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**A NOTE FROM OUR DIRECTOR**

Hi UC San Diego Colleagues:

Our Staff Education & Development (SED) team has been very productive this past month!

◊ We completed another very successful assessment and development process in MSAP with 40 participants this year! Thanks, Linda Veliz!

◊ The Fall 2017 UC Management Development Program is half-way through and this group of mid-managers is impressive! They’re engaged, learning and readily applying concepts to shape the reality of their teams and results. Today (10/19/17), we have Rejeana Mathis from UCLA delivering today’s module!

◊ Two major e-learning course design and development projects are progressing, one of which is for the UC San Diego Staff Appraisal Program! Karen Munroe, you’re awesome!

◊ We’ve got a solid group of contenders for the two Principal Consulting roles for Learning & Organization Development consulting services.

◊ I love our team! I’m proud to be a part of it because everyone puts their expertise, passion, creativity and best forward. Under pressure, they mutually submit to each other and achieve results for sake of all of your development and success! I’d love to get feedback from you on how our team or any person on the team is doing.

In SED we’re all about learning and growth! So, I’m sitting in a class right now: Exercising Influence. A tip I’ve picked up is that influence is about relationships. Let’s be like penguins! Why you ask? They stick together; they are all about relationships!

**THE 70:20:10 LEARNING STRATEGY**

**LEARNING ROAD MAPS**

◊ Help you find Learning Activities for the 70% Developing on the Job portion of your learning plan

◊ Are focused around specific competency areas, for example:
  - Change Management
  - Communication
  - Information Technology
  - And many more!

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**SKILLSOFT - YOUR FREE E-LEARNING TOOL**

One way to identify the knowledge, skills, abilities and competencies that you need to develop is through the UC Core Competency Model - and the Skillsoft Library has resources for each of the 10 competencies. Just click on “The Library” at the top of the screen, and they’ll be listed on the far right side.

For November and December, UC San Diego’s Skillsoft eLearning tool is highlighting the UC Core Competencies and the 70:20:10 Learning Strategy with a video, a book and an e-course from the UC Core Competencies.

You can access the resources on Skillsoft anytime, from any device, and they’re free to all UC San Diego staff!

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