

UCI EMERITAE/I NEWS

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EMERITAE/I NEWS BORN

The UCI EMERITAE/I Executive Committee at its June 20 meeting voted to create a newsletter, adopted the title printed above, and named an Editorial Board (see page 2). The charge: to publish news, notices, articles, documents, and letters, to keep readers informed and encourage their involvement in matters of concern to the 201 living UCI emeritae/i. Our initial mailing list: 215 households, includes nine surviving spouses and five non-UCI emeriti.

CHAIR'S NOTES

Louis A Gottschalk

I am honored that you have chosen me to chair the UCI-EMERITAE/I Association for the coming two years. On behalf of our current members, I'm pleased to welcome the 77 new "VERIP" retirees.

I also thank Past-Chair Renee Hubert for notably effective service during her 1992-94 term of office. We all specially appreciate the status agreements and office space she was able to negotiate with the Administration before her term ended.

Indeed, the first two things I intend to do beginning this summer are to move the Association into its own quarters on the campus and to arrange for the wide distribution of our memo on the Rights and Privileges of all UCI Emeritae/i.

I hope I may call on you for help.

PAST-CHAIR'S NOTES

Renee Riese Hubert

All UCI emeritae/i and their spouses automatically are full members of the Association (pursuant to our bylaws). These members annually elect a group of officers, who schedule administrative meetings as well as social and cultural programs. (See 1994 electees below).

The Association participates in the systemwide meetings of the Council of University of California Emeriti Associations (CUCEA). It is represented in the UCI Academic Senate, having members on the Committee on Emeritae/i, which in turn

has close ties to the Welfare and Privilege and Tenure Committees.

The Emeritae/i Association encourages active contributions by its members to the University and the community. It is concerned with emeritae/i rights and privileges such as recall policies, equity in benefits, continuous relations with home departments and schools, assignment of office and laboratory space, and parking.

EMERITAE/I GIFTS TO THE UCI LIBRARIES

Joanne R Euster, University Librarian

In the last year the UCI Libraries have been in a state of growth and change. One significant shift in emphasis stresses development and fundraising activities, relatively new focal areas for the library.

Over time, the library has been the fortunate recipient of many important and useful gifts from individuals, including members of our own faculty at UCI. These gifts have helped to build solid collections of resources for the distinguished research, teaching, and scholarship taking place at UCI.

In honor of faculty contributors to our collections, both past and future, the library recently hosted a special event just for faculty, to thank publicly some who have made important gifts to the library over the years. In addition, opportunities for future gifts of collections and other materials were discussed. The library is in a unique position to benefit from such gifts and to preserve and protect them so that they will be available to future generations of scholars and students.

As University Librarian I strongly support close relationships with the faculty, both retired and current, thus to help UCI to continue building a notable research collection. This crucial opportunity, now is gaining in importance, given the budget difficulties facing the entire UC system.

For anyone contemplating a decision about the placement or disposition of a collection, the UCI Library is eager and prepared to provide useful information, possibly to cooperate in a solution. Our Bibliographers can help determine if your materials are appropriate for the UCI collection, can

discuss transfer arrangements, and can help you to explore the possible financial advantages to you of a gift of materials to the university.

Please contact Johanna Christianson, Director of Development for the UCI Libraries, (714/856-5212) for further discussion.

JUNE 22 ELECTION RESULTS

1994-95 UCI EMERITAE/I EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

CHAIR: Louis A Gottschalk
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Executive Committee Meeting:

Monday, August 1. 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. in the new UCI Emeritae/i Offices, Room 536 Administration. Incoming Chair Gottschalk will lead a discussion of Association programs for the fall--focused on contents, action priorities, and on who will do what.

All Association members--emeritae/i and spouses alike--are invited and encouraged to participate in our monthly Executive Committee Meetings.

Temporary Office Telephone Number:

c/o Henry Fagin, Editor, 714/494-4504

UCI EMERITAE/I--STANDING COMMITTEES.

Membership: Act on all matters pertaining to membership in UCI EMERITAE/I (Bylaws Article III). Make recommendations for action by the Executive Committee regarding the extension of membership to faculty retired from other U.C. campuses and other universities who wish to participate in the organization (Article III, Section 1). Arrange for maintaining an accurate roster of members, including mailing addresses and telephone numbers.

Welfare: Study and make action recommendations to the Executive Committee regarding all matters pertaining to the "good and welfare" of the membership (Article II, Purposes 1-4).

University and Public Relations: Arrange appropriate publicity for UCI EMERITAE/I activities within and beyond the University. Any release issued in the name of the organization shall have the approval and signature of the UCI EMERITAE/I Chair. Collaborate with the Committees on Program and on Hospitality.

Program: Formulate and submit to the Executive Committee for approval an annual schedule of activities for UCI EMERITAE/I, coordinating such activities with those of the Retirees and Emeriti Association. Recommend additional programs when timely. Collaborate with the Committees on University and Public Relations and on Hospitality.

Hospitality: Make arrangements for meetings, social gatherings, and other activities at the request of the Executive Committee. Initiate hospitality recommendations (Article II, Purpose 5). Collaborate with the Program and Executive Committees.

Audit: Annually review and report on the accounts and other records of the Treasurer.

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FIVE EMERITAE/I NEWS DOs

DO: SAVE your copies. (Someday they may become priceless.) For now, they are how you learn about official programs and policies. E.g., Standing Committee duties are described in the first column. Perhaps you'd like to join one such standing committee.

DO: REACT TO this first issue of UCI EMERITAE/I NEWS and let us know how we could make it most useful to you in the future.

DO: WRITE A "Letter to the Editor," whenever you're so moved.

DO: VISIT AND USE our new UCI Emeritae/i campus headquarters, Suite 535 Administration Building (after August 1).

DO: DUES please! Your voluntary 1994-95 check sent to Treasurer Bob Warner will help defray Association expenses: e.g., costs of copying and mailing; travel twice a year by our Chair to meetings of the Council of University of California Emeriti Associations (CUCEA) and \$1 capitation dues toward its support.

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