

CONNECTIONS NEWSLETTER

Interdisciplinary / Multicultural / Intergenerational



Date: Tuesday, August 6, 2019
Time: 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Location: Newkirk Alumni Center
 450 Alumni Ct. Irvine, CA 92697
Presenter: Bryan Stebel, Certified Financial
 Planner, Stebel Financial Group

Register Online Here:
<http://bit.ly/2LFo9fM>

Complimentary Parking
 w/ RSVP by August 4

This session will give an overview of topics such as:

- Current Market Conditions that affect Income Planning
- Long Term Care Planning
- Estate Planning Logistics

Light refreshments will be provided (pizza!)

AUGUST 2019

HIKES WALKS BIKE RIDES

August 13- 4:30 p.m.
 HIKE - Riley Park Loop

NOTE: PM start time!



More Info and online RSVP <http://bit.ly/2Gdjttc>

August 21 - 9:00 a.m.
 BIKE RIDE - Dana Point to San Onofre



More Info and online RSVP <http://bit.ly/2GheF62>

These activities are lead by UCI Retirees Association members.

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Keep on Reading:

- ▶ **Future Events**
 Save the Date for our two events honoring UCI retirees and emeriti
- ▶ **UCI Retiree Highlight**
 Wanda Reynolds
- ▶ **Ask the HCF**
 Meet Kwame White our resident Health Care Facilitator
- ▶ **UC Retirees Travel Program**
 Travel with other UC retirees around the globe!

GET CONNECTED on FACEBOOK:
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/UCIretirees/>

EVENTS - DON'T MISS OUT!

FREE
EVENTS



Save the Date! New Retirees Social

ALL RETIREES INVITED to the New Retirees Social. Help welcome new retirees to their new normal. Enjoy hosted appetizers & no-host drinks at the Anthill (UCI) Pub. Opportunity drawing and bookstore discount! Complimentary parking with online RSVP.

Thursday, September 5
2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
The Pub - UCI Student Center

RSVP Online Here:
<http://bit.ly/2yqta2S>

Event co-sponsored by the UCI Retirees Association



ANNUAL RECEPTION

HONORING EMERITI & RETIREES

Tuesday, November 19th, 1:30 p.m. - 4 p.m. Save this date and time! Join us for this complimentary event that HONORS our UCI Emeriti and Retirees – YOU! Enjoy complimentary appetizers and parking at the Student Center on the UCI campus. Reconnect with friends and colleagues in celebration. Chancellor Gillman will be our keynote speaker.

Are you an Artist/Crafter? To showcase the talent of UCI Emeriti and Retirees, we are bringing the Annual Art Exhibit back to the reception. If you are interested in displaying your favorite works, please contact us at retirees@uci.edu

UCI RETIREE HIGHLIGHT:

WANDA REYNOLDS

"I was hired as a Senior Admit worker at the UCI Medical Center in early 1988.

I was told I could retire at age 50, but because that did not give me enough gas money, I worked until I was 55, June 2006. When my second grandson was born in 2007, I became a transportation grandma!

Before retiring, I was appointed to the Buena Park Culture and Fine Arts Commission where we collaborate on, promote, encourage and endorse cultural activities in the city, such as art festivals, summer band concerts, bus caravans, lecture/artist series, and children's art shows and theater. In 2013, I was appointed to the Buena Park Senior Commission to advise the City Council as to the needs of senior citizens and projects and activities within the community that would benefit this population.

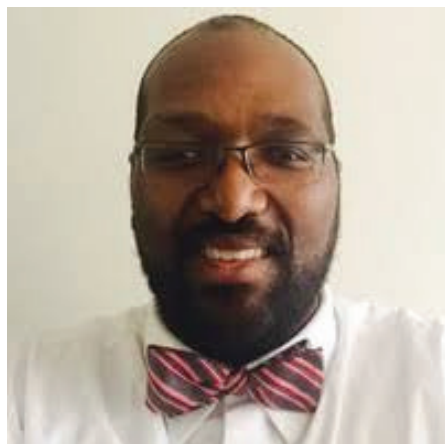
Because of my love for the Arts, I joined the Orange County Heritage Council, made up of dedicated community volunteers who focus on the development of events and activities that promote positive family and cultural interactions. I have served as the Youth Art Contest Coordinator for the past seven years which culminates in the annual Orange County Black History Parade and Cultural Faire in downtown Anaheim during Black History month."



Wanda Reynolds,
Assembly Women Sharon Quick-Silva,
Grandson Marcus

ASK THE HCF!

Do you have a question for our campus Health Care Facilitator? Email him at whitek@uci.edu and read about him below. He is here to help with all questions and matters regarding retiree health insurance and benefits!



UCI Health Care Facilitator - Kwame White

Kwame White is the Health Care Facilitator at UC Irvine and loves helping people maximize the value of their UC-Sponsored coverage. He has spent the majority of his career in the healthcare industry, gaining experience as a physician, healthcare administrator, and as a benefits analyst for UCI before moving into the role of Health Care Facilitator.

Kwame White holds a BA in Biological Sciences from USC, an MD from Wake Forest School of Medicine, and a Masters in Public Policy and Administration from Northwestern University. After hours, you can find him either in the company of his 6-year old son, or spinnin' the tunes on his radio show on 88.7 KSPC FM.



CALL FOR: AUGUST 22 UCI Staff Appreciation Picnic VOLUNTEERS!

Do you miss the Staff Appreciation Picnic? Volunteer to help judge the department theme competition or to help organize the food lines-- **complimentary parking and snacks included!** For more information or if you are interested, please contact Joani Harrington - jmharrin@uci.edu



UC Retirees Travel is affiliated with CUCRA (Council of University of California Retiree Associations), a systemwide consortium of volunteer retiree representatives from 13 UC retiree associations. CUCRA represents the interests of UC retirees and supports the University's teaching, research and public service missions.



UC RETIREES TRAVEL CRUISE RHINE & MOSEL RIVERS

Grand Circle Travel – Group of 38-45 aboard
a privately-owned 140-passenger ship
Departs April 30, 2020 • 15 Days • 28 Meals

UC Retirees Travel, which coordinates travel for retirees from all 10 campuses, has added a new river cruise for 2020. Behold fairytale castles, terraced vineyards, and Dutch and German cities as you delve into this region's diverse history. Traveling alone? Register early – this trip has just one single cabin at no extra charge.

To reserve, call (800) 353-6262, select 2 and mention Group Code GO-28708. In addition to this new trip, tours in 2019/2020 include Tuscany, New Zealand, Iberia, Vietnam, Japan, Croatia and more. Expert group trip planners coordinate all of the details so you can relax and enjoy the journey.

More Details: <https://www.gct.com/marketing/2019/cucra-retirees-travel-program-SAB>