

Transfer Alliance Program (TAP/Honors) April 2024 Newsletter

To: TAP Students and Faculty
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I. TAP & Transfer Recognition – Thursday, May 23 – SAVE THE DATE!

If you will be completing LAVC's TAP/Honors Program this Spring 2024, you are invited to the **TAP & Transfer Recognition** on **Thursday, May 23** from **5:00-7:00PM** in **Monarch Hall** for yourself and two guests. TAP students will receive their braided cord to wear at Commencement, signifying **completion of TAP**. Certificates of Transfer Achievement signed by the College President will also be awarded during a short program where students can announce their transfer institution, with food to follow. **Please be on the lookout for an email to RSVP and make food preference choices after Spring Break.**

There is no obligation to participate, but it is a more intimate opportunity to recognize your achievements, whether or not you are participating in [Commencement](#) on **Tuesday, June 4**. Come meet your TAP peers, take photos with faculty, and celebrate your accomplishments before transitioning to your four-year institutions!

II. FALL 2024 Honors Courses

The following table details the dedicated Honors sections scheduled for Fall 2024 (subject to change if enrollment is not sufficient). These courses are ineligible for contract.

Course	Class Number	Days/Times	Instructor	IGETC Area
ANTHRO 121	25177	Asynchronous	Stein, R	3B
ART 101	25178	Asynchronous	Hight, D	3A
CHICANO 008	25184	Asynchronous	Arrieta, J	4
COMM 101	25186	Asynchronous	Faina, J	1C
ENGLISH 101	21193	Asynchronous	Jeffries, A	1A
LIB SCI 101*	21196	Asynchronous	Llinas, M	---
PSYCH 001	25191	Asynchronous	Peter, C	4

*8WeekA (Short-term class)

III. After You Apply – Admissions Decisions

If you applied for regular Fall 2024 admission to any university, each campus you applied to should have sent an email to create an applicant portal. Admission decisions will be posted here, along with information about submitting transcripts, AP scores, and additional forms. Check each campus portal frequently. Contact the Office of Undergraduate/Transfer Admissions at your desired campus if you have not received an invitation to create one. Please visit the [University of California Admissions decisions page](#) to review their policies regarding provisional admission, review of admission decisions, and waitlists.

Each campus that accepts you for admission will issue a Statement of Intent to Register (SIR) form. It is

recommended to wait until all decisions have been sent before submitting your SIR to your campus.

- [California State University Deadline](#): May 1 or later (please check each campus you applied)
- [University of California Deadline](#): June 1 (UC does not currently anticipate extending this)

IV. Accepting a UC Offer of Admission

Students can accept an admission offer by agreeing to the provisions/conditions outlined in the offer and submitting their Statement of Intent to Register (SIR) with the SIR deposit to reserve their space at a campus. The SIR deposit is \$250. Some important things to keep in mind about accepting a UC admission offer:

1. Students can accept only one admission offer from one UC campus.
2. The SIR deposit is applied to the student's first enrollment term tuition.
3. Students that qualified for the UC application fee waiver may also qualify to defer their SIR deposit until financial aid is disbursed.
4. The SIR deposit is nonrefundable and non-transferable.
5. Further documentation regarding residency status for tuition determination purposes may be required. Learn more about residency for tuition purposes.

V. UC Campus Events for Admitted Students

Admitted students will have a range of options to engage with UC campuses this spring. Campuses are planning multiple events in April and May. Events may include (but are not limited to) presentations on financial aid and scholarships, choosing a major, student organizations, support resources and housing. Further event information and registration details can be found in your applicant portal.

UC Berkeley

- Cal Week (*virtual*) | April 22-26 | [Learn more](#)
- Golden Bear Welcome | May 4 | [Learn more](#)

UC Davis

- Aggie Day | May 18 | [Learn more](#)

UC Irvine

- Celebrate UCI | April 20 | [Learn more](#)

UCLA

- Bruin Day | May 11 | [Learn more](#)

UC Merced

- Transfer Days | May 18 | [Learn more](#)

UC Riverside

- Highlander Day | May 4 | [Learn more](#)

UC San Diego

- Triton Days Open House | April 13 | [Learn more](#)
- Virtual Triton Days | May 1-2 | [Learn more](#)

UC Santa Barbara

- Open House | April 13 | [Learn more](#)
- Virtual Open House | April 15-19 | [Learn more](#)
- Gaucho Transfer Friday | May 10 | [Learn more](#)

UC Santa Cruz

- Banana Slug Day | May 11 | [Learn more](#)
- Los Angeles Admitted Student Reception | April 6 | [Register](#)

VI. UCLA's 25th Annual STOMP Conference – Friday, April 19

The 25th Student Transfer Outreach and Mentor Program's (STOMP) Conference allows prospective transfer students at a California Community College to attend an in-person event at UCLA. "For transfer students. By transfer students," STOMP offers a comprehensive series of workshops covering UC admission and financial aid resources, campus and community support programs, as well as cultural and identity-based resources.

Please complete the [Student Participation Registration Form](#), if you plan on attending, as space is limited. In addition, LAVC's Career/Transfer Center is offering a free bus ride to UCLA for this event. Please register via [LAVC's CTC LinkTree](#) or directly on this [survey](#).

VII. UCLA Care Extender Program – Summer and Fall 2024

UCLA Health's [Care Extender Program](#) provides opportunities for volunteers to gain clinical experience and interact with patients at a UCLA Health facility. Through patient contact and volunteer involvement, Care Extenders gain first-hand experience on the role of healthcare providers by volunteering in various departments at UCLA's Westwood or Santa Monica facility. Care Extenders are trained to assist Medical Center staff to gain an insider's understanding of hospital operations.

The Spring 2024 application closed on April 4, but [attending the next Orientation](#) allows students to complete an application to be considered for Summer or Fall 2024.

VIII. UCLA's AAP Transfer Summer Program – July 31-September 14, 2024

The AAP Freshmen Transfer Summer Program (FTSP) is a rigorous *seven-week residential academic summer program* that prepares first generation, low-income, historically underrepresented students, to successfully transition to UCLA by exposing students to the rigor and demands of academic life, and to campus programs, services, learning resources, and networks.

The deadline to apply is **May 1, 2024**. Please [visit their website](#) to watch a video of previous program years, and get application information.