

# UC DAVIS

## STAFF ASSEMBLY

### General Meeting Minutes

October 13, 2020

12:00-1:00 p.m.

[Zoom](#)

- 12:00-12:05 p.m. Welcome**
- 12:05-12:15 p.m. Staff Meet-and-Greet – Breakout Rooms**  
Staff were split off into break out rooms to share their name, department and self-care tip. Staff then discussed what they want to see from Staff Assembly in the coming year.
- 12:15-12:45 p.m. Featured Speaker and Q&A**  
Provost & Executive Vice Chancellor Mary Croughan
- One thing that Provost Mary Croughan believes deserves more attention is staff viewpoints and perspectives.
  - Campus leaders need a clearer understanding of what staff are thinking and feeling about their work and about the University
  - Most importantly, staff have firsthand on the ground knowledge of the campus and that's why investigating how we might effectively encourage staff input and better integrate into our larger conversations about policies, practices and initiatives will be one of Provost Mary Croughan's priorities in this first year.
  - Given the central role staff play in our operations and staff's vast amount of collective knowledge and experience, it only makes sense that your voices are heard as clearly as possible.
  - The effort Provost Mary Croughan described is very closely aligned with the purpose and objectives of the Staff Assembly, as laid out in the bylaws.
- 12:45-12:55 p.m. Updates**
- Christina Blackman, ADMAN-Staff Assembly Liaison
    - ADMAN started in the 60's to bring supervisors and administrators together to bounce ideas and work collaboratively and network and learn from each other. ADMAN is a voice just like Staff Assembly on behalf of the administrative managers on campus
  - Lisa Feldmann, Staff Representative to Police Accountability Board
    - Police Accountability Board founded in 2014

- Davis until recently was the only campus who had a Police Accountability Board. Within the last year the UC decided to make it mandatory that all UC campuses model UC Davis. The board is now out of the pilot process and full fledged staying on campus. The Police Accountability Board is an independent board made up of faculty, staff and students.
- Lisa is the voting member this year for Staff Assembly.
- Jennifer Larr, Staff Representative to The Greek Initiative Fund
  - The Green Initiative Fund (TGIF) is a student led organization on campus that works in conjunction with the Office of Sustainability to provide grants. Proposals may request up to \$20K in support of a particular project, which is reviewed and voted upon by the TGIF committee. Last year just a little below \$300K in total grants to various individuals and groups who were doing things like hosting climate change forums with talks from multiple experts across a range of fields, creating pollinator gardens. TGIF provided materials and supplies to support the Davis night market and campus fridge, to fight food insecurity and insecurity on campus and in our community.
- Calvin Lee, Transportation and Parking Administrative Advisory Committee
  - Transportation Services has a new executive director, Perry Eggleston
  - New investment on campus, pay parking through their smart phones.
  - License plate recognition will charge you for the time you parked instead of all day
  - Oct. 8 3:30-5:00 p.m. [Transportation Tomorrow Forum: Maintaining Operations During an Uncertain Time](#)
  - Nov. 12 3:30-5:00 p.m. <https://taps.ucdavis.edu/events/forum-introducing-license-plate-recognition-technology>

**12:55-1:00 p.m.**

**Announcements**

There were no announcements.

**Save the date**

**General Meeting**, featuring

Vice Chancellor for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Renetta Garrison Tull

November 10, 2020

12:00-1:00 p.m.

Zoom