

# The Affiliates of UC Riverside Luncheon

## Monday - February 3, 2020

### Helping Science Craft Good Public Policy

Presentation by:

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Science to Policy (S2P) at UCR, is founded on the idea that scientists can and should play a critical role in public policy. Now in its second year, the program teaches students the tools and skills to effectively communicate with policymakers to promote scientifically sound policy. Surprisingly, S2P is the first of its kind on the West Coast, and one of only a few formal graduate student training programs in science policy nationwide!

Participating graduate students engage with practitioners at the highest level to understand local, state, and federal policymaking; to strategize the value of scientific input in policymaking; and to garner professional development critical to careers in public policy. They provide early-career scientists with hands-on training and a platform to practice the skills necessary to navigate and engage in the policy world as scientists, communicators, legislative advisors, and/or science advocates.

Dr. Susan Hackwood serves as the director of the Science to Policy program. She has been at UCR since 1990, serving as the Founding Dean of the Bourns College of Engineering and as a Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering. Dr. Doug Brown serves as the Associate Director of S2P. He previously served as a program advisor for the California Council on Science and Technology, a nonprofit corporation that provides objective advice from California's best scientists and research institutions to the state's policymakers.

#### With A Delicious Lunch Buffet Featuring:

- Chipotle Marinated Skirt Steak** - topped with a chipotle lime reduction and crispy onions
- Garden Green Salad** - Organic mixed greens, Roma tomatoes, carrots, and cucumbers with a balsamic vinaigrette
- Grilled Asparagus, Jasmine Rice, Chocolate Ganache Cake, Rolls, and Beverages**

**Monday, February 2, 2020 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

UCR Alumni & Visitors Center - 3701 Canyon Crest Drive

**\$21.00 for members and \$26.00 for non-members**

The cost includes parking: Please follow the signs to the appropriate parking lot.

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