

## Connections

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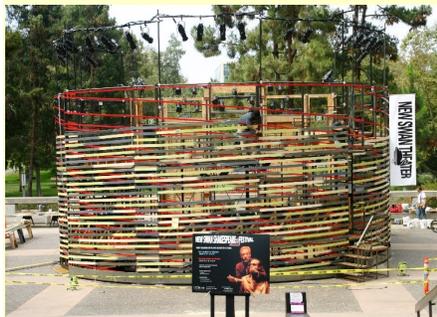


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## Upcoming Events

### August 27th — Shakespeare's "Much Ado About Nothing" & Reception!



Join us for an evening filled with fun, food and laughter in the **New Swan Theater** at UCI. \$25.50/person, LIMITED NUMBER OF TICKETS available. RSVP via email by August 10 to [retirees@uci.edu](mailto:retirees@uci.edu) and send your check—made out to “Regents, UC” to **CER, 111 Theory, Ste. 200, Irvine, CA 92627.**

**On-campus parking is in the Student Center parking lot (fee)** next to the Irvine Barclay Theatre or the Student Center **structure (fee)** on the corner of W. Peltason & Pereira. The New Swan Theater is next to Langson Library. View more information, links to maps and directions on the [New Swan Shakespeare Festival](#) website.

**Event Schedule: 6 to 7:45 pm** – Complimentary hor d’oeuvres (provided by the Chancellor’s Club) plus commentary from Eli Simon, Chair of the Drama Department.

**8:00 pm** — **“Much Ado About Nothing.”** This is generally considered one of Shakespeare’s BEST comedies. It combines elements of robust hilarity with more serious meditations on honor, shame and court politics.

## New Resource

UCI and ComPsych Corporation have partnered to offer a dedicated Guidance Resources Program that provides support and information for personal and work-life issues. This year retirees as well as employees can access various free confidential services including: **Counseling, Financial Information and Resources, Legal Support and Resources, Child and Elder Care Options and more.**

The Guidance Resources program is available 24/7 with two ways to access benefits:

- Call 844-824-3273. You will speak to a master’s or doctoral level professional who will guide you to the appropriate services you require
- Visit Guidance Resources online at [www.guidanceresources.com](http://www.guidanceresources.com) and enter UCI’s ID: UCIEAP3

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## UC Retirees 2016 Travel Program

Collette Worldwide Travel Guide gives you access to travel to ALL 7 continents! In 2016, 6 new travel opportunities will be offered, and 3 more will be added soon. Contact Rosemary Norling ([Rnorling001@san.rr.com](mailto:Rnorling001@san.rr.com)) or call (800) 437-0235 and mention promo code **U001.AX1.918** and **University of California Retiree Association.**

**Destination #1: Springtime Tulip River Cruise**—Holland/Belgium—April 13, 2016  
New destinations will be announced with every monthly newsletter so stay tuned!

## UC Irvine 50th Anniversary Events

There are events planned for the month of September, detailed below, specifically for founding faculty, staff and students and an all-community **Festival of Discovery on October 3rd**. See website information at: <http://festivalofdiscovery.uci.edu>

- **September 30**: The School of Physical Sciences will host 3 events: a brunch featuring founding faculty, a dedication of the Frederick Reines Exhibit in the afternoon, and a panel discussion on the future of mathematics later in the day. More information will follow.

- **September 30**: The campus is planning a day especially for founding faculty and staff. The program will begin at 1:30 in the Pacific Ballroom. Reception will begin at 3:30 at Gateway Commons. Please respond to Roberta Flores by September 16 at (949) 824-1429 or [r.flores@uci.edu](mailto:r.flores@uci.edu)



Founders Group Photo  
from May 5, 2015  
Annual Reception

## DID YOU KNOW?

**Using your valid UCI email address entitles you to the same discounts that students and staff receive at The Hill (UCI Bookstore/Computer Store).** The discount varies, depending upon on the item itself. The store maintains a current sheet with specific information.

**The UCI Retirees Association -- with YOUR HELP in the form of your dues support -- contributes annually to the UCI Staff Assembly Scholarship** effort that awards funds to current staff members as they seek to continue their education.

### **New Senior Living Opportunity in Irvine!**

In coordination with CER, Regents Point is pleased to offer UCI faculty, staff, emeriti and retirees a **50% discount on the entrance fee**—the up-front cost to secure residency in the community. For more information, contact Regents Point Sales Director Noemi Flores at (949) 854-9500.

### **Are You a Retiree? And also an Alum?**

We are proud of your accomplishments! We would like to know what events and activities YOU would like to see happen at UCI? Please email your information to: [retirees@uci.edu](mailto:retirees@uci.edu) [include maiden name if applicable, degree(s) received, date, and major]. The information you provide will remain absolutely CONFIDENTIAL!