

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

Exemplary Staff

Employee of the Year Nominees

**2010-2011 Award Program**

Thursday, June 9, 2011

2:00pm—4:00pm

Pre-Program Reception

Welcoming Remarks

**Suresh Subramani**

Executive Vice Chancellor

Recognition of Nominees

**Debbie McGraw**

Assistant Vice Chancellor

Post-Program Reception

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Academic Affairs

2010-2011

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Performers

The UC San Diego Exemplary Staff Employee of the Year Award Program annually recognizes staff members who provide exceptional service or make outstanding contributions to the UCSD and San Diego communities. Academic Affairs is proud to recognize the nominees from its Divisions and units, and thanks all those who took the time to nominate them.

**Academic Affairs Reception  
Staff Volunteers and Planning Committee**

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Shelly Askren  
Carolyn Post-Ladd  
Jennifer Tran  
Judy Keane  
Linda Thai Schlossman  
Earline Ventura, Committee Chair

## RADY SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

Kelly Kauffman

Director of Network Operations

Nominated by Dean Olsen, Director, Computing Tech Services

Gladys Selfridge

Dean's Executive Assistant

Nominated by Maria Lofftus, Assistant Dean

Ashley Somers

Student Services Coordinator

Nominated by Terrence August, Assistant Professor  
and Linda Bartolome, Academic Personnel Manager

## DIVISION OF ARTS & HUMANITIES

Nydia Monica Rodriguez

Chinese Studies Program Coordinator

History

Nominated by Samuel Cha, Lecturer

Douglas Dutson

Human Resource Manager

Music

Nominated by Lei Liang, Associate Professor

Susan Winchester

Financial/Human Resource Manager

Philosophy

Nominated by Debra Ambrose, Business Officer

## OFFICE OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Deborah Kammerer

Graduate Admissions Assistant

Nominated by Giselle Van Luit, Student Affairs Officer  
and Lea Marzo, Assistant Student Affairs Officer

## EXTENDED STUDIES & PUBLIC PROGRAMS

Sara Roxann Bedia  
Program Representative  
Nominated by Morgan Appel, Director

Daphne Pleasant  
Cashier Manager  
Nominated by John Daggett, Manager, Business Affairs

Alison Sanchirico  
Fluency Program Development Coordinator  
Nominated by Lisa Kovacs-Morgan, Academic Coordinator

Katherine Sears  
Marketing Coordinator for Business Programs  
Nominated by Vicki Krantz, Director

## GRADUATE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS & PACIFIC STUDIES

Pepper Lane  
Program Officer  
Nominated by Amy Robinson, Project Manager

## DIVISION OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Lisette Reynolds-Slipper  
Academic Personnel Analyst  
Division of Social Sciences, Dean's office  
Nominated by Barbara Fager, Business Officer

Susan Millen  
Program Coordinator  
CREATE  
Nominated by Barbara Edwards, Director

Anna Lu Mcghee  
Academic Personnel Coordinator  
Education Studies  
Nominated by Sarah Moulton, Academic Personnel Analyst

Teresa Wassum  
Fiscal Operations Manager  
Psychology  
Nominated by Peter Hinkley, Business Officer

## RESEARCH AFFAIRS AND ORUs

Julie Vitale

Program Advisor

Institute for International, Comparative, and Area Studies  
Nominated by Martha Salinas, Business Officer

María Flores

Administrative Specialist

Institute for Neural Computation  
Nominated by Emelia Marapao, HR Administrative Analyst

Katherine Levy

Project Manager

Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation  
Nominated by Eli Berman, Director

Eva Thiveos

Project Assistant

Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation  
Nominated by Laura Martin, Event Coordinator

## UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES

James Soe Nyun

Head, Music and Media Cataloging Unit

Nominated by Linda Barnhart, Head/Metadata Services

## JACOBS SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

John Antonio

Programmer Analyst

Jacobs School of Engineering  
Nominated by Lovella Cacho, Program Representative Supervisor

Yana Campen

Fiscal Assistant

Bioengineering  
Nominated by Irene Jacobo, Senior Administrative Analyst

Laura Gracia

Graduate Coordinator

Bioengineering  
Nominated by Shankar Subramaniam, Professor

Betty Gunderson

Director of Student Affairs

Bioengineering  
Nominated by Steve Lopez, Business Officer

Margene Wight

Student Affairs Officer

Bioengineering  
Nominated by David Gough, Professor

## DIVISION OF PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Vilma Chua  
Staff Research Associate  
Chemistry and Biochemistry  
Nominated by Suzanne Anderson, Director

Marijana Vukovic  
Staff Research Associate  
Dean's Office, Division of Physical Sciences  
Nominated by Michael Sailor, Professor

## RESEARCH AFFAIRS AND ORUs

Christopher Misleh  
System Administrator  
Calit2  
Nominated by Greg Hidley, Tech Director

Karen Stecher  
Financial Analyst  
Calit2  
Nominated by Nancy Lee, Business Office Manager

Patricia Stone  
Tour Director  
Calit2  
Nominated by Ted Reynales, Tech Infrastructure Manger

## RESEARCH AFFAIRS AND ORUs

Amber O'Banion  
Senior Conflict of Interest Analyst  
Conflict of Interest Office  
Nominated by Jason DeFay, Director

John Kussmann  
Programmer Analyst  
Office of Research Affairs  
Nominated by Harrison Watts, Web/Systems Developer

Ana Minvielle  
Business Officer  
Center for Comparative Immigration Studies  
Nominated by John Skrentny, Director

Janet Shin  
Business Officer  
Center for Human Development  
Nominated by Terry Jemigan, Professor  
and Farrell Ackerman, Professor

Jacqueline Tam  
Program Representative  
Institute for International, Comparative, and Area Studies  
Nominated by Gershon Shafir, Director