Our Mission

UCI Veteran Services provides Veterans, Reservists, and their dependents assistance in obtaining the educational benefits to which they are entitled. The office is responsible for submitting entitlement requests for new and continuing students to the V.A., answering any questions veteran students or dependents may have concerning their educational benefits and providing resources to assist veterans in navigating their transition to civilian and student life.
On January 29, 2013 UC Irvine Campus Assault and Resource Education (CARE) Center and UC Irvine Veteran Services teamed up for a special film screening of “The Invisible War.” The Invisible War is a groundbreaking investigative documentary about one of America's most shameful and best kept secrets: the epidemic of rape within the U.S. Military. The film paints a startling picture of the extent of the problem--today, a female soldier in combat zones is more likely to be raped by a fellow soldier than killed by enemy fire. The Department of Defense estimates that there were a staggering 22,800 violent sex crimes in the military in 2011. Since it premiered at Sundance, the film has been circulating through the highest levels of the Pentagon and the Administration. UCI was honored to have special guest speaker Allison Gill who was featured in the documentary. She spoke about how the film has helped her as a survivor. While this is a positive step in the right direction, there is still much more that needs to be done.
Winter Workshops

Smoking Cessation Workshop

Quit Smoking Today!
Six-week supplies of nicotine patches at no fee are still available. If you are interested, reach out to Adelí for more information.

OC Vet Center

James Schickel of the California Department of Veteran Affairs visited the UCI campus for one on one advising for those seeking Mental Health Services. He will be back in spring for more one on one advising.

Please Save the Date

4th Annual UCI Veteran Appreciation Dinner
Wednesday May 22, 2013

*Please note the date has changed!
Upcoming events:

April 2nd – April 5th: Alpha Psi Omega Veteran’s Professional Fraternity
Spring 2013 Pledge Week

April 3rd: Congresswoman Loretta Sanchez
(2:30pm)

April 5th & April 12th: Veteran Student Outreach Program
(1:00pm-4:00pm)

April 20th: Celebrate UCI Military, Veteran and Dependent Information Session
(10:00am-11:00am)

April 30th: CalVet Coordinator James J. Schickel Office Hours
(8:30am-12:30pm)

Announcements:

Q&A with DSC

Tuesdays at 2:00pm-4:00pm

Starting May 1st, Q&A with DSC will be

Wednesdays at 11:00am-12:30pm

& will end on Thursday, June 5th

for the academic year.