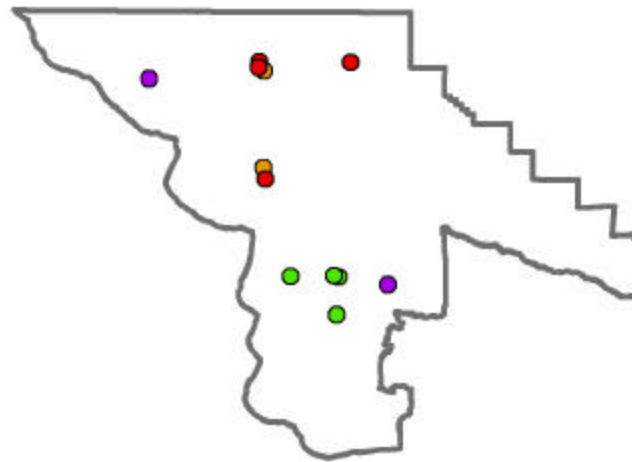


UC at in Your District

The University of California's reach goes well beyond its 10 campuses, five medical centers and three national laboratories. The University's presence is felt in each of California's 58 counties through a wide array of exemplary community partnerships, enriching cultural resources and innovative research programs. From health-care education for rural physicians to agricultural research advice for local farmers to college preparation efforts in nearly every public school, UC has a direct influence in your community. Find out more about UC programs in your district by visiting:

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UC SANTA BARBARA

UC Santa Barbara, located near District 33, with more than 9,100 employees, is the largest employer in Santa Barbara County. UC Santa Barbara's **annual economic impact is over \$239 million.** Alumni and faculty members of the **College of Engineering have started nearly 100 high-tech companies**, about half of them located on California's Central Coast. UC Santa Barbara includes a School of Environmental Science Management and a Graduate School of Education. The more than **16,000 UC alumni in the area** provide a highly skilled workforce for the region's growing technology sector.



UC NATURAL RESERVES

The UC-affiliated **Kenneth S. Norris Rancho Marino Reserve in District 33 near Cambria**, offers one of the most spectacular stretches of coastal intertidal habitat in central California – including extensive rocky shoreline and one of the largest kelp beds within this region of coast. The reserve, **one of 34 UC-affiliated natural reserves in the state**, protects the local environment and serves as a living research laboratory for faculty and the public alike.



VETERANS HEALTHCARE

The **Veterans Affairs Greater Los Angeles Healthcare System is an affiliate of the UCLA Medical Center and provides a full range of medical care to veterans in the region.** The system houses both care facilities (953 beds) and a teaching hospital, while providing a full range of patient care services using state-of-the-art technology. Outpatient clinics are located in Lancaster, Oxnard, **San Luis Obispo**, Santa Paula, Ventura, **Santa Barbara and Lompoc.**

The Puente Project runs programs at 51 community colleges and 35 high schools throughout California to increase the enrollment and retention of educationally underserved students in four-year universities and works with **Alan Hancock Community College in Santa Maria in District 33**. UCSB also has a University Extension program that works with Alan Hancock Community College. <http://www.puente.net>

The UC Davis Animal Ambassadors program uses web-based and hands-on interaction with animals to foster children's interest in science. The program uses interactive materials and written curriculum for classrooms that develop scientific inquiry and critical thinking skills. Between 3,500 - 4,000 children participated in the program between 1999-2002. The program is present in schools in Yolo, El Dorado, San Diego, **San Luis Obispo**, San Mateo, Marin, Glenn, Tehama, Los Angeles and Sacramento counties. <http://sup.ucdavis.edu/>

The UCSF Fresno Alzheimer's Research Center (ARC) conducts research and offers treatment, counseling and caregiver support for patients, families, and health care professionals. ARC is the only resource of its kind in the Central Valley. The program serves Fresno, Kern, Kings, Madera, Merced, Mariposa, Stanislaus, Tulare, **San Luis Obispo**, and Tuolumne counties. <http://www.ucsfresno.edu/alzheimer/>



UC's MESA (Mathematics, Engineering & Science Achievement) works to prepare educationally disadvantaged students for four-year colleges and universities at **several schools in District 33, including Fesler Elementary and Righetti and Santa Maria High Schools**.

<http://mesa.ucop.edu>



UC's Early Academic Outreach Program (EAOP) provides academic support, career advising, college counseling, motivational and skill-building workshops to help over 85,000 California students realize their dreams of a college

education. EAOP works with **several K-12 schools in the district, including Santa Maria High School**.

<http://www.eaop.org>

The UC Davis Oiled Wildlife Care Network strives to ensure that wildlife exposed to petroleum products in the environment receive treatment. The project's services are offered at **Pacific Wildlife Care in San Luis Obispo in District 33**.

www.vetmed.ucdavis.edu/owcn



UC's Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources Cooperative Extension provides accessible and comprehensive agricultural research information for local growers, ranchers, governments and the larger community through county

advisors at the **San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara County offices**. UC advisors work with individuals on the Central Coast to improve nutrition and to engage 4-H youth in educational activities. UC advisors also provide growers with specific research-based information for pest and disease management.

<http://www.ucanr.org>

UCLA's Regional Oncology Centers, affiliated with the world-renowned UCLA Jonsson Comprehensive Cancer Center, provide comprehensive cancer care services and investigative clinical trials at a satellite clinic in Santa Maria. Patients who come to UCLA centers for cancer care benefit from the most advanced forms of therapy available, and from a variety of supportive services.

<http://cancer.mednet.ucla.edu/clinical>

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