

**CUCSA Campus Update
June 2015****VIP Reception and Women's Water Polo Game with Mrs. Block**

On Sunday, March 8, 2015, UCLA's First Lady Mrs. Carol Block invited 50 staff members to a VIP Reception at the Women's Water Polo Game against California. The event was sponsored by the Chancellor's Office, UCLA Athletics, and UCLA Staff Assembly to provide UCLA staff members and guests the opportunity to meet and interact with Mrs. Block in an informal and personal setting.

2nd Annual True Bruin Move and Groove 5K Run/Walk

On Sunday, March 8, 2015 UCLA Staff Assembly hosted its 2nd Annual True Bruin Move and Groove 5K Run/Walk with sponsorship from UCLA's Healthy Campus Initiative and UCLA Administration. Staff, faculty, students, and family participated in an event that brought together the University and the UCLA community in an activity that promoted a healthy lifestyle. There were over 800 registered runners. The previous winner was invited back and he was able to defend his title. At the race, the world record was broken for the fastest 5K on crutches by a UCLA undergraduate student. The funds raised this year will go towards funding staff scholarships and the 2015 All-Staff picnic.

Learn-at-Lunch*The UCLA Center for World Health*

The UCLA Center for World Health was founded to bring the world to UCLA and UCLA to the world. Health across the globe is changing in dramatic ways. People everywhere are living longer, but people everywhere are also experiencing more cancer, diabetes and heart disease. Additionally, the health of the planet is fragile, and its ability to support growing populations is in question. Over 50 staff members attended the session on Thursday, April 23, 2015. The session was designed to highlight what UCLA is doing to help our students become leaders in world health and how we are working with partners all around the world to nurture leaders everywhere.

What is Staff Assembly?

On May, 11, 2015 – The Staff Assembly Executive Board met with around 35 staff members to familiarize these potential board members with the organization's programs. The president, Rejeana highlighted the organization in a PowerPoint presentation. Then each board member took the opportunity to talk about their position, role, and responsibilities.

Outreach

On April 16, 2015, Staff Assembly attended an off-campus outreach event that Faculty Practice Group located near LAX. Over 700 staff work at this location. Many of them signed up to join the mailing list. Staff Assembly will consider future programs that target this audience.

7th Emerging Research Speaker Series

Staff Assembly held its 7th annual Emerging Research Series in partnership with the UCLA Academic Senate. On May 5, 2015, Dr. Kelsey C. Martin was invited to give a talk on how experiences change the brain, and the biology of long-term memory. The event included a light reception where staff members were given the opportunity to interact with Dr. Martin.

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