

# RESOURCES FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

Physics Department

2009-10

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The Physics Department encourages feedback from graduate students on the physics program, including research opportunities, courses, and general department atmosphere. Students are welcome to contact any of the people below to discuss concerns or suggestions.

## **Physics Graduate Program Coordinator**

Laura Peterson

Room 219 Physics Building; phone 752-1501; email [peterston@physics.ucdavis.edu](mailto:peterston@physics.ucdavis.edu)

*Serves as the primary resource to graduate students for policy, procedure, and campus resources.*

## **Vice Chair, Physics Graduate Program**

Richard Scalettar

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*Responsible for administration of the Physics graduate program and monitoring academic progress of students.*

## **Physics Ombudsperson**

Manuel Calderon de la Barca Sanchez

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*Provides confidential, informal, independent, and neutral assistance to graduate students who have concerns related to Physics Department policies, conflicts with faculty, staff, or other students, or problems involving any other aspects of their graduate experience. Communications with the Ombudsperson are confidential. They will not be disclosed, within or outside the University, without the student's consent, unless there is a serious threat of harm to the student or others, or unless required by law (for example, where there is reasonable suspicion of child abuse or elder abuse).*

## **Vice Chair, Administration & Undergraduate Affairs**

Lori Lubin

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## **Department Chair**

Warren Pickett

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## **Physics Graduate Advisors (academic)**

Steven Carlip

Daniel Cebra

Shirley Chiang

Linton Corruccini

Markus Luty

Rajiv Singh

David Wittman

## **Physics Graduate Student Association (GSA) Representatives**

Markus Afshar and Jacque Hodge (2009-10)

## **Graduate Student Ally Coalition ([http://gsa.ucdavis.edu/Graduate\\_Ally\\_Coalition](http://gsa.ucdavis.edu/Graduate_Ally_Coalition))**

Physics graduate student Robert Lynch is a peer educator for the Campus Violence Prevention Program, 2009-10

## **The House – support from your peers**

Phone: 530 752-2790; <http://thehouse.ucdavis.edu/>

Located adjacent to the Campus Housing Office

*The House is a drop-in and phone counseling service, open weekdays 8am to 5pm. Students can talk to another student about personal and academic problems. House staff help students with concerns such as relationship, loneliness, depression, and personal growth and provide workshops and wellness programs.*

## **Campus Sexual Harassment Education Program**

Main Phone: 530 752-9255

Anonymous call line: 530 752-2255

Website: <http://shep.ucdavis.edu>

*The Sexual Harassment Education Program at UC Davis supports the University's commitment to a discrimination-free work and learning environment by:*

- *preventing sexual harassment from occurring at UC Davis by education the campus community about the issue*
- *assisting individuals and campus units to resolve sexual harassment conflicts*
- *servicing as the central office for reporting and maintaining records of sexual harassment complaints*

### **ADDITIONAL CONFIDENTIAL RESOURCES (Davis campus)**

Conversations with the following units are not considered official reports of sexual harassment, so you can speak openly without giving up any control over your situation. These units will not report your concerns to anyone else, and they won't take any action towards resolving them without your consent.

Women's Resources and Research Center (530) 752-3372; <http://wrrc.ucdavis.edu/>

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Resources Center (530) 752-2452;

<http://lgbcenter.ucdavis.edu/>

Campus Violence Prevention Program (530) 752-3299; <http://cvpp.ucdavis.edu/>

Mediation Services (staff/faculty/graduate students) (530) 297-4480; <http://mediation.ucdavis.edu/>

## **Student Counseling & Psychological Services (CAPS)**

Room 219 North Hall; Phone 752-0871; email [errodolfa@ucdavis.edu](mailto:errodolfa@ucdavis.edu)

Hours: M-F, 8:00 am – 4:45 pm

<http://caps.ucdavis.edu/>

## **Student Judicial Affairs (SJA)**

Room 3200 Dutton Hall; phone 752-1128; email [sja@ucdavis.edu](mailto:sja@ucdavis.edu)

*SJA serves the campus by enforcing student conduct standards and by upholding student rights and responding to student grievances. SJA works with students, faculty, administrators and staff to promote academic integrity, ethics, and student learning in a safe and civil campus environment.*

## **Women's Resources and Research Center**

First Floor, North Hall

*The WRRC has five major initiatives: Leadership & Educational Programs, Library, Safe Space, Support Services and Co-sponsorships & Scholarships. WRRC provides a network for academic and social advancement individually and within our diverse communities.*

For a list of additional resources, see Office of Graduate Studies web site  
<http://www.gradstudies.ucdavis.edu/students/resources.html>