True Bruins Wear Blue
UCLA Staff Assembly in conjunction with UCLA Athletics continued our annual photo contest for staff to show their UCLA True Bruin spirit. Campus department groups were encouraged to dress in blue and gold every Friday before UCLA football home games. They uploaded a photo to the Staff Assembly Facebook page with the most spirited department awarded 12 complimentary football tickets to the next home game compliments of UCLA Athletics.

Learn-at-Lunch
Open Enrollment Workshop
UCLA Campus Human Resources hosted a Learn-at-Lunch on November 7, 2012. Attendees learned about the new changes to the UC health and welfare plans for 2013. A UCLA benefits counselor provided an in-depth narrative on plan changes to UC-sponsored health plans. Approximately 35 people attended.

Breakfast with the Chancellor
UCLA Staff Assembly hosted the Fall Quarter Breakfast with the Chancellor on November 29, 2012. Approximately 100 staff applied for 13 available slots for the opportunity to meet with Chancellor Block over breakfast and engage in dialogue about important campus issues.

Mrs. Block’s VIP Reception – Women’s Volleyball
On October 26, 2012, UCLA’s First Lady Carol Block held the 5th VIP Reception. This event is co-sponsored by the Chancellor’s Office and UCLA Staff Assembly. It provided UCLA staff with an opportunity to meet and interact with Mrs. Block in an informal and personal setting. The reception was held before the Women’s Volleyball game versus Washington State (and yes we won!).

Outreach
UCLA Staff Assembly extended its outreach by attending various campus fairs and events such as:
- Veteran’s Day Ceremony – November 9, 2012
- UCLA Food Drive – October 31 – November 20, 2012
- 20th Annual UCLA Toy Drive benefitting the UCLA Mattel Children’s Hospital – December 2012

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