JORGE ANCONA
Assistant Vice Chancellor, Alumni and Constituent Relations
UC Riverside

Jorge Ancona joined the University of California, Riverside as assistant vice chancellor of alumni & constituent relations and executive director of the UCR Alumni Association on July 1, 2013. Ancona leads a staff of 15 in UC Riverside’s efforts to engage its current and future alumni, parents, emeriti, and retirees. He provides executive leadership to the UCR Alumni Association and its board of directors and also oversees the campus event management and protocol office. He is responsible for stewardship of the Alumni Association’s endowment funds and for developing fundraising initiatives for the alumni association and alumni relations programs.

Ancona joined UC Riverside after more than a decade of accomplishments at the University of California, Irvine where he grew the association’s scholarship endowments from $1.5 million to $4 million; increased the association’s assets from $3.4 million to $8 million; and increased the homecoming program attendance from 150 participants to more than 4,000. He also led the development of the $8 million Newkirk Alumni Center, a 12,500 square foot multi-purpose facility that opened on the Irvine campus in January 2013. Prior to his appointment at UC Irvine, Ancona spent eight years working in alumni relations at UCLA, where he earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in economics and Latin American studies.

Ancona serves on the Council for Advancement and Support of Education’s (CASE) Commission on Alumni Relations and as one of the co-chairs for CASE’s 2015 Senior Alumni Relations Professionals Institute. He has presented at CASE America Latina in Mexico City and was a faculty member for two Minority Advancement Institutes in Washington, D.C. He co-chaired the alumni relations track for two CASE district conferences and was a member of the Council of Alumni Association Executives from 2004 – 2013.
Janhavi Bonville
Assistant Executive Vice Chancellor
UC San Francisco

Janhavi works closely with the EVCP and Chancellor on strategy development, operational planning and project management and execution, across UCSF. Her role includes long and short term strategic and business planning, working across schools and business units at UCSF, working on major research and academic strategic initiatives, and executing on key operational process initiatives on campus.

Janhavi has been at UCSF for four years. Prior to that, she was a Vice President at United Healthcare focused on product development, and worked as a management consultant for over thirteen years, working with large and small consultancies on strategy development and business planning. She has extensive experience in, and interest in, health and public policy, working with, among others, nonprofit health plans and patient and research advocacy groups, universities, and for profit health plans and medical centers.

Janhavi has a Masters in Public Policy from the Goldman School of Policy at UC Berkeley and a Bachelor or Arts in Economics from Columbia University.

Janhavi grew up outside the United States but has lived in the San Francisco Bay Area for over twenty years. She has a deep rooted respect and affection for the UC System from both personal and professional perspectives!
GEORGIANNE CARLSON
Associate Vice Chancellor/Chief Finance & Administrative Officer – Business and Administrative Services
UC Riverside

Georgianne Carlson serves as the Associate Vice Chancellor / Chief Financial & Administrative Officer - Business and Administrative Services (BAS) at the University of California, Riverside (UCR). Georgianne joined the UCR campus in July 2000 as the Assistant Dean / Chief Financial and Administrative Officer in the College of Natural and Agricultural Sciences, where she served until July 2009. Prior to joining the Riverside campus, Georgianne held positions of increasing responsibility over an 11 year career at the University of Redlands, in Redlands California, lastly as the Associate Vice President for Finance and Administration and Director of Financial Services. Georgianne’s experience also includes seven years as a Certified Public Accountant working with a small public accounting firm located in San Bernardino, California, and a regional firm with offices in the Inland Empire.

UCR’s BAS is an organizational unit comprised of the central administrative functions supporting the greater campus, including Financial Services, Student Business Services, Human Resources and Labor Relations, Physical Plant, Transportation & Parking Services, Fleet Services, Architects and Engineers, UC Police Department, Materiel Management, Procurement, Business Contracts, Printing and Reprographic Services, Mail Services, and Environmental Health and Safety. As Associate Vice Chancellor, Georgianne supports the vision of the Vice Chancellor – BAS, by providing leadership to a variety of initiatives and projects aimed at improving the efficiency and effectiveness of BAS units and in establishing BAS as an exemplar on the UCR campus. A major initiative currently underway is the consolidation of what were previously three shared services units providing payroll, human resources, financial and integrated technology services to BAS into one unit that can be scaled to provide such services to the greater UCR campus.

In her role as Chief Financial and Administrative Officer in BAS, Georgianne oversees the financial and administrative operations of BAS units and provides leadership in the areas of budgetary and financial planning, organizational design, workforce planning, technology planning and BAS policy / procedure development and implementation.

In 2012, Georgianne assumed the lead role in developing the successful proposal to locate the UC PATH Center in Riverside and served as the campus’ liaison to the Project Management Office during the course of the proposal evaluation and selection process.

Georgianne’s service to UCR includes participation in the activities of the following ongoing groups and committees: Administrative and Business Systems Steering Committee, Financial and Human Resources Officers’ Group, and the Enterprise Risk Work Group. Recent ad hoc committee engagements include the Campus Safety Task Force, Fraud Risk Management Workgroup (chair), Robinson-Edley Compliance Workgroup, “C Center” Planning Group, and Shared Services Planning Group.

Georgianne is a graduate of California State University – San Bernardino, where she majored in Administration and Accounting. She is a Certified Public Accountant (California License, Inactive).
Peggy Delaney is Vice Chancellor of Planning and Budget at UC Santa Cruz. She is responsible for the budget office, capital planning and space management, academic planning support, institutional research, assessment, and policy studies, and the data warehouse/decision-making support system. Prior to joining the full-time administrative side of UC Santa Cruz in 2009, Delaney was a professor in the department of ocean sciences. She was the interim executive vice chancellor for UC Santa Cruz (April 2004-March 2005). Delaney has held many leadership roles in the national and international scientific ocean drilling community, and she has served terms as editor for two journals in her academic field. She holds a B.S. in chemistry from Yale University and a Ph.D. in chemical oceanography from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology/Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution joint program in oceanography. She is a Fellow of the Oceanography Society and of the American Geophysical Union. She attended the Harvard Institute for Educational Management in July 2014, an intensive, residential educational leadership training program.
Edgar Dormitorio is the Chief of Staff for the Division of Student Affairs at the University of California Irvine. In this role, he is responsible for assisting the Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs in managing the division which includes the areas of Enrollment Services, Wellness Health & Counseling, Auxiliary Services, and Student Life & Leadership. The Division of Student Affairs is the campus’s largest division and is dedicated to supporting students’ well-being and fostering their growth. Prior to serving in his current role he was the Assistant Dean of Students and Director of Student Conduct at the University of California, Irvine for 7 years where he was responsible for managing the campus student disciplinary process. His experiences include managing high profile disciplinary cases involving a range of student behaviors from sexual assaults to working with students with mental health issues. He has served in a number of student affairs positions at UCI over the past 14 years.
Barney joined UCI Alumni in the fall of 2014 with a mandate to work collaboratively with campus leaders and alumni volunteers to ideate a new vision to support the ambitions of UCI. Prior to UCI Barney worked in alumni and before that development at the University of British Columbia, Canada’s second largest and preeminent University. While at UBC Barney was Co-Lead on www.startanevolution.ca Canada’s largest and the world’s first dual goal Campaign for a University. The goal of doubling alumni engagement was met a year early and the campaign will meet its financial goal of raising $1.5 billion on schedule in 2015.

Prior to UBC Barney worked as a fundraiser for a number of large organizations as well as being a partner in a fundraising consultancy for three years. When not at work Barney has been a very active volunteer at the local and national levels and has been recognized by the Prime Minister of Canada for his impact. Downtime is spent rowing competitively, skiing, boating and exploring the world with his husband.
NICK EVERSOLE
Assistant Vice Chancellor,
Human Health Sciences and Chief of Staff
UC Davis Health System

Nick Eversole currently serves as Assistant Vice Chancellor, Human Health Sciences, at UC Davis Health System. He oversees policies, programs, priorities, and personnel matters of interest to the Vice Chancellor/Dean and is particularly focused at the moment on organizational realignment and strategic planning.

Prior to moving to northern California, Nick served as the Assistant Dean of Undergraduate Education at the University of California, Irvine. In addition to fiscal and personnel oversight for the division, Nick coordinated the efforts of a vast array of services and programs including Academic Testing, Campus-wide Honors, International Education, Classroom Technology, Undergraduate Research and Faculty Pedagogy. Before joining UC Irvine, Nick worked at California State University, Fullerton (CSUF) where he began as the Chief of Staff and Director, Budget & Administration in the Office of the Executive Vice President before becoming Assistant Vice President of Student Affairs. His career in higher education also includes eight years at the University of California, Los Angeles where he began in Business & Legal Programs before becoming Chief of Staff to the Dean of Extension and Continuing Education.

Nick is from Ohio. He received his BA in Spanish from New College in Sarasota, Florida and his MBA from UCLA. He lived abroad for nearly a dozen years including undergraduate studies in Spain followed by two years of service as a US Peace Corps volunteer in Africa and then various positions with the US and British governments in Portugal and Colombia.
Lisa joined UC ANR on August 1, 2012 as the Associate Director for the Research and Extension Center System. Her role is to provide research and extension coordination, leadership and advocacy for the nine-center REC System, and work to improve connections between research and extension/outreach functions, and support programs across department, disciplinary and Agriculture Experiment Station and Cooperative Extension boundaries. Lisa also administers and manages the REC budget process.

Lisa has a Bachelor and Master degrees in Geography with an emphasis in environmental studies, remote sensing, land use change and monitoring from UC Santa Barbara.

Prior to joining UC ANR, Lisa was a program manager with the USDA Forest Service, responsible for implementing national forest health and cooperative forestry programs across California, Hawaii and the US Trust Territories. Prior to joining the Forest Service, Lisa worked at NASA Ames Research Center conducting applied research in agriculture and natural resources, and providing technical assistance, support and expertise in facilitating, developing and managing collaborative research agreements for applied commercial remote sensing, and geospatial related projects.
Renée Fortier received her B.A. from Rice University and M.A./M.S. degrees from UCLA, specializing in Health Care Administration with a focus on strategic planning. In 1982, Renee joined the Chancellor’s Planning Office as a planner responsible for health sciences projects, and subsequently worked for Capital Programs as a Principal Planner. Recruited by Business and Transportation Services in 1987, she oversaw the business units, including Insurance & Risk Management, Records Management, and the Staff and Faculty Counseling Center, before assuming responsibility for transportation units, initially overseeing Fleet Services, and then in 1992, becoming Associate Director for Parking and Commuter Services. In 1995 all business functions for the division were centralized under her leadership.

In 2004, she became Transportation Services Director with leadership oversight for the complex UCLA transportation enterprise, which includes: Parking Services, responsible for operations and enforcement of a 23,000 space parking system, as well as campus traffic direction; Fleet & Transit Services with a fleet of over 1,000 vehicles, 50% of which are alternative fueled and a campus shuttle system with over 1.2 million passenger boardings per year and extensive charter operations; Communications and Commuter Services, providing commuter information and assisting with commute alternatives, including the vanpool system serving over 80 Southern California communities, carpooling, subsidized public transit passes, and the bicycle program; Transportation Planning & Policy, which is responsible for overseeing traffic signals and roadway modifications, the cordon count which assures UCLA stays under its daily trip cap, and transportation research and policy analysis. In 2010, with the addition of the Events Office under her purview, Renée became Executive Director of Events & Transportation.

Under her leadership, E&T’s focus on quality, efficiency and sound business management are coupled with innovation and a commitment to creating the best environment for customers and staff alike. During her tenure, her division has won several awards for quality alternative transportation programs from the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) and Metro, has been recognized with a gold designation as a Best Workplace for commuters by the United States Department of Transportation and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and was named a “Bike Friendly University” by the league of American Cyclists.

Outside of work, Renée has traveled widely and is an avid sculptor, spending much of her free time practicing her art.
Peter Graham is the Associate Dean for Student Academic Affairs in the College of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences at the University of California, Riverside. His portfolio includes admissions and recruiting; university, college and major requirements; assessment and accreditation; course and program creation; curriculum planning, departmental reviews; course offerings, lecturer hiring, and enrollment management; lecturer and TA budgets; orientation; professional academic advising; academic probation and dismissal; honors and awards; degrees and commencement; communication between colleges; collaboration with student affairs; developing, assessing and managing learning communities and high impact programs; improving college teaching; staff professional development programs; among others. He works with University Extension, Student Affairs, Student Conduct, the Honors Program, Study Abroad, Financial Aid, and the Office of Undergraduate Education. He has served on the Charges Committee and the Committee on Privileges and Tenure in the Riverside Division of the Academic Senate. As Associate Dean, he serves ex officio on the College Executive Committee, and the Senate Admissions and Preparatory Education Committees.

He is Professor in the Department of Philosophy and a member of the Program in Linguistics at Riverside. He began his career at Riverside in 2001 and was promoted to Full Professor in 2011. He conducts research in the theory of knowledge, the philosophy of perception, the philosophy of language and communication, and the philosophy of social science. He is the Director of the Epistemology and Philosophy of Psychology Workshop at UC Riverside.

He received his BA from the University of California, Los Angeles in Philosophy in 1991, his MA from the University of Arizona in Philosophy in 1995, and his PhD from Stanford University in 2000. He has taught at Arizona, Stanford, Saint Louis University, Scripps College, Claremont McKenna College, Simon Fraser University, and Yonsei University. He has received research fellowships from the University of Aberdeen and Oxford University. He is an Associate Editor for the Journal of the American Philosophical Association and he is the Vice Chair of the Committee on International Cooperation for the American Philosophical Association.
Yvette Gullatt is Vice Provost for Diversity and Engagement and Chief Outreach Officer for the University of California system. In this role she provides vision, direction, leadership and oversight of strategies and approaches for the UC system that advance access, diversity and inclusion for students and faculty.

Yvette joined the Office of the President in 1999 and has held a variety of systemwide roles during her tenure, including Vice Provost for Education Partnerships and Director for Student Academic Preparation and Educational Partnerships (SAPEP). Before joining the Office of the President, Yvette worked at UC Berkeley in a variety of student affairs positions, including Director of the Early Academic Outreach Program (EAOP).

Yvette serves on a number of boards and committees aimed at improving the academic pipeline for educationally disadvantaged, low income, first generation and underrepresented students. She consults with organizations in California and throughout the nation on academic pipeline issues and strategies. She holds B.A., M.A. and Ph.D. degrees in English from UC Berkeley.
Liv Hassett is Associate Campus Counsel at UC Santa Cruz. Liv joined the University in 2010 and handles a variety of legal matters in areas such as research, business transactions, online education, information governance, data use and security and other privacy and technology-related matters. Liv is also a member of the UC Office of General Counsel’s system-wide Copyright Working Group. Liv participates in many professional development and networking opportunities through OGC and through membership with the National Association of College and University Attorneys. Prior to joining the University of California, Liv worked in private practice as a transactional attorney, primarily in real estate and other business transactions.

Liv was born and raised in the Bay Area and received her undergraduate and law degrees from UC Berkeley. While at Cal, Liv was a member of the Women’s Swimming and Diving Team. Liv is married to another Cal Swimming alum and they have four young cubs. Liv speaks Norwegian as a result of spending a year in Trondheim, Norway during high school.
ANDREA HESSE
Director, ITS
Academic Divisional Computing
UC Santa Cruz

Andrea Hesse currently works as Academic Divisional Computing Director in Information Technology Services at UC Santa Cruz where she oversees the local IT staff and operations embedded in the campus's five academic divisions (https://www.adc.ucsc.edu/). She is additionally responsible for managing the delivery of IT services to the Humanities Division and representing the division in campuswide IT initiatives, planning and governance. Prior to joining ITS, Andrea worked as Associate Director for UC College Prep Online, a UC Systemwide equity in access demonstration project and laboratory for the development media rich academic content and its delivery via the Internet. Leading up to that were various roles in a range of educational settings including university art gallery director, charter school administrator, healthy start coordinator and outdoor education director. More information is available @ https://www.linkedin.com/in/ahesse.
A proud second generation UC employee, Bill first started working at Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (LBNL) in 1987 as a student assistant in the Technical Information Department when he was a junior in high school. He continued to work in various positions while attending UC Berkeley where he received a BA in Political Science in 1991. In 1993, he left the Laboratory to work in Washington, DC first on Capitol Hill and later as Deputy Director for the Council of State Administrators of Vocational Rehabilitation. When he came back to California in 1996, he returned to LBNL, initially supporting the Life Sciences Division Director before taking on a series of new roles including Manager of the Biosciences Proposal Development Center, Senior Business Manager, and Division Deputy for Operations of the Life Sciences Division. He was named Senior Advisor to the Deputy Laboratory Director in 2012.

Bill served from 2004-2006 as LBNL's delegate to the Council of UC Staff Assemblies (CUCSA). He also served as the Chair of CUCSA's Policy and Procedures Committee from 2005-2006. In 2006, he was unanimously elected to serve on CUCSA's executive board, one year as Chair-Elect followed by a year as Chair. During his tenure in CUCSA's leadership, the Council focused its efforts on vital issues to the University including examining staff diversity as well as looking at succession planning through leadership training. In 2007, Bill served as the inaugural CUCSA representative to the UC Staff Diversity Council.

In 2007, Bill was appointed by then-UC President Bob Dynes to serve as 2007-2009 Staff Advisor to the Regents (the fourth person to serve in this position, first created in 2005 by the Regents). During his time as Staff Advisor, the scope and role of the Staff Advisor position continued to grow in many ways, including by expanding its presence on additional permanent and ad hoc Regental Committees, such as Long Range Planning.

Bill continues to be very proud of the opportunities he had to provide a voice for staff to the entire University community during his time with CUCSA and also as Staff Advisor to the Regents.

Mr. King joined UC San Diego in 2008 as a Principal Architect, and was appointed the position of Assistant Vice Chancellor of Facilities Design & Construction and Campus Architect in 2013. As Campus Architect, Joel provides leadership and direction in the delivery of a two billion dollar capital building program.

Mr. King has held positions as Project Manager, Director of Architectural Services, and Senior Director of Campus Project Management. He has been a leader on various capital building projects over the past several years, including the Jacobs Medical Center and Outpatient Pavilion, Altman Clinical Research Translational Institute and Health Sciences Biomed Research Facility, Muir Biology and York Hall Chemistry Lab Renovations, North Campus Housing East and West Villages, Rady School of Management Phase 2, and the Scripps Institution of Oceanography MESOM Laboratory and Marine Facility berthing pier re-construction.

Future efforts include coordination of a number of transportation projects including bringing Light Rail Transit to the campus, as well as other significant regional transportation improvements which will support sustainability and provide means for alternative transportation. Mr. King has and will continue to play a vital role on maximizing these benefits to our community.

Mr. King’s background in design and construction is broad. He interned with the San Diego architectural firm of Hallenbeck Chamorro & Associates, where he obtained his architecture license and ultimately became principal-in-charge. He started his own architecture practice in 1994 that specialized in waterfront development on Port of San Diego Tidelands. Before joining UC San Diego, he worked in the capacity of Director of Construction Services for the Catholic Diocese of San Diego for over 14 years where he oversaw the design and construction of a very diverse capital building program. Joel has a B.A. degree from San Diego State University in Industrial Arts, is a member of the American Institute of Architects, Association of University Architects, and is a LEED accredited professional with the US Green Building Council.
Leslyn Kraus is the Associate Director for UC Davis Internal Audit Services at the UC Davis Campus and Health System. She began her professional career at the public accounting firm of KPMG Peat Marwick, and has worked in the financial services industry and public sector. Prior to coming to UC Davis, Leslyn served as the Chief Deputy Auditor at the County of Yolo.

Leslyn’s current areas of responsibility include providing leadership to Internal Audit Services professional staff, developing and implementing the annual Audit Plan, serving in an advisory capacity on workgroups and committees at Campus and Health System, and acting in the Director’s stead when he is absent. Leslyn was appointed as the Interim Director of Internal Audit for a period in 2014 while the Director completed a special assignment. Leslyn recently collaborated with a colleague at UC Berkeley to develop a mentorship program that has been adopted by UC Internal Audit at a system-wide level.

Leslyn holds a Bachelor’s degree in Business Administration. She is a Certified Public Accountant, Certified Internal Auditor and Certified Fraud Examiner.
I’ve been at UCR for 14 years. Since November 2013 I have served as Associate Vice Chancellor for Human Resources. In this role I am responsible for leading, developing and managing a comprehensive human resources program. My responsibilities include employee and labor relations (staff and academic bargaining agreements), recruitment, compensation and classification, benefits, workplace health and wellness (which includes disability management workers' compensation, ergonomics, wellness), organizational and staff development, policy and regulatory compliance, and the Faculty and Staff Assistance Program. Prior to this I was the campus Director of Labor Relations for 4 years, and prior to that Associate Director of Labor Relations. I am one of the few employees to have been a graduate student, a teaching assistant, a lecturer, an employee, a manager and a leader on the same campus.

Before joining UCR I worked as a senior HR officer for the County of San Bernardino. I have worked in both private and public sector organizations in every major area of HR, including leadership, organizational and employee development, diversity initiatives, policy development and regulatory compliance, disability management, recruitment, classification, compensation, employee and labor relations.

I hold a BA from the University of East Anglia (UK), and an MBA from UCR. I am certified as a Senior Professional in Human Resources.
Marie Logan is the Director of Operations and Resource Management in the Business and Administrative Services division at the University of California Santa Cruz. She has dedicated her work life to the field of higher education since 1991. Marie has served in roles as diverse as Assistant Dean at the School of Natural Resources & Environment and Director of Corporate and Foundation Relations in the College of Literature, Science & the Arts at the University of Michigan, as well as Assistant Dean of Social Sciences and also her current role at UC Santa Cruz. She has a BBA from Western Michigan University with a major in Marketing and minors in Economics and French. In her spare time, she is an oil painter and ocean sailing enthusiast.
BARRY LONG
Director of Audit and Management Advisory Services
UC Santa Cruz

Barry Long is the director of Audit and Management Advisory Services at the University of California, Santa Cruz (UCSC), a position he has held since joining the campus in June 2009. The campus internal audit office is a part of the UC systemwide and Regents approved internal audit program.

In this role, Barry has been instrumental in helping campus management address important governance, risk management and control conditions, and strategic operational and cost savings opportunities identified from a continues assessment of business risk indicators and ongoing communication with campus leaders. He has successfully led his office in the execution of assurance services (audits), advice, analysis and consultation in the form of management requested advisory services, and investigations; with the primary purpose of adding value and assisting senior campus leadership in carrying out their fiduciary responsibilities.

He has supported campus risk management and risk intelligence efforts. He has also supported the UC audit program by leading various UC system wide internal audit program initiatives and workgroups, and participation as requested on UC National Laboratory associated boards and governance councils.

Prior to joining the campus, Barry spent over 20 years at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory as a senior/principal auditor and internal audit manager. He began his career as a Health Program Auditor for the State of California, Department of Health Services and later worked as an internal auditor for Santa Clara County, conducting operational and compliance reviews of County programs and operations at the Santa Clara Valley Medical Center.

Barry is a graduate of San Diego State University, with a B.S. in Business Administration; and is a Certified Public Accountant. He lives in Santa Cruz with his wife, and their golden retriever, and when not working, enjoys playing racquetball and taking walks on the beach.
Tiffany Ana López is a community engaged scholar with over twenty years experience working in Chicana/o and Latina/o cultural production and fostering programming about the role of the arts in generating personal and social change. In her position as Tomás Rivera Endowed Chair, she is Director of the annual Tomás Rivera Conference and plays an active role on campus and in the community advancing conversations about Latinas/os in higher education. She is an alumna of the Executive Leadership Academy of the Center for Studies in Higher Education at UC Berkeley and the American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education as well as the Leadership Institute of the Association for Theatre in Higher Education. Among her awards, Dr. López is the recipient of grants from the National Endowment for the Humanities, the Ford Foundation, and the Rockefeller Foundation; she is also a Fulbright Scholar. She is founding Director and Producer of Segundo Jueves, a monthly Latina/o play reading series at the Culver Center of the Arts. As a community artist, she has collaborated with theaters such as The Mark Taper Forum, Company of Angels, and Breath of Fire Latina Theater Ensemble. She is a member of the Advisory Board for the National Latina/o Theater Commons, a founding member of the Latina/o Theater Alliance of Los Angeles, and Resident Scholar for the Los Angeles Theatre Center. She serves on the editorial board of American Studies and the national advisory board of Mujeres Activas in Letras y Cambio Social. Over the past twenty years, she has mentored into graduate programs a generation of students who are now members of the professoriate. Her work with students is recognized by a Chancellor’s Award for Excellence in Mentoring Undergraduate Research.

Dr. López’s research, teaching, and creative activities focus on issues of trauma and violence. She is currently completing a book project, The Alchemy of Blood: Violence, Trauma, and Critical Witnessing in U.S. Latina/o Cultural Production (Duke University Press). Her work is widely published in journals and books, including: Theatre Journal; Art Journal; Frontiers-A Journal of Feminist Studies; Aztlán- A Journal of Chicano Studies; The Blackwell Companion to Twentieth-Century American Drama; The Cambridge Guide to U.S. Latina/o Literature; Ethnic Literary Traditions in American Children’s Literature; Performing the US Latina and Latino Borderlands and The Panza Monologues. Among her publications, she is editor of Chicana/Latina Studies: The Journal of Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social (2005-2012) and the anthology Growing Up Chicana/o (1993). Notably, she is the first in her family to graduate high school and go on to college, her journey launching from community college to the California State University and then the University of California, where she achieved the MA and PhD in English. A hybrid scholar and creative artist, Dr. López has dedicated her career to expanding opportunities in higher education for first generation college students and staging conversations about the role of the arts in developing agile and innovative thinkers and leaders.
Garry Mac Pherson is the Associate Vice Chancellor for Environmental and Building Services. In that capacity he manages the day to day demands of seven divisions within the Environment, Health & Safety Department, including Risk Services, Radiation Safety, Research Safety, Radiation Safety, Environmental Affairs, Fire & Life Safety, Business Services, and Pest Management. In addition, Garry oversees the Facilities Management Department which is comprised of ten divisions managing over 700 buildings, on a major research campus, on over 1200 acres. These include; Building Operations, Building Services, Landscape Services, Utility Services, several Trade shops, Sustainability, and Building commissioning.

Garry came to the University in 2009 after serving in local government for 33 years. While doing so, Garry was a senior manager providing municipal management of safety services, including police and fire departments. While serving in this capacity, Garry completed both a graduate and undergraduate degree from San Diego State University in Public Administration. The skills that Garry developed as a senior government leader are skills that he uses every day to manage a large work force of approximately 700 employees and student workers. Garry believes that his greatest contribution to UCSD is to support the personal and professional development of his employees so that they can achieve the goals that they desire and that will assist the campus in furthering its vision of providing a student centered, research-focused, service oriented public university.

Garry serves on a number of committees on the UCSD Campus and is continuously reminded of the limitless nature of research and science. It is this fascination that fuels Garry’s energy and desire to work hard to provide campus stakeholders with the highest level of customer service possible. Garry is the father of two daughters who live in North Carolina and Hawaii. He visits them both when time permits. He enjoys outdoor sports, cooking, and travel.
Rosemary Martin-Ocampo became the first Chief Administrative Officer at Graduate Studies at the University of California, Davis after an organizational review of the department. Her professional career has centered on business and administrative roles both at UC Davis and formerly as an Area/Community Manager in Solano County working for Pacific Gas and Electric Company. During her career at UC Davis she served in multiple administrative management positions in University Development, University Communications, Government and Community Relations and Student Affairs.

Her current area of responsibility include providing leadership to the Information Technology, Student Financial Support and Business and Financial Services units. She also participates in several campus community organizations including serving as former chair of the Administrative Management Group (ADMAN), participating as a board member of Staff Assembly and functioning as the treasurer of the Latino Staff and Faculty Association.

She has a bachelor’s degree in Spanish from California State University, Chico and a master’s degree from John F. Kennedy University.
GORAN MATIJASEVIC, MBA, Ph.D.
Senior Assistant Vice Chancellor,
Alumni and Constituent Relations
Executive Director of the Chief Executive Roundtable
UC Irvine

Goran Matijasevic is Senior Assistant Vice Chancellor, Alumni and Constituent Relations and the Executive Director of the UCI Chief Executive Roundtable at the University of California, Irvine. In that capacity, he oversees and advances research collaborations and strategic initiatives associated with Roundtable and Alumni Association programs. He also serves as UCI ambassador, establishing partnerships and opportunities that serve to enhance leader-to-leader connections across all campus interdisciplinary fields. Prior to this position, he was director of research development at The Henry Samueli School of Engineering at UC Irvine, where he worked on formation of new industry-university and academic collaborations. Prior to UCI, he worked as a senior engineer at QPlus, a telecommunications start-up company, and Director of Research at Ormet Technologies, a developer of electronic materials and technologies. He managed multiple SBIR projects that led to several industry consortia projects, as well as a license agreement with a Fortune 100 company.

Goran is currently on the boards of OCTANe (Orange County Technology Action Network) and Southern California Biomedical Council, as well as the advisory boards of TriTech SBDC and 2-1-1 Orange County. He was president of the national University Industry Demonstration Partnership (UIDP) 2012-13. At UC Irvine, he serves on the Graduate Division Dean's Leadership Council, UCI Calit2 Division Council, and the UCI TechPortal Incubator Oversight Committee. He has volunteer taught the Entrepreneurship Course for Scientists and Engineers in the Henry Samueli School of Engineering for the last nine years and has mentored several winning teams in the UCI Business Plan competition. He has four patents, and has co-authored three book chapters and over forty conference and journal publications. He was recognized by UCI Alumni Association as Distinguished Engineering Alum in 2008. Goran received his MBA from Pepperdine University and his M.S. ('85) and Ph.D. ('91) degrees from UC Irvine in Electrical and Computer Engineering.
Bobbi McCracken is Associate Vice Chancellor of Financial Services and Controller at UC Riverside. Bobbi’s management responsibilities include accounting, accounts payable, payroll, post award administration, student billing & receivables, and cashiering with the recent addition of procurement, business contracts, and equipment management. Bobbi is the campus external audit coordinator. Bobbi enjoys collaborating on systems development and process improvement activities; she leads the FDP payroll certification pilot effort at UCR. Bobbi began her career at UCR in 1987. Bobbi has a MBA and is an alumnus of UCR.
Mercedes Munoz is Financial Officer of UC San Diego’s Resource Management & Planning Unit. Her team provides advance planning, budget and resource analysis support for the Vice Chancellor and his respective units with a combined annual budget of $300 million and a personnel count of 900 FTE. Most recently, Mercedes has been on special assignment with the Chancellor’s Office serving as a budget/fiscal resource for the annual budget process and implementation of the campus’ strategic plan. Mercedes is a member of various staff associations and currently serves as the Vice Chair of the Chicano/Latino Staff Association.

Mercedes has more than 18 years’ experience at UC San Diego. A UC San Diego alumna, her previous position was in the Campus Budget Office where her responsibilities included management of the permanent budget system, implementation of the annual budget package and the development of campus wide training. Mercedes has worked previously in Disbursements (as a student staff member) and in General Accounting (as a Plant/Capital Asset Accountant).
MICHAEL NDUATI  
Associate Dean, Clinical Affairs  
LACE Director  
Director of Hospital Medicine  
UC Riverside

Role
Responsible for building the clinical enterprise of the UCR School of Medicine, including recruitment and appointment of physicians to the faculty. Directs the Longitudinal Ambulatory Clinical Experience (L.A.C.E.) which spans the students’ 1st three years of medical school, building on the school’s unique clinical training model partnering with community clinics and practice groups. Directs the UCR Hospitalist program at Riverside Community Hospital, overseeing the UCR hospitalist physicians who care for patients admitted at RCH during their hospital stay, from admission to discharge.

Credentials

Education and Training
M.D. from the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA  
Residency training at Kaiser Permanente Fontana Medical Center  
M.B.A. from the UCLA Anderson School of Management  
M.P.H. from the Harvard School of Public Health  
Bachelor of science degree in Biomedical Sciences from UC Riverside

Appointments, Recognition & Service
Active member of the James Wesley Vines Medical Society and Foundation, serving as liaison to UCR’s African Americans United in Science organization and Director of the Elma Vines Summer Health Academy, 2005-present. Member and Resident Representative to the Quality Improvement Committee, Kaiser Permanente Fontana, 2007-08. Team Physician, Fontana High School Football, 2006-07.
HEIKE RAU  
Deputy Chief of Staff, Office of the Chancellor  
UC Irvine

Since September 2015, Heike has been serving as Deputy Chief of Staff in the Office of the Chancellor at UC Irvine, developing plans and strategies for addressing a wide range of initiatives facing the campus. In the nine years prior to that she served as Administrative Services Officer and then Interim Associate Executive Vice Chancellor (2014-15) in the Office of the Provost, providing senior-staff level analyses, budget and policy guidance, and staff leadership, working with deans, vice chancellors, and other administrators to identify and resolve issues and move matters forward.

Heike first came to UC Irvine in 2001 as an Analyst in the Academic Senate Office, where she staffed the Council on Planning & Budget, the Graduate Council, and the Senate’s joint graduate/undergraduate academic program review process. From 1995 to 2001 she worked at UCLA, first for a brief period in University Advancement’s Corporate & Foundation Relations, then as Management Services Officer for the James S. Coleman African Studies Center, followed by a year at UCLA Summer Session. From 1989 - 1991 she was Graduate Admissions Assistant at the School of Social Welfare at UC Berkeley.

Heike received a B.A. in Communication from UC San Diego and an M.A. in International Communication at American University in Washington D.C., and then from 1993-1995 lived and worked abroad in Eritrea, in the Horn of Africa, writing proposals to secure foreign aid moneys and helping position logistics to develop the marine resource industry in that newly-formed country.
Miriam Rike, Interim Director, Cancer Services Finance for UCSF Health and the Helen Diller Comprehensive Cancer Center, has responsibility for financial planning and management of operating budgets related to UCSF Health cancer services (over $650M), planned cancer related capital projects (over $300M), and financial impact of regional strategies related to cancer services. Previously Ms. Rike served as Director, Finance and Administration Services, UCSF providing senior level strategic and decision support to the Senior Vice Chancellor. Leads multiyear financial and business planning for FAS ($350M budget). Provided guidance to UCSF leadership in financial forecasting, strategic investment analysis and impact analysis related to net income, cash position, and debt capacity for UCSF ($4B budget). Managed UCSF Budget and Investment Committee and supported implementation of UCSF strategic objectives including implementing UCSF’s real estate strategy, developing sustainable funding models (IT investments, scheduled renewal, deferred maintenance, capital investment), and supported administrative efficiencies, including the creation of finance and HR service centers. Previously worked with UCSF Medical Center to develop a financial projection and debt structure for the Mission Bay hospital ($1.5B).

Prior to UCSF Ms. Rike was Vice President, JPMorgan Chase. As an investment banker she structured and implemented debt strategies for municipal, higher education and not-for-profit issuers. Prior experience includes Urban Institute and USAID, supporting government reform in Eastern Europe; Massachusetts Water Resources Authority, managing the capital budget department (10 year $7 billion capital budget); and Xenergy, developing demand side management energy conservation programs for utilities.

Ms. Rike lives in San Francisco with her husband and three children. She enjoys hiking, biking and skiing. Volunteer activities include Board member for Edgewood Center for Children and Families and Chair of the Audit Committee (2008 – 2010); member San Francisco Citizens’ General Obligation Bond Oversight Committee (2006 – 2008); member Executive Committee, Municipal Fiscal Advisory Committee to the Mayor, San Francisco (2003 – 2006); and Board Member and Treasurer, Shelter Inc. (1994 – 1999). Ms. Rike holds a Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering degree from MIT, as well as Master of City Planning and Master of Science Real Estate Development degrees from MIT.
Robert Silsbee is the Resource and Capital Planning Director of the Administrative Services Division at the University of California Santa Barbara (UCSB). Reporting to the Vice Chancellor of Administrative Services, Silsbee participated in securing entitlements for development of more than 300 faculty, staff, and student housing units on UCSB’s North Campus on a site that was significantly constrained by sensitive natural habitat. The development project required mitigation of environmental impacts by restoring habitat both on- and off-site. Silsbee also analyzed the financial feasibility of UCSB’s acquisition of a thirteen-story, 1,325-bed student residence hall, purchased for $76 million from a private-sector owner in 2002. He analyzed the financial feasibility of building two commuter parking structures in 2005 and 2006 with construction costs of $39 million and new debt of $32 million. He also assisted with successfully guiding the Administrative Services Division through a decade of budget reductions, during which time the Division’s state general funds were cut by more than one-third.

During the past three years, Silsbee also served as interim Director of the Transportation & Parking Services department within the Division. Silsbee is an ex officio member of three Chancellor’s advisory committees: the Chancellor’s Advisory Committee on Student Housing, Parking Ratepayers Board, and Transportation Alternatives Board, and he serves on the campus Information Technology Council.

Silsbee graduated from UCSB in 1980 with bachelor’s degrees in economics and environmental studies and in 1989 with a master’s degree in economics. Silsbee began working at UCSB in 2000, after 20 years of employment as an environmental and economic consultant in Santa Barbara.
June supports UC’s oversight of mission execution and science and technology (S&T) excellence at the three UC-affiliated National Laboratories (Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, and Los Alamos National Laboratory), including coordination and participation in the activities of the LBNL Advisory Board and the LANS and LLNS LLC Boards of Governors’ Mission and S&T Committees. June will also participate in the development of strategic collaborations aimed at enhancing the relationship between the UC campuses and the National Labs.

June joined the LMO on July 28, 2014. She comes to UCOP from Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, where she worked for 18 years in successively more responsible multi-program positions across the Engineering, National Ignition Facility and Global Security Directorates. Most recently, she was responsible for leading multi-disciplinary technical teams, as an Associated Program Leader, in the development of advanced remote sensing technologies. June has an undergraduate degree in Physics from California Polytechnic State University, a Ph.D in Optical Sciences from the University of Arizona, and an International Security Graduate Certificate from Stanford.