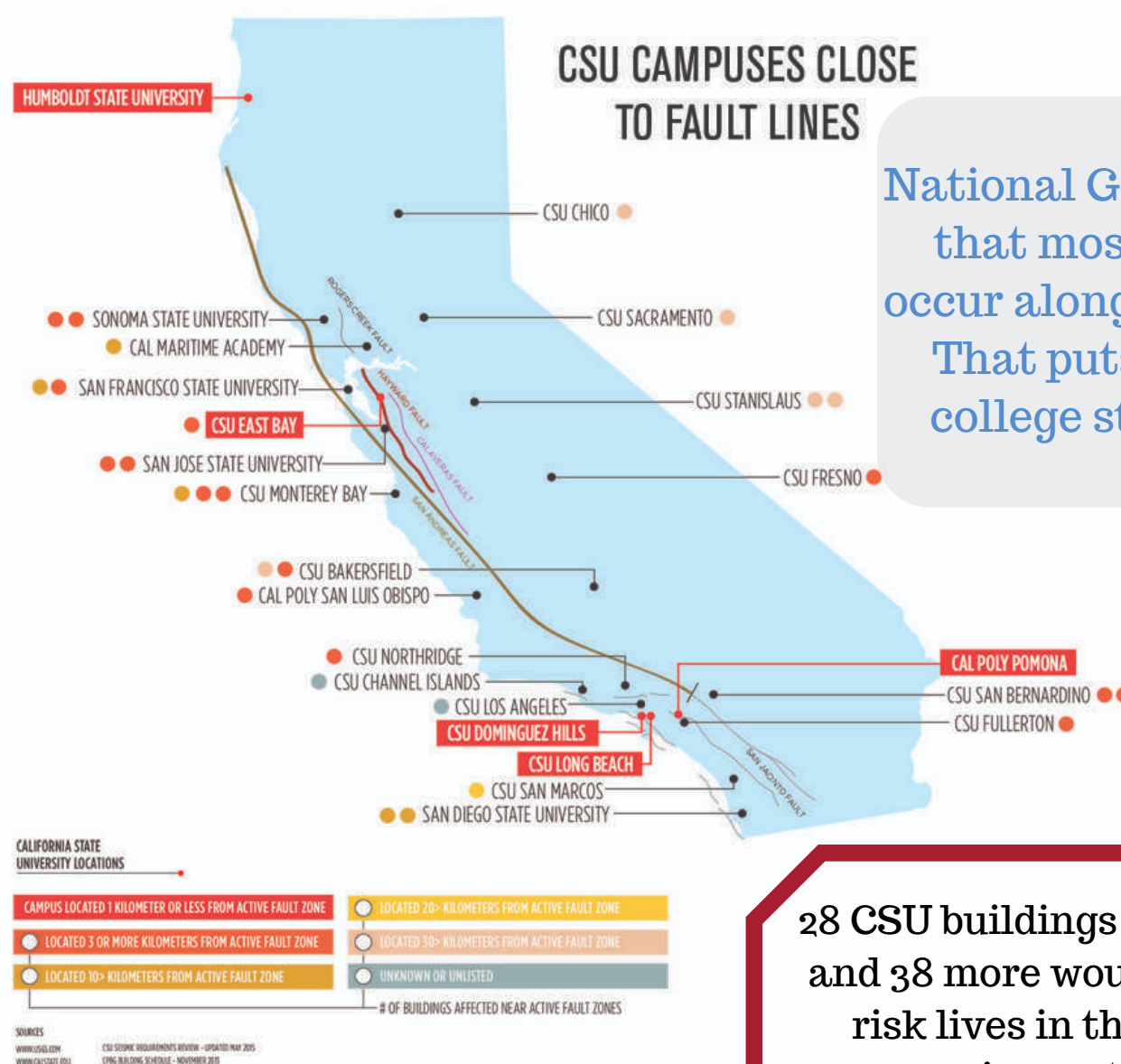


Prepare To Be Shaken

Did you know that ~80% of the Earth's earthquakes occur along the brim of the Pacific Ocean and that CA is overdue for a large quake?



Take a look here, Do you know which fault line you live on?



National Geographic states that most earthquakes occur along the fault zones. That puts thousands of college students at risk

The Uniform California Earthquake Rupture Forecast predicts CA has a 99.7 percent chance of having an earthquake of 6.7+ in the next 30 years.

28 CSU buildings could collapse and 38 more would potentially risk lives in the event of a major earthquake.



According to USGS, CA has small quakes every day, but many of them cannot be felt because they are so small.



Earthquakes affect people, animals, and the environment.



Earthquakes that are large enough can kill people, cause homes to collapse, disrupt ecosystems and trigger other natural disasters.



We cannot prevent a quake from happening, but we can build safer buildings and educate the community on basic safety tips. Through this we can mitigate the effects!



MyShake is an application that functions as an early alert system for earthquakes in CA. MyShake uses its network of users to detect shakes and alert the community of users of potential threats.

REMEMBER YOUR BASIC EARTHQUAKE SAFETY



Earthquakes are catastrophic events if they reach a magnitude that can make lasting damage. I do not think the surrounding communities are equipped or knowledgeable enough to know how to respond. Many are unaware of where the nearest fault is, they may even be living on it. CSU is just one of many organizations that does not take the necessary precautions to ensure safety. Programs like MyShake can help mitigate potential damage but does not educate an individual.

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