October 3, 2019

Bruin TEK Forum

Save the Date
Monday, October 28, 2019
1:00pm - 6:00pm
Geffen Hall
Iris Cantor Auditorium

Buy Tickets
UCLA’s largest staff organizations have come together to bring you the Bruin Tools for Employee Knowledge (TEK) Forum. This year’s event will feature three panel discussions on embracing technology for professional development and management skills. We welcome you to stay for a reception after which includes a digital welcome message from UCLA’s Leonard Kleinrock, “Inventor of the Internet.”

All proceeds will go toward staff scholarships and programming. This event is sponsored by UCLA Samueli #Internet50 and Spencer Trask & Co.

**Agenda**

Doors open at 12:30pm with program to begin at 1pm

Opening Remarks by Kevin Kimberlin, Chairman of Spencer Trask & Co

Followed by three panels:

**Generational Technology** (1:15pm): From pagers to smartphones; phone conference to Zoom, stream, and share; in-person training to online training. Panelists discuss changes to management and professional development skills as they embrace the changing generations of technology.

**Technology Tools for Growth** (2:15pm): Use of UCLA technology tools for professional development and service management. Panelists discuss the technology tools they use for communication, management, and training.

**Data-Driven Management** (3:15pm): Embracing technology to manage our daily intake of information to make decisions. Panelists exchange their ideas on how they manage the dozens of emails, text messages, and other information streams to get their work done.

Closing Remarks by Dr. Michael Pfeffer, Assistant Vice Chancellor and Chief Information Officer, UCLA Health Sciences

Program will be concluded with an exclusive screening (45 minutes) of National Geographic's documentary "Inside the Internet: 50 Years of Life Online" and a catered reception.

**Get Tickets:** [https://2019tek.eventbrite.com](https://2019tek.eventbrite.com)
Rideshare Month 2019

Work Hard, Commute Easy During Rideshare Month 2019

Work can be tough but your commute doesn’t have to be! UCLA Transportation is celebrating Rideshare Month by encouraging Bruins to use a sustainable form of transportation such as public transit, carpool, vanpool, biking, or walking.

Pledge to rideshare during October and you'll be automatically entered to win prizes such as gift cards, Metro passes, a $100 Wheels credit, and more!

Stop by our Rideshare Fair this Thursday, October 3 at Bruin Plaza from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. Participate in a variety of fun activities and receive giveaways aimed at promoting sustainable transportation and a healthy lifestyle.
Defending Dreamers at the U.S. Supreme Court

On Friday, September 27, the University of California filed a brief in the Supreme Court challenging the Trump administration’s decision to rescind the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program. In September 2017, after the administration announced it would end DACA, the University of California was the first university to sue the government. This November, the University of California will take its fight to defend the nation’s Dreamers to the U.S. Supreme Court.

We were the first university in the country to challenge the federal administration’s decision to end the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program, which has allowed nearly 700,000 Dreamers — including many UC students — to live, work and study in the United States.

- [Read UC President Janet Napolitano's Statement](#) on Filing Supreme Court brief on DACA.
- [Read the full brief](#) filed on Friday, September 27.
Recently President Janet Napolitano announced her resignation as president of the University of California, effective August 1, 2020.
Read her most recent newsletter about her resignation >>
Theater Season 2019

The UCLA School of Theater, Film and Television’s (UCLA TFT) Department of Theater announced today its upcoming theater season, which includes the production of Bertolt Brecht’s *The Resistible Rise of Arturo Ui*, the opera *Juana* and the seminal rock musical *Hair*.

The season begins in November with Arturo Ui, Brecht’s allegory that satirizes the rise of Nazi Party in pre-WWII Germany, placing the action in 1930s Chicago. Also in November, Juana, based on the novel Sor Juana’s Second Dream, by UCLA Professor Alicia Gaspar de Alba, tells the story of Sor Juana Ines de la Cruz, a 17th-century feminist genius, theologian, poet, author, composer, artist and architect whose life was marked by repeated conflict with men of the Inquisition. The opera features designers from the Department of Theater and performers from the UCLA Herb Alpert School of Music.

In May, the Ray Bolger Musical Theater Program at UCLA TFT presents Hair: The American Tribal Love-Rock Musical, a celebration of counterculture and the sexual revolution.

A full theater season schedule is available on UCLA TFT’s website:
Requests for Newsletter Submission
Submit all newsletter request to staffassembly@ucla.edu.

- One complimentary entry per term (July to June)
- Additional posts within a term are available at $250 for internal organizations/departments and $500 for external entities per post
- Standalone emails are available by request
- Submit requests 4 weeks in advance of the desired post date
- Submit concise text (no more than 1000 characters) with artwork
- Artwork should be high resolution and sized to 564 x 260 pixels

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