Celebrating 50 years of sending students abroad!

50th Anniversary in Bordeaux, France – October 3-6, 2012

Program of Events

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Wednesday October 3

City Hall Reception
Bordeaux will welcome invited guests, students and alumni to a reception in Bordeaux's City Hall in honor of the 50th Anniversary of UCEAP and in recognition of UC’s partnership with the University of Bordeaux. (Time: 6.00pm)

Thursday October 4

Roundtable- Where are they now?
Current UCEAP students, visiting alumni and reciprocity students will come together to discuss study abroad. What are the commonalities and the differences experienced by the first UCEAP students and today’s exchange students and what has been the impact of their program on their lives. (Time: 10:00am - 12noon)

Lunch
UC alumni, students and guests will gather at Passerelles on the Bordeaux University campus for lunch. (Time: 12.15pm – 1.30pm)

Lecture – Language at University
Guests will be invited to join a lecture by Professor Schultz (from UCSB campus and currently serving as UCEAP Study Center Director) and Professor Swartwood (from University of Bordeaux) dealing with language in university. (Time: 2.00pm – 3.00pm)

Lecture – California and Bordeaux Wine
Professor Jean-Xavier Guinard (UC Davis Professor of Oenology and Food Sensory Science and current Associate Vice Provost and Executive Director of UCEAP) and Professor Teyessedre (University of Bordeaux) will invite guests to join in a discussion on a field that has long engaged and employed many UCEAP alumni – California and Bordeaux wine and wine making.
Location: This event is planned for the château Luchey-Halde, a property of the Bordeaux Science Agro (ENITAB), close to the Bordeaux campus and will conclude with a wine tasting. (Time: 3.30 – 5pm)

UCEAP Reception
French institutions represented by the PRES will host a reception in honor of the 50 year partnership with the University of California at Bordeaux III for UC delegates, invited students and alumni. (Time: 7.00pm)
Friday October 5

Lecture: “From African Studies to Africas in the World”
Lecture: “Montaigne and the New World Discovery”
Professors Cocula
Professors Ricard and Coulon
(Time: 10-12noon)

Guided Tour of Bordeaux
Invited UC visitors and alumni will be invited on a guided tour Bordeaux to visit some of the historic areas of the city and view some of the new developments that have taken place since 1962.
(Time: 2.30-4pm)

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UC visitors, French University officials, students and alumni will gather to celebrate 50 years of partnership. Alumni and guests will travel to the UCEAP 50th Anniversary Dinner by boat. The boat will transport guests to and from “La Maison du Fleuve” along the Garonne river with beautiful views of Bordeaux illuminated by night.
Location : La Maison du Fleuve
(Time: 8pm)

Saturday October 6

UCEAP alumni and guests are invited to join the UCEAP student excursion to Saint Emilion.
(Time 1.00pm-6.00pm)

Program Note

Note: Program is subject to change. Program will be updated as more details become available.

**Cover fee for the UCEAP 50th Anniversary Dinner and the St. Emilion Excursion will be charged to cover costs. Payment can be made by sending a check payable to the “UC Regents” to UCEAP 50th Anniversary in France, c/o Kim Bluitt, 6950 Hollister Avenue, Suite 200, Goleta, CA 93117-5823. Please note with your payment: events you are attending, all registrant names (first, maiden and last), UC campus affiliation, EAP program name, and year of participation where applicable for each guest.


Alumni Information

Alumni who wish to attend the 50th Anniversary events in Bordeaux should contact UCEAP50@eap.ucop.edu or Kim Bluitt, Director of Development to receive event invitations via email and for further details.

UCEAP and French partners in Paris will be hosting a reception in Paris around the Bordeaux event to highlight UCEAP’s anniversary and celebrate with partners and alumni in the Paris area. Dates are still to be confirmed.