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Empowered UCLA Extension Reinvents Education and Career Counseling for Today's Job Market

New Career Development and Certificate Program to Close the Skills Gap; 89 percent of HR hiring managers surveyed say certificates can help in changing careers

Empowered UCLA Extension – a collaboration between UCLA Extension and Empowered Careers – announced today the launch of a new career development program available nationwide starting this fall, specifically designed for baby boomers seeking to make a career change, get ahead professionally or get back into the workforce.

Empowered UCLA Extension also announced the results of a recent survey of HR managers and recruiters across the country indicating that certificate programs are widely viewed as a viable way to close the skills gap and teach adults relevant job market skills.

UCLA Extension partnered with Empowered Careers – which was founded by the Sherry Lansing Foundation, Creative Artists Agency (CAA) and Silicon Valley entrepreneur Steve Poizner – to address the growing skills gap in America and significantly enhance online education for busy adults. Empowered UCLA Extension provides job-centric, twelve-month certificate programs designed for real-world employment needs, integrated with personalized career counseling.

The offering is an end-to-end solution, all provided online, that combines UCLA Extension professional education from a live instructor, who is an expert in his or her field, with hands-on, personalized career counseling. The program is delivered through a groundbreaking Empowered iPad app, which places a community of instructors, peers and career counselors, all just one tap away. To ensure maximum quality and interaction, individual class sizes are limited to approximately one instructor for every 25 students.

“Addressing the jobs crisis by closing the skills gap is the leading issue in our country today, and we have developed technology to help tackle this problem on a large scale,” said Empowered co-founder and CEO Steve Poizner. “We are pleased that UCLA Extension chose to partner with us to help people start over without starting from scratch – a new and better way towards career empowerment and success.”

Online classes will begin on September 24, 2012, in 10 certificate programs designed for areas of job growth, including Global Sustainability, Health Care Management, Nonprofit Management, IT Management, Patient Advocacy, College Counseling, Project Management, Financial Planning, Human Resources and Marketing & New Media. Classes are designed to be flexible to enable working adults to complete the program within 12 months. Additional certificate programs will be added next year.

Statistical data shows that hiring managers are becoming increasingly comfortable with applicants seeking to change or enhance their careers through completion of certificate programs.

In fact, in a recent study done by Impulse Research Corp, 82 percent of Human Resources managers and recruiters said that obtaining a certificate is one of the best ways for professionals to keep current or upgrade their job market skills and 89 percent said that obtaining a certificate is a helpful step in changing careers. Additionally, 75 percent of HR managers stated that if a job candidate cannot find work in a related field, they would consider a certificate program a good alternative for gaining related work experience.*

“In an extremely challenging job market where the old rules no longer apply, Empowered UCLA Extension is a quick way for people to gain relevant knowledge and practical tools needed to be successful in today's workforce,” said Cathy Sandeen, Dean of UCLA Extension.

The competitive job market has placed increased demands on job seekers to update their skills. Many members of the baby boom generation — generally those born between 1946 and 1964 — are unable to retire due to financial constraints, thus increasing the need for education. Other boomers wish to move in a different direction, to establish an “encore” career in order to pursue a passion or to make a contribution in the education, health care or nonprofit sectors.

Importantly, Empowered UCLA Extension offers one-on-one, personalized career guidance and counseling integrated within the curriculum. Once enrolled, students are able to

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REQUESTING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED DVBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT:

**Rt. 5 – Silverbow Ave.
Contract # 07-215934
Los Angeles County
Bids: July 26, 2012 at 2:00pm**

This is a highway project with the typical items of work associated, but not limited to: Aggregate, Rip Rap Material, Bridge Deck Overlay, CIDH Pile, Clear and Grubbing, Concrete Barrier, Concrete Crack Sealing, Construction Area Signs, Consult - Enviro Compliance, Core and Saw, Demo Bridge, Demo Minor, Earthwork and Base, Imported Borrow, Electrical H'Way, Fence & MBGR, Minor Flat Concrete, Joint Seals, K-Rail, Landscape, Erosion Control, Metal Bridge Rail, Minor Concrete Structure, Pavement Grinding, Paving PCC, Plane A C, Paving ASPH Concrete, A C Dike and Misc, Pile Drive, Pipe - Coor Steel, Precast Concrete Pipe, Prestress Concrete, Ready Mix Concrete, Rebar, Rock Slope Protect, Sign Structures, Signs Roadside, Stripe and Mark, Structure Excavate Bridge, Structure Excavate Site, Traffic Control, Trucking.

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**Rt. 5 – San Antonio Drive
Contract # 07-215944
Los Angeles County
Bids: August 9, 2012 at 2:00pm**

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REQUESTING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT:

**Mountain View Avenue Widening
and Reconstruction Project
Contract # 06002-02
Inland Valley Development Agency
San Bernardino County
Bids: August 7, 2012 at 2:00pm**

This is a highway project with the typical items of work associated, but not limited to: Aggregate, Rip Rap Material, Bridge Deck Overlay, CIDH Pile, Clear and Grubbing, Concrete Barrier, Concrete Crack Sealing, Construction Area Signs, Consult - Enviro Compliance, Core and Saw, Demo Bridge, Demo Minor, Earthwork and Base, Imported Borrow, Electrical H'Way, Fence & MBGR, Minor Flat Concrete, Joint Seals, K-Rail, Landscape, Erosion Control, Metal Bridge Rail, Minor Concrete Structure, Pavement Grinding, Paving PCC, Plane A C, Paving ASPH Concrete, A C Dike and Misc, Pile Drive, Pipe - Coor Steel, Precast Concrete Pipe, Prestress Concrete, Ready Mix Concrete, Rebar, Rock Slope Protect, Sign Structures, Signs Roadside, Stripe and Mark, Structure Excavate Bridge, Structure Excavate Site, Traffic Control, Trucking.

C.C. Myers, Inc. is willing to break down items of work into economically feasible units. If you are interested in any of this work, please provide us with a scope letter or contact us immediately. Plans and Specifications are available from Inland Valley Development Agency website at: http://sbdairport.com/our_organization/rfpsbids.htm.

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REQUESTING BIDS FROM QUALIFIED DBE SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECT:

San Diego County Decks/Slabs
Contract #11-238604
California Department of Transportation
Bids: August 9, 2012 at 2:00 p.m.

This is a highway project with the typical items of work associated, but not limited to: Aggregate, CIDH Pile, Clear and Grubbing, Concrete Barrier, Concrete Crack Sealing, Construction Area Signs, Consult - Enviro Compliance, Core and Saw, Demo Bridge, Demo Minor, Earthwork and Base, Imported Borrow, Electrical H'Way, Fence & MBGR, Minor Flat Concrete, Joint Seals, K-Rail, Landscape, Erosion Control, Metal Bridge Rail, Minor Concrete Structure, Pavement Grinding, Paving PCC, Plane A C, Paving ASPH Concrete, A C Dike and Misc, Pile Drive, Pipe - Coor Steel, Precast Concrete Pipe, Prestress Concrete, Ready Mix Concrete, Rebar, Rock Slope Protect, Sign Structures, Signs Roadside, Stripe and Mark, Structure Excavate Bridge, Structure Excavate Site, Traffic Control, Trucking.

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Sub-Bids Requested From Qualified UDBE Subcontractors & Suppliers:

I-15/I-215 Interchange Improvements – Devore Design-Build Project In San Bernardino County
Contract No.: 08-0K7104, Project No.:0800003664
Subcontractor Proposals Due: August 22, 2012

The SGJV is interested in soliciting in Good Faith all subcontractors and suppliers, as well as certified UDBE companies for this project. Proposals are requested for supplies and services including, but not limited to: Biological Monitor, Storm Water Pollution Plan, Street Sweeping, Construction Area Signs, Traffic Control System, Temporary Fencing, Erosion Control, Temporary Traffic Stripe/Markings, Temporary Railing, Portable Changeable/ Message Signs, Temporary Crash Cushion Module, Metal Beam Guard Railing, Roadside Signs, Abandon Culvert, Cold Place Concrete Pavement, Concrete Barrier, Bridge Removal, Clearing and Grubbing, Roadway Excavation, Structure Excavation, Structure Excavation (Bridge), Structure Excavation (Retaining Wall), Structure Backfill, Sand Backfill, Imported Borrow, Rock Blanket, Erosion Control, Fiber Rolls, Corrugated Steel Pipe Conduit, Class 2 Aggregate Base, Lean Concrete Base, Hot Mix Asphalt, Place Hot Mix Asphalt Dike, Tack Coat, Concrete Pavement, Profile Grinding, Furnish & Drive Steel Pile, CIDH Concrete Piling, Prestressing CIP Concrete, Precast Concrete, Structural Concrete, Bridge Structural Concrete, Retaining Wall, Minor Concrete, Soundwall Barrier, PTFE Bearing, Joint Seal Assembly, Joint Seal, Bar Reinforcing Steel (Bridge), Bar Reinforcing Steel (Retaining Wall), Furnish Sign Structure, Install Sign Structure, Furnish Laminated Panel, Furnish Single Sheet Aluminum Sign, Metal (Barrier Mounted Sign), Roadside Sign, Install Sign, Alternative Pipe Culvert, Reinforced Concrete Pipe, Plastic Pipe, Corrugated Steel Pipe, Welded Steel Pipe Casing, Alternative Flared End Section, Irrigation and Landscaping, Rock Slope Protection, Slope Paving, Minor Concrete, Miscellaneous Metal, Miscellaneous Iron and Steel, Bridge Deck Drainage System, Chain Link Fence, Chain Link Railing, Pipe Handrail, Tubular Handrail, Concrete Barrier, Cable Railing, Transition Railing, Transition Railing, Terminal System, Crash Cushion, Aggregate Bases and Structural Backfill, Pavement Delineation, Concrete Barrier, Signal & Lighting, Lighting & Sign Illumination, Interconnection Conduit & Cable, Fiber Optic Conduit, Electric Service (Irrigation), Traffic Monitoring Station, Closed Circuit TV System, Ramp Metering System, Earth Retaining Structures.

In order to assist UDBE subcontractors and suppliers, we will divide total requirements into smaller packages, tasks or quantities and establish delivery and construction schedules which will permit maximum participation when feasible.

If you are interested in submitting a proposal, and would like access to the Plans and Specifications, please visit the SGJV website and complete the contractor's questionnaire on the following website: www.usa.skanska.com/devoreinterchange

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Official Bid packages will be issued pending Prime Contractor selection, at which time the SGJV will assist qualified subcontractors in obtaining bonding, lines of credit, insurance, necessary equipment, materials and/or supplies. The SGJV insurance requirements are Commercial General Liability (GL): \$1M ea. occ., \$1M personal injury, \$2M products & completed operations agg. & general agg.; \$1M Auto Liability; \$5M Excess/Umbrella and \$1M Workers' Comp. Endorsements or waivers required are Additional Insured End., Primary Wording End., and a Waiver of Subrogation (GL & WC). Other insurance requirements may be necessary per scope. Subcontractors may be required to furnish performance and payment bonds in the full amount of their subcontract by an admitted surety and subject to approval by SGJV. SGJV will pay bond premium up to 1%. SGJV is signatory to Operating Engineers, Laborers, Cement Masons Carpenters unions and Teamsters. Subcontractors must provide weekly, one (1) original and (1) copy of all certified payrolls, including non-performance, and fringe benefit statement if required by law or by the Prime Contract. All interested subcontractors, please indicate all lower tier UDBE participation offered on your quotation as it will be evaluated with your price. SGJV is an equal opportunity employer



Project Name: Mission Bay Block 2 • Location: San Francisco, California
Bid Date: August 2, 2012 @ 2:00pm

Nibbi Brothers is the selected General Contractor for the following project which is currently underway, and is requesting bids for signage from qualified Subcontractors & Suppliers including those certified with the Office of the City Administrator (Successor Agency to SFRA). This project consists of 315 units of market rate housing, over 8,000 square feet of street level retail and two levels of interior parking for 315 cars. The SFRA participation goal has been established for this project at: 31% for MBE Subcontractors and 10% for WBE Subcontractors and we highly encourage all SFRA certified Subcontractors to bid.

To obtain bid and contract documents please email kristinn@nibbi.com.
 Email or fax proposals to: shanel@nibbi.com and kristinn@nibbi.com / (415) 649-7528.
 For information/questions regarding this project contact Shane Long via email at shanel@nibbi.com.



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RGW Construction Inc.
is seeking all qualified UDDBE owned
subcontractors and supplies

for the following project:

French Camp Road/I-5 Interchange

Project No. 99-01

Federal Aid Project No. NCPD-5008(059)

City of Stockton

Engineer Estimate: \$24,000,000

UDDBE Goal 6.5%, 365 working days

Bids: July 26, 2012 @ 2:00 PM

The available areas of work include, but are not limited to: CAS, Traffic Control System, Bridge Removal, Clear & Grub, Erosion Control, AC Dike, Groove & Grind, Drive Piling, Prestressing Concrete Cast-in-place, Storm Drain and Water Line, Rock Slope Protection, Concrete Curb & Sidewalk-Misc, Fencing, Barriers, Striping & Markers, Ramp Metering System & Trucking

Scope of Work: Interchange Modifications to tie into existing.

RGW Construction, Inc.

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RGW is willing to breakout any portion of work to encourage participation. Plans and Specs are available to view and copy at our office or at the City of Stockton website <http://www.stocktongov.co/business/bidflash.cfm>. Contact John Pitsch 925-606-2400 for any questions, including bonding, lines of credit, insurance, equipment, supplies or material. Subcontractors should be prepared to submit payment and performance bonds equal to 100% of their quotation. For bonding and other assistance, please call.

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Contact: Greg Davis • Email: gregdavis@boernertrucks.com

Contact Boerner Truck Center for assistance with bonds, insurance, lines of credit or project plans & specifications. A downloadable specifications/bidding document is available at the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power's (LADWP) Electronic Request-Solicit-Procure System (eRSP) website <https://ersp.ladwp.com>

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Upcoming Open House Dates

July 25, 2012

*Kaiser Center, 300 Lakeside Dr.,
2nd Floor Auditorium, Oakland, CA*

July 31, 2012

*The Olympic Collection Conf. Center,
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August 7, 2012

*Radisson Hotel and Conference Center,
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UC Irvine Medical Center invites sealed Bids for a lump-sum contract for the **Building 31 Boiler Replacements, Project No. 994009**, at UCIMC in Orange, CA.

DESCRIPTION OF WORK: The Work of this Project is divided into multiple bid packages. Bid Package #3 consists of phased removal and replacement of two (2) Babcock & Wilcox boilers with new compliant emission boilers with flue stack mounted Selective Catalytic Reduction (SCR) systems. Work will include selective demo.; remove and replace existing roof; structural members and piping needed to bring new boilers into the bldg.; construction of a catwalk, service yard and new CMU wall around new equip; HVAC and fire suppression. Work is scheduled to start August 2012 with 240 calendar day schedule from NTP to substantial completion.

The UC Irvine Medical Center has purchased two Selective Catalytic Reduction Systems and two Fire Tube Boilers. The purchase order agreements will be assigned to the successful bidder. As a result of the assignments, Contractor will have a contractual obligation to furnish and install the Selective Catalytic Reduction Systems and the Fire Tube Boilers as set forth in the specifications.

The following Bid Packages have been awarded:
 Bid Package# 1, Boilers, Cleaver-Brooks
 Bid Package # 2, CNC Panasia SCR, RF MacDonald Co.

Est. Construction Cost: \$1,700,000

Bid Docs avail. **2PM, 7/17/12** at American Reprographics Company (ARC), Costa Mesa, CA (714) 751-2680. Planrooms: F.W. Dodge (626) 932-6120 or Reed (800) 424-3996.

BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS*: Must have completed a minimum of two projects which were each at least \$1,000,000 in construction cost, as follows: one boiler replacement and one boiler replacement w/ SCR system both constructed in a fully operational/occupied OSH-PPD building, and two boiler projects built in California with a minimum construction cost of \$750,000. **Bidders not meeting the qualifications in the Contract Documents will not be eligible for award.**

LICENSE REQUIREMENT: Current and active **“B” General Building Contractor or “B” General Building Contractor & “C-4” Boiler, Hot Water Heater and Steam Fitting CA contractor’s license.**

BID SUBMITTAL REQS: Sealed Bids due 2PM, 8/14/12. Rec’d and opened only at: UCI D&CS, 5201 California Ave, Ste. 250, Irvine, CA 92697. Contract will be awarded to lowest responsive bidder.

MANDATORY PRE-BID CONF: 7/25/12 Pre-Bid Conf and Site Visit **promptly at 2:30 PM** at, 101 The City Dr., Building 22A, Room 2107 (Library Auditorium), Orange, CA 92868. **ONLY GC’s** attending can submit bids.

ADD’L REQS: 10% bid security and 100% payment & performance bonds. Surety issuing bonds shall be an admitted surety insurer (as defined in the CA Code of Civil Procedure Section 995.120). Successful GC and subs must follow nondiscrimination req’s in Bid Docs and pay prevailing wage at the location of the work. The work described in the contract is a public work subject to section 1771 of the California Labor Code.

Every effort will be made to ensure that all persons shall have equal access to contracts and other business opportunities with the University, regardless of: race; color; religion; sex; age; ancestry; national origin; sexual orientation; physical or mental disability; veteran’s status; medical condition; genetic information; marital status; gender identity; pregnancy; service in the uniformed services; or citizenship within the limits imposed by law or University’s policy.

Contact David Donovan (949) 824-6582, ddonovan@uci.edu

For other opportunities, www.designandconstruction.uci.edu

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NOTICE INVITING GENERAL CONTRACTOR PREQUALIFICATION

Prequalification Questionnaires will be received by the **University of California, Irvine (UCI)** from General Contractors (GC) wishing to bid on the **REDERIVATION AND INTERNAL QUARANTINE SUITE (RIQS), PROJECT NO. 997174.**

DESCRIPTION: The work includes minor demolition, installation of new doors and frames, creation of an air-lock entrance to the existing laboratory suite including modifications to the HVAC, plumbing and electrical and fire/life-safety systems, and installation of University-furnished electric sterilizer and pass-thru assembly.

PROJECT DELIVERY: Traditional

CONSTRUCTION DURATION: 11 Weeks

ESTIMATED DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION COST: \$200,000

PROJECT IS FUNDED IN WHOLE BY FEDERAL MONEY GRANTED BY THE NIH. GCs and subs are subject to Federal policies and requirements, including but not limited to NIH Design Policy and Guidelines.

PROCEDURES: Prequalification questionnaires will be available electronically at **2 PM on 7/19/12.** Send requests for forms to blduenas@uci.edu.

Mandatory Prequalification Conference will be held at **10 AM on 7/24/12** at UCI Design & Construction Services, Sullivan & Wright Conf. Rm., 5201 California Ave., Suite 250, Irvine, CA 92697.

Questionnaires must be received by 2 PM on 8/2/12 only at UCI Design & Construction Services, 5201 California Ave., Suite 250, Irvine, CA 92697.

To prequalify, GCs must agree to comply with all bid-

ding requirements including: holding a current and active “B” General Building CA contractor’s license; state prevailing wages; 10% bid bond; 100% payment and performance bonds; and insurance reqs. UCI reserves the right to reject any or all responses to this notice, to waive non-material irregularities, and to deem GCs prequalified to submit bids for the project.

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Contact Brenda Duenas, Principal Contract Administrator (949) 824-9586, blduenas@uci.edu. Bid Board: www.designandconstruction.uci.edu

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA DAVIS HEALTH SYSTEM

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Subject to conditions prescribed by the University of California, Davis Health System, sealed bids for a lump-sum contract are invited for the following work:

PROJECT NO. 9559800 HOSPITAL WIRELESS ACCESS POINT INSTALLATION

CP#2 Davis Tower Wireless Access Point Addition

Description of Work: Project consists of: 1. Relocating and installing new and existing wireless access points in the UC Davis Medical Center; 2. Terminating CAT6 cabling from each wireless access point device to a new or existing patch panel; 3. Installing and connecting patch cords between patch panel and switch; 4. Installation of switches; 5. System testing; 6. Protecting existing

equipment and systems; 7. Patching and repairing existing construction required for new work or relocating existing WAPs; 8. Relocating up to 5% of WAPs after system testing for signal coverage.

Procedures: Bidding Documents will be available at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, July 13, 2012, and will be issued only at:

Facilities Design and Construction
 4800 2nd Avenue, Suite 3010, Sacramento, CA 95817
 Tel.: 916-734-7024; Fax: 916-734-7751
contracts@ucdmc.ucdavis.edu

Bidders must attend a **MANDATORY** pre-bid conference at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 24, 2012. For details, see our website (<http://www.ucdmc.ucdavis.edu/facilities/>) that provides all details including location and parking instructions.

Bids will be received only at: Facilities Design and Construction

Bid Deadline: Sealed bids must be received on or before 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, August 8, 2012.

The successful Bidder will be required to have the following California current and active contractor’s license at the time of submission of the Bid: **C7- Low Voltage Systems and/or C10- Electrical.**

Every effort will be made to ensure that all persons have equal access to contracts and other business opportunities with the University within the limits imposed by law or University policy. Each Bidder may be required to show evidence of its equal employment opportunity policy.

Estimated Construction Cost: \$315,000

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meet with their career counselors as often as they like, via face-to-face video chats, phone calls, email and group webinars. Students participate in a personalized 15-module Career Empowerment Program, including resume building, interview preparation, network building and other necessary career building skills. Dedicated career counselor support extends 24 months from the moment courses begin, to support the career success of students and alumni.

Further setting Empowered UCLA Extension apart from existing online education offerings is the platform through which all coursework and career counseling is delivered – the iPad.

“Using our app, the iPad will transform any adult’s living room into a modern day classroom or transform a park bench into a study group while the kids are at soccer practice,” said Poizner. “Empowered UCLA Extension students will be one tap away from an incredible community of instructors, career counselors and fellow students. We call this social learning. In the process, mid-career adults are engaging and learning to use and enjoy sophisticated technology, like the iPad.”

Empowered UCLA Extension plans to reserve about 20 percent of all seats for full or partial scholarships. Celebrities from film and television have agreed to help promote the scholarship programs for those who need financial support.

“Empowered will arm this generation of Americans with the experience, knowledge and most up-to-date skills sought by employers in the marketplace today,” said Michael Yanover, Head of Business Development at CAA and Empowered Board Member. “With the right tools, a plan and inspiration, these re-educated individuals will have the necessary skills to help accomplish their career goals.”

Empowered UCLA Extension is available nationwide, and enrollment has started for fall 2012. Information on coursework, career guidance and scholarship programs can be found at www.empowered.com or call 1-800-EMPOWER.

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