White Coat Ceremony Message

Whether or not you are able to attend, be a part of the alumni tradition of sharing words of welcome and encouragement to an incoming student with an individually written note.

Students will receive their notes in the pocket of their white coat at the White Coat Ceremony on Friday, August 16.

50th Reunion Rose Ceremony

The Rose Ceremony is a special time for your class to honor the memory of classmates no longer with us, and to share a focused sentiment of the impact your veterinary education had on your life. Family and Friends are welcome to attend this tradition, followed by your class photo and dinner at 5:30 p.m.

Suggested attire is casual dress/cocktail.

Oscar W. Schalm Lectureship

“From prions to Alzheimer’s disease and beyond: aggregated proteins and their steady march through the brain”

Saturday, October 26, 2019 • 12 p.m.
Gladys Valley Hall, Antech Auditorium 1020

2019 Oscar W. Schalm Lecturer
Christina Sigurdson, DVM ’94, Ph.D.

Christina Sigurdson, DVM ’94, PhD, Dipl. ACVP is a Professor of Pathology at the University of California, San Diego. She trained as a veterinary pathologist, then received her PhD investigating chronic wasting disease (CWD) in mule deer at Colorado State University with Dr. Edward Hoover. Her post-doctoral research utilized new transgenic mouse models to study how prion structure impacts cross-species prion transmission at the University of Zurich with Dr. Adriano Aguzzi. She then joined the faculty at UC San Diego where her lab discovered PrP structural barriers that limit CWD conversion of human PrP. Her lab investigates the structural determinants of prions that govern conversion, conformation, and propagation through the CNS. She and her colleagues have discovered key features on the transmission and pathogenesis of chronic wasting disease in deer as well as the key interacting segments of the prion protein that control prion conversion, strains, and species barriers.

Oscar W. Schalm 1909 ~ 1982

The Oscar W. Schalm Lectureship, established in 1988, honors the memory of Oscar W. Schalm, a founding faculty member of the UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine and an eminent teacher and research scientist in the fields of bovine mastitis, diagnostic veterinary hematology and clinical pathology. The lectureship promotes a tradition of scholarship, service and commitment to veterinary medicine and recognizes the lecturer’s distinguished contributions to the profession.

2019 Fall Festival
Alumni Reunion & Continuing Education Program

October 25-27, 2019
Davis, CA
Fall Festival
Come back to campus – October 25-27, 2019
We invite you back to campus to reconnect with classmates and faculty, renew long-lost friendships, meet current students, and see how the school has grown.
You will see a full schedule of events in this brochure along with a registration form. If you have any questions, please don’t hesitate to contact reunion coordinator, Pilar Rivera, at svmreunion@ucdavis.edu or 530-752-7024.

Fall Festival Agenda
Friday, October 25
9:30 a.m. COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE SERVICE picks up from select Davis hotels and brings guests to the School
12 p.m. CHECK-IN FOR LUNCH with the Dean at the Large Animal Support Facility (LASF), an open-air building. Class of 1959 will join the lunch and tours
11:15 a.m. BEHIND THE SCENES VIP WALKING TOUR
3 p.m. COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE SERVICE picks up from the School and brings guests to select Davis hotels
4:45 – 6 p.m. COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE SERVICE picks up from select Davis hotels and brings guests to the School
5:30 – 9 p.m. Thank Goodness For Alumni Celebration/All Alumni Class BBQ
COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE SERVICE
7 – 9 p.m. COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE SERVICE picks up from the School and brings guests to select Davis hotels

Saturday, October 26
11:15 – 6:30 a.m. COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE SERVICE picks up from select Davis hotels and brings guests to the School
8 a.m. Check-in at the Large Animal Support Facility building (LASF)
8:30 a.m. WELCOME BACK ALL ALUMNI CLASS BRUNCH at the LASF
10 a.m. – 12 p.m. BEHIND THE GATES NOSTALGIA TOUR, bus tour of central campus with a special stop at Haring Hall
12 – 1 p.m. OSCAR W. SCHALM LECTURESHIP (1 hr CE credit)
Lunch service will be available prior to and after the lecture
Guest lecturer: Christina Sigurdson, DVM ’94
11:30 a.m. Large Animal Support Facility building (LASF), Class of 1959 will join the lunch and tours
12:30 p.m. OSCAR W. SCHALM LECTURESHIP (1 hr CE credit)
Lunch service will be available prior to and after the lecture
Guest lecturer: Christina Sigurdson, DVM ’94
1:45 p.m. COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE SERVICE picks up Class of 1969 guests from the School and brings guests to select Davis hotels
2:45 p.m. COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE SERVICE picks up Class of 1969 guests from the School and brings guests to the School
4:15 p.m. 50TH REUNION ROSE CEREMONY, location TBD
5:30 p.m. 50TH REUNION CLASS PHOTO, VM3B Patio
5:45 p.m. 50TH REUNION CELEBRATION DINNER, VM3B Bechtel Conf. Room
AFTER DINNER COMPLIMENTARY SHUTTLE SERVICE picks up Class of 1969 from the School and brings guests to select Davis hotels

Sunday, October 27
9 a.m. CLASS OF 1969 “GET AWAY” BRUNCH at Barthold House, 1915 Imperial Ave, Davis

Registration
Register and pay by credit card online at https://www.vetmed.ucdavis.edu/alumni/2019-Fall-Festival or return this form, along with your check, postmarked by September 30, 2019. Please make checks payable to UC Regents.
Mail completed form and payment to: UC Davis School of Veterinary Medicine
Fall Festival
P.O. Box 1667
Davis, CA 95617

First Name     Last Name
Specify the number of guests attending each event (including yourself):

Specify any special accessibility accommodations required by you or your guest

To pay by credit card online, visit https://www.etouches.com/fallfestival2019
If you need assistance, contact Pilar Rivera 530-752-7024 | svmreunion@ucdavis.edu

Cost for School Events:
Alumni & Guest: $100/ea
Ages 12 and under: free

TOTAL CHARGE: $____

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