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Dear Transfer Center Director, TAG Contact, Articulation Officer and Dean of Student Services:

First, I want to thank you on behalf of UC San Diego's Office of Admissions and Relations with Schools for your support and participation in our transfer programs. Without your assistance and collaboration, we would not have excellent transfer students entering our university.

In order to increase accessibility and enrollment of transfer students from California Community Colleges, we have received approval to implement a new Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) to begin Fall 2009.

To summarize some highlights of our new TAG Program:

## Transfer Admission Guarantee for UC San Diego Fall 2009-Winter 2011

- Provide TAG to all 109 California Community Colleges.
- Terms available: Fall (complete Spring), Winter (complete Summer).
- Full completion of IGETC (no partial IGETC). IGETC Certification Form received by 7/15/09 for Fall 2009, 9/15/09 for Winter 2010.
- For Fall 2009 admission, must earn a cumulative 3.0 minimum UC GPA by end of Fall term 2008. Must maintain 3.0 Cumulative UC GPA through the end of Spring term 2009. For Winter 2010 admission, must earn a cumulative 3.0 minimum UC GPA through the end of Summer 2009. Good standing last regular term.
- Both UC English & UC Math courses completed by end of Fall term prior to Fall Admission, by end of Summer term prior to Winter Admission.
- Must meet definition of California Community College Student applying for admission with junior class standing (60 semester or 90 quarter UC transferable units)— Enroll at one or more CCCs for at least 2 regular terms (excludes summer sessions); Last college before UCSD admission is a CCC (excludes summer sessions); Complete at least 30 semester/45 quarter UC transferable units at a CCC.

- There is no guarantee of college choice. Student must rank the colleges in order of preference.
- No guarantee of major (if designated impacted). Must meet lower-division screening criteria for majors if specified.
- New program to start Fall 2009 through Winter 2011. Review program quarterly.
- All information on TAG placed on ASSIST website. On Assist, select your community college and UCSD. Then select the drop down menu "By Major" It will be displayed as "Transfer Admission Guarantee-Fall 2009". Information will also be listed on UCSD website: admissions.ucsd.edu.
- **No contract** Designate TAG on application and Y on IGETC Status. UC TAG application is accepted, not required.
- Eligible applicants: US Citizens, Permanent Residents (no International), AB540 Students, Former UC Students in good standing (not former enrolled UCSD students).

We appreciate you sharing this information with your colleagues and students. If you have any questions regarding our new program, please call our office at (858) 534-4831. You may also contact Jorrie Miller, UC San Diego's transfer admission guarantee coordinator with any questions at (858) 534-4831 or via email at <a href="mailto:jomiller@ucsd.edu">jomiller@ucsd.edu</a>.

Again, we look forward to an expanded partnership with all of you and appreciate your continued support of our transfer programs.

Sincerely,

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