

# CONNECTIONS NEWSLETTER

## Interdisciplinary / Multicultural / Intergenerational EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES



Surprising Micro-organisms and Climate Change in Southern California!  
presented by  
Dr. Steven D. Allison

### Climate Change - Lecture with Q&A February 7 — 10:30 a.m. @ The Newkirk Alumni Center

How can microbes help us cope with the challenges of drought and climate change in California?

Professor Steve Allison will introduce the fascinating world of micro-organisms and their surprising connections to climate change in our region. Often unseen, microbes play critical roles in human and environmental health. Hear the recent scientific advances in microbial ecology driven by cutting-edge technology and applied to our local landscapes.

Parking sponsored by your UCIRA saving you \$10. Please note if you have not joined yet; membership (<http://goo.gl/r91Cyy>) allows you complimentary parking to many upcoming events on campus.

**More info and Online RSVP** <https://goo.gl/MUCE5x> or by calling 949.824.7769

### February 9 — Hike - Whiting Ranch 9:00 a.m.

See **PAGE 2** for more information and online RSVP link.

### March 3 — Art in the Park @ UCI Homecoming

Enjoy and purchase art created by Anteaters. Interested in being a featured artist or crafter? We are looking for painters, photographers, sculptors, leather workers, quilters, printmakers and more. Submit an interest form today!



UCI Retiree Claudette Bettis

Artist Interest Form: <http://engage.alumni.uci.edu/HCArtist18>

**UCI** Center for Emeriti & Retirees

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## LOOKING FOR UCI GOLFERS! ▶

Reserve May 16th  
10th Annual Golf Tournament  
@ Arroyo Trabuco Golf Club  
Scramble Format, ALL Levels!  
Click here for more info:  
<https://goo.gl/ZnyULb>

### Next page items:

- ▶ **Hikes, Walks, Bike Rides**  
*Keep movin' with our monthly HWBRs*
- ▶ **Future Events / Save the Date**  
*Mark your calendars for these upcoming events in 2018!*
- ▶ **Featured Event**  
*UCIRA and CER present the 10th annual UCI Retirees & Friends Golf Tournament!*

**GET CONNECTED on FACEBOOK:**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/UCIretirees/>

## FEB. & MARCH

### HIKES / WALKS / BIKE RIDES

February 9 - 9:00 a.m.  
HIKE - Whiting Ranch



Whiting Ranch, Borrego Trailhead to Vista Point. On this 5.5 mile out and back hike, we'll get our sweat on as we climb Mustard Trail to Vista Point. After enjoying expansive views of Whiting and Limestone Canyons and a peekaboo view of Red Rocks, we'll leisurely descend to the canyon floor for our return.

More Info and online RSVP <https://goo.gl/gK2VF9>.

March 6 - 9:30 a.m.  
WALK - Jeffrey Open Space



More Info and online RSVP <https://goo.gl/ZvgTe6>

March 13 - 9:00 a.m.  
BIKE RIDE - Santa Ana River



More Info and online RSVP <https://goo.gl/rA8DS5>

March 22 - 9:00 a.m.  
HIKE - Buck Gully Reserve



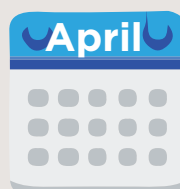
More Info and online RSVP <https://goo.gl/SjBafP>

HWBRs are coordinated with your UCI Retirees Association

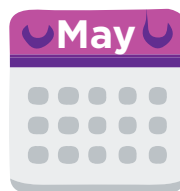
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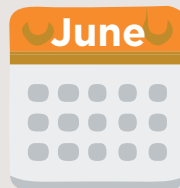
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Challenge



7 Stem Cell Center  
Tour and Talk  
+ more events coming!

Check website for ALL details + to RSVP!

## FEATURED EVENT: GOLF TOURNAMENT



Wednesday May 16, 2018  
Arroyo Trabuco Golf Club

- PLAY is SCRAMBLE Format (18 holes)
- Registration includes: range balls, green fees, golf cart, deluxe box lunch, water, gift bag, prizes
- Appetizer reception following the game

Registration Form Here:  
<https://goo.gl/ZnyULb>

Starting tee times will be emailed to teams two days prior to the event.

A portion of proceeds benefit the UCI Staff Assembly Scholarship  
helping current UCI Staff continue their education