

Two UC San Diego Political Scientists To Give Election Perspective on Channel 7/NBC

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Members of the UC San Diego community are invited to tune in to "Politically Speaking," the award-winning television program focused on public affairs and politics, carried on NBC 7/39 each Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m., and hosted by NBC Correspondent Gene Cubbison.

Sunday, October 19 will be devoted to the views of UCSD's Steve Erie, Professor of Political Science and Thad Kousser, Associate Professor of Political Science who will be discussing the Nov. 4 state and local elections and ballot propositions. The 10:30 a.m. program airs on the local station immediately following national broadcast of "Meet The Press."

Erie and Kousser were among five social scientists-including also political scientists Marisa Abrajano and Zoltan Hajnal and Historian Naomi Oreskes-who participated on Oct. 14 in a pre-election briefing sponsored by Chancellor Marye Anne Fox and covered by a large contingent of radio, television, web and print journalists. This full briefing, with scholarly presentation and questions from the press will be carried in a special television program by UCSD-TV on October 20.

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