

## **Congratulations on Your Admission!**

Welcome to John Muir College at UC San Diego! You have already achieved a lot to make it to this point and you are probably considering us among several equally prestigious schools.

#### Why Choose UC San Diego?

UC San Diego is a community of visionaries, innovators, and overachievers. In just a half century, the campus has established itself as one of the premier research universities in the world:

- We have amazing faculty, including Nobel Prize winners, McArthur "Genius" Award winners, and more than 80 members of the National Academy of Science, writing the books people will be reading tomorrow, and doing research that will shape the future.
- You can work directly with them. Undergraduate research opportunities like the Faculty Mentorship Program, the Ronald E. McNair Program, the Post-Baccalaureate Achievement Program, and departmental Honors Programs let students work directly with our faculty.

We have large university resources and a small college community. We have great labs, libraries, and study facilities, but Muir gives you a home base where you live, work, and play with bright, friendly, and innovated peers and a supportive team of college staff. We have students from all majors, but offer a distinct character, general education requirements, and student life experience.

#### **What Makes Muir Special?**

Muir is the first choice of more incoming students than any other college at UCSD. We offer:

- **Flexible General Education (GE) requirements** to support your success in *any* major and give you *room to explore* possible minor or double major options.
- A strong sense of community. With over 25 student organizations and committees, you have plenty of chances to develop strong interpersonal and leadership skills *and* have a good time.
- You can excel academically and have fun, too. Our students are engaged, social, and still move on to some of the best graduate and professional schools in the country.

## Visit Us on Transfer Triton Day -- Saturday, May 6th!

Sign up for Transfer Triton Day, Saturday, May 6th. At Transfer Triton Day, you can talk with UC San Diego and Muir staff about your questions about academics, living on campus, financial aid, and getting involved.

- Attend information sessions by the Provost, Dean of Academic Advising, Dean of Student Affairs, and current Muir Students.
- Academic Advisors will answer some frequently asked questions about your academics.

Can't come to Triton Day? Take a Triton Tour led by a current UC San Diego student.

#### **Transfer Student Orientation!**

All new students are required to attend Transfer Student Orientation and learn more about all that Muir and UC San Diego have to offer -- from academic requirements and campus resources to student involvement. Register online beginning mid to late-June. Look for a notification through your UCSD email when registration opens.

# Muir Fall 2017 Transfer Student Orientation Sessions

September 13th September 14th September 15th

## **Common Questions**

#### **How Much Does it Cost to Attend?**

Fees for 2016-2017 were \$15,822.87 per year for residents and \$42,804.87 for non-residents. Fees for 2017-2018 are yet to be determined. An optional deferred payment plan, TRIP, spreads payments over the quarter.

#### What About Financial Aid?

The Financial Aid Office will prepare and send you a Preliminary Award Notification by late March if you have met all application deadlines. A more precise offer will be mailed starting in May, once your financial aid file is complete.

#### What About Housing?

On-Campus Transfer Housing is available at The Village. The Village is a community of apartments and retail spaces designed especially for transfer students. The neighborhood consists of Village West and Village East, a total of 13 buildings, two of which are high rises with incredible ocean views. All of the resident apartment homes feature modern amenities and a sleek design aesthetic. The best part? A prime location - right on campus! If you are interested in more information on The Village, please call (858) 534-9380 or email the village@ucsd.edu.

#### **IMPORTANT 2017 DATES TO REMEMBER**

May 6th

UC San Diego Transfer Triton Day

June 1st

FINAL DATE TO SUBMIT online Statement of Intent to Register (SIR)

June 14th

Online Academic Advising begins

Mid to Late June

Orientation registration opens for Fall 2017 Transfer Students

July 1st

POSTMARK DEADLINE for UC San Diego Admissions Office to receive all official transcripts and IGETC Certificate July 15th

Last day to register online for John Muir College Transfer Student Orientation without a late fee

August 21st-26th

Online Fall course enrollment for Fall 2017 Transfer Students

September 13th, 14th, and 15th

Orientation for Fall 2017 Transfer Students (only need to attend ONE date)

September 22nd

**DEADLINE** to pay Fall fees

September 28th

First day of classes!

## **Did We Forget Anything?**

The Muir staff hopes to meet you at Transfer Triton Day and at Orientation. We look forward to working closely with you during your years as an undergraduate at John Muir College. We hope this has answered many of your questions. For clarification or information on anything else, please feel free to contact us by phone at (858)534-3587 or via email at jmctransfer@ucsd.edu. You can also find more information on the John Muir College website.