## Update on *Luquetta* Class Action Lawsuit Related to UC Professional Degree Fees October 4, 2012

On March 10, 2010, the Superior Court of San Francisco ruled in favor of plaintiffs in the case *Luquetta et al. v. the Regents of the University of California*, a class-action lawsuit filed against the Regents challenging certain fee increases. The California Court of Appeal affirmed the decision on April 30, 2012, and the California Supreme Court denied the University's request for further review on July 18, 2012. The University paid the full amount of the judgment plus post-judgment interest (for a total of approximately \$49 million) to the court-appointed claims administrator on August 29, 2012.

Class members generally include current and former University students subject to the Fee for Selected Professional School Students (also known as the "professional degree fee") who accepted the University's offer of admission before August 25, 2003, who first enrolled in their University professional degree program in the Summer 2003 term or thereafter, and whose professional degree fee was raised after their initial enrollment in that program.

It is important for the University to have accurate contact information for class members. Class members should keep campuses informed of their current contact information after they leave the University. Note that the disbursements will be distributed by the court-appointed claims administrator, not by the University.

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