

UCSD Alumni Association sponsors Black Alumni reunion, Oct. 21-23

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The Alumni Association of the University of California, San Diego has planned a reunion for the Black Alumni Association, Oct. 21-23, that includes dedication ceremonies of UCSD's Thurgood Marshall College (previously named Third College).

The weekend program begins with the already scheduled lecture by Nobel Laureate and author Derek Walcott, at 7 p.m. Oct. 21, in the Mandeville Auditorium. The lecture is free and open to the public.

On Oct. 22, several events are scheduled: at 3 p.m., the dedication of Thurgood Marshall College will take place at the Central Quad area. Keynote speaker will be Marion Wright Edelman, president and founder of the Children's Defense Fund. At 7 p.m., Wright Edelman will speak on "The Modern American Family, In the Price Center Ballroom. The lecture is free and open to the public. At 8:30-10:30 p.m., the UCSD Black Alumni reception will take place at the Radisson Hotel in La Jolla.

On Oct. 23, at 11:30 a.m., there will be a visit to the Stephen Birch Aquarium Museum (additional cost). An all-day reggae festival will be held at the UCSD Price Center. This event is free and open to the public. At 6:30 p.m.-midnight, the UCSD Black Alumni Reunion Dinner-Dance will take place at the Radisson Hotel, La Jolla. The event includes a buffet dinner/nohost bar, an alumni program and dancing.

The Black Alumni Scholarship Committee meets annually in October and is responsible for building more than \$70,000 for merit scholarships to African American students.

Reservations are required for the Black Alumni Dinner-Dance. For reservations and information on this and other events sponsored by the UCSD Black Alumni Association, please call 5343900. Parking permits are required on the UCSD campus and may be purchased at the information pavilions at the campus entrances on Gilman Drive and Northview Drive.

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