Michael Garrett Marino

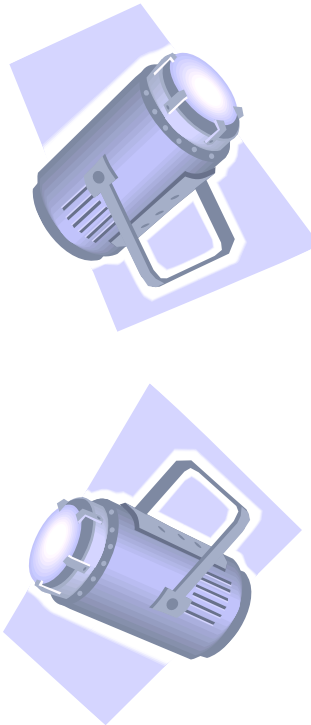


**Beatrice Flores**  
College Algebra

# Spotlight on SI Leaders



**Ben Gilbert**  
Human Anatomy



Now in her third semester as an SI Leader for MATH 1302, this is Beatrice's fourth time in College Algebra, each time with a different instructor. In addition to SI and schoolwork, Beatrice is also a private tutor and a member of HOST (Helping One Student to Succeed) where she mentors at an elementary school with the HOST program.

Beatrice is a junior Elementary Education major specializing in Pre-K through 4th grade with a minor in Reading. After graduation Beatrice would like to be an elementary school teacher and work towards her Master's degree in Education. Beatrice enjoys being an SI Leader because, she says, SI is an awesome program, and she adds, "SI is a way to help other students while furthering my own knowledge. SI is also great experience, since I want to teach."

Already with a B.S. (*summa cum laude*) in Kinesiology and a minor in Psychology, Ben was one of the initial group of SI Leaders during the SI Program pilot in the fall of '05. After a brief venture into the business world, Ben returns to ASU this term to pursue his Master's degree in Physical Therapy and to revive his role as SI Leader for BIO 2423.

Peer SI Leaders say Ben's SI sessions are effective specifically because of his questioning and modeling techniques, as well as his positive, encouraging attitude. A special feature of his SI sessions is his mock exam which helps students hone in on key course concepts. Students from Ben's previous SI sessions indicate his willingness to work with everyone as the key to his success with SI and thus his ability to help students succeed in a traditionally difficult course.

## SI Session Schedule: FALL 2006

**MATH 1302**  
**College Algebra**  
Beatrice Flores  
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M 5—6 p.m. in MCS 214  
T 4:30—5:30 p.m. in MCS 214  
W 6—7 p.m. in MCS 214  
R 2—3 p.m. in MCS 214

**BIO 2423**  
**Human Anatomy**  
Ben Gilbert  
*FAB759@angelo.edu*

M 5—6 p.m. in CAV 125 (BIO LAB)  
T 2—3 p.m. in CAV 023  
W 1—2 p.m. in CAV 023  
R 4—5 p.m. in CAV 019  
F 10—11 a.m. in CAV 125 (BIO LAB)

**BIO 2423**  
**Human Anatomy**  
Norbert Rios  
*nrios@angelo.edu*

T 3—4:30 p.m. in CAV 123  
W 7:30—8:30 p.m. in CAV 023  
R 3—4:30 p.m. in CAV 123

**BIO 2424**  
**Human Physiology**  
Albert Fierro  
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M 10—11 a.m. in CAV 211  
M 4—5 p.m. in CAV 119  
F 2—3 p.m. in CAV 019

**BIO 1410**  
**Human Biology**  
Amy Bullock  
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T 7—8 p.m. in CAV 023  
W 2:30—3:30 p.m. in CAV 023  
R 3—4 p.m. in CAV 023