

# UCSF Staff Assembly

## Campus Update September 2017

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- **Staff Assembly Town hall Project**
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### UCSF Staff Assembly awarded \$10,000 additional funding

The UCSF Staff Assembly (SA) was awarded \$10,000 in additional funding, bringing our total budget to \$17,000. This will increase the number of UCSF Staff Assembly Scholarships we are able to fund. The scholarship applications are open twice annually, with the maximum award amount of \$300. The scholarships may be used for Professional Development and Continuing Education (PDCE); degrees, conferences and webinars.

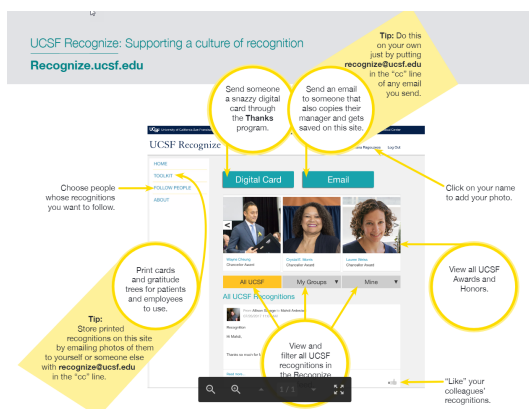
Our SA will continue to gather feedback on the success of this program as well as work on developing and promoting programs that are beneficial to our staff.

### Town hall Project

In order to incorporate participation of our staff across the UCSF decentralized campus, the Staff Assembly will begin holding quarterly town hall meetings. These meetings will be structured as a way for staff to share suggestion, best practices and concerns. We look forward to the first town hall meeting in October of 2017.

### New recognition program

At UCSF, we are building a supportive culture of recognition, where all can exemplify our PRIDE values of Professionalism, Respect, Integrity, Diversity, and Excellence. As part of the Great People, Great Place initiative, UCSF has created a way to provide instant meaningful recognition to staff and faculty. Those who wish to recognize a colleague can go to a website which allows them to send a digital card or email. The recognition is viewable on the website and can be automatically sent to the employee's supervisor. In addition to instant recognition, the website provides a toolkit with tips on creating a culture of recognition. This new program will roll out to the entire campus Fall 2017.



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## **UCSF Best in the West, top ranked hospital in California**

The *U.S. News & World Report's* 2017-2018 Best hospital survey is in. UCSF is top ranked in California and the fifth best hospital in the country, receiving elite Honor Roll status in fifteen medical specialties. Sam Hawgood, MBBS and chancellor commended the UCSF health team, "...whose members work so hard, every day, to provide the highest quality, innovative care to our patients."

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