

**COMMITTEE ON EMERITI RELATIONS**  
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To the Santa Cruz Division:

The Committee on Emeriti Relations conceives its role to be representation and furtherance of the interests of emerita and emeritus members of the Senate.

In major part, it seeks to represent and advance the interests of Professors Emeriti in general. We endeavor to make members of the campus community aware of the many valuable contributions of emeriti to the purposes and reputation of the University. These typically are in the familiar areas of scholarship, teaching and public service. In some cases, freedom from the demands of a teaching schedule has enabled emeriti to assume leadership responsibilities that otherwise could have been difficult to fulfill.

Additionally, the Committee is interested to know of particular problems that some emeriti may have encountered. Whether it can be of direct, substantial help in a specific case will depend on circumstances of the case.

To enable it to serve effectively in these roles, the Committee has worked on developing a questionnaire to be sent to emeriti. It is expected that the 1996-97 Committee will send the questionnaire to emeriti in the winter of 1997.

We note also the existence of the UCSC Emeriti Group, which has a luncheon meeting, with a speaker on a topic of intellectual significance, every two months. The Emeriti Group is affiliated with CUCEA, the Council of University of California Emeriti Associations. The Committee on Emeriti Relations has occasional friendly contact with those non-Senate groups.

Respectfully submitted,

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