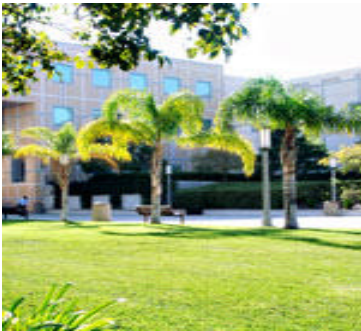
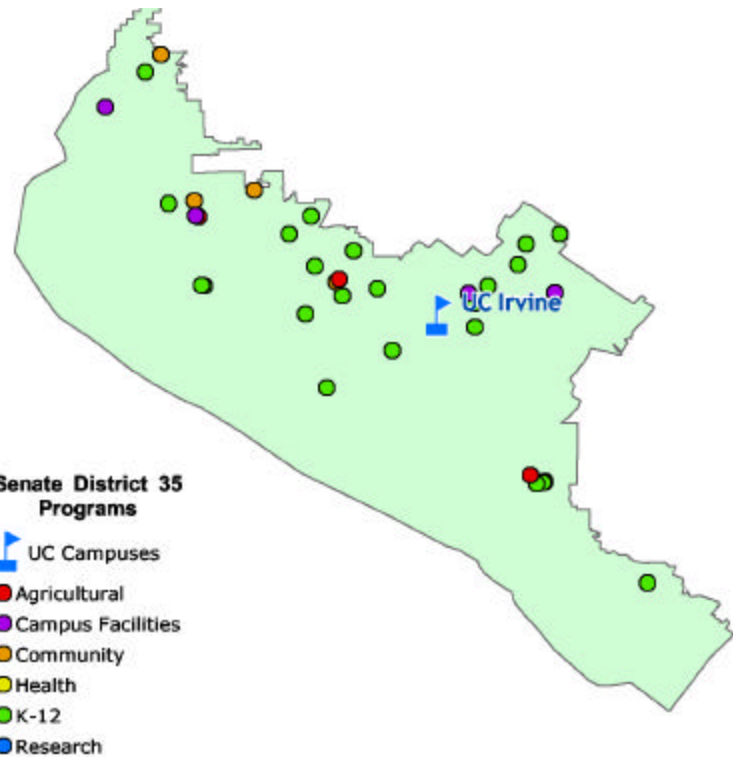


### UC in Your District

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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UC IRVINE

**UC Irvine – located in District 35, is one of the top American universities and has a \$2.35 billion economic impact on Orange County. UC Irvine is responsible for the creation of more than 15,000 jobs in Orange County.** Noted internationally for its rich academic programs, UC Irvine offers 55 undergraduate majors, 49 minors and a myriad of specializations. **UC Irvine also hosts an internationally acclaimed teaching hospital and medical center, a School of Education, a School of Management and the Henry Samueli School of Engineering.**



UC IRVINE MEDICAL CENTER

**The UC Irvine Medical Center has a strong academic reputation in neurosciences, cancer and genetics research. The UC Irvine Medical Center in Orange, the Long Beach Veterans Affairs Medical Center and the Long Beach Memorial Medical Center provide cutting-edge medical research to the general population and to a disproportionate share of the area's poor and uninsured. UCI Medical Center's 462-bed facility is Orange County's only designated comprehensive emergency service and Level I Trauma Referral Center.**



UC NATURAL RESERVE

**UC Irvine's San Joaquin Freshwater Marsh Reserve in District 35, represents one of the last remnants of freshwater wetlands that once covered much of Orange County's flood plain. The marsh was restored by UC Irvine (with grants from the Ford Foundation) and is located within a ten-minute walk of UCI, making it convenient for day use by faculty and hundreds of students annually. The Reserve serves as both an important research center and educational resource on issues such as migratory birds, water quality management and marsh ecosystems.**

**UC Irvine's Chemistry Outreach** program has teams of graduate and undergraduate students visit Orange County schools to perform demonstrations and talk about chemistry. Since 1992, over 24,000 students have been reached, including those at **Laguna Beach High, Corona del Mar High, Huntington Beach High, Marina High and Fountain Valley's Los Amigos High** – all in District 35. [www.chem.uci.edu](http://www.chem.uci.edu)



**ArtsBridge** is the arts education and outreach program of UC Irvine, providing scholarships to UCI students to teach the arts and conduct workshops in the Orange County community. **Artsbridge** works with **Huntington Beach High, Thurston Middle in Laguna Beach and Newport Coast Elementary** - all in

**District 35.** <http://www.arts.uci.edu/ucartsbridge/>

**UC's Design for Sharing** purchases thousands of tickets to events presented by UCLA Performing Arts. Tickets are distributed through social service agencies for those who could not otherwise afford to attend the events. The program works with **Cypress High in District 35.** [www.performingarts.ucla.edu](http://www.performingarts.ucla.edu)

**UC Irvine's America Reads & Counts Challenge** was launched to improve reading, language and math skills in elementary school students at **Wilson Elementary in Costa Mesa in District 35.** The program provides individual and group tutoring by UCI undergraduates in the work-study program. [www.cfep.uci.edu/K12/AmericaReads](http://www.cfep.uci.edu/K12/AmericaReads)

**UC's Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources Cooperative Extension** provides agricultural, youth development and nutrition information for local growers, nurseries, and families through county advisors at the **Orange County office.** <http://ucanr.org>

**UC Irvine's Physics Assembly** is directed at underrepresented students in grades four through eight and works with **TeWinkle Elementary in Coast Mesa in District 35.** The program aims to stimulate students' interest in science and math through entertaining demonstrations that give life to physical concepts. [www.cfep.uci.edu](http://www.cfep.uci.edu)

**UC's California Subject Matter Projects** develop teacher knowledge in K-12 subject areas by enhancing instructional strategies and developing 'teacher-leaders' – at over 500 California school districts. With the expertise of teachers and UC faculty, the program annually trains thousands of teachers through intensive summer courses at **several schools in District 35, including Hope View Elementary in Huntington Beach and Laguna Beach High.**

**UC Irvine's Humanities Out There (HOT)** serves students in the **Santa Ana Unified School District.** Undergraduate tutors work with small groups of K-12 students on focused reading and writing exercises. <http://hot.hnet.uci.edu>

**UC Irvine's Criminology Outreach Program** familiarizes students at K-12 schools in **District 35** with college course content. The program introduces intellectual pursuits and involves students in the type of policy debates that occur in the field of criminology. [www.cfep.uci.edu](http://www.cfep.uci.edu)



**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 works with the **Santa Ana**

**Unified School District and Orange Coast Community College in Costa Mesa.** Puente students graduate from 4-year universities at twice the average rate. <http://www.puente.net>

**The UCLA Mobile Eye Clinic** provides free eye exams to over 5,000 people annually in the **greater Los Angeles area.** **The mobile clinic visits** schools, agencies working with abused and foster children, and community organizations serving low-income families, the elderly, and the homeless. Patients are given eye examinations and are referred for further treatment or eye surgery if needed.



**UC's Early Academic Outreach Program (EAOP)** has provided academic support, career advising, college counseling 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 area, including Laguna Beach High and Corona del Mar High in Newport Beach in District 35.** <http://sup.ucdavis.edu/>

**UC Riverside's CE-CERT** program contributes to improved environmental quality and energy efficiency through interdisciplinary research and by providing educational opportunities for the next generation of engineers, scientists and policy-makers in the region. <http://www.cert.ucr.edu>

Research at UC's **South Coast Research and Extension Center in Irvine** has led to several U.S. patents for UC strawberry and avocado variety development.

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