



University of California
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UCSF Staff Council's to host Learn@Lunch Series

The UCSF Staff Council will host three Learn@Lunch meetings during 2007/08. The purpose of these meetings is to inform UCSF staff of learning and development opportunities on campus and to introduce employees to the UCSF Staff Council, leadership devolvement opportunities at UCSF and UC (such as CUSCA and the Staff Regent). The first meeting has been scheduled for November 15

UCSF Strategic Planning Initiative Update

The University of California, San Francisco (UCSF) finalized its first-ever campus wide strategic plan. The strategic planning process began in July 2005. The 41-member Strategic Planning Board comprised of staff, faculty, students, residents, fellows, and post-doctoral fellows. UCSF developed its new mission of “*advancing health worldwide™*” from this planning process. The strategic plan specifically addresses scientific discovery and improved health outcomes, provision of high-quality healthcare, diversity, development of future leadership, promoting a supportive work environment, and a commitment to the local, national and world community. More details on the UCSF Strategic Plan can be found at: <http://strategy.ucsf.edu/>

UCSF Appoints New Diversity Director

J. Renee Navarro, PharmD, MD, has been appointed to lead UCSF's efforts to implement initiatives to nurture and enhance diversity among faculty and trainees, who include students, residents and postdoctoral scholars. Navarro will serve as the point person for ensuring the advancement and timely completion of academically related diversity initiatives at UCSF and for coordinating with relevant system wide committees. She is the first person to hold the new position of director of academic diversity, a post created as part of 10 key outcomes outlined in UCSF's diversity initiative, which was unveiled in February.

Additional details regarding this appointment can be found at:
<http://pub.ucsf.edu/today/cache/news/200708031.html>

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