

SoPS Postdoc E-Guide

Postdoc Resources

Postdocs are under the umbrella of the Graduate Division. Their website has lots of information.
<http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/postdocs.html>
UC Council of Postdoctoral Scholars - site coming
<http://ucpostdoc.org>
National Postdoc Association - nationalpostdoc.org
Check your benefits online - atyourservice.ucop.edu
Read the UC postdoc policy - APM390
<http://tinyurl.com/nabl9>
International Scholars Office - www.intl.ucla.edu
International Issues - www.foreignborn.com
Faculty Handbook and Resource Guide
<http://www.apo.ucla.edu/facultyhandbook>
Earthquake Preparedness - <http://tinyurl.com/cds3d>
University of California - www.ucop.edu

Transport

Use your BruinCard to get discounts on buses.
Need a car? Sign up for a Flexicar
<http://www.flexicar.com/ucla>
Tired of driving? Hop in a vanpool
<http://www.transportation.ucla.edu>
Don't feel safe walking around at night?
(310) 794-WALK
Too lazy to walk - take a campus shuttle
<http://tinyurl.com/f785l>

Housing

University Housing (available to postdocs) -
<http://www.housing.ucla.edu>
Craigslist (Online Classified Ads) -
<http://losangeles.craigslist.com>
Westside Rentals (Major local rental agency)
<http://www.westsiderentals.com>

Grievances

Kyle Cunningham is the Postdoctoral Coordinator - he is your first point of contact
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UCLA Ombuds Services - (310) 825-7627
<http://www.ombuds.ucla.edu>

Eateries and Coffee Shops

There are several coffee shops around campus - sign up for wireless network access at BOL.
<http://www.bol.ucla.edu/services/wireless>
<http://www.asucla.ucla.edu/restaurants> - Campus
<http://facultycenter.ucla.edu> - Open to Postdocs
<http://food.uquad.com/ucla> - Local places
<http://losangeles.citysearch.com> - Reviews
Check out member favorites and add your own
<http://tinyurl.com/qws4u>

Grants and Career

Grant Writing - NIH Tips on Grant Writing
http://grants.nih.gov/grants/grant_tips.htm
Grants Databases - Grapes database
<http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/grpinst.htm>
Science's NextWave - general career tips
<http://sciencecareers.sciencemag.org>
Come to a SoPS or Career Center Event
<http://career.ucla.edu>

Mailing Lists

Official Postdoc List:
UCLAPostdoc-L@lists.ucla.edu
SoPS Social List:
sops-social@lists.ucla.edu
Other UCLA societies and lists:
<http://lists.ucla.edu>
To join or leave a list send an email to
`listname-join` or `listname-leave`
eg. sops-social-join@lists.ucla.edu
Post messages to sops-social@lists.ucla.edu

SoPS Info

iCal Calendar
<http://www.postdoc.ucla.edu/dav/SoPS.ics>
SoPS RSS Feed
<http://www.postdoc.ucla.edu/index.rss>
SoPS Podcasts
<http://www.postdoc.ucla.edu/sopscasts.rss>
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