

BARGAINING FOR A FAIR UC

48,000 Academic Student Employees, Postdocs, Academic Researchers, and Student Researchers across UC are uniting in our struggle for an equitable university where everyone can thrive. Here's a summary of major bargaining demands put forward by UAW2865, UAW5810, and SRU-UAW relative to UC's proposals.

Compensation

Transit & Climate Justice

Childcare

Job Security

Equity for International Scholars

Disability Justice

Protections Against Abusive Conduct

OUR PROPOSALS

- \$54,000/year minimum salary for all Grad Workers
- \$70,000/year minimum salary for Postdocs
- 14% initial salary increase for Academic Researchers
- Annual cost of living adjustments and experience-based increases
- Free public transit passes and cash incentives for workers who use sustainable transit options
- \$2000/month childcare reimbursements, dependent healthcare
- Guaranteed year-long, multi-year appointments for Grad Workers.
- Longer appointments for Postdocs & ARs
- Supplemental Tuition and reimbursement of all visa fees

Remission of Non-Residential

 Interim Accommodations to address delays and improvements to digital accessibility and accommodations processes

UC'S PROPOSALS

- For Student Researchers: 6% raise, 3% annual raises thereafter
- For Academic Student Employees: 7% raise, 3% annual raises thereafter
- For Postdocs: \$59,362 minimum salary,
 3% annual increases, higher benefit costs
- For Academic Researchers: 4% raise, 3% annual raises thereafter
- No guaranteed subsidies for public transportation passes or cash incentives for non-drivers.
- \$450/month in childcare reimbursements for Grad workers; \$208/month for Postdocs; none for ARs
- Short appointments, limited job stability
- Maintain status quo of extra fees and tuition for international workers
- Minimal changes beyond the bare minimum required by law
- Victory! The Respectful Work Environment article, which makes abusive conduct & bullying a violation of our contract, has reached tentative agreement. This groundbreaking victory will give us the ability to seek real recourse through our grievance procedure, with timelines and interim measures to protect survivors.

OUR RENT BURDEN IS UNACCEPTABLE.

Over 70% of UC Academic Workers are rent burdened

Instead of addressing our rent burden, UC bought President Drake a \$6.5 million mansion.



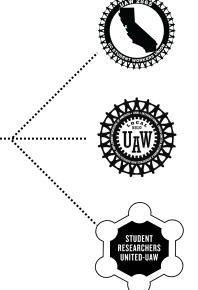
Our work makes up the majority of teaching and research at UC, which brings in record-setting grant and state funding.

Our compensation should match our contributions and keep up with the cost of living.

OUR UNITY IS POWERFUL.

48,000

UC academic workers are bargaining for **new contracts** with **UC** in 2022



19,000

TAs, Readers, and Tutors in **UAW 2865**

12,000

Postdocs and Academic Researchers in **UAW 5810**

17,000

Student Researchers in **SRU-UAW**

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