Note from the Interim Director
Anne Curtis

February and March are always interesting times of the year to me. For those who choose to mark a new year with resolutions of behavior change, the next few months are often when we grapple with turning our ideas into sustainable new practices. I am also mindful that these are the months when changes seem to accelerate as Winter becomes Spring. We are a Changemaker Campus in the middle of a campus transformation and the largest technology improvement program ever undertaken at UC San Diego. What resolutions have we made individually and as a community that we need to turn into sustainably lived practices? How do we lean into and breathe into this time of transformation and stay nimble and resilient amidst all the change?

Within Human Resources, Staff Education & Development has been tackling some of these same questions. We have continued on page 2

Update: New Location
Human Resources has moved back to Torrey Pines Center South. We are in a newly remodeled space and are putting the finishing touches on a new state-of-the-art training room, Training Center South (TCS). More details about TCS will be announced when it is fully ready.

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Career Connection Resources
Breaking News!
Workshops have started! Look for them now in the UC Learning Center and sign up for the mailing list to receive updates. Resources include mock interviews, career consultations, and so much more! Find Career Connection on Blink for more information.

Learn more about Staff Education & Development on Blink.
HR Spotlight: Equal Opportunity Services

Meet part of the Equal Opportunity Services (EOS) team!

Melissa Williams  
Director  
Pronouns: she, her(s)  
Fact: she grew up on a small farm in central Minnesota

Sally Morgan  
Former Program Manager  
Pronouns: she, her(s)  
Fact: she is full Egyptian

We met with Melissa and Sally from EOS because we collaborate on the Staff Mentorship Program that has paired dozens of mentors and mentees across campus.

The primary focus of this small but mighty team is to get at the core of underutilization and create a diverse workforce while meeting university and federal requirements. They have a strong emphasis on access and retention of staff at UC San Diego.

They provide resources such as the Staff Internship Initiative, Staff Equal Opportunity Enrichment Program (SEOEP), and Staff Mentorship Program.

Visit their Blink page or contact EOSAA@ucsd.edu for more information.

What We Recommend

Podcast
TED Radio Hour - based on TEDTalks this podcast covers topics such as inspirational leadership and self awareness

Books
The Achievement Habit: Stop Wishing, Start Doing, and Take Command of Your Life by Bernard Roth

Social Media
Instagram: @vaultcareers share career advice and job search tips

Events
Free Food Notification Training 2/26 or 3/16  
Privacy 101 Workshop 3/10

Learning Strategies

The UC Learning Center features our newest classes. We have revamped our curriculum to better support you and your professional development.

Use the “Express Interest” feature in the UC Learning Center to receive a notification when your favorite classes are available. You will be notified of classes that are changing when a recommended alternative is available.

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launched new course offerings for 2020, some of which will be held in our newly renovated Training Center South classroom. HR will also be collaborating with campus partners to support Change Resilience learning opportunities throughout the year. We hope to see you in a course, workshop or discussion group soon to continue this conversation about change!