



A Tribute to

DR. JOSEPH NORBECK

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University of California Riverside
Bourns College of Engineering
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Riverside, California 92507



Dr. Joe Norbeck, age 72, passed away on August 24, 2016 due to medical complications. Joe Norbeck joined UC Riverside in 1992 as a Professor of Chemical and Environmental Engineering, and as the Founding Director of the Bourns College of Engineering Center for Environmental Research and Technology (CE-CERT). Joe helped shape the College of Engineering from its early beginnings, having a hand in hiring many key faculty throughout the years. In addition, under Joe's leadership, CE-CERT quickly grew to become an innovative and globally respected environmental research center, serving as

an "honest broker" on a number of important regulatory, scientific, and economic questions surrounding environmental and energy policy.

Joe served as CE-CERT's Director and held the Yeager Families Chair from 1992 to 2004, and then held the W. Ruel Johnson Chair until his retirement. From 2004 through 2010 he served as the Director of UCR's Environmental Research Institute. Joe retired from full time service in 2013, becoming Emeritus Professor and continuing his research at CE-CERT.

Joe will be remembered at UCR for many things, including his positive spirit, kind heart and love for interacting with students (he received the Chancellor's Student Mentoring Award in 2003), his innovative research (he received a Clean Air Award in 1995), and for inspiring many who were fortunate to know him. He will be truly missed.

PROGRAM

WELCOME AND LIGHT REFRESHMENTS

SPEAKERS

- ∞ Tom Mullen and Georgia Elliott
- ∞ Susan Hackwood
- ∞ Reza Abbaschian
- ∞ Matthew Barth

REFLECTIONS

Audience participation is welcome

A LASTING TRIBUTE

Dedication Event

*“A great person, with a huge heart and a sense of humor. He will be missed.
” -Susan Hackwood-*

“Dr. Norbeck was one of my greatest teachers and bosses. He showed that he trusted in me to deliver the assigned work even it was my first time to work on it. That made me not only want to do it, but also to do the best I can.”

–Kamarat Jermisirisakpong–

Donations in Joe’s honor may be made to

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for Student Success**

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