

CUCRA CAMPUS UPDATE FOR
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA RETIREES ASSOCIATION AT BERKELEY
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Our Chancellor's Reception for new retirees held recently was very much a success much like prior similar events to meet new retirees and talk to them about joining our association.

Policy Board issues: UCRAB Board member Kurt Lauritsen is participating in its work as a representative of the campus in the group negotiating arrangements for Belmont Village, a retirement community to be built on Albany Village site.

Kurt reported that he is surprised at how far along the project is and the extent of UC's involvement in its planning. Over 75% of the units will be assisted living or Alzheimer's facilities and 25% devoted to independent living.

UCRAB will be sending representatives to the biennial AROHE meeting which will be held in North Carolina in late October, 2012.

At the UCBRC conference in May 2012 a main topic will be how we'll celebrate the Center's 15th anniversary in 2012.

UCRAB's membership form was distributed in the CenterPiece. Membership letters for renewals and lapsed members went out in September. Membership remains in the 700's.

Luncheons/Events: continue to be successful including recent speakers such as well known bay area radio and TV personality Belva Davis. Others have included Professor Emeritus Lawrence Lowery, formerly of the Lawrence Hall of Science and the School of Education, did an interactive presentation on his award-winning program for teaching K-12 Math/Science. Recent social events include a trip was to Filoli Home and Garden in Woodside, CA. Most recently we enjoyed a UCRAB "mixer" at the Berkeley Yacht Club. Members enjoyed displays of photos literature and other member created arts and crafts. There will be a one day excursion to Apple Hill and the Marshall Gold Discovery State Park in the Sierras.