Exclusive Membership Calendar Continues to Offer Unique Perspectives, Intrigue and Debate

FEBRUARY 29, 2012 | 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm
Members Salon Discussion:
Medical Mavericks Attack Healthcare Education
Newport Beach Home of Shirley Pepys -- address to be sent to attendees

Some futurists claim a child born today may live to be 200+ years old and live in a world of fully replaceable body parts. Is that realistic, and what would that economic and social world look like? We’ll hear from UC Irvine School of Medicine Dean Ralph Clayman who will begin by telling us how he and his colleagues are revolutionizing the way medicine is taught, from digital wireless platforms such as the iPad to high tech, high touch diagnostic equipment that mimics symptoms, reactions and results. Following a member Q&A session, Dean Clayman will join us in a discussion about participatory, proactive, predictive, personalized medicine, and what are the costs and advantages of continuing to develop these advancements. Hear Dean Clayman’s thoughts and contribute your own on what may be best for the future of society.

APRIL 5, 2012 | 8:45 am – 2:00 pm
Backstage Pass Tour:
Stimulating Simulations and Diagnostic Tools
UC Irvine Campus – meeting place details to be sent to attendees

We’ll visit the Simulation Center at the Medical Education Building where we’ll see firsthand how super-high tech mannequins are nearly alive with processors, programmed to simulate everything from a heart attack to a brain aneurism. We’ll also explore The Virtual Dementia Tour®, a Dementia simulation tool kit created for anyone seeking to understand the physical and mental challenges of those with Dementia. It is a scientifically proven method designed to build sensitivity and awareness in individuals caring for those with Dementia. The UC Irvine Program in Geriatrics will provide this training combined with a discussion by Bonnie Olsen, PhD, psychologist, and specialist in dementia to better understand the care and treatment of patients with dementia.

Visit www.merage.uci.edu/go/Prosperitas to view past programs.
RSVP or recommend a friend to attend: email Mary Patrick patrickm@uci.edu or Diane Sagey dsagey@uci.edu.

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What is Prosperitas?

Under the leadership of Co-Chairs Frank Kavanaugh & Renee Pepys Lowe and Executive Director Mary Patrick, the Prosperitas Group at The Paul Merage School of Business connects successful community leaders to transformative work happening across the UC Irvine campus. Members enjoy a “back stage pass” to the ideas, innovators, and organizations that are changing the world for good. In turn, they serve as University ambassadors by sharing the information and excitement with their own extended communities for the long-term benefit of UC Irvine.

Members meet once each month, September through June, alternating formats to accommodate most schedules:

- Morning UC Irvine “Backstage Pass” tours highlight an exciting new discovery followed by discussion at lunch, plus one or two “field trip” formats that may be day-long visits to related venues. You’ll meet the scholars and business leaders who are advancing science, technology, business, politics, social movements, community and the arts in unique and startling ways.
- Members Salons are social gatherings hosted at the homes of Prosperitas members for lively discussion and debate on the topic at hand, often facilitated by a UC Irvine thought-leader who helps to reinforce knowledge gained during tours and outline ways you can share this information with your spheres of influence.

How Do I Join?

Exclusive, limited membership is ideal for successful individuals interested in philanthropy, thought leadership, active learning at the University level, and lively debate on the topics of our time.

- Annual membership fee of $5,000 is tax deductible (includes events, most lunches; excludes parking, high-end meals, or any long distance travel to events). Donation primarily provides funding for research and educational programs at UC Irvine’s Paul Merage School of Business, plus you may designate up to $1,000 of your membership fee for the UC Irvine School or program of your choice at the end of the academic year.
- Join now at www.merage.uci.edu/go/JoinProsperitas or contact Merage School Partner Diane Sagey at dsagey@uci.edu or 949-824-7823.

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