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On September 23, the campus welcomed an estimated 3,950 incoming freshmen and record 2,600 transfer students. Of the 29,000 students attending UC San Diego, this fall, 10,585 students will be housed on campus (8,561 undergraduate students and 2,024 graduate students).

PROJECTS

**UNIVERSITY HOUSE**

University House is located in La Jolla Farms and serves as both the Chancellor’s official residence and as an important venue for campus and community meetings and social events. This project will rehabilitate the existing 11,400 gross square feet University House to correct facility and code deficiencies so that it may once again serve as both the Chancellor’s residence and the public venue for a variety of University functions. Necessary upgrades will be done making the residence more functional while also maintaining the historic structure and respecting the archaeological and cultural values of the site.

Consultation with Native American and community groups, as well as other stakeholders, continues. The project architect is developing project plans that reflect the goals and also are consistent with recognized historic rehabilitation standards. An Environmental Impact Report for the proposed rehabilitation will be released for public review in coming months. Project review and approval by the UC Board of Regents and the Coastal Commission will follow. Information on the EIR Public Hearing and the Draft EIR will be available on the Community Planning website at [http://commplan.ucsd.edu](http://commplan.ucsd.edu)

The following projects began construction this fall:

**EAST CAMPUS OFFICE BUILDING** – located in the East Campus Health Sciences Neighborhood this project will provide approximately 75,000 gross square feet of new space for office, administrative, and clinical research activities; anticipated completion in June 2011.

**EAST CAMPUS PARKING STRUCTURE** – located in the East Campus Health Sciences Neighborhood this project will provide approximately 1,253 parking spaces, along with a recreation field under which some of the spaces will be constructed. This parking structure will address the needs of patients, visitors, faculty and staff that utilize or provide services delivered at UC San Diego’s expanding, world-class, academic medical center; anticipated completion in October 2011.

**RADY SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT PHASE II** – located in the North Campus Neighborhood this project will add 80,000 gross square feet, including additional classrooms, an open class laboratory, faculty and administrative offices, conference rooms, an auditorium, and student work and study areas; anticipated completion in July 2012.

Also available also on the Community Planning website at [http://commplan.ucsd.edu/UCSDProjects/Default.htm](http://commplan.ucsd.edu/UCSDProjects/Default.htm) is the **Capital Improvements Status Map** which is an interactive map where each project link leads to a detailed project information sheet.
UCSD COMMUNITY PLANNING NEWSLETTER AND WEBSITE INFORMATION

The Spring 2010 issue of the newsletter with a focus on Health Sciences, together with project information sheets and an interactive map of campus projects is available on the UCSD Community Planning website http://commplan.ucsd.edu. Visit the website to learn more about campus development with accompanying information on specific projects.

UCSD NEWS

For UCSD News see http://ucsdnews.ucsd.edu/

UC SAN DIEGO KICKS OFF 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

The University of California, San Diego ranked the 32nd best university in the world, according to Times Higher Education, the London-based higher education magazine. It recognized UC San Diego for its learning environment, ground-breaking research and economic impact. “This global recognition is an honorable testament to UC San Diego’s dedication to achieving the extraordinary in education, research, service and patient care over the last 50 years,” said Chancellor Marye Anne Fox. “UC San Diego’s spirit of innovation has helped fuel the economy, sparked medical and research breakthroughs and benefited the public through science and the arts. Our 50th Anniversary celebration is a time to celebrate our past as we look to the university’s positive impact on the country and world in the next 50 years. Fifty years ago, the founders of the University of California, San Diego had one criterion for the campus – it must be distinctive.”

From September 2010 through June 2011, UC San Diego will celebrate 50 years of historic milestones, remarkable achievements and innovativefirsts with a variety of events. To learn more about UC San Diego’s 50th Anniversary including events, history and background, go to: www.50th.ucsd.edu

The public also is invited in celebrating the university’s landmark anniversary at these signature events:

November 13, 2010—Celebrate50
Expect an evening of the unexpected. More than 700 UC San Diego community supporters and leaders will attend a reception and dinner to experience—through music, environment and images—the historic events and people that marked the university’s transformation from ship to shore. Tickets are $250 per person.

November 18, 2010—Founders’ Day
Celebrating 50 extraordinary years! Founders’ Day will celebrate and commemorate the date—November 18, 1960—on which documents were signed to establish officially the University of California, San Diego. This free public event, which will honor the history and traditions of UC San Diego, will take place in the heart of campus at Town Square. KFMB-TV News 8 anchor Dan Cohen will serve as Master of Ceremonies.

February 22-25, 2011—IDEaS (Innovation Day Expo and Symposia)
Engage and network with leading innovators. IDEaS features a week of high-profile events for the campus and community highlighting the exciting innovation happening at UC San Diego. The Innovation Symposia takes place Feb. 22 to 24; on Feb. 25, UC San Diego will host an engaging expo featuring live demonstrations, hands-on exhibits and face-to-face interaction with the innovators themselves.

April 16, 2011—Green Open House
UC San Diego celebrates “Healthy People, Healthy Planet.” The university will reach out to the San Diego community by opening national Earth Week with a “Green” Open House, showcasing the campus as a living laboratory of green innovation. Attendees will enjoy interactive demonstrations of environmentally friendly cars, healthy living and sustainable cooking.

As part of its 50th Anniversary activities, the university is launching VOLUNTEER50: CHANCELLOR’S CALL TO SERVICE, encouraging all members of the UC San Diego community to perform at least 50 hours of volunteer service during the anniversary celebration. In addition to supporting the university’s mission of service, Volunteer50 will showcase the widespread and diverse contributions of the university’s faculty, staff, students, alumni and University friends. Chancellor Fox launched the initiative with clean-up and beautification projects at Scripps Beach on Saturday, Sept. 25. For more information visit http://volunteer50.ucsd.edu