

# Retiree Center 2017/18 Calendar

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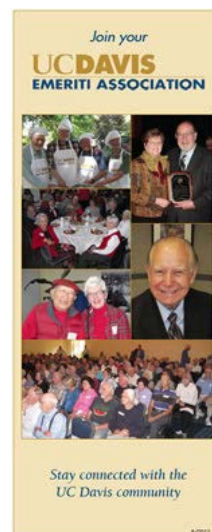
## RETIREES' ASSOCIATION

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The UC Davis Retiree Center supports the work of the UC Davis Emeriti Association (UCDEA) and the UC Davis Retirees' Association (UCDRA), both of which provide programs for members and advocate for all UC Davis retirees at the university and state levels.

The associations jointly plan a dynamic schedule of monthly programs including BrainFood Talks, quarterly membership meetings and a popular annual holiday luncheon.

Each association sponsors its own programs. The UCDEA's Video Records Project preserves the insights of retired faculty and campus administrators on DVDs. The UCDRA's scholarship program presents an annual scholarship award to a current staff member who is furthering his/her education.



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# July 2017

## Events

**Retiree Resource Fair** (Thurs., July 20; 9 – 11:30 a.m.; Transportation and Parking Services [TAPS] Office and Activities and Recreation Center [ARC], Davis campus)—Retirees can attend to obtain their retiree parking permit and retiree AggieCard (ID card), sign up for email forwarding and gather information from various Retiree Center partners who provide valuable services and/or offer volunteer opportunities to retirees. The following retirement communities are generously sponsoring this event: University Retirement Community in Davis, Atria Covell Gardens in Davis, Carlton Plaza of Davis and Paradise Valley Estates in Fairfield. Register by Thursday, July 13 at the Retiree Center website.



Look for the Retiree Center Email Update. If you do not receive it, you may contact the Retiree Center at [retireecenter@ucdavis.edu](mailto:retireecenter@ucdavis.edu) to be added to the mailing list.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4 Fourth of July Holiday Retiree Center closed	5	6	7	8
9	10	11 	12	13 Deadline to register for Resource Fair	14	15
16	17	18	19	20 Retiree Center Resource Fair 9 – 11:30 a.m.	21	22
23 30	24 31	25 	26	27	28	29

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# August 2017

## Events

### Travel

The Retiree Center provides opportunities for retirees to travel with fellow retirees. From 2-hour campus tours to all-day trips, to joining with retirees and/or alumni from other UC campuses for longer, foreign travel, the possibilities are endless. For trips longer than a day, our primary partners are Aggie Adventures, CUCRA Travel and Davis Travelaires. Visit our travel webpage for more information: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu/travel/index.html>.

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Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4 Summer Session I ends	5
6	7 Summer Session II begins	8 	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21 Senior Citizens Day	22 	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		





# September 2017

## Events

### UCDEA Executive Committee Meeting and UCDDA Executive Board Meeting

(Thurs., Sept. 14; Large Conference Room, UC Davis Conference Center, Davis campus)—The UCDEA Executive Committee meets at 10 a.m. and the UCDDA Executive Board meets at 1:15 p.m. Members of the associations are welcome to attend the meetings of their executive committee/board.

### Retiree Fall Fest (Sat., Sept. 23 ; 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.; URC; 1515 Shasta Drive; Davis, 95616)—

Celebrate the new academic year and enjoy the music at this barbecue social. URC (University Retirement Community) has generously offered to host this event. Register by September 6 on the Retiree Center website.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
					1	2 Aggie football at San Diego State
3	4 Labor Day Holiday  Retiree Center closed	5	6  Deadline to register for Retiree Fall Fest	7	8	9 Aggie football (home) UC San Diego
10 Grandparent's Day	11	12	13	14 UCDEA Ex Comm. Mtg. UCDDA Ex Board Meeting	15 Summer Session II ends	16 Aggie football at Portland State
17	18	19	20 Rosh Hashanah begins at sundown	21	22 Rosh Hashanah ends at sundown Autumnal Equinox	23 Aggie football at Weber State Retiree Fall Fest 4:30 - 6:30 p.m.
24	25 Fall quarter begins	26	27 Fall quarter instruction begins	28	29	30 Aggie football (home) North Dakota





# October 2017

## Events

Sacramento campus Retiree Center grand opening (Friday, October 13' Betty Irene Moore Hall, Sacramento campus). Join us in our new location and learn how we can serve you.

**UCDRA/UCDEA Fall Meeting** (Tues., Oct. 24; 1 – 3 p.m.; Vanderhoef Studio (Mondavi Center), Davis campus)—The new dean of the College of Letters and Sciences, Elizabeth Spiller, has been invited to be our keynote speaker and share her vision for UC Davis. Dean Spiller's presentation will be followed by Guerren Solbach, the UC Davis Healthcare Facilitator, with highlights of the upcoming Open Enrollment. Refreshments are generously donated by Paradise Valley Estates. Register by October 18 on the Retiree Center website. Program begins promptly at 1 p.m. and will conclude with a social time.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 UC Retirement System presentation 8 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.	4	5	6 Day Trip: Fleet Week 11:45 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. departs Lot 2, Davis	7 Aggie football (home) Eastern Washington
8	9 Columbus Day	10	11	12	13 Grand Opening of the Sacramento campus Retiree Center	14
15	16	17	18 Deadline to register for Fall Meeting	19 Retiree Bike Ride 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.	20	21 Aggie football at Northern Arizona
22	23	24 UCDRA/UCDEA Fall Meeting 1 – 3 p.m. Vanderhoef Studio	25 CUCRA/CUCEA Meeting (@UCSF) Retiree Center closed	26 CUCRA/CUCEA Meeting (@UCSF) Retiree Center closed Open Enrollment begins	27 CAAA Pajamarino 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. Davis Amtrak Station	28 Aggie football (homecoming)—Cal Poly Parent & Family Weekend
29 Yom Kippur begins at sundown	30 Yom Kippur ends at sundown	31 Halloween				





# November 2017



## Events

**Open Enrollment** (Thurs., Oct. 26, 8 a.m. – Tues., Nov. 21, 5 p.m. PST)—Open Enrollment is the annual period of time when employees and retirees can make changes to their health and welfare benefits. Check the Center website for information about Open Enrollment presentations and retiree help desks.

**BrainFood Talk** (Thurs., Nov. 9, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.; Alumni Center, Davis campus)—The UCDEA and UCORA present a relevant speaker. Bring your own lunch. Check the Retiree Center website for details.

**Campus Tour: Antique Mechanics Museum** (Wed., Nov. 15, 10 – 11 a.m.; UC Davis Airport, Davis campus)—The Antique Mechanics club collects, restores, and displays vintage agricultural equipment, including prototypes developed here at UC Davis. Registration required.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4 Aggie football at Idaho State
5 Daylight Savings Time ends Set clocks back	6	7	8 Tax Efficient Invest- ments and Charitable Giving Workshop	9 UCDEA Ex Comm. Mtg. BrainFood Talk 11:30 – 1; Alumni Center UCORA Ex Board Meeting	10 Veteran's Day Holiday Retiree Center closed	11 Aggie football (home) Southern Utah
12	13	14 	15 Campus tour: Antique Mechanics Museum 10 - 11 a.m. Davis campus	16	17	18 Aggie football at Sacramento State (Causeway Classic)
19	20	21 Open Enrollment ends	22	23 Thanksgiving Day Retiree Center closed	24 Thanksgiving Holiday Retiree Center closed	25
26	27	28 	29	30		

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# December 2017

## Events

**UCDEA/UCDRA Holiday Luncheon** (Wed., Dec. 13; 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.; Alumni Center, Davis campus)—Enjoy a buffet luncheon and entertainment at this festive annual event. Carlton Plaza of Davis is generously sponsoring this event. Deadline to register is Thursday, December 7.

**Winter Holidays** (Thurs., Dec. 22 – Tues., Jan. 1)—The Retiree Center will be closed for the winter holidays.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7 Deadline to register for Holiday Luncheon	8 Fall quarter instruction ends	9
10	11 Finals begin	12 Hanukkah begins 	13 UCDEA/UCDRA Holiday Luncheon 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Alumni Center	14	15 Finals end	16 Fall Commencement
17	18	19	20 Hanukkah ends	21 Winter Solstice	22 Retiree Center closed	23
24 Christmas Eve 31	25 Christmas Day Retiree Center closed	26 Kwanzaa begins Retiree Center closed	27 Retiree Center closed	28 Retiree Center closed	29 Retiree Center closed	30 New Year's Eve








# January 2018

## Events

**BrainFood Talk** (Thurs., Jan. 11; 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.; Alumni Center, Davis campus)—The UCDEA and UCORA present a relevant speaker. Bring your own lunch. Check the Retiree Center website for details.

**Transitioning to Retirement Course** (Wednesdays, Jan. 10 – Jan. 31; Conference Center, Davis campus)—This course covers a variety of topics for UC Davis employees within five years of retirement. Due to the all-day commitment, the Retiree Center will be closed on the days of the course.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	1 New Year's Day Kwanza ends Retiree Center closed	2	3	4	5 Winter quarter begins	6
7	8 Winter quarter instruction begins	9 	10 Transitioning to Retirement course Davis campus	11 UCDEA Ex Comm. Mtg. BrainFood Talk 11:30 – 1; Alumni Center UCORA Ex Board Meeting	12	13
14	15 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Retiree Center closed	16	17 Transitioning to Retirement course Davis campus	18	19	20
21	22	23 	24 Transitioning to Retirement course Davis campus	25	26	27
28	29	30	31 Transitioning to Retirement course Davis campus			

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# February 2018

## Events



**Transitioning to Retirement Course** (Wednesdays, Feb. 14 – Mar. 7; Cancer Center, Sacramento campus)—This course covers a variety of topics for UC Davis employees within five years of retirement. Retiree Center staff is involved with coordinating these courses, and Center staff will likely not be available.

**UCDRA Winter Meeting** (Thurs., Feb. 8; Health Systems campus)—Please see the Retiree Center website for additional event details, and register online by February 2.

**Campus tour** (Thurs., Feb. 22)—Please check the Retiree Center website for event details.

Pictured left; the 2016-2017 winners of the Edward A. Dickson Professorship Award and the UC Davis Distinguished Emeritus Award. Visit the UCDEA website, <http://emeritiassociation.ucdavis.edu> for more information.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
				1	2 Groundhog Day Deadline to register for Winter Meeting	3
4	5	6 	7	8 Joint Winter Meeting UC Davis Health 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.	9	10
11	12	13	14 Transitioning to Retirement course Sacramento campus Valentine's Day	15	16	17
18	19 Presidents' Day Retiree Center closed	20 	21 Transitioning to Retirement course Sacramento campus	22 Campus tour (see Retiree Center website for details)	23	24
25	26	27	28 Transitioning to Retirement course Sacramento campus			






# March 2018

## Events

**BrainFood Talk** (Thurs., Mar. 8; 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.; Alumni Center, Davis campus)—The UCDEA and UCORA present a relevant speaker. Bring your own lunch. Check the Retiree Center website for details.

**Day Trip** (Wed., Mar. 21)—Each quarter, the Retiree Center arranges for a tour of a campus department or venue. See the Retiree Center website for details about this quarter's tour.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6 	7 Transitioning to Retirement course Sacramento campus	8 UCDEA Ex Comm. Mtg. BrainFood Talk 11:30 – 1; Alumni Center UCORA Ex Board Meeting	9	10
11 Daylight Savings Time begins Set clocks forward	12	13	14	15	16 Winter quarter instruction ends	17 St. Patrick's Day
18	19 Finals begin	20 Vernal Equinox 	21 Day Trip (see Retiree Center website for details)	22	23 Finals end	24 Spring quarter begins
25 Palm Sunday	26	27	28	29	30 Cesar Chavez Day Good Friday Passover begins Retiree Center closed	31





# April 2018

## Events

**BrainFood Talk** (Thurs., Apr. 12; 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.; Alumni Center)—The UCDEA and UCdra present a relevant speaker. Bring your own lunch. Check the Retiree Center website for details.

**Picnic Day** (Sat., Apr. 21)—Show your support for this year's UC Davis Retirees' Association honoree(s), who will be riding in a horse-drawn carriage at the Picnic Day parade.

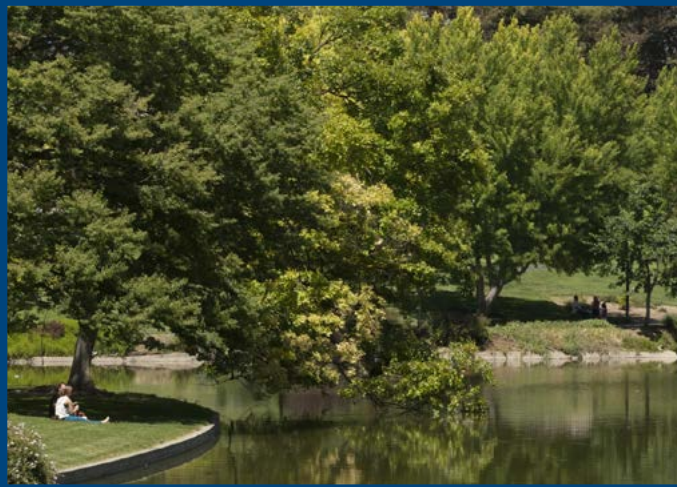
**Campus Tour** (Wed., Apr. 18)—Each quarter, the Retiree Center arranges for a tour of a campus department or venue. See the Retiree Center website for details about this quarter's tour.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1 Easter Sunday	2 Spring quarter instruction begins	3 	4	5	6	7 Passover ends
8	9	10	11	12 UCDEA Ex Comm. Mtg. BrainFood Talk 11:30 – 1; Alumni Center UCdra Ex Board Meeting	13	14
15	16	17 	18 Campus tour (see Retiree Center website for details)	19	20	21 Picnic Day
22 Earth Day	23	24	25 CUCRA/CUCEA Meeting (@Riverside) Retiree Center closed	26 CUCRA/CUCEA Meeting (@Riverside) Retiree Center closed	27	28
29	30					










# May 2018

## Events

**UCDRA/UCDEA Spring Meeting** (*Thurs., May 10; Alumni Center, Davis campus*)— Each year, the UC Davis Emeriti Association (UCDEA) and the UC Davis Retirees' Association (UCDRA) spring meetings feature compelling speakers and brief business meetings with elections for new executive committee/board members. Check the Retiree Center website for details.

**Day Trip:** (*Wed., May 23*)— Please check the Retiree Center website for event details.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
		1 	2	3	4	5 Cinco de Mayo
6	7	8	9	10 UCDRA/UCDEA Spring Meeting	11	12
13 Mother's Day	14	15 Ramadan starts at sundown 	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23 Day Trip (see Retiree Center website for details)	24	25	26
27	28 Memorial Day  Retiree Center closed	29 	30	31		

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# June 2018

## Events

**New Retirees Reception** (Thurs., June 21; 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.; Conference Center, Davis campus)—This reception honors all UC Davis employees who retire during the 2017/2018 academic year. The event features wine, music and hors d'oeuvres. This is the university's opportunity to thank retirees for their service to the university.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7 Spring quarter instruction ends	8 Finals begin	9
10	11	12	13	14 UCDEA Ex Comm. Mtg. UCDRA Ex Board Meeting	15 CA&ES Commencement 9 a.m. & 2 p.m., Pavilion	16 L&S Commencement 9 a.m., 2 & 7 p.m., Pavilion
17 Bio Sci & Engineering Commencements 9 a.m., 3 p.m., Pavilion Father's Day	18	19	20	21 New Retirees' Reception Summer Solstice	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30







# July 2018

## Events

**Retiree Resource Fair** (Thurs., July 19; 9 – 11:30 a.m.; Transportation and Parking Services [TAPS] Office and Activities and Recreation Center [ARC], Davis campus)—Retirees can attend to obtain their retiree parking permit and retiree AggieCard (ID card), sign up for email forwarding and gather information from various Retiree Center partners who provide valuable services and/or offer volunteer opportunities to retirees. Register by Thursday, July 12 at the Retiree Center website.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4 Fourth of July Holiday Retiree Center closed	5	6	7
8	9	10 	11	12 Deadline to register for Resource Fair	13	14
15	16	17	18	19 Retiree Center Resource Fair 9 – 11:30 a.m.	20	21
22	23	24 	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				







# August 2018

## Events

**Campus Tours** Over the years, the Retiree Center has arranged behind-the-scenes tours of campus venues often not available to the public, as a benefit of membership. Some of our most memorable tours have been to the Wolfskill Experimental Orchards, Olive Oil Tasting, Vet Med Hospital, and the MIND Institute.

**Association Membership Renewal** The membership year for both associations is July 1 through June 30. If you are an annual member, please renew online or contact the Retiree Center to obtain a renewal form.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3 Summer Session I ends	4
5	6 Summer Session II begins	7 	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 Senior Citizens Day 	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	







# September 2018

## Events

Check the Retiree Center website for details about the annual Fall Fest! The Fall Fest marks the start of the academic year at UC Davis and is a wonderful time to join retired colleagues to catch up and share your summer updates, while enjoying a classic summer barbecue and entertainment.

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Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Labor Day Holiday Retiree Center closed	4	5	6	7	8
9 Grandparent's Day Rosh Hashanah begins at sundown	10	11 Rosh Hashanah ends at sundown	12	13 UCDEA Ex Comm Mtg UCDRA Ex Board Mtg	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22 Autumnal Equinox
23 30	24 Fall quarter begins	25	26 Fall quarter instruction begins	27	28	29








# October 2018

## Events

**CUCRA/CUCEA @UC Berkeley** (Wed. and Thurs., Oct. 24 & 25)—Two times each year the Council of UC Retirement Associations and separately, the Council of UC Emeriti Associations meet. Both the UC DRA and UCDEA send delegates to these meetings with representatives from each of the ten campuses. The fall 2018 meeting will be held at UC Berkeley. Directors and staff from the various UC retiree centers also gather at this time and share insights and programming.

**UCDRA/UCDEA Fall Meeting** Check the Retiree Center website for the date and details of the annual Fall Meeting. The Fall Meeting includes very brief business updates from the UC Davis Retirees' Association and the UC Davis Emeriti Association and also features a special keynote presentation. Additionally, our campus Health Care Facilitators will provide a healthcare benefits update prior to Open Enrollment.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	1	2 	3	4	5 Winter quarter begins	6
7	8 Columbus Day	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16 	17	18 Yom Kippur begins at sundown	19 Yom Kippur ends at sundown	20
21	22	23	24 CUCRA/CUCEA Meeting (@Berkeley) Retiree Center closed	25 CUCRA/CUCEA Meeting (@Berkeley) Retiree Center closed	26	27
28	29	30 	31 Halloween			

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# November 2018

## Events

**BrainFood Talk** (Thurs., Nov. 8; 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.; Alumni Center, Davis campus)—The UCDEA and UCORA present a relevant speaker. Bring your own lunch. Check the Retiree Center website for details.

**Open Enrollment** (Dates to be determined)—Open Enrollment for UC benefits typically starts late in October and ends 5 pm. Tuesday prior to Thanksgiving. Retirees have the opportunity to change medical benefits as desired during the Open Enrollment period.

The Retiree Center will be closed Mon., Nov. 12 for Veteran's Day, and Thurs. – Fri., Nov. 22 – 23 for the Thanksgiving Day holiday.

The most recent updates are available at the Retiree Center website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>.



Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4 Daylight Savings Time ends Set clocks back	5	6	7	8 UCDEA Ex Comm. Mtg. BrainFood Talk 11:30 – 1; Alumni Center UCORA Ex Board Meeting	9	10
11	12 Veterans's Day Holiday Retiree Center closed	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 Thanksgiving Holiday Retiree Center closed	23 Thanksgiving Holiday Retiree Center closed	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	






# December 2018

## Events

**UCDEA/UCDRA Holiday Luncheon** (Thurs., Dec. 13; 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.; Alumni Center, Davis campus)—Enjoy a buffet luncheon and entertainment at this festive annual event. Deadline to register is Thursday, December 6.

**Winter Holidays** (Fri., Dec. 21 – Wed., Jan. 1)—The Retiree Center will be closed for the winter holidays.

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Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
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2 Hanukkah begins	3	4	5	6 Deadline to register for the Holiday Luncheon	7 Fall quarter instruction ends	8
9	10 Finals begin — — — — — Hanukkah ends	11 	12	13 UCDEA/UCDRA Holiday Luncheon 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Alumni Center	14 Finals end	15 Fall Commencement
16	17	18	19	20	21 Winter Solstice	22
23 30	24 31	25 Christmas Day  Retiree Center closed	26  Retiree Center closed	27  Retiree Center closed	28  Retiree Center closed	29





## Retiree Center Staff

### Becky Heard



Becky is the Director of Affiliate Programs. She began her career at UC Davis as an executive assistant at the Primate Center. She later worked for many years at the Graduate School of Management in several different positions. In 2012, Becky began serving as the director of Parent

and Family Programs, a unit of the Cal Aggie Alumni Association. As Director of Affiliate Programs, Becky oversees both the Parent and Family Programs and the Retiree Center, with locations at the Buehler Alumni Center, as well as the Health Center campus. Becky has a passion for people and event planning, and is thrilled for the opportunity to work with retirees.

### Marjorie Ahl



Marjorie grew up in Davis and participated in many UC Davis traditions. Working at the Retiree Center has allowed her to relive many happy memories. As program coordinator, Marjorie uses her strong computer skills to provide support to UCDRA, UCDEA and

Center activities. Marjorie is usually the first point of contact for retirees who call or visit the Center.

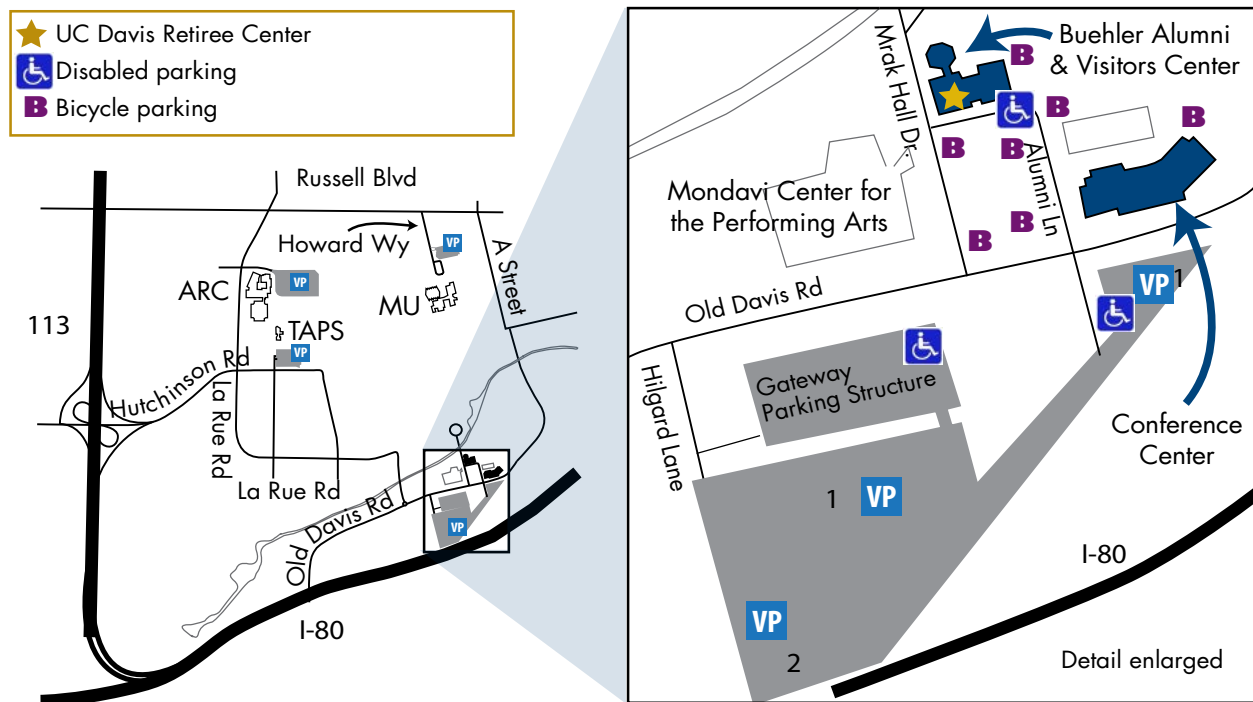
## Visiting the Retiree Center

The UC Davis Retiree Center is located in the Walter A. Buehler Alumni Center, near the Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts on the south side of the UC Davis campus. The Center is in suite 110, which is to the left just inside the main entrance of the building.

Parking is complimentary with a retiree parking (RT) permit. Recommended parking is in the Gateway Parking Structure or Parking Lot 1. For those who have both a retiree parking permit and a disabled parking placard, several disabled parking spaces are located in front of the Alumni Center. Additional disabled spaces are located on the east end of the parking structure and in Parking Lot 1.

For quick stops, several 30-minute spaces and a 15-minute loading zone are located directly in front of the Alumni Center.

The Center is generally staffed Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – noon and 1 – 4 p.m. The Retiree Center is a two-person office, so please call ahead to ensure that someone will be available to assist you. Call the Center at (530) 752-5182, email [retireecenter@ucdavis.edu](mailto:retireecenter@ucdavis.edu) or stop by with questions.



## Useful Contact Information

### UC Davis Retiree Center

The Retiree Center's mission is to help retirees continue a connection to the campus. The Center plans programs, provides information, supports the UC Davis Retirees' Association (UCDRA) and the UC Davis Emeriti Association (UCDEA), connects retirees with volunteer opportunities and provides resources to employees planning for retirement.

Contact the Retiree Center at:

Telephone: (530) 752-5182

Website: <http://retireecenter.ucdavis.edu>

### UC Retirement Administration Service Center

The UC Retirement Administration Service Center (RASC) provides information to retirees about their pensions, the UC Retirement Plan and retiree health benefits. Contact the RASC at:

Telephone: (800) 888-8267

Website: <http://ucnet.universityofcalifornia.edu>

### Health Care Facilitator Program

The Health Care Facilitator Program assists UC Davis employees and retirees with their medical and dental coverage and helps retirees coordinate with Medicare. Contact the HCF Program at:

Website: <http://www.hr.ucdavis.edu/hcf>



### Retiree email

Davis campus emeriti and academics may arrange with their department to retain their UC Davis email address. Sacramento campus emeriti with a business purpose to retain their email account may do the same. Davis campus staff may apply for a complimentary service to forward their UC Davis email address to an external email service of their choice. Emails for Sacramento campus staff are disabled on retirement due to HIPAA regulations.

Contact IT Express at:

Telephone: (530) 754-HELP (4357)

Website: <http://emailforwarding.ucdavis.edu>



### AggieCard retiree identification card

Retirees may obtain a retiree AggieCard, a photo identification card which also serves as a library card and entitles retirees to a variety of discounts. Appointments are required. Contact the AggieCard office at:

Telephone: (530) 754-4772

Website: <http://employeeid.ucdavis.edu>



### Retiree (RT) Parking Permits

Retirees can contact the Transportation and Parking Services office (TAPS) on the Davis campus to obtain a complimentary parking permit. TAPS is located near the Pavilion Parking Structure on Hutchison Drive. RT permits provide "A" parking privileges on the Davis campus and "B" parking privileges at the health system. Contact TAPS at:

Telephone: (530) 752-8277

Website: <http://taps.ucdavis.edu>

### Fidelity Retirement Services

Fidelity Retirement Services provides the record keeping and account services for the UC Defined Contribution Plan (DCP), 403(b) tax-deferred plan and 457(b) deferred compensation plan.

Contact Fidelity at:

Telephone: (866) 682-7787

Website: <http://myucfretirement.com>

### UC Davis Libraries

Retirees are eligible for a similar level of service as active employees. Privileges for retired staff must be renewed annually; privileges for emeritus faculty do not expire. Contact the library at:

Telephone: (530) 752-6561

Website: <http://www.lib.ucdavis.edu>

## Retiree Center Partners

### Cal Aggie Alumni Association/Aggie Adventures

UC Davis retirees can join CAAA, participate in alumni events or travel the world with *Aggie Adventures*.

Telephone: (530) 752-0286

Website: <http://alumni.ucdavis.edu>

### Campus Recreation and Unions/Fit for Life

Campus Recreation and Unions (CRU) offers a very popular “Fit for Life” program of fitness classes designed specifically for active adults ages 55+.

Telephone: (530) 752-1730

Website: <http://cru.ucdavis.edu>

### Davis Senior Center

The Davis Senior Center provides high quality social, recreational and supportive services for mature adults and their family members.

Telephone: (530) 757-5696

Website: <http://community-services.cityofdavis.org>

### Davis Travelaires

The Davis Travelaires is a non-profit organization that provides local, national and international travel opportunities for mature adults.

Telephone: (530) 753-4159

Website: <http://www.davistravelaires.org/>

### UC Davis Arboretum and Public Garden

The UC Davis Arboretum features 22,000 beautiful trees and plants on 100 acres—a perfect spot for both active recreation and peaceful contemplation.

Telephone: (530) 752-4880

Website: <http://arboretum.ucdavis.edu>

### Unitrans (ASUCD)

Anyone age 60+ may ride Unitrans busses for free with a pass available at the UC Davis Retiree Center or the Davis Senior Center.

Telephone: (530) 752-BUSS (2877)

Website: <http://unitrans.ucdavis.edu>

## University Dining Services

Retirees are eligible for several dining discount programs at the Davis campus.

Telephone: (530) 752-6870

Website: <http://dining.ucdavis.edu>

### Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts

The Robert and Margrit Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts offers world-class performances in music, theatre and dance. Retirees receive the same discount as staff.

Telephone: (530) 754-ARTS (2787)

Website: <http://www.mondaviarts.org>

### Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI)

OLLI at University Extension offers affordable courses and events for seniors. Both UCDEA and UCRA members receive special OLLI pricing.

Telephone: (530) 757-8777

Website: <http://extension.ucdavis.edu/olli>

### Jan Shrem and Maria Manetti Shrem Museum

Since its opening in 2016, all who enter this new museum become students again in an exploration of art supported by programming and education that occurs within and beyond its walls.

Telephone: (530) 752-8500

Website: <http://shremmuseum.ucdavis.edu>

### UC Davis Staff Assembly (staff pins)

Retirees can purchase a staff pin that provides a variety of discounts on- and off-campus and supports the Staff Dependent Scholarship Program.

Telephone: (530) 752-0988

Website: <http://staff.ucdavis.edu>

### UC Davis Department of Athletics

Retirees receive the same discounts as active employees for football, basketball, baseball games and all other sporting events.

Website: <http://ucdavisaggies.com/>

## Retiree Center Sponsors

### Atria Covell Gardens

A welcoming retirement community, Atria Covell Gardens combines the comforts of home with the luxuries of a vacation.

Telephone: (530) 756-0700

Website: <http://atriaseniorliving.com>

### Carlton Plaza of Davis

Carlton Plaza offers independent and assisted living as well as their signature memory care for those challenged by dementia and Alzheimer's disease.

Telephone: (530) 564-7002

Website: <http://carltonseniorliving.com>

### Paradise Valley Estates

Paradise Valley Estates is a continuing care retirement community for people seeking an independent lifestyle with a secure path as their needs change.

Telephone: (800) 326-0419

Website: <http://pvestates.com>

### University Retirement Community (URC)

URC is a continuing care community that redefines retirement with its resident-centered programs and well-appointed apartment homes and cottages.

Telephone: (530) 747-7000

Website: <http://retirement.org/davis/>



# UC DAVIS

## RETIREE CENTER

The UC Davis Retiree Center, a division of the Development and Alumni Relations Department, recognizes and appreciates the importance of retired faculty/academics and staff as lifelong members of the UC Davis community. The Center facilitates many programs that encourage retirees to continue a connection with the university.

The Center was formed in 2006 as the result of the advocacy of a visionary group of UC Davis retirees. The Center provides the following programs for retirees and employees nearing retirement at the UC Davis and UC Davis Health locations.

### **Serves as the campus connection**

The Center serves as the official unit representing the needs of retirees to the campus on important issues such as parking, health and welfare benefits and other retiree privileges.



*Opportunities to socialize*

### **Plans retiree programs**

The Center plans a variety of social and educational programs, tours of campus venues and day trips for UC Davis retirees. These activities give retirees the opportunity to reconnect with colleagues and keep up with campus developments.



*Opportunities to connect*

### **Supports the UCDEA and the UC DRA**

The Center supports the work of the UC Davis Emeriti Association (UCDEA) and the UC Davis Retirees' Association (UCDRA), both of which provide programs for members and advocate for all UC Davis retirees at the university and state levels.

The associations jointly plan a dynamic schedule of monthly programs including BrainFood Talks, quarterly membership meetings and a popular annual holiday luncheon.

Each association sponsors its own programs. The UCDEA's Video Records Project preserves the insights of retired faculty and campus administrators on DVDs. The UCDRA's scholarship program presents an annual scholarship award to a current staff member who is furthering his/her education.

### **Connects retirees with volunteer opportunities**

Research shows that retirees who volunteer reap many health benefits, including a greater sense of satisfaction and fulfillment in their lives.

Retirees are encouraged to serve on the UCDEA or the UCDRA executive boards or committees. In addition, the Retiree Center website contains links to volunteer opportunities across the UC Davis and health system campuses.

### **Provides information and referrals**

The Retiree Center provides valuable information and referrals to resources. The Center's website contains links to many local and national resources such as Medicare and Social Security as well as a variety of community agencies.



*Opportunities to volunteer*

### **Facilitates pre-retirement planning**

The Retiree Center coordinates with several other offices at the Davis and Sacramento campuses to facilitate pre-retirement planning programs for current faculty, academics and staff, including a four-week "Transitioning to Retirement" workshop series, offered each winter quarter.