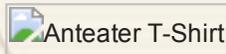




## \$1,000 Scholarships Now Available



Transportation & Distribution Services is pleased to announce that the first annual ROADS (Reward Opportunity Advancing Distinguished Students) scholarship is available for application. Four outstanding UC Irvine undergraduates will be selected to each receive a \$1,000 scholarship, made possible by the year's fundraising activities.

ROADS scholarship applications are being accepted now through March 27 and recipients will be notified in May. All undergraduate students, regardless of major, who have a grade point average of 3.0 or higher are eligible. Preference will be given to students who can show involvement in green or sustainability projects.

For more information, or to submit your online application, please visit the financial aid webpage at: <http://www.ofas.uci.edu/content/TypesOfAid.aspx?nav=3&id=roads>.

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### DIRECTOR'S CORNER

I am pleased to present this inaugural quarterly T&DS newsletter. We hope you will take a moment to learn more about the quality programs and services we have made available to meet the diverse needs of the UCI campus community. Please consider sharing your experiences by taking our brief survey located at the bottom of this page. We appreciate your feedback as we continually strive to satisfy the diverse needs of the UCI campus community.

Regards,  
Ron Fleming



## Traffic Director Training

It's not unusual at this time of year to see students dressed in bright blue and yellow vests standing and gesturing in intersections throughout the campus. These student employees of Transportation and Distribution Services are part of the Traffic Director Training program.



"Throughout the year, we devote many hours to the training of our student staff in preparation for upcoming major campus events, such as commencement," said Assistant Director Andre Gaines, who oversees Guest and Event Services. "The Traffic Directors are learning to facilitate traffic flow at key intersections on campus during the peak hours in a safe and efficient manner." Their hard work pays off at major campus events

and during commencement ceremonies in June.

## Lighting the Way to Energy

UC Irvine has a strong commitment to reducing its carbon footprint with energy efficiency projects that save both money and resources, such as retrofitting older buildings and structures on campus. The Student Center Parking

Structure (SCPS), built in 1990, is the oldest and busiest parking facility on campus. To make the structure more energy efficient, T&DS, in conjunction with the UCI energy team and a variety of energy industry partners, replaced the older 175-watt lamps with lower wattage ones. They also installed natural light sensors and wireless daylighting controls to take advantage of the abundant natural lighting in the structure. As a result, these measures have enabled T&DS to achieve an energy savings of 80%.

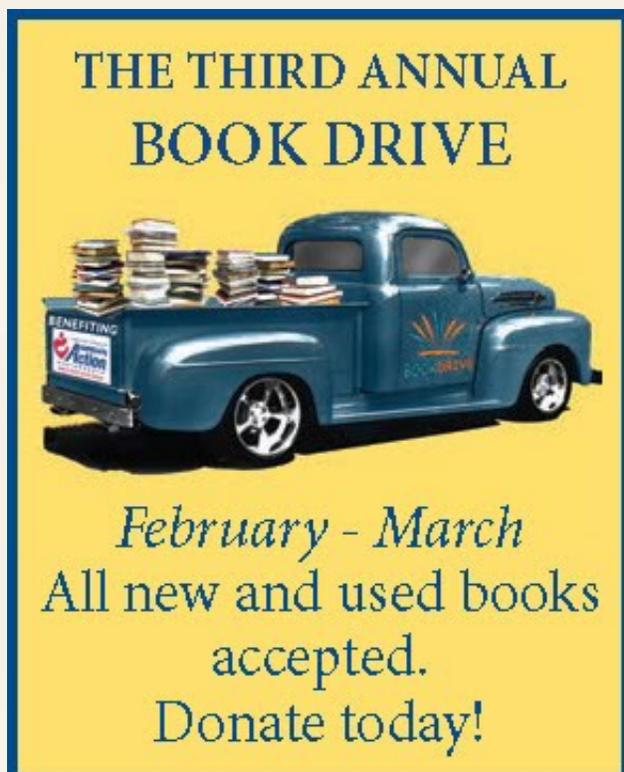
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## *NACAS Innovation Award*

T&DS was awarded the National Association of College Auxiliary Services (NACAS) Innovative Achievement in Auxiliary Services Award for its in-house designed Virtual Permit Management System (VPMS), used primarily by undergraduate and graduate residents of Verano Place, Palo Verde, and American Campus Communities. This system provides an easy-to-use, resource-efficient service to manage parking preferences. This innovative system combines license plate recognition technology with permit management software and has dramatically reduced the number of un-warranted citations, provided 24 hours/7 days a week user access which led to increased efficiency in the management of over 6,500 residential parking stalls.

NACAS is a nonprofit higher education association serving auxiliary services, student support services, and ancillary services professionals at four-year and two-year colleges and universities. The Innovative Achievement Award recognizes Auxiliary Services Departments that use technology creatively to improve services to customers.

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## *Additional Bike Racks*

Additional bike racks have been installed in:

- Aldrich Hall
- Career Center
- Student Services
- Humanities area

A 33% increase in bicycle parking has been achieved. Please email any questions regarding this project to [biking@uci.edu](mailto:biking@uci.edu).



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## *Long-Term Storage*

Long-term storage is available through T&DS' North Campus facility. Materials may be stored for any amount of time for \$5.00/week or \$20.00/month, per pallet. Departments may request periodic deliveries of their stored items to campus locations during normal business hours.

Please email [mailservices@uci.edu](mailto:mailservices@uci.edu) regarding any questions about this service.



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