

October 14, 2021

Michael Levine
Interim Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost

Re: **UCLA Medal Policy**

Dear IEVCP Levine,

At its meeting on September 30, 2021, the Executive Board reviewed EVCP Carter's response to an Executive Board letter dated June 8, 2021, about proposed revisions to the UCLA Medal Policy. Members unanimously approved a motion to thank EVCP Carter for addressing one of their concerns by agreeing to request a slate of Senate faculty representatives from the Committee on Committees for service on the UCLA Medal selection committee. Further, the unanimously-approved motion reaffirmed members' support for the previous Executive Board position that philanthropy must not be a consideration for the UCLA Medal. In fact, disambiguating this criterion is consistent with campus processes such as the review of building naming that separates philanthropic and honorary recognition.

Sincerely,



Jody Kreiman
Chair
UCLA Academic Senate

Encl.

Cc: Jessica Cattelino, Vice Chair/Chair Elect, UCLA Academic Senate
April de Stefano, Executive Director, UCLA Academic Senate
Emily Rose, Assistant Provost and Chief of Staff to the EVCP
Shane White, Immediate Past Chair, UCLA Academic Senate