



Each campus of the University has a variety of services to assist community college students both before and after they arrive at UC. This document highlights many of these programs at each UC campus. Programs are categorized as serving either prospective or admitted students. Contact information for obtaining additional details regarding many programs is also provided.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

SERVICES FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS/APPLICANTS

Office of Undergraduate Admissions—Transfer Advising

The Office of Undergraduate Admissions offers advising, counseling, evaluation and academic support services to prospective transfer students, counselors, and transfer center directors and staff. Transfer specialists provide one-on-one advising and serve as campus liaisons.

Northern California – Angela Skrivanich, (510) 642-1364, e-mail: ang@berkeley.edu

Southern California – Ana Fimbres Rafferty, (909) 985-1896, e-mail: rafferty@berkeley.edu

Center for Educational Partnership—Transfer Center

The Community College Transfer Center provides a variety of services to facilitate the transfer process for California community college transfer students who aspire to attend UC Berkeley. Advisers provide information regarding admission, application, financial aid and housing policies, and assist students throughout the application process. Additionally, the center offers individual/group academic counseling and in-service training for community college counselors.

Keith Schoon, (510) 643-7159, e-mail: schoon@berkeley.edu, Web: students.berkeley.edu/apa/cctc.htm

Campus Tours

Free campus tours are held daily, seven days a week. The 90-minute walking tours are led by trained student guides who are knowledgeable about the Berkeley campus and student life at Cal. Tours begin at 10 a.m., Monday through Friday, and leave from the Visitor Center at 101 Sproul Hall, located at the corner of Bancroft and Telegraph Avenues. Weekdays only, tours are preceded by a 30-minute admissions presentation for prospective applicants who have not yet applied to the University. No reservations are required for fewer than 10 people. Saturday tours begin at 10 a.m. Sunday tours begin at 1 p.m. Saturday and Sunday tours begin from the Campanile in the center of campus.

(510) 642-5215, e-mail: visitorinfo@berkeley.edu, Web: www.berkeley.edu/visitors

SERVICES FOR ADMITTED/ENROLLED STUDENTS

Transfer, Re-entry and Student-Parent Center

Transfer, Re-entry, and Student Parents (TRSP) offers a broad range of academic support services to diverse and unique student populations. As a unit of the Division of Undergraduate Education, TRSP supports students who transfer to UC Berkeley from other institutions, who are returning to their education after an interruption or who are combining school with parenting. As a collaborative service model, the center provides academic instruction, professional and peer advising, workshops and events, and service learning opportunities. As a supportive community, the center promotes campus and community engagement, and leadership development in support of students' academic and professional goals. The center also plays a key role in campus outreach and recruitment through participation in programs and events at Bay Area community colleges.

(510) 643-6285, Web: trsp.berkeley.edu

Eva Rivas, Director, Transfer Student Programs and Services, e-mail: erivas@berkeley.edu

Lorena Valdez, Transfer Student Programs and Services, e-mail: lvaldez@berkeley.edu

Ron Williams, Re-entry Student Programs and Services, e-mail: ronwilliams@berkeley.edu

Alice Jordan, Student-Parent Programs and Services, e-mail: ajordan@berkeley.edu

Student Parent Association for Recruitment and Retention (SPARR)

The mission of this student group is to reach out to prospective and current student parents in order to create a network of mutual support and build an inclusive, connected community.

(510) 643-5729, e-mail: spa@ocf.berkeley.edu

Miller Scholars Program

The Miller Scholars Program provides a \$7,000 scholarship and a research/community service project stipend to 10 outstanding low-income, first-generation college students who have transferred to Berkeley from California community colleges.

Javane Strong, (510) 643-6287, e-mail: jastrong@berkeley.edu, Web: www-miller.berkeley.edu

CalSO Transfer Orientation

Sponsored by Berkeley's New Student Services office, these orientation programs specifically address the needs of new transfer students and help them with their unique registration issues.

(510) 642-4970, Web: nss.berkeley.edu

Academic Achievement Programs

The Academic Achievement Programs (AAP) provide individual advising, counseling and academic support services specifically for first-generation, low-income transfer students, including a for-credit course, "The Transfer Student Perspective," transfer student tutoring across disciplines, and a computer instruction program that offers workshops and courses for credit. New transfer students who are eligible to receive AAP services are sent information before the start of the fall term.

Harold Campbell, (510) 642-8015, e-mail: hcampbel@berkeley.edu, Web: www.aad.berkeley.edu

Transfer Student Housing

On-campus housing is guaranteed for the first year to all transfer students who request it. One hall is reserved exclusively for 250 transfer and upper-division students. Transfer students may also apply to the brand-new Channing Bowditch Apartments, in addition to any of our other housing facilities.

On-Campus Housing Office, (510) 642-4108

Cephas John, Family Housing, (510) 642-4109, e-mail: cephas@berkeley.edu,

Web: www.housing.berkeley.edu/livingatcal/falltransfer.html

Child Care

Registered students with children between three months and seven years of age are eligible for developmental child care on a sliding-scale fee at one of eight sites on or near campus. Center hours vary according to the children's age.

Randi Roberts, (510) 643-6145, e-mail: randice@berkeley.edu, Web: www.housing.berkeley.edu/child

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS

SERVICES FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS /APPLICANTS

Campus Tours

Walking tours are offered to prospective students and their families Monday through Friday at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., and Saturdays at 11:30 a.m. Walking tours are available until filled and with at least a one-week advance notice. Large tour groups can be reserved with at least two weeks' notice, based upon tour guide availability. If you cannot visit UC Davis, our campus YouTube channel (youtube.com/ucdavis) provides a variety of videos about our academics, student life, events and more.

(530) 752-8111, e-mail: visit@ucdavis.edu, Web: visit.ucdavis.edu

Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)

TAG guarantees admission in writing one year in advance in the student's chosen major. TAGs reinforce the importance of the counseling relationship, and focus on completion of the transfer admission requirements and preparation for the major. UC Davis TAGs are available at all California community colleges.

(530) 752-2971, e-mail: admissions.ucdavis.edu/contact, Web: admissions.ucdavis.edu/admissions/tr_tag

Transfer Opportunity Program (TOP)

TOP is a pre-University service program provided to participating Northern California community colleges. A UC Davis undergraduate admissions adviser coordinates the program to provide information to students, community college counselors and faculty on undergraduate preparation. The TOP adviser provides transfer-preparatory advising and assistance with the application, financial aid, scholarships and housing processes. Other support services are offered through student appointments, special workshops, UC Davis campus visits and student receptions.

(530) 752-2971, e-mail: admissions.ucdavis.edu/contact, Web: admissions.ucdavis.edu/admissions/tr_top

SERVICES FOR ADMITTED/ENROLLED STUDENTS

Academic Advising

Undergraduate college deans' offices and academic departments provide academic advising to all students.

Web: admissions.ucdavis.edu/academics/advising_resources.cfm

Center for Student Involvement (CSI)

The Center for Student Involvement supports more than 450 registered student organizations. Students involved in campus life feel more connected to campus, are more satisfied with their college experience and are more likely to graduate. Many student organizations provide direct academic support and professional development. Find out how to get involved, start a student club, develop leadership skills and provide service to the campus and community through the Center for Student Involvement.

(530) 752-2027, 457 Memorial Union, Web: csi.ucdavis.edu

Child Development Centers (CDC)

UC Davis offers three Child Development Centers on campus: La Rue Park and Russell Park centers are based on the Montessori method, while Hutchinson is based on emergent curriculum and project-based learning. The Russell Park, La Rue Park and Hutchinson centers provide one caregiver for every four infants or toddlers.

Hutchinson CDC, (530) 752-3455

La Rue Park CDC, (530) 753-8716

Russell Park CDC, (530) 753-2487

Web: hr.ucdavis/worklife-wellness/Life/childcare/on-campus-childcare

Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS)

Counseling and Psychological Services offers a range of free counseling services to help you realize your academic and personal goals while at UC Davis. CAPS also provides drop-in peer counseling services offering a variety of free and confidential services in a supportive, relaxed, accessible, and non-judgmental environment.

(530) 752-0871, Web: caps.ucdavis.edu

Cross-Cultural Center (CCC)

The UC Davis Cross-Cultural Center supports and promotes campus diversity through multicultural arts and education programs, workshops and cultural events. It is a community center where community members can explore issues of ethnicity and culture. The CCC also develops and funds student opportunities to enhance their leadership potential.

(530) 752-4287, Web: ccc.ucdavis.edu

Davis Honors Challenge Transfer Program (DHC)

The Davis Honors Challenge is an innovative, open-application, campuswide honors program for highly motivated students. DHC provides students with an enhanced education through special courses, closer contact with faculty and dynamic interactions with academically motivated peers. Transfer students entering UC Davis with a cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher are encouraged to apply to the DHC program. Admitted DHC transfer students must begin the program in the fall and follow the requirements of either the second- or third-year program, depending on their class standing.

(530) 752-9797, e-mail: lrnelson@ucdavis.edu, Web: dhc.ucdavis.edu/transfer.html

Housing

Housing for transfer students is available in many forms: residence halls, apartments, cooperatives, family housing, and through fraternities and sororities. Transfer students entering UC Davis are guaranteed a year of housing or assistance finding a place to live. Single students under the age of 24 will be offered a space in the residence halls, and students 24 and over will be offered a space in a single student apartment. After the first year, students typically live in one of our on-campus apartments or in the city of Davis.

On-campus, (530) 752-2033, e-mail: studenthousing@ucdavis.edu, Web: housing.ucdavis.edu

Off-campus, (530) 752-1990, e-mail: chl@asuucd.ucdavis.edu,

Web: chl.ucdavis.edu, daviswiki.org

The Internship and Career Center (ICC)

The Internship and Career Center develops internship opportunities for students that are local, within the state, across the country and abroad. In addition, the center presents a wide array of career services including individual and group counseling, workshops and seminars, assessment programs, online listings of internships and career positions, career decision-making courses, career fairs and an on-campus recruiting program serving all majors.

(530) 752-2855, Web: iccweb.ucdavis.edu

Orientation

The comprehensive transfer student orientation program includes academic advising, registering for classes and learning about campus resources. Attending orientation is a campus expectation for all new students, as it will help them transition successfully into the University.

(530) 752-4443, e-mail: orientation@ucdavis.edu, Web: orientation.ucdavis.edu

Student Academic Success Center (SASC)

The Student Academic Success Center provides free academic assistance to all UC Davis students. Available resources include advising for pre-professional careers, academic workshops, tutoring, study skills assistance and advising.

(530) 752-2013, Web: sasc.ucdavis.edu

Services for International Students and Scholars (SISS)

Services for International Students and Scholars assists international students, scholars and UC Davis departments with visa and immigration issues. SISS also provides orientation, assistance, information and referral to international students, faculty and researchers on a range of topics. These include financial, personal, cultural and academic concerns.

(530) 752-0864, Web: siss.ucdavis.edu

Student Health Services

Student Health Services (SHS) provides campus health and wellness resources that enable students to successfully achieve their academic goals. All UC Davis students have access to these resources, which include: primary care services, specialty care services, urgent care services, preventive services, pharmaceutical services, diagnostic services, self-care resources and health promotion resources.

(530) 752-2300, Web: healthcenter.ucdavis.edu

Transfer Reentry Veterans Center (TRV)

The Transfer-Reentry-Veteran Services Office is the point of contact for new transfer students on the Davis campus. This office coordinates transfer student workshops as well as referrals to all student services units and academic departments. This department also can assist with academic advising. Located in 1210 Dutton Hall, it is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Transfer and Reentry Services, (530) 752-2200, Veterans Affairs, (530) 752-2020

Facebook: Search for Transfer-Reentry-Veteran Students Unite!!! or visit tinyurl.com/ucd-trvunit

Web: transferstudents.ucdavis.edu

WorkLife

WorkLife is the principal resource on campus for information and referrals regarding child care, elder care, wellness, workplace flexibility and the Breastfeeding Support Program. WorkLife serves as the university's liaison with the on-campus child development centers and City of Davis Child Care Services.

(530) 752-5415, e-mail: worklife@ucdavis.edu, Web: www.hr.ucdavis.edu/worklife-wellness

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE

SERVICES FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS/APPLICANTS

Honors Transfer Council of California

The council provides priority admissions consideration and enriched academic support services to high-achieving community college students who are enrolled in honors programs at their community colleges and plan to transfer to UCI. Once enrolled at UCI, these students have the opportunity to participate in several campuswide and major-specific honors programs.

Jim Waldron, (949) 824-7846, e-mail: jwaldron@uci.edu

Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)

The UC Irvine TAG provides an online self-certification process. UCI's TAG offers priority admissions evaluations to well-qualified students from all California community colleges. Admission to most majors at UC Irvine can be guaranteed through TAG for transfer students who meet the eligibility criteria and complete the procedure required to obtain a transfer admission guarantee.

Admissions and Relations With Schools, (949) 824-6703, Web: www.admissions.uci.edu/tag

Transfer Admission Services

Coordination of prospective transfer applicants' services for California community college students. Provides admission workshops, counseling, and special programs and activities to facilitate transfer.

Web: www.admissions.uci.edu

UC Irvine's Transfer Track

Offered in the fall, Transfer Track is an annual recruitment event for community college students that includes information sessions on admission and selection requirements, academic offerings, financial aid, housing and campus life.

Admissions and Relations With Schools, (949) 824-6703, Web: www.admissions.uci.edu

U Link (University Link)

U Link provides 60 Santa Ana Community College students with guaranteed admission to UC Irvine. Students also receive a UCI library card and invitations to UCI events.

Santana Ruiz, (949) 824-1015, e-mail: ruiz@uci.edu

Campus Tours

One-hour walking tours of the UCI campus are offered weekdays at noon and are conducted by UCI students. Saturday tours are offered during October, November and April. Special tours for school groups of 10 or more can be arranged during the regular academic year.

Visitor Center, (949) 824-4636, e-mail: visituci@uci.edu, Web: www.campustours.uci.edu

Housing Tours

Student-led, 45-minute walking tours of UCI's Middle Earth residential community, including a tour of a model room, are available Monday through Friday at 1:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. Tours of Arroyo Vista are available only during the campus open house, "Celebrate UCI," the third Saturday in April.

Housing Office, (949) 824-7247, e-mail: housing@uci.edu

SERVICES FOR ADMITTED/ENROLLED STUDENTS

Academic Advising

Each school or academic program (e.g., School of Biological Sciences, School of Social Sciences) has its own academic counseling office staffed by academic advisers. Students are strongly encouraged to make an appointment to discuss program planning, course prerequisites, policies and procedures.

Web: www.admissions.uci.edu/resources/academic_counseling.html

Child Services

UCI offers on-campus child-care services, including the Infant/Toddler Center, Verano Preschool, Children's Center, Extended Day Center, Early Childhood Education Center and University Montessori School of Irvine. All facilities are designed to support, nurture and enhance all areas of development.

Lisa Martinez, (949) 824-2100, e-mail: lmartin@uci.edu, Web: www.childcare.uci.edu

Creative Connections

Creative Connections is the arts education outreach program of the Claire Trevor School of the Arts. Creative Connections provides opportunities to qualified UCI students, both graduate and undergraduate, to teach arts and conduct arts-related workshops in art, dance, music and digital arts in the K-12 educational community of Orange County.

Ana Halland, (949) 824-8976, e-mail: ahalland@uci.edu

Cross Cultural Center

UCI's Cross Cultural Center provides a network of support services to enhance the personal, social, cultural and academic well-being of UCI's ethnically and culturally diverse students, and to promote the education and celebration of a multiethnic, multicultural campus community.

Kevin Huie, (949) 824-7215, Web: www.ccc.uci.edu

Orange County Bridges Baccalaureate Program

OC Bridges is designed to advance the careers of underrepresented minority community college students, especially in the field of biomedicine. Participating community colleges include: Cerritos College, Fullerton College, Orange Coast College and Santa Ana College. The program provides research training to 18 students per year, including workshops on modern laboratory techniques, weekly seminars and research projects conducted under the direction of UCI faculty. Participants receive financial support as full-time summer employees and part-time employees during the school year. Participants are expected to complete the eight weeks of full-time research in the summer.

Luis Mota-Bravo, e-mail: lmota@uci.edu

Tau Sigma National Honor Society for Transfer Students

Tau Sigma is an academic honor society designed specifically to recognize and promote the academic excellence and involvement of transfer students. UC Irvine is the first UC campus to start a Tau Sigma chapter. Transfer students who earn a GPA of 3.5 or higher their first transition quarter (12 graded units) are eligible for membership in the society. Tau Sigma members are actively involved in service to the local community.

Melissa Martinez, (949) 824-1142, e-mail: melissem@uci.edu

Transfer Success

The "Transfer Success" orientation is a one-day orientation program that exposes transfer students to the various resources and services available on campus. In addition, new students will have an opportunity to meet current UCI students and learn the "survival secrets" from the pros.

This is an optional program and does not include academic advising. However, many academic units will be offering advising in the afternoon on both Transfer Success dates.

Jill Halvaks, (949) 824-7759, e-mail: jhalvaks@uci.edu, orientation@uci.edu,

Web: www.students.uci.edu/orientation

Transfer Student Center (TSC)

TSC helps new transfer students quickly locate appropriate sources of assistance, advice, referrals and other services relevant to their educational and student life needs. TSC also has a Transfer Lounge within the program, providing transfer students with study rooms, a computer lab, and a lounge area to use with a refrigerator, microwave, water, coffee/tea and many other amenities at no charge to the transfer students. TSC also provides the "Keys to Transfer Success Mentor Program" to allow more seasoned transfer students the opportunity to assist new transfer students as they visit the Transfer Lounge. The lounge opened in fall 2007 and has been extremely popular with new and continuing transfer students at UC Irvine, servicing between 30 and 50 transfer students each day.

Angela Vega, (949) 824-1142, e-mail: transfer@uci.edu

Transfer Student Organization (TSO)

Through the TSO, transfer students at UC Irvine have the opportunity to meet new friends, seek advice on courses and campus resources, and be involved in leadership opportunities within the club. The motto for the TSO is "Bridging You to Success," and this student organization is dedicated to that purpose on the UC Irvine campus. The TSO holds biweekly meetings each quarter and is very active on campus.

E-mail: tso.uci1@gmail.com

Transfer Student Housing

UC Irvine offers transfer student housing in three on-campus communities: Campus Village, Arroyo Vista and Vista del Campo Norte. Campus Village and Vista del Campo Norte are apartment communities, and Arroyo Vista offers academic theme houses in a wide range of disciplines. All communities have live-in student staff that provide programs and opportunities for students to get to know each other. For more information, visit the prospective student page on the UCI housing website.

Web: www.housing.uci.edu/prospective

Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP)

UROP, in the Division of Undergraduate Education, encourages and facilitates research and creative activities for undergraduates in all schools and academic disciplines. UROP offers assistance to both students and faculty through all phases of their research activity, including proposal writing, developing research plans and data analysis.

Web: www.urop.uci.edu

Verano Family Housing

Verano is a community of 862 reasonably priced apartments for graduate students and families, as well as for undergraduates 25 years of age or older, couples or students with families. Verano apartments range in size from one to three bedrooms. For more information, visit the UCI housing website.

(949) 824-5964, e-mail: veranoplace@uci.edu, Web: www.housing.uci.edu/vp

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES

SERVICES FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS /APPLICANTS

Community College Transfer Recruitment Program (CCTR)

CCTR provides assistance to prospective transfer students, with a particular emphasis on students who come from groups that have historically low transfer rates to UCLA and the University of California. Transfer advisers visit local community colleges several times during the semester to provide assistance with admissions, preparation for majors, financial aid, AAP/EOP and other support services. In addition, transfer advisers provide information about the application process and assist with scheduling campus tours and programs.

Lena Brown, (310) 206-8317, e-mail: lbrown@saonet.ucla.edu

Transfer Alliance Program (TAP)

The UCLA Transfer Alliance Program (TAP) is an honors program offered at 45 participating California community colleges (CCC) that provides students with an opportunity to attend a CCC and transfer to UCLA at the junior level. TAP community colleges offer enriched academic programs and all courses necessary to transfer, including general education requirements and major-preparation classes, and have designated faculty and counselors to assist students in their transfer to UCLA. Students who successfully complete the program and satisfy transfer admission and major-preparation requirements are given priority consideration for admission to College of Letters and Science majors (except Communication Studies). TAP students also have access to the UCLA Library and select sporting events and can compete for a \$5,000 Wasserman Scholarship at UCLA, which may be renewable.

Kate Jakway Kelly, (310) 206-3347, e-mail: kjakway@saonet.ucla.edu

Rosa Pimentel, (310) 825-4697, e-mail: rpimentel@saonet.ucla.edu

Student Transfer Outreach and Mentor Program (STOMP)

STOMP is a student volunteer program sponsored by the Office of Undergraduate Admissions and Relations With Schools. The goal of the program is to increase the diversity of transfer students by providing information about UCLA and the transfer process to community college students. Current UCLA transfer students provide mentoring and tutoring, conduct workshops and presentations, and attend events at local community colleges. During the academic year, STOMP also provides campus tours to visiting community college students.

Lena Brown, (310) 206-8317, email: lbrown@saonet.ucla.edu

STOMP Coordinators, (310) 206-8118, Web: www.admissions.ucla.edu/stomp

Lecture Experience and Campus Tours

UCLA provides both individual and group tours of the campus. The 90-minute walking tours are led by current UCLA students and are given Monday through Saturday throughout the academic year. Students also have the opportunity to sit in on current UCLA classes through the Lecture Experience. Contact the Campus Tours Office for more information.

(310) 825-8764, e-mail: tours@saonet.ucla.edu

The Center for Community College Partnerships (CCCCP)

CCCCP is responsible for developing and strengthening academic partnerships between UCLA and California community colleges, particularly those with large underrepresented student populations. CCCC works closely with community college administrators, faculty and staff to strengthen and diversify curriculum, create strong academic support programs, improve students' academic competitiveness for admission to the University and increase the diversity of UCLA's transfer admit pool. In addition, CCCC staff also work closely with the Office of Undergraduate Admissions and the Community College Transfer Recruitment staff, the AAP Transfer Student Center and other campus offices to help coordinate UCLA's overall efforts with community colleges.

The center is also responsible for the UCLA Summer Intensive Transfer Experience (SITE), a six-day academic residential program, which seeks to inspire first-generation, low-income and underrepresented community college students to transfer by introducing them to the rigors of university life and by providing them with the necessary information to transfer. Students live on campus and meet UCLA faculty, staff and students. They attend writing workshops and a simulated lecture, discuss note-taking and time management, and learn about other college skills. Students participate in a series of workshops dealing with careers, majors, graduate/research programs and using the Internet for research; they also meet admissions representatives from UCLA and other UC campuses.

Alfred R. Herrera, (310) 267-4440, e-mail: aherrera@college.ucla.edu

Santiago Bernal, (310) 267-4438, e-mail: sbernal@college.ucla.edu

Web: www.ugeducation.ucla.edu/aap/cccp

Summer Research Program for Underrepresented Students (Bridges)

The primary goal of the Bridges program is to increase the number of underrepresented scientists in biomedical research by offering an enriched summer program and year-round opportunities for students to explore research careers with faculty and students at a top-ranked research university. Participating colleges are East Los Angeles, Los Angeles Southwest, Los Angeles Pierce, Los Angeles Valley and Los Angeles Harbor. Associate participating colleges are Pasadena, Santa Monica, Mount San Antonio and El Camino.

Dr. Sonia Zarate (310) 206-2680, e-mail: soniaz@lifesci.ucla.edu

SERVICES FOR ADMITTED/ENROLLED STUDENTS

AAP Transfer Student Services Office

The Academic Advancement Program (AAP) Transfer Student Services Office was established to provide counseling and mentoring services to entering and continuing AAP transfer students at UCLA. The goals are to encourage AAP transfer students to explore their talents and abilities, to believe in themselves, to set for themselves the highest standards, and to aspire to academic and personal excellence. The office employs the expertise of AAP counselors and transfer peer counselors. In addition, there is extensive information available about internships, undergraduate research and scholarship opportunities, graduate and professional schools, as well as information from other campus programs and departments. Overall, the goal is to increase the retention and graduation rate of AAP transfer students at UCLA by creating a transfer student network and community on campus.

Carina Salazar, (310) 206-1568, e-mail: csalazar@college.ucla.edu, Web: www.college.ucla.edu/up/aap/transfer

Community College Transfer Scholarship

This is a scholarship for California residents attending a California community college. Students must have a minimum GPA of 3.75 and must be U.S. citizens/permanent residents or have official refugee status. For additional information, please contact scholarships@alumni.ucla.edu or 310.825.2586

Transfer Orientation

Admitted students are invited to attend a summer orientation program that provides transfer students with a comprehensive introduction to campus life. During the summer and also prior to the winter quarter, programs are held for new undergraduates that provide extensive academic counseling and planning.

Lisa Del Villar, (310) 206-1529, e-mail: ldelvillar@college.ucla.edu, Web: <http://orientation.ucla.edu/transferstudents.htm>

Center for Academic and Research Excellence (CARE)

CARE is dedicated to the support of undergraduates majoring in science, engineering and mathematics and to promote student success as they work toward their bachelor's degrees and entrance into a graduate or professional school. The center is home to such federally funded programs as the California Alliance for More Participation (CAMP), the Howard Hughes Undergraduate Fellowship Program, Minority Scientist Development (MSD) and the MARC Undergraduate Student Training for Academic Research (U*STAR) Program. Advising and career counseling, research and teacher preparation stipends, scholarship and internship information, and other enrichment opportunities are provided.

Dr. Tama Hasson, (310) 825-9277, e-mail: tama@lifesci.ucla.edu, Web: www.care.ucla.edu

Transfer Student Association (TSA)

The TSA provides support services for transfer students. TSA sponsors programs and activities to promote student participation in the UCLA community. These include the Transfer Student Reception, Community College Outreach Program and Mentorship Program.

e-mail: tsa@asucla.ucla.edu, Web: www.studentgroups.ucla.edu/transfer

Re-Entry Program

The Re-Entry Program is sponsored by the Transfer Student Association and is coordinated by re-entry and non-traditional students. The group provides opportunities for students to discuss the rewards and challenges of returning to school and the importance of getting involved in social activities and networking. The program sponsors workshops and provides assistance in academic and personal matters, including referrals for family housing and child care.

Deborah Bolton, (310) 825-3447, e-mail: dbolton@registrar.ucla.edu

On- and Off-Campus Transfer Housing

Transfer students are guaranteed one year in University housing. Transfer and upper-division students have the opportunity to live in the residence halls, residential suites or Sunset Village, together on floors or in halls specifically for transfer and upper-division students. Other options include the University apartments or the Hilgard Houses, which hold approximately 40 students each.

Housing Assignment Office, (310) 206-7011, Web: www.housing.ucla.edu

Family Student Housing

Student families are accommodated in University Village. UCLA offers more than 1,600 apartments specifically designed for married students and single parents.

(310) 206-7011, Web: www.housing.ucla.edu

Child Care

Child care is provided for children between two months and five years of age at a variety of locations. A limited number of state grants are available. The Outreach Program helps parents make off-campus child-care arrangements. For further information, call (310) 825-8474. The University Parents Nursery School is a multicultural, cooperative school for two- to five-year-old children of UCLA students, staff and faculty. Priority is given to students living in Family Student Housing.

Child Care Services, (310) 825-5086, Web: www.childcare.ucla.edu

University Parents Nursery School, (310) 397-2735

Bruin Resource Center

Campus services for all admitted students.

Parenting Student Program Services, Vanessa Luke, (310) 206-3407, vluke@saonet.ucla.edu

Former Foster Youth Liaison, Paolo Velasco, (310) 825-4730, pvelasco@saonet.ucla.edu

Veterans Liaison, Edward Gurrola, Jr., (310) 206-2980, egurrola@saonet.ucla.edu

Career Center

The Career Center is much more than the place to go to find a job when students are ready to graduate. It is here from the first day they arrive. The Career Center can introduce students to an array of career possibilities and help them to explore the link between majors and work options.

Cara Folk, e-mail: cfolk@career.ucla.edu, Web: career.ucla.edu

Counseling & Psychological Services (CAPS)

CAPS provides consultation, training, and education to enhance the quality of student life and students mental health on campus. Our multicultural staff reflects much of the diversity found on campus and we are committed to meeting the specific needs of all students whenever possible.

(310) 825-0768, Web: www.counseling.ucla.edu

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, MERCED

SERVICES FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS /APPLICANTS

Transfer Services Office

The Transfer Services Office at UC Merced provides on-site transfer advising, application workshops and academic planning in preparation for transfer to UC Merced.

(209) 228-4682 or toll-free at (866) 270-7301, e-mail: transfer@ucmerced.edu

Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)

UC Merced recognizes that beginning a postsecondary experience at a California community college is a viable pathway to a UCM degree. As participants in UC Merced's TAG program, students receive a contract specifying the courses that are required for admission to their chosen major. TAG students will also receive individualized academic advising by a UCM transfer adviser.

(209) 228-4682 or toll-free at (866) 270-7301, e-mail: transfer@ucmerced.edu, Web: admissions.ucmerced.edu

Student Transfer Outreach and Mentor Program (STOMP)

STOMP is a volunteer student program supported by the Office of Undergraduate Admissions. The goals of the program are to mentor students at community colleges and to provide a point of contact with a network of former transfer students now enrolled at UC Merced. STOMP members provide basic advising, conduct presentations and workshops, and attend events at local community colleges.

(209) 228-4682 or toll-free at (866) 270-7301, e-mail: stomp@ucmerced.edu

Empowering to Reach Achievement (ERA) Program

The Empowering to Reach Achievement (ERA) Program targets community college bound high school seniors who are interested in transferring to a four year university or college. The ERA program works specifically with schools in Merced and Madera Counties.

(209) 228-4682, email: era@ucmerced.edu, Web: era.ucmerced.edu

Visitor Center

The Visitor Center is an exciting addition to UC Merced. Staff and enthusiastic tour guides will provide the opportunity for visitors to get an introduction to our campus and community. By answering questions and offering campus tours, directional assistance and an array of publications, the Visitor Center provides an excellent place to jump-start your experience at UC Merced.

(209) 228-6316, e-mail: tours@ucmerced.edu, Web: tours.ucmerced.edu

UCM Transfer Website

UC Merced's admissions website provides the most up-to-date information about transfer admissions, academic programs, major preparation, student life, housing, financial aid and the other exciting opportunities UC Merced has to offer.

e-mail: transfer@ucmerced.edu, Web: transfers.ucmerced.edu

SERVICES FOR ADMITTED/ENROLLED STUDENTS

Student Advising and Learning Center (SALC)

The mission of the Student Advising and Learning Center is to provide academic advising and learning support services that empower students to be successful in their academic and personal development. SALC provides academic advising for undecided and undeclared students searching for a major. Tutoring and workshops are available year-round to assist students in developing personal and academic skills, such as time management and critical thinking, that are essential to their success.

Elizabeth Boretz, (209) 228-2993, e-mail: learning@ucmerced.edu, Web: learning.ucmerced.edu

Career Services Center

The Career Services Center is available to help students during any phase of their career planning process. Individual career counseling, workshops, internships, job research libraries, and information regarding job opportunities on and off campus are all available through the Career Services Center in order to ensure the successful transition of UC Merced students to their next career goal.

Kelly Patterson, (209) 228-4259, e-mail: careerservices@ucmerced.edu, Web: careerservices.ucmerced.edu

Child Care Services

The Early Childhood Education Center (ECEC) provides care for infant to pre-kindergarten children. The facilities are designed to provide a warm, interesting, nurturing and developmentally appropriate place where each child can explore and grow.

(209) 228-5437, e-mail: ecec@ucmerced.edu, Web: ecec.ucmerced.edu

Counseling Services

Counseling Services supports the academic and personal success of students by providing short-term individual and group counseling at no cost to registered UC Merced students.

(209) 228-4266, e-mail: counseling@ucmerced.edu, Web: counseling.ucmerced.edu

Disability Services Center (DSC)

UC Merced is committed to ensuring equal educational opportunities for students with disabilities. An integral part of this commitment is the coordination of specialized academic support services through the DSC. The philosophy of the DSC is to promote independence and participation in campus life among students with disabilities. The DSC staff is available to answer questions that prospective students may have about services for students with disabilities, and provides information to faculty regarding working with students with disabilities.

(209) 228-6996, e-mail: disabilityservices@ucmerced.edu, Web: disability.ucmerced.edu

Housing and Residence Life

Student Housing and Residence Life provides services and support to UC Merced transfer students in their search for the most suitable housing arrangements, on and off campus, to accommodate their lifestyle.

(209) 228-4663, e-mail: housing@ucmerced.edu

Orientation

The New Student Orientation program introduces transfer students to a variety of student services and activities to help them successfully transition to the University. Transfer students will also receive a one-on-one advising session after which they will be able to initially register for classes.

(209) 228-7252, e-mail: orientation@ucmerced.edu, Web: orientation.ucmerced.edu

Transfer Day

Transfer Day is designed to give admitted students a firsthand look at UC Merced from a transfer student perspective. The day will feature a campus tour, current student panel, faculty presentations and various presenters from student service programs.

(209) 228-4682, e-mail: transfer@ucmerced.edu, Web: admissions.ucmerced.edu

Veterans Service Office

The Veterans Service Office provides information and services to students who qualify for veterans educational benefits. Qualified candidates are encouraged to begin communicating with the Veterans Service Office as soon as possible.

(209) 228-2736, e-mail: aguillen3@ucmerced.edu

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE

SERVICES FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS /APPLICANTS

Undergraduate Admissions—Transfer Advising

The Office of Undergraduate Admissions offers advising, counseling, evaluation and academic support services to prospective transfer students, counselors, and transfer center directors and staff. Transfer specialists provide one-on-one advising and serve as campus liaisons.

Transfer Resource Center, (951) 827-5307, e-mail: transfer@ucr.edu, Web: my.ucr.edu

Northern California: Chandara Phanachone, 951-452-4843, e-mail: chandara.phanachone@ucr.edu

Transfer Resource Center (TRC)

Transfer students are a vital part of the UCR community. That's why we created the TRC, a centralized center designed exclusively for prospective and current transfer students. The TRC helps new transfer students quickly locate appropriate sources of assistance, advice, referrals and other services relevant to their educational and student life needs. The TRC provides a study area, a computer lab, free printing and a lounge area. The TRC also houses the Transfer Link Mentor program (see below). The TRC can help you not only survive the transfer experience, but thrive at UC Riverside.

TRC's website includes specific information on admission (including campus selection requirements and priorities), details on UC Riverside's undergraduate colleges, transfer paths, financial aid, housing, ASSIST and other campus services and resources available for transfer students.

Transfer Resource Center, (951) 827-5307, e-mail: transfer@ucr.edu, Web: trc.ucr.edu

Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)

Students can begin their studies at a community college and finish with a bachelor's degree at UCR. All those students whose coursework is taken exclusively at California community colleges and who plan to transfer to UCR are invited to participate. TAG participants who fulfill the provisions of their contract and apply for admission to UCR during the appropriate period receive priority application consideration and guaranteed admission to UCR. TAG contracts are written for all UCR majors.

TAG web: <https://uctag.universityofcalifornia.edu/index.cfm>

Skype/Tele-counseling

Throughout the year, the Transfer Resource Center arranges transfer counseling at non-local community colleges via telephone and Skype. Students arrive at their community college transfer center at an assigned time and speak by phone or Skype with a UCR transfer counselor.

Contact the TRC for details or an appointment.

STEM Transfer Friday (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics)

STEM Transfer Friday is an exciting and informative program that gives prospective transfer students and their families a comprehensive overview of the STEM fields. Transfer students have the opportunity to tour the engineering and natural sciences labs, speak with faculty and tour the UC Riverside campus.

Lena Tisdale, (951) 827-6701, lena.tisdale@ucr.edu

Transfer Link Mentors

Current UCR transfer students provide mentoring to prospective transfer and re-entry students, as well as conduct workshops and presentations and attend events at local community colleges. During the academic year, Transfer Link mentors also lead campus tours for visiting community college students. Each quarter, mentors are available to answer questions, provide information and connect with entering students.

Ricardo Vargas, (951) 827-5307, e-mail: Ricardo.vargas@ucr.edu, web: trc.ucr.edu

Campus Tours

The student group UC Riverside Ambassadors leads tours of the campus throughout the year. Guests get an up-close look at the beautiful campus and learn about its history—and its future—as the students showcase its buildings, parklike grounds and dynamic new facilities.

Alex Ruiz, (951) 827-5045, e-mail: tour@ucr.edu, web: visit.ucr.edu

SERVICES FOR ADMITTED/ENROLLED STUDENTS

Highlander Orientation for Transfers (HOT)

Highlander Orientation for Transfers is designed to help you get the most out of your UCR experience: work closely with academic advisors who can provide you with guidance specific to your major and prior academic history. During your one-day orientation you will meet with staff from your academic college, learn about classes in your major, register for fall classes, learn how to use the online GROWL registration system, UCR's R'mail and iLearn, and take your picture for your UCR ID Card. This is also an opportunity to get to know UCR's campus and its resources and make friends with other transfer students. On average, transfer students who attend HOT perform better academically.

Robert Penman, (951) 827-3411, e-mail: robert.penman@ucr.edu, web: transferorientation.ucr.edu

Child Care

UCR's Child Development Center provides child care for infants through kindergarten-age children. Innovative programs are offered in both the morning and afternoon.

(951) 827-3854, Web: childreasureservices.ucr.edu

Housing

A variety of housing options exists for transfer students on and off campus in residence halls, apartments and the family housing complex.

(951) 827-6350, Web: housing.ucr.edu

UCR Alumni Association Re-Entry Scholarship

In 1985, three former re-entry students, Joyce Vickery ('74, '76 M.A.), Barbara Moore ('78, '83 M.A.), and Peggy Voss established the Re-Entry Scholarship to provide assistance to mature students whose education was interrupted by two or more years. This volunteer-driven effort has raised an endowment of more than \$40,000. To be considered, an applicant must:

- Be a reentry student, over age 25, pursuing a bachelor's degree after an interruption in his or her education of at least two years
- Provide a complete application packet including transcripts and letters of recommendation
- Have financial need as determined by the UCR Financial Aid Office

(951) 827-4511, e-mail: ucalum@ucr.edu, Web: www.alumni.ucr.edu

GradTrack

The GradTrack program is designed to encourage and assist UCR undergraduates who are thinking about going to graduate or professional schools. While these services are available to all interested students, the mission of the program is to assist underrepresented and first-generation college students to achieve a post-baccalaureate education.

(951) 827-3721, Web: learningcenter.ucr.edu

Academic Tutoring/Learning Center

The Academic Tutoring/Learning Center is made up of a team of educators, counselors and advanced students who provide a variety of services to help students succeed in their college classes. The center regularly sees first-year students (freshman and transfer), students on academic probation, those on the dean's list and more. Almost all services are free.

(951) 827-3721, Web: learningcenter.ucr.edu

Student Special Services Office

Every student at UC Riverside deserves the opportunity to make the most of their university experience. That's why UCR works hard to ensure that students with disabilities have equal access to educational programs and can fully participate in all aspects of campus life. Our department also provides services for Veterans and eligible family members.

Lenita Kellstrand, (951) 827-3861, e-mail: lenita.kellstrand@ucr.edu, Web: specialservices.ucr.edu/veterans

Transfer Workshops

The TRC offers transfer workshops for new transfer students. Presentation and counseling sessions provided by the Career Center, the Learning Center, Student Life and Leadership, and other offices play a key role in the success of our transfer students. Transfer workshops are available throughout the fall, winter and spring quarters.

Ricardo Vargas, (951) 827-5307, e-mail: ricardo.vargas@ucr.edu

Transfer Student Association (TSA)

Through TSA, transfer students at UC Riverside have the opportunity to meet new friends, seek advice on courses and campus resources, and be involved in leadership opportunities.

Ricardo Vargas, (951) 827-5307, e-mail: ricardo.vargas@ucr.edu, [TransfersUCR@groups.facebook.com](https://www.facebook.com/TransfersUCR/)

Tau Sigma National Honor Society for Transfer Students

Tau Sigma is an academic honor society designed specifically to recognize and promote the academic excellence and involvement of transfer students. Transfer students who earn a GPA of 3.5 or higher in their first transition quarter are eligible for membership in the society. Tau Sigma members are actively involved in service to the local community. UC Riverside was the second UC campus to start a Tau Sigma chapter, in 2007.

Ricardo Vargas, (951) 827-5307, e-mail: ricardo.vargas@ucr.edu, Web: tausigmanhs.org/

Veterans Service Office

The Veterans Service Office provides information and services to students who qualify for veterans educational benefits. Qualified candidates are encouraged to begin communicating with the Veterans Service Office as soon as possible.

Lenita Kellstrand, (951) 827-3861, lenita.kellstrand@ucr.edu

Operation Education Scholarship

Operation Education provides assistance to United States military veterans who have sustained a severe and permanent injury while serving our nation since September 11, 2001 and seeks to provide them with the means to pursue a college degree and start the next phase of their lives. Recipients must be UC-eligible. Spouses are also eligible for the program.

Lenita Kellstrand, (951) 827-3861, e-mail: lenita.kellstrand@ucr.edu, Web: operationeducation.ucr.edu/

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO

SERVICES FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS /APPLICANTS

Transfer Student Services

UCSD's Transfer Student Services offers a variety of programs and services (many of which are outlined below) to help students make a smooth transition from community college to the University.

(858) 534-4831, e-mail: transferinfo@ad.ucsd.edu, Web: admissions.ucsd.edu

Admissions Counselors

Questions about the admissions process? Ask our admissions counselors.

(858) 534-4831, e-mail: transferinfo@ad.ucsd.edu

Campus Tours

Students lead walking tours of the UC San Diego campus at 11 a.m. Monday through Saturday, excluding holidays. These 90-minute tours are followed by a one-hour general information session at 1:15 p.m., led by an admissions officer. Special tours are available for groups of 20 or more. We invite community college groups to visit our campus and are happy to arrange admissions presentations and student panels to complete the visit.

(858) 822-1455, e-mail: campustours@ucsd.edu

Admissions Webinars

Free online information sessions presented by staff from academic and student life, students, and an admissions officer. Students can sign up individually or as a class or family group, and get an introduction to UC San Diego plus details about eligibility requirements and deadlines in about 45 minutes, with time for Q&A.

College Week Live Virtual Open House

Free online virtual college fair with information, downloads, and access to an Admissions Officer.

"UCSD for a Day"

This service allows prospective transfer students to experience the classroom setting firsthand. Each quarter, a list of UCSD classes that are open to the public is published for visiting students. Lists are available at the Office of Admissions and Relations With Schools. Reservations are not required.

(858) 534-4831, Web: admissions.ucsd.edu

Pre-Admission Counseling

UCSD admissions officers are available to answer counseling questions via telephone or on a walk-in basis Monday through Thursday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(858) 534-4831, Web: admissions.ucsd.edu

Community College Visits

UCSD admissions officers conduct regular visits to all San Diego and Imperial County community colleges as well as to select community colleges in Orange County, Los Angeles and the San Francisco Bay Area. Visits include classroom and student-group presentations along with individual appointments that include advising on admission requirements, major preparation, general education programs, financial aid and support services.

(858) 534-4831

College Ambassadors

Serving San Diego County, these UCSD transfer students give motivational presentations about college preparation and the university experience to prospective transfer students during community college campus visits.

(858) 822-1684

Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)

TAG offers guaranteed admission to students who complete 60 semester units of UC transferable credit and who complete full IGETC certification one full regular term prior to transfer; UC math and English courses must be completed by end of fall term prior to fall admission; and students must earn a 3.5 GPA in all UC transferable courses by end of fall term prior to fall admission, and then maintain a 3.5 GPA through end of spring term prior to fall admission. TAG is available to all California community college students and is available for fall quarter only.

Timothy Borch, (858) 534-4831, Web: admissions.ucsd.edu

UniversityLink

This program offers guaranteed admission to high school seniors from feeder high schools who successfully complete specific academic and UniversityLink program requirements at a participating community college. UniversityLink partnerships are currently established with East Los Angeles College, Cuyamaca College, Grossmont College, Mira-Costa College, Palomar College, San Diego City College, San Diego Mesa College, San Diego Miramar College, Southwestern College, Imperial Valley College and participating high schools.

Timothy Borch, (858) 534-4831, Web: admissions.ucsd.edu

UCSD Website

UCSD's admissions website includes the Transfer Advantage brochure, which features specific information on admission (including campus selection requirements and priorities), details on UCSD's six colleges and resources for UCSD transfer students. An enrollment checklist, a GPA calculator, and links to UCSD's undergraduate colleges, OASIS, the Financial Aid Office, Off-Campus Housing, ASSIST and other campus services are also on the website. Each fall, a link to UC's online application is added.

Web: admissions.ucsd.edu

Transfer Friday

Transfer Friday is an exciting program that gives prospective transfer students and their families a comprehensive overview of key services available to help support their successful transfer to UC San Diego.

Timothy Borch, (858) 534-4831

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"TransferLink"

This newsletter for newly admitted transfer students can be found on the admissions website. It covers campus services and tips for transfer students, and includes an invitation to Transfer Admit Day.

Web: admissions.ucsd.edu

Just for Transfers

Commuter and Transfer Student Services are available through each of the six colleges. Services for transfer students include social and recreational events, the Commuter Lounge, leadership opportunities and mentor programs.

All-Campus Transfer Association (ACTA)

ACTA is the largest on-campus student organization dedicated to the well-being of transfer students. Though mostly involved in social programming, ACTA also strives to create greater awareness of transfer student issues on campus.

Web: transfer.ucsd.edu

Transfer Admit Day

Newly admitted transfer students are invited to experience UCSD firsthand. The day-long event includes an introduction to the six-college system, workshops to assist students in navigating the University, a transfer student panel, academic department presentations, student services information tables and UCSD campus tours.

Web: admissions.ucsd.edu/transferadmitday

Orientation and Registration

Admitted students receive the transfer student orientation schedule and information after they submit their Statement of Intent to Register. Orientation and registration are conducted by each UCSD college. During orientation, students have the opportunity to review their transferable coursework and progress toward their degree individually with a college academic adviser. In addition, this is when newly admitted transfer students register for fall courses.

All-Campus Transfer Socials

Hosted by the six college deans' offices for transfer students campuswide, these social events include information on educational opportunities, extracurricular activities and support services, and are an excellent way for new transfer students to meet each other.

Commuter Student Services

This rental and referral information resource center maintains up-to-date listings of nearby rentals, offers a roommate search service and a variety of helpful house-hunting tips, and provides information regarding commuting options. Students can take advantage of these services as soon as they have been admitted to the campus by showing their official notice of admission.

(858) 534-3670, Web: offcampushousing.ucsd.edu

Transfer Student Housing: The Village at Torrey Pines

The Village is a live · play · eat community of apartments and retail spaces designed especially for transfer students. The neighborhood consists of Village West and Village East, a total of 13 buildings, two of which are high rises with incredible ocean views. All of our resident apartment homes feature modern amenities and a sleek design aesthetic. The best part? They're affordable, and in a prime location—right on campus!

Web: <http://hdh.ucsd.edu/thevillage>

Triton Transfer Connect

Commuter Student Services provides this comprehensive housing workshop for newly admitted transfer students to support them in their search for off-campus housing. The workshop includes an overview of off-campus housing opportunities, an introduction to commuting options, and a tutorial on using the Commuter Student Services housing lists and roommate matching service. A panel of current students offers tips and tricks for making living off campus a positive experience. The afternoon concludes with free access to Internet and telephones so attendees can select and schedule appointments with potential landlords.

Web: offcampushousing.ucsd.edu

Career Services Center

Career Services offers career planning and guidance, part-time employment listings, job fairs, internship listings, electronic career portfolio, and extensive graduate and professional school counseling and resources.

(858) 534-3750, Web: career.ucsd.edu

Child Care

Several campus programs are available for students with children. The Early Childhood Education Center (ECEC) provides full-time day care for children from the ages of 11 months to six years, including a newly developed kindergarten curriculum. The International Center Nursery School provides cooperative part-time day care for preschoolers and a transitional toddler program.

(858) 246-0916, Web: child.ucsd.edu

International Center Nursery School, e-mail: icns@ucsd.edu

Married Student and Single Parent Housing

Three facilities provide the highest level of flexibility and choice for students with families. UCSD's Affiliated Housing staff are responsible for leasing, community development and daily administration of these properties.

(858) 822-3293, Web: hds.ucsd.edu/hsgaffil

OASIS

The Office of Academic Support and Instructional Service (OASIS) provides a variety of exceptional services to assist students in developing the academic skills necessary to excel at UCSD and in graduate and professional school. Tutorials and skill-management services are available to registered students at no charge.

(858) 534-3760, Web: oasis.ucsd.edu

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA

SERVICES FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS/APPLICANTS

Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)

UCSB has established TAGs for fall terms with all public California community colleges. The TAG includes most majors in the College of Letters and Science excluding Dance, B.A., and majors with B.F.A. or B.Music objectives. TAGs have also been established for majors in the College of Engineering. For more specific details, students should refer to www.assist.org and search under articulation agreements by major between UCSB and their community college, or www.admissions.ucsb.edu/taginfo.asp.

Blia Yang, (805) 893-5795, e-mail: blia.yang@sa.ucsb.edu

Visitor Center

Prospective transfer students are encouraged to visit the campus Monday through Friday throughout the year. A UCSB admissions counselor presents an Explore UCSB session Monday through Friday (excluding University holidays) at 11 a.m. in the Visitor Center. These sessions give prospective students an overview of what UCSB has to offer. Campus tours are offered at noon, and at 2 p.m. Spring Insight open house is held in April. Reservations are required for the session. Please call (805) 893-8175 (pre-recorded message) to confirm dates, times and locations.

Individuals Visiting UCSB, (805) 893-8175

Community College Groups Visiting UCSB, (805) 893-3331, Web: www.admissions.ucsb.edu/visitucsb

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Admissions Status and Receipt of Transcripts

The following website is available to check for admissions status and receipt of transcripts.

Web: www.admissions.ucsb.edu

Transfer Student Orientation

Orientation sessions designed specifically for transfer students provide a welcome to campus, academic advising and priority registration for classes. Admitted students who submit their Statement of Intent to Register (SIR) will receive orientation information.

(805) 893-3443, Web: www.sa.ucsb.edu/orientation

Gacho Transfer Fridays

In May, admitted transfer students are invited to learn more about this opportunity. Presentations provide students with information on campus deadlines, financial aid, housing options, summer session opportunities and perspectives from current transfer students. Students are encouraged to visit the admissions website to participate in Gacho Transfer Fridays.

Web: www.admissions.ucsb.edu/visitucsb

Summer Transitions

Transitions is an exciting summer-term opportunity for newly admitted UCSB transfer students, designed to facilitate a smooth adjustment to the University. As a part of this program, students will attend individual academic advising sessions designed to help participants choose and enroll in appropriate summer courses. Along with attending classes, Transitions students will be introduced to the various aspects of student life at UCSB through academic and social opportunities such as connecting with other students at social events, attending special academic and practical workshops, gaining familiarity with a university on the quarter system, receiving an introduction to on-campus services and much more. The tools gained during the summer Transitions program will prove to be valuable throughout a student's experience at UCSB.

Summer Sessions, (805) 893-2315, Web: www.summer.ucsb.edu/transitions/transitions.html

University-Owned Housing for Transfer Students

Transfer students may choose from a variety of housing options. Admitted students apply online for campus residence halls, University-affiliated residence halls and University-owned apartments. Persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply for the Santa Ynez, El Dorado and Westgate apartments.

Web: www.housing.ucsb.edu

Residence Halls, (805) 893-5513

Single Student Apartments (805) 893-4021

Community Housing

Students looking for privately owned housing near UCSB are encouraged to contact the Community Housing Office (CHO). Student peers and full-time professionals serve as a one-stop resource for rental housing information and referrals.

(805) 893-4371, Web: www.housing.ucsb.edu/hchoices/cho-general-info.htm

University-Owned Family Student Housing

Married students with spouses living with them full time or students with children are eligible to apply for an apartment in one of the three family student housing complexes owned and managed by the University. West Campus (250 units) offers one-bedroom flats and two-bedroom town houses. Storke I (300 units) offers two-bedroom town houses, and Storke II (42 units) offers two-bedroom flats. There is a waiting period of approximately nine to 23 months, depending on apartment preference. To get on the waitlist, contact Family Student Housing.

(805) 893-4021, Web: www.housing.ucsb.edu/hchoices/fsh-general-info.htm

Child Care

There are a variety of child-care options available to UCSB students with families. For more information and a comprehensive listing, refer to the Children's Center website.

University Children's Center, (805) 893-3665, Web: childrenscenter.sa.ucsb.edu

Women's Center: Re-Entry and Nontraditional Services

Students returning to the University after an interruption in their formal education often face challenges not confronted by students of traditional college age. The Women's Center offers workshops, coffee hours, free lockers, and a quiet place for women, men and their children to relax and meet others. Contact the Women's Center regarding A.S. Child Care Grants and priority registration for eligible students with dependents.

(805) 893-3778, Web: www.sa.ucsb.edu/women'scenter

EOP Transfer and Re-Entry Program

The Educational Opportunity Program has professional and peer counselors who are committed to easing the transition to UCSB for EOP participants who are transfer, re-entry or nontraditional students. EOP provides advice, referrals and information about services available on campus and in the community. Support groups for student parents are open to all interested students. The EOP Parent Network program offers parents the opportunity to discuss the challenges and joys of raising children while attending college.

Lupe Navaro-Garcia, EOP Office, (805) 893-4758, e-mail: eop@sa.ucsb.edu,

Web: www.sa.ucsb.edu/eop/home/transfercontinuingervices.aspx

The First-Year Transfer Experience

UCSB is committed to assisting transfer students make a successful transition to a public research university. As a result, programs were created to facilitate development of skills necessary to succeed at UCSB. A Transfer Success Course, Education 118 helps students have a positive academic and social experience. Topics cover academic, social and personal issues that are relevant to transfer students. In addition, the Transfer Mentor Team helps students make a smooth adjustment to UCSB. The Transfer Mentor Team consists of professional staff who work at UCSB. Mentors reach out to transfer students through monthly electronic newsletters that feature services, events and advice. Mentors are also available for one-on-one appointments to coach students in finding solutions, making referrals as appropriate.

www.sa.ucsb.edu/OSL/fye/firstyear_transfer.html

UCSB Internship and Job Opportunities Directory: GAUCHOLink

GAUCHOLink is the UCSB online job-listing system that contains a comprehensive listing of both on- and off-campus positions offering part-time and career-related experience needed for today's job market. Each listing gives a brief description of the program and position responsibilities, including time commitment, compensation, and when, how and where to apply. GAUCHOLink, available on the Career Services website, also gives suggestions on getting experience nationally as well as internationally.

Career Services, (805) 893-4412, Web: www.career.ucsb.edu

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ

SERVICES FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS /APPLICANTS

Campus Tours

The Office of Admissions offers campus tours year-round on weekdays for prospective and admitted students and their families, as well as for schools, educational programs or community-based organizations in groups of six or more people. Reservations are required for all tours. Tours fill up early (especially during spring holidays), so reserve ahead.

Web: admissions.ucsc.edu/campustours, (831) 459-4008, e-mail: visits@ucsc.edu

Admissions Information for International and Out-of-State Students

Web: admissions.ucsc.edu/apply/international-students and admissions.ucsc.edu/apply/out-of-state-students

Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)

The UCSC TAG program offers guaranteed admission to qualified junior-level transfer students from all California community colleges. To apply for a UCSC TAG, students must have completed a minimum of 30 UC-transferable semester units (45 quarter units), have a GPA of at least 3.0 and be registered at one of the participating community colleges. Other qualifications for a UCSC TAG can be found at: admissions.ucsc.edu/apply/transfer-students/tag.html. UCSC TAG offers are for the fall quarter only; the filing period is September 1-30. The TAG Application is available at <https://uctag.universityofcalifornia.edu/>.

Web: admissions.ucsc.edu/apply/transfer-students/tag.html, (831) 459-2131, e-mail: tag@ucsc.edu

Transfer Information Sessions

For prospective junior transfer students and their families, the Office of Admissions offers transfer information sessions. Transfer students meet with a small group and have their transfer-related questions answered by an adviser in the Office of Admissions. *Please note that pre-evaluations of transcripts are not available as part of the workshop.*

Web: admissions.ucsc.edu/transferworkshops

Transfer Partnerships Program

Students enrolled at one of the participating California community colleges may join the Transfer Partnerships Program. This program provides advising and guidance, campus visits, special events and other activities for students interested in transferring to the University of California. Staff members assist individuals wishing to transfer to UC Santa Cruz in earning a guaranteed transfer through the UCSC TAG Program. Community colleges that are served by the Transfer Partnerships Program include Cabrillo College, Cañada College, College of San Mateo, De Anza College, Evergreen Valley College, Foothill College, Gavilan College, Hartnell College, Mission College, Monterey Peninsula College, San Jose City College, Skyline College and West Valley College.

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SERVICES FOR ADMITTED/ENROLLED STUDENTS

STARS: Services for Transfer and Re-Entry Students

STARS provides support services to students who are entering UCSC from community colleges or four-year institutions, undergraduates 25 or older or graduate students 29 or older, individuals who have had a substantial break in their college education and are returning to school, military veterans, former foster youth, and all students who are also parents. The program offers a wide range of academic and personal services, including advising, tutorial services, academic skills courses and workshops, writing programs, orientations, topical seminars, support groups, social events, family services, veterans' programs and scholarships.

STARS has several resource centers on campus. STARS and the Student Veterans Resource Center at the Academic Resources Center, plus STARS at Kresge are comfortable places to study, relax and meet friends. An open-door policy allows students to obtain assistance with admissions, academic and personal issues. Computer workstations, couches, mini-kitchens with coffee and tea, and reading material make each of these centers a home away from home for many students during their stay on campus. In addition, STARS offers a Peer Advising Center at Porter College, serving the Transfer Community at Porter.

STARS also offers support services to Karl S. Pister Leadership Opportunity Award recipients and administrators Smith Renaissance Scholars, a program for former foster youth. Selectively chosen, Pister Scholars are UCSC transfer students from 13 regional community colleges who have shown exceptional academic achievement despite adversity and who have demonstrated commitment to improving the lives of others. Each Pister Scholar receives a \$20,000 scholarship over two years, mentorship, priority enrollment and guaranteed on-campus housing. For Smith Renaissance Scholars, STARS offers a network of educational support services that includes an academic counselor, a UC transfer adviser, transfer application assistance, financial aid advising and scholarships, leadership training and opportunities, mentorships, social events and priority enrollment.

STARS also sponsors COMET (College Odyssey: Making Easier Transitions), a program for admitted transfer students in the spring quarter. Students are invited to campus to meet with an assigned transfer or re-entry student mentor. The mentors show the admitted students around campus, take them to a class or two in their area of academic interest, and answer any questions about transferring to UC Santa Cruz.

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Educational Opportunity Programs (EOP)

The EOP Office provides a broad range of academic support programs designed to improve the retention and academic success of educationally disadvantaged, first-generation college and low-income students. These services are designed to ensure that EOP students successfully complete their undergraduate education and acquire the skills that will prepare them for future leadership roles and for graduate and professional school opportunities. Services are organized to promote access to important academic and personal development resources, and include academic advising and personal counseling, time management and study skills development, peer advising, community events, pre-graduate programs and leadership development opportunities.

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Summer Orientation and Fall Welcome Week

Newly admitted transfer students attend the Summer Orientation Program on Friday, July 22, 2011, to meet with advisers, find out about academic requirements and course selection, and connect to vital resources. Orientation is an indispensable resource for all students. Students who attend Orientation feel better prepared, encounter fewer problems and receive priority class enrollment before other students who do not attend Orientation. A full slate of orientation programs is also scheduled for September.

Web: orientation.ucsc.edu, (831) 459- 5468, e-mail: orientation@ucsc.edu

Office of International Education

OIE supports UCSC's teaching, research and service missions. We aim to inspire the university community to strengthen global understanding by transcending borders and transforming international partnerships.

Web: oie.ucsc.edu/index.html, (831) 459-2858, e-mail: oie@ucsc.edu

Career Center

The Career Center is dedicated to providing comprehensive, quality career development and employment programs that will successfully prepare our diverse student community for future careers. The Career Center provides individual advising, handouts, workshops, job and graduate school fairs, internships, part-time on- and off-campus jobs, a student employment recognition awards program, career positions and assistance with the graduate school application process.

Web: careers.ucsc.edu, (831) 459-4420, e-mail: career-center@ucsc.edu

Academic Advising

UCSC students have access to advising in their college and in their major department. Each of the 10 colleges and most of the major departments at UC Santa Cruz provide separate sessions for transfer students during summer advising workshops and the orientation programs held at the start of each quarter. A number of colleges and departments have peer advising programs to supplement the services offered by professional staff and faculty. Contact individual college or department offices for additional information.

Web: advising.ucsc.edu, Web site for major preparation advising: advising.ucsc.edu/roadmap/premajors, e-mail: advising@ucsc.edu

Child Care Programs

UC Santa Cruz Early Education Services offers several campus child-care programs for children of students. Enrollment is limited so early application is encouraged. Free or reduced rates are available to low-income students who qualify.

Web: housing.ucsc.edu/childcare, (831) 459-2967

Campus Life Resource Centers

The Office of Campus Life and Dean of Students works in partnership with students to foster leadership, scholarship and social responsibility, and is committed to providing a campus climate that ensures student matriculation, personal and intellectual growth, timely graduation and career preparation. Centers include the African American Student Life and Resource Center; American Indian Resource Center; Asian American/Pacific Islander Resource Center; Chicano/Latino Student Life Resource Center; Lionel Cantu Gay, Lesbian, Transgender, Intersex Resource Center; and Women's Center.

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Transfer Student Living and Learning Community

For many transfer students, the opportunity to live on campus is an important part of the university experience. The Transfer Community, located at Porter College, is a living/learning environment offering special programs for transfer students and is designed to help students transition to campus life and get the most out of their UCSC experience. Incoming transfer students who choose university housing will reside at the Transfer Community in the newly-renovated Porter residence halls (regardless of their college affiliation) among other students with diverse academic ambitions and interests. This learning community encourages students to build a strong connection with UCSC while providing a supportive environment for academic success and personal growth.

Family Student Housing offers a unique year-round living experience for students and their families (spouse or domestic partner, other relative, or dependent children). Students and their families enjoy spacious two-bedroom townhomes, most including a balcony area or small yard. Facilities also include a counseling center, play areas, and laundry rooms. UCSC Early Education Services offers several child care programs, serving children ranging in age from 14 months to 12 years.

In addition, the Community Rentals Office provides listings of available off-campus rentals. The office also offers tenant/landlord advising and provides rental agreements and other forms.

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Community Rentals Office, (831) 459-4435, e-mail: communityrentals@ucsc.edu

Family Student Housing, Web: housing.ucsc.edu, (831) 459-2549, e-mail: fsh@ucsc.edu