Annual Meetings of the Emeriti and Retirees' Associations

The UC Riverside Emeriti and Retirees' Associations cordially invite you to its

Holiday Celebration and Luncheon

Monday, December 7, 2020 Virtual luncheon will be via Zoom. Login instructions will be provided in the registration confirmation email.

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Social | 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Presentation

Featuring

Drew Oberjuerge Director of the Riverside Art Museum "Riverside Art Museum: Art Matters for Individual and Community Well-Being"

How to Register

Confirm your attendance by visiting the Holiday Luncheon registration web page below no later than Friday, December 4, 2020.

https://ucriverside.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_b aeeS7BtdsfmcCh

Questions may be sent to: retirees@ucr.edu

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Speaker Biography



Drew Oberjuerge has served as Executive Director of the Riverside Art Museum (RAM) since 2012 and has increased its revenue, operating reserves, staff, profile, and professionalism. Today she guides the museum through COVID-19, actively working with Trustees and staff to make critical decisions around financing, innovating to online digital programming, and creating a myriad of contingency plans to ensure the museum brings its mission-driven programming to the community for years to come. She specializes in start-up projects, from her first museum job in 2001 at the San Diego Chinese Historical Museum creating their website to serving as the Founding Director of the Art Works Gallery in Riverside in 2008 which to this day brings creative programming to individuals who live with serious mental health diagnoses. Today she

works with Cheech Marin, the City of Riverside, RAM Trustees and staff to launch the Cheech Marin Center for Chicano Art and Culture, the first of its kind in the United States. She holds a Master's degree in Public Administration from the University of Southern California's Sol Price School of Public Policy where she was a Deans Merit Scholar. She holds a Bachelor of Arts in Italian Literature and in Political Science from the University of California, San Diego. Under her tenure, the Riverside Art Museum has been recognized with awards from the California Association of Museums, Riverside County Probation Department, the City of Riverside, and the Riverside Downtown Partnership. She is a recipient of a 2019 61st Assembly District Woman of Distinction Award and a 2016 Riverside Arts Academy Leadership Award.

For more information on the Riverside Arts Museum (RAM), please visit the RAM webpage at: <u>http://www.riversideartmuseum.org/</u>