UCLA CAMPUS-WIDE
FIRST-GENERATION INITIATIVES

Following the success of the First-Generation Institute held in Spring 2017, the campus has made great strides in increasing support for first-generation Bruins. Numerous offices and departments across campus have hosted events and provided opportunities for first-generation Bruins, including students, faculty, staff, and alumni, to make connections and build networks to further expand their support systems. Other efforts include providing opportunities to learn more about the first-generation student population and their experiences. The campus’ accomplishments range from implementing competency training sessions to the launch of the First To Go residential living-learning community. A number of the offices and their First-Generation initiatives carried out after the institute are included in this infographic.

ADMISSIONS
- Competency training for staff
- Targeted outreach to first-gen students in recruitment process for Tour Guides
- I’m First Campaign

ALUMNI RELATIONS
- New capability for alumni to self-identify as first-gen on the UCLA One mentoring program platform
- First-Gen mentor/mentee pairs were made
- First-Gen Mentor Welcome Reception
- First-Gen Affinity group launched

CHANCELLOR’S OFFICE
- Fireside chat with first-gen Bruins including faculty, staff, undergraduates, and graduate students

GRADUATE DIVISION
- Workshops and gatherings for graduate students
- Focus groups led by Professor Lorrie Frasure-Yoakley

FIRST TO GO
- 2nd Annual First-Gen Welcome Soiree
- First-Gen faculty reception
- Held trainings across campus (i.e. Humanities Division, etc.)

LAW SCHOOL
Workshops and gatherings for graduate students

MEDICAL SCHOOL
Reception for the first-gen community including medical students, faculty, and post-doc researchers

RESIDENTIAL LIFE
Launch of First To Go Living Learning Community, including parent and family welcome

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING
Request for data and competency training for faculty

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