



## Matinee/Campus Visits

K-12 students who have the opportunity to visit a university campus as a part of their educational learning experience are more inclined to consider themselves as potential college students. Mondavi Center would like to help educators in our region make this possible. Therefore, we invite you and your students to enhance your school matinee experience at Mondavi Center by also visiting one of the locations listed below. These UC Davis locations offer outreach educational opportunities to K-12 students.

Friends of Mondavi Center are available before or after a school matinee to escort you and your class from Mondavi Center to the listed campus locations. They can also assist you with arranging the visit, finding a suitable location for lunch, and provide a tour of Mondavi Center.

To arrange a visit, please call Jennifer Mast at (530) 754-5431 or e-mail [jmmast@ucdavis.edu](mailto:jmmast@ucdavis.edu). A Friend of Mondavi will then contact you to schedule your visit. It is recommended that you arrange for the visit as far in advance as possible as all locations require advance scheduling. We hope you enjoy this unique way to learn more about UC Davis!

Locations with a "W" are within walking distance from the Mondavi Center and those with a "B" require bus or auto transport.

### **Anthropology Museum (B)**

*Lisa Deitz, Museum Scientist, (530) 752-8280*

The Department of Anthropology Museum maintains collections of archeological, ethnographic, biological and archival materials. The Anthropological Museum's outreach programs occur only on an occasional basis and are generally for the elementary school level, although they can occasionally serve older children or adults.

### **UC Davis Arboretum (W)**

*Judy Hayes, Special Projects, (530) 752-4880*

Many types of educational programs are available at the Arboretum including guided weekend tours, K-6 environmental education programs, an evening lecture series, field trips, a summer day camp, and gardening workshops.

### **Bohart Museum of Entomology (W)**

*Steve Heydon, Collections Manager, (530)*

*752-0493* <http://bohart.ucdavis.edu>

The Bohart Museum contains over six million specimens of insects and other terrestrial arthropods, used for research, teaching, and outreach. Group tours are welcome by appointment - highlights are the Butterfly Aisle, the "Oh My!" collection, and the Arthropod Petting Zoo.

### **Botanical Conservatory Education Program (B)**

*Tim Metcalf, Greenhouse Supervisor (530) 752-0569*

The UC Davis Botanical Conservatory houses over 2,500 plants in more than 150 families, including examples from most of the earth's climatic regions. Public tours are available upon request.

### **Memorial Union Art Gallery (B)**

*Heather Mikolaj, Director (530) 752-2885*

Memorial Union Art Gallery features interdisciplinary exhibitions that present contemporary directions in the visual arts by emerging regional and national artists in order to engage discussion and promote interaction among students, campus members, and the local community. Tours may visit

gallery exhibitions during open hours (Monday-Friday, 11AM - 5PM) or by appointment.

**The C. N. Gorman Museum (W)**

*Veronica Passalacqua, Curator (530) 752-6567*

The Carl Gorman Museum is one of only a few galleries in the nation featuring contemporary Native American Art. The gallery currently hosts four exhibits per year, and is open Monday-Friday, 12-5 PM, or by appointment.

**Design Museum (W)**

*(530) 752-6150*

The department offers gallery tours and sponsors exhibitions and programs. Gallery hours: Noon - 4PM

**Environmental Horticulture Teaching Gardens (W)**

*James Harding, Professor (530) 752-0349*

The Teaching Gardens of the Department of Plant Science are open to the public and include common and unusual species of trees, shrubs, ground covers, and perennial and bedding plants. Department personnel provide tours for teachers, children, master gardeners or other professional groups upon request and as resources allow.

**Geology Museum Education Program (W)**

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*752-0350*

<http://www-geolog>

~~The Geology Department~~ maintains teaching collections of minerals, rocks, fossils and geologic and topographic maps, as well as personal research collections. On permanent display is a computer that records earthquakes in California, geological maps, and specimens including minerals from around the world, as well as rocks and fossils. Geology Department personnel provide outreach programs on request, both on and off-site, to various schools and adult community groups.

**Mondavi Center Tours**

*Mondavi Center Tour Request Line (530) 754-5399*

Guided tours of the Robert and Margrit Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts will enhance any trip to the UC Davis Campus. To request a tour, please call the Tour Request Line and leave your name, phone number, and tour date. Recommended for grades 5 and up.

**Wildlife and Fish Biology (W)**

*Andrew Engilis, Jr., Curator (530) 752-0364: Irene Torres, Collection Manager (530) 754-8813*

The Museum of Wildlife and Fish Biology maintains specimens of fish, birds, and mammal, slides and library. UC Davis students provide presentations on wildlife to elementary school classes upon request.

**Richard L. Nelson Gallery & Fine Arts Collection (W)**

*Renny Pritikin, Director (530) 752-8500*

Richard L. Nelson Gallery & Fine Arts Collection houses a collection of 18th, 19th, and 20th Century European and American paintings and works on paper, Middle Eastern paintings and artifacts, modern and contemporary photography, and sculpture. Group and class visits to the gallery and appointments with the gallery and collection staff should be made in advance. Gallery Hours: 11 AM - 5 PM

**UC Davis Campus Tours**

*Visitor Services, (530) 752-8111*

Tours are led by a group of friendly and enthusiastic guides whose knowledge and perspective of the University is fashioned from their primary

role as students of UC Davis. Reservations for campus tours must be made in advance of the tour date. A Self Guided Tour Brochure is available at the Campus Tour Office.

**Veterinary Medical Teaching Hospital (B)**

*Nancy Ulrich, Tour Coordinator (530) 752-1507*

The University of California, Davis, School of Veterinary Medicine, the largest veterinary school in the nation, conducts an integrated, statewide mission of teaching, research and service benefiting animal, human and environmental health. The school is the primary health resource for California's animals - companion animals, livestock and wildlife. Tours are limited to ten participants at a time and must be scheduled by appointment.