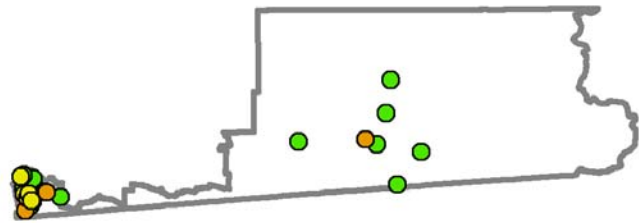


### UC in Your District

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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-  Research



### UC SAN DIEGO

UC San Diego is among the nation's top-ranked institutions of higher education, is the third largest employer in the San Diego area and has an economic impact of \$4.6 billion. In 2002 UC San Diego managed 300 new inventions, created 10 new companies and generated \$13.5 million in royalties. UC scientists have founded one in four California biotech firms – including three of the world's largest – Amgen, Genentech and Chiron. The planned Graduate Management School will support the demand for management expertise in a variety of fields including biomedicine, engineering and health care.

### UCSD MEDICAL CENTER

UC San Diego Medical Center provides services throughout the 50<sup>th</sup> Congressional District and is the region's only academic medical center. The Medical Center cares for a disproportionate share of the region's indigent and uninsured population and is the county's only Level 1 Trauma Center. The Medical Center includes a Regional Burn Center, a National Institutes of Health Clinical Research Center, the Infant Special Care Center and the region's only National Cancer Institute. The LA Jolla Medical Center site offers a range of services and includes the Shiley Eye Center, which provides pediatric and adult patients with vision services.

### UC SAN DIEGO MEDICAL CENTER - VA HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

The VA San Diego Healthcare System is an affiliate of the UC San Diego Medical Center and provides a full range of medical care to 238,000 veterans in San Diego and Imperial Counties. The system offers a wide range of inpatient and outpatient health services at the medical center in La Jolla and at the five community clinics located in Chula Vista, Escondido, Imperial Valley, Mission Valley and Vista.

## **Congressional District 51 — Bob Filner (D)**

UC alumni in this district: 4,104



**ArtsBridge** works with California public schools to provide high quality arts education and scholarships to K-12 school children. **Artsbridge works with several schools in the 51<sup>st</sup> Congressional District including Central Elementary, Kennedy Elementary and Burbank**

**Elementary.** <http://www.arts.uci.edu/ucartsbridge>



**UC's MESA (Mathematics, Engineering & Science Achievement)** works to prepare educationally disadvantaged students for four-year colleges. MESA works with several schools in the 51<sup>st</sup> Congressional District including Lincoln High School,

**Castle Park High and Castle Park Middle.**

<http://mesa.ucop.edu>

**Healthcare Access to Schools (HATS)** helps children from low-income families obtain health insurance. Since its inception, UC San Diego has provided funds and technical assistance to dozens of schools including seven schools in Chula Vista.

<http://health.ucsd.edu>



**The UC San Diego Teacher Education Program** works directly with K-12 schools and teachers in the greater San Diego area including providing hands-on teacher training at schools in the 51<sup>st</sup> Congressional District. UC San Diego has launched a program of graduate study leading to the Education Doctorate. **The**

**doctoral program will provide a research-based program in education tailored exclusively for K-12 and post-secondary professional educators** who wish to expand their knowledge in order to assume more leadership and better support teachers in local schools and community colleges. <http://www-tep.ucsd.edu/>

**BRIGHT Families** works at several sites in Chula Vista and San Diego to improve the health and self-esteem of teens living in San Diego by sharing information and options with at-risk youth. The UCSD Department of Reproductive Medicine is the lead agency for BRIGHT Families. [www.bright-families.org](http://www.bright-families.org)



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

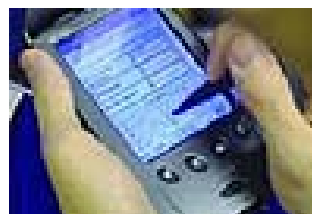
**several schools in the 51<sup>st</sup> District, including six schools in Chula Vista as well as Sweetwater School in National City.**

<http://www.eaop.org>



**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. Puente

Project works with **Castle Park High and Southwestern Community College.** Puente students graduate from 4-year universities at twice the average rate. [www.puente.net](http://www.puente.net)



To help ensure that California maintains its leadership in the rapidly changing telecommunications and information technology marketplace, **UC San Diego and UC Irvine have created the California Institute for**

**Telecommunications and Information Technology (Cal-IT)<sup>2</sup>.**

The institute teams UC researchers with leading California telecommunications, computer, software, and applications companies to conduct research on the components needed to bring the Internet and wireless technology to the next level. Researchers investigate how this future Internet will accelerate advances in environmental science, intelligent transportation, genomic medicine and educational practices. Research sites will be housed on both the UC San Diego and UC Irvine campuses. <http://www.calit2.net/>

**UC's Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources Cooperative Extension Office in San Diego County** provides comprehensive agricultural research information for local growers, ranchers, governments and the larger community. <http://www.ucanr.org>



**UC's Elliott Chaparral Reserve** is a diverse mixture of natural coastal and desert habitats that provides scientists with a host of ecological research opportunities and also serves as a teaching and community

resource for local K-12. <http://nrs.ucop.edu>

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