

**Riverside** **Campus Events Center**

**Fiscal Year:** 2014-15

**Project Description**

- Current facilities do not provide sufficient capacity to support programs for a campus with a population of 20-25,000 students. Initial concept is to develop a space to accommodate 4,300 fixed seats and to provide a maximum capacity of 5,200 seats. Seating capacity will be determined during the pending planning process.
- Envisioned as a gathering place where the campus community can attend a variety of events and where the Campus can increase engagement with the greater Riverside community. Proposed programs and events the facility will support include: commencement and convocation, student recruitment, orientation, concerts, avid outreach activities, academic debates, comedy events, chancellor’s dinner, career services trade shows, community events, faculty seminars and host tournaments, conventions and large banquets.
- A goal is to create a well-organized, welcoming place that is inviting to the campus and local community, and provides an environment that has a positive impact on broad UCR Programs.
- A new funding strategy is proposed for the project based upon information obtained from the recent planning efforts.

**Project Scope Summary**

ASF	85,300
GSF	91,200

**Summary of Budget by Fund Type**

Gift Funds	\$	20,000,000
Campus Funds	\$	20,000,000
<b>Total Budget</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>40,000,000</b>

**Gift Campaign Summary**

Gifts to be Raised	\$	20,000,000
<b>Total Gifts</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>20,000,000</b>