

UCOP Restructuring Update for week of December 8

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Colleagues:

This week we have staffing news for two units and important reminders on upcoming events.

Office of Strategic Change Resources

Deanna Dudley and **Karla Campbell** have been named co-leaders of the new Office of Strategic Change Resources, which is charged with continuing to support the OP restructuring effort as well as to lead future change efforts at OP and on the campuses. Previously, Deanna served as a senior negotiator in systemwide Human Resources (HRB), and Karla was a project manager for HRB Information Systems and Support. A third project leader position remains opened and will be filled in the next few weeks.

Strategic Resource Coordination Team

Three positions in the Strategic Resource Coordination Team (SRCT), (previously called Division Operations Coordination) have now been filled. **Linda McMullen** of UCOP HR and **Venus Kirk** in the Office of Office of Technology Transfer have been named to positions supporting Academic Affairs and the Academic Senate, and **Annette Mora**, IR&C, has accepted a position supporting Business Operations, External Affairs, Health Science and Services, and the President's Office. The SRCT manages and coordinates divisional activities related to human resource actions, budget/fiscal analysis, facilities/space coordination, and large meeting/conference planning. They provide operational expertise and consultation to department managers and supervisors in these areas.

Annette is currently interviewing existing applicants for two additional positions supporting Business Operations. The Fiscal Resource Coordinator, supporting Academic Affairs, remains open for application until Dec 11. See the UCOP jobs website (<https://jobs.ucop.edu>) for more information.

Upcoming workshops

Don't forget about the UCOPA-sponsored workshops, "Taking Care of Yourself Amid Turmoil." The workshops are scheduled for today (December 9) at noon in Franklin 11326 and Thursday (December 11) at noon in Kaiser 612.

Also, two additional job search skills workshops are scheduled for tomorrow and Thursday. Information is available on the UCOP HR website (http://hrop.ucop.edu/jobs/job_search.html).

Holiday Party

Finally, please join your colleagues at the annual UCOP holiday party next Monday, December 15, from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Rotunda Building. I know some are questioning the decision to have this event when budgets are tight. But we feel that it is important,

especially in times of change as we are experiencing, to maintain our traditions and to celebrate together. At the same time, we are mindful of the need to be cost conscious, and so we have reduced the budget by more than half and will be staging a much simpler event than previous years. Senior management will be donating toward refreshments and other costs, and we will also be staffing many of the stations. Please join us!

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