



**STAFF
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Staff Assembly General Meeting Agenda

March 21, 2024 | 10-11am

Welcome and Call to Order

- Meeting starts at 10:03am

Board Self Introductions

Public Comments (5 mins)

- This morning at the UC Regents meeting a discussion regarding salary increases and equity for positions for market rate were being discussed.

Announcements (5 min)

- Affinity Group Announcements
 - Announcements made KAI- Pride center opening April 11th. RSVP for lunch

Guest Speakers

Lisa Perry – Students First Center

- Why UCM has a SFC?
- Important work that SFC
- One stop: one spot for all fin aid, admissions, and Reg to answer questions.
- UCM, UCB, and UCR have one stops.
- UC Merced opened one stop shop simulatively with the opening of the university.

PowerPoint: Enrollment Management One Stop:

- Quilty Service Standards: Care, Guidance, Access, Efficiency
- 80/20 Model: Answer 80% questions that come in and 20% to send out to home offices.
 - Tier options: tier one is simple questions that are answered by student employees
 - Tier two: Professional staff answer questions.
- Why a one Stop?
 - Prevent the Bobcat Shuffle.
 - The SFC is a student ready process.
- Provide SFC Customer Service for students who get access
- Anti-Melt:
 - Accept admissions offer and does not complete the process of matriculation (register)
- SFC Current Initiatives:
 - Enrollment Coaching: A coach to help in the process to get matriculation for students



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Holly Moyes – University Honors Program

- Sunni Nelson: Honors Program Coordinator
- Overview:
 - Admissions
 - Benefits for our Prospective students
 - Curricular Requirements
 - Co-Curricular Requirements
 - Living Learning Community
- Possibility to affiliate with the Honors Program
 - <https://honors.ucmerced.edu/faculty-and-affiliates/get-involved>
- Some students did not SIR because there is no honors programs
- Admissions:
 - Any UCM can apply into the program
 - Additional 5 questions to respond: ask applicants to challenges they have faces and questions centered around globally centered, asked applicants to submit a creative product and a reflection piece to the products
 - This year only accepting 60 students as a pilot year.
 - Fall 2025 open for all students
- Benefits
 - LLC
 - Priority class registration
 - Recognition at graduation
 - Honors advising and expertise
 - Professional development opportunities
 - Travel awards and scholarships
- Curricular Requirements
 - First Years
 - 5 Honors courses
 - 2 GE
 - 4 honors seminar
 - Sophomore/lower division transfer:
 - 4 honors courses
 - 2 GE
 - 3 honors seminars
 - JR level transfer
 - 3 Honors course
 - 1 GE
 - 2 Honors
- Co-Curricular Requirements
 - Experiential Learning: UCDC, UCRO,SSI
 - Community, Mentorship, and leadership



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Staff Assembly Officer Updates and Comments

- **President's Updates**
 - Staff Excellent Awards due tomorrow with an extension next week
 - https://ucmerced.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3f7tkjWkbz6qFlq
- **Past President's Updates**
 - Reminder: Volunteer for Commencement
- **Vice President's Updates**
- **Secretary**
- **Finance Officers**
 - **No updates**
- **Events Co-Chairs**
 - Bobcat Bites at DCC: 3/22 from 8:30-9:30
 - April 10th: https://ucmerced.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_4GjKfbZYtdB0ed8
 - May 8th: Service Desk
 - RSVP May Bobcat Bites with OIT
https://ucmerced.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3EDWjBeidgQZOZM
 - Sip and Connect: 4/25 at Vista
 - RSVP here for the Sip and Connect Staff and Faculty Mixer
https://ucmerced.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_6YvF8o0M90i37oy
 - Staff Appreciation Week:
 - Please Pre-RSVP for Staff Appreciation Week here and let us know your shirt size!
https://ucmerced.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_9SPQZiUQtY6EdpQ
- **Communications Co-Chairs**
 - Newsletter sent out this morning.
 - Next one will be sent on 4/4
 - Follow us on Social Media accounts
 - Instagram: ucm_staffassembly
 - Facebook: UC Merced Staff Assembly
 - Twitter: @UCMerced_SA

Adjourn: 10:55am