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OU to welcome Dr. Drew Pinsky on Nov. 18

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Pinsky is a practicing American board-certified internist and addiction medicine specialist who has provided practical advice on relationships and healthy living throughout his career. In 2005, he hosted the Discovery Health Channel's "Strictly Sex with Dr. Drew" as well as "Lance Armstrong: Stories of Survival," an hour long special chronicling the Tour de France champion's triumphant resurgence following a public battle with testicular cancer.

In addition to his radio and television career, Pinsky currently serves as the medical director for the Department of Chemical Dependency Services at Las Encinas Hospital and a staff member at Huntington Memorial Hospital in Pasadena, Calif. He is also an assistant clinical professor of psychiatry at the University of Southern California's Keck School of Medicine.



Dr. Drew Pinsky

This event is co-sponsored by the Student Life Lecture Board, Student Program Board and the Division of Student Affairs. The event is free and no tickets are required. For more information, contact the Center for Student Activities at (248) 370-2400.

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