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Subject: Council of University of California Emeriti Associations (CUCEA)

Dear President Drake,

Welcome back to UC. We are happy to have you back and want you to know about the Council of UC Emeriti Associations, which is a consortium of the Emeriti Associations of the University of California campuses, Berkeley, Davis, Irvine, Los Angeles, Riverside, San Diego, San Francisco, Santa Barbara, and Santa Cruz. Our tenth campus, Merced, will of course become part of CUCEA as the numbers of emeriti grow and a campus emeriti association is formed. CUCEA's primary mission is to serve the interests of all UC emeriti and the Emeriti Associations on their respective campuses. Since its founding in 1987, CUCEA has fostered close and mutually supportive relations among its member campus-based associations as well as with all levels of the University's governance. It also supports the teaching, research and service missions of the University of California.

CUCEA surveys all emeriti on a triennium basis. The ninth Inventory of Emeriti Activity (2015-2018) was conducted in the Fall of 2018. The teaching, scholarship and community work of UC emeriti during this period, when viewed in the aggregate, is equivalent to that of a major university, amounting to a Virtual Eleventh Campus.

UC's 2,024 emeriti (or one-third) responding to the survey taught just under 1,000 UC undergraduate classes and more than 1,000 UC graduate classes during this period, equivalent to approximately 500 full-time UC faculty. They published 1,218 journal articles, 419 authored or co-authored books and 574 were honored or recognized for their contributions.

An electronic copy of "A *Virtual Eleventh Campus*" is attached should you care to glance at the details. CUCEA will begin work on its tenth inventory of Emeriti Activity this fall.

Sincerely,

Harry Powell

Henry Powell, Chair
Council of University of California Emeriti Associations

Atch: A Virtual Eleventh Campus <http://cucea.ucsd.edu/biblio/documents/CUCEA2015-18.pdf>

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