

UCLA's Home Courses



Many campus buildings can be seen from the Bel-Air Country Club, which is located across from UCLA on Sunset Blvd. The Bruins have been playing at the Robert C. Thomas classic for more than 50 years.

Bel-Air Country Club:

The Bel-Air Country Club, site of the 1976 U.S. Amateur Championship, has served as UCLA's home course for more than 50 years. Located five minutes from campus, Bel-Air's original architecture was done by George Thomas, Jack Neville and Billy Bell Sr., with most recent changes by Robert Trent Jones. The club has added a driving range which the Bruins use occasionally. Par: 70 Rating: 73.9 Yardage: 6,730.

Brentwood Country Club:

The Brentwood Country Club is located just 10 minutes from the UCLA campus. The course, which measures 6,782 yards and carries a 72.9 rating, puts emphasis on accuracy and is often subject to strong breezes off the nearby Pacific. Brentwood and UCLA also hosted the 1994 Women's Pacific-10 Conference Championship.

El Caballero Country Club: Tough par 71 course that has hosted many TOUR qualifying events. Designed by Robert Trent Jones, Sr., the course measures 6,815 yards and carries a rating of 73.6 and a slope of 135. UCLA alumnus Brandt Jobe holds the course record of 63.

Hillcrest Country Club: Located 10 minutes from campus, Hillcrest is one of the area's oldest layouts. Opened in 1922, it was the site of the 1929 PGA Championship and 1932 and '42 L.A. Opens. Hillcrest carries a 73.1 rating over 6,684 yards. Rolling fairways, numerous bunkers and large undulating greens plus some of the best views of the Los Angeles skyline make this an enjoyable test of golf.

Lakeside Golf Club: Located next to Universal Studios, this tight, heavily trapped course has small greens that demand great accuracy. The par 70 course has a 72.4 rating and measures 6,539 yards. The beautiful course was designed by Max Behr in 1925.

Los Angeles Country Club: Considered one of America's finest, the North Course is consistently ranked among the nation's Top 20 private golf courses. Both the North and South courses were designed by George C. Thomas, who also designed Riviera and Ojai Valley CC. Site of the 1983 Men's Pac-10 Championships won by UCLA. The par 71 redesigned North Course is rated 75.7 with a 143 slope over 7,236 yards and will host the 2013 Men's Pac-12 Championship.

Mountaingate Country Club: Sporty course that offers great vistas of Los Angeles. Severely contoured greens require a delicate putting touch. Measures 6,450 yards, is rated 72.2, plays to a par of 72, and overlooks the UCLA campus.

Oakmont Country Club: Built in 1924 and originally designed by Max Behr, Oakmont is located in the lush hillside of Glendale and boasts some of the fastest greens in the city. A variety of bunkers and

barrancas make the course a shotmaker's domain. Recently, Oakmont has hosted LPGA and Champions Tour events. From the Goodman tees, the course plays 7,015 yards, carries a slope of 138 and a par of 72. Oakmont served as the site of the 2003 Men's Pacific-10 Conference Championship, which UCLA hosted and won.

Riviera Country Club: Recognized as one of the world's premier courses, Riviera annually hosts a PGA Tour event, which former Bruin Corey Pavin won in 1994 and '95. It has hosted several major championships, including the U.S. Open in 1948 won by Ben Hogan, the PGA Championship in 1983 and 1995 and the U.S. Senior Open in 1998. The course has several signature holes, including the par three sixth with a bunker in the middle of the green. Designed by George C. Thomas, Riviera measures more than 7,157 yards and plays to a par of 71.

Robinson Ranch: New facility, featuring two championship courses —The Mountain and The Valley. The Mountain Course measures 6,508 yards and offers dramatic views and plenty of water, while demanding strategic course management and accuracy off the tee. The Valley Course, which opened on Memorial Day 2000, meanders through untouched stands of stage and chaparral, California Sycamores and Coastal Live Oaks. Measuring 6,903 yards from the championship tees, The Valley's final six holes have been tagged Death Row.

TPC at Valencia: The TPC at Valencia, designed by Chris Gray and two-time major winner Mark O'Meara, is a big golf course requiring both length off the tee, precise iron play and bold putting. Running through oak canyons, river valleys and foothills, the course challenges players of every skill level. The course measures more than 7,200 yards from the tournament tees and plays to a par of 72.

Valencia Country Club: A classic Robert Trent Jones Sr. design featuring numerous bunkers, hidden water hazards and large, undulating greens. Prevailing afternoon winds can make this course play long and difficult. Signature hole is the par three third that features a long carry over water to a big, fast green, shaded by tall trees. From the tips, this par 72 course is rated 74.7 with a slope of 138 over 7,076 yards.

Wilshire Country Club: Medium length course that boasts the best greens in the city. A barranca runs through the course and comes into play on almost every hole. Carries a course rating of 71.8 at 6,506 yards and a slope of 132.



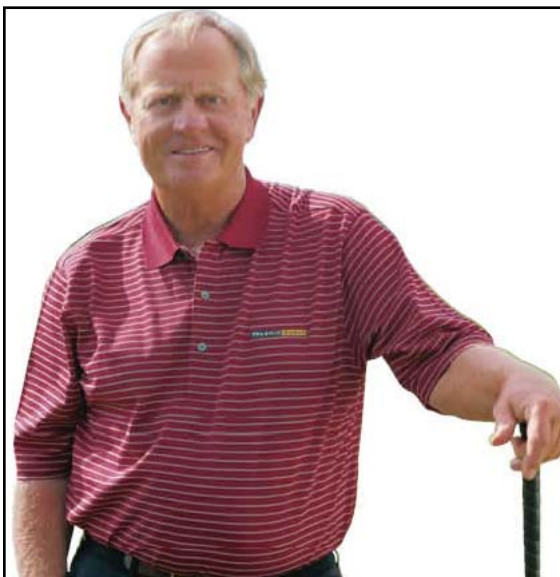
Vistas of the Westwood skyline can be enjoyed from the Los Angeles Country Club, site of the 2013 Pac-12 Championship.

FRIENDS OF GOLF

The Friends of Golf (FOG) organization has been a fixture of financial support for the UCLA golf program and collegiate and youth golf nationwide for more than three decades.

The origins of this group come from former UCLA Athletics Hall of Fame golf coach Eddie Merrins, who served as Bel Air's head professional for nearly 40 years. Under his active leadership, the UCLA golf program has developed into one of the most successful in the country.

To implement that program, Merrins pioneered the FOG organization to aid in fundraising activities for college and youth golf programs. FOG was incorporated in 1981 as a non-profit organization and has drawn enthusiasm from many prominent professionals in the business and sports communities.



Jack Nicklaus was the honoree at the 1991 FOG tournament.

The annual FOG event is highlighted by an elaborate golf tournament and dinner held at Bel Air Country Club. Luminaries such as Dinah Shore, Digger Phelps, Rick Pitino, David Wolper and Richard Crenna distinguished the tournament in 1991. Highlighting the 10th annual tournament was the legendary Jack Nicklaus. Each year, FOG honors a member of the PGA Tour, which has enabled Friends of Golf to endow the Golf Scholarship Fund at UCLA.

The late, legendary golfer Byron Nelson called the annual FOG event, "The best one-day golf tournament in the country."

At right is a list of the past honorees:

2012 — Ernie Els
 2011 — David Ledbetter
 2010 — Johnny Miller
 2009 — Annika Sorenstam
 2008 — Greg Pense, Johnny Miller
 2007 — Steve Pate, Kathy Whitworth,
 2006 — Gene Littler, John Wooden,
 Duffy Waldorf
 2005 — Al Geiberger, Dave Stockson
 Scott Simpson
 2004 — FOG Founders
 2003 — Tommy Bolt, Bob Rosburg
 Duffy Waldorf
 2002 — Gary Player, Amy Alcott
 2001 — Billy Casper, Tony Jacklin
 2000 — Payne Stewart
 1999 — Fred Couples,, Corey Pavin
 1998 — Mark O'Meara
 1997 — Tom Lehman
 1996 — Jim Murray, Peter Jacobsen
 1995 — Sam Snead, Deane Beman
 1994 — Byron Nelson
 1993 — Ken Venturi
 1992 — Chi Chi Rodriguez
 1991 — Jack Nicklaus
 1990 — Hale Irwin
 1989 — Ben Crenshaw
 1988 — Greg Norman
 1987 — Arnold Palmer
 1986 — Byron Nelson
 1985 — Lee Trevino
 1984 — Raymond Floyd
 1983 — Ben Hogan
 1982 — Eddie Merrins



The 6th Hole at Riviera Country Club, one of the Bruins' home courses

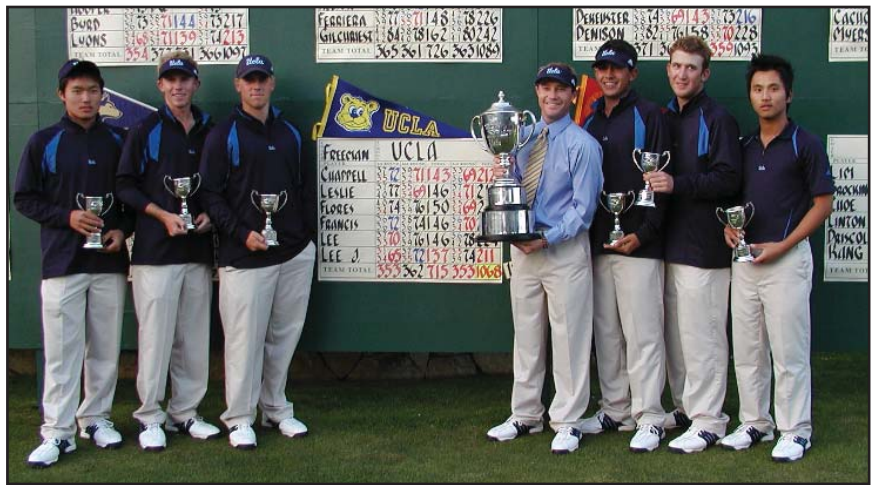
UCLA'S ON-CAMPUS PRACTICE FACILITY — "THE GIFF"



Jack and Rhodine Gifford (above) have been generous supporters of UCLA Athletics, particularly the golf programs. Their lead donation made possible UCLA's on-campus practice facility, nicknamed "The Giff." In addition, the Gifford Family has sponsored the Gifford Collegiate Championship for the last eight years. The late Mr. Gifford was a 1960-61 UCLA baseball letterman as a first baseman. (Clockwise from top right): The view to the West shows the team room and tee box as players hit South toward Pauley Pavilion. The view looking East reveals the towers of Royce Hall and the Men's Gym, newly named the Student Activities Center. Facing North toward Sunset Blvd., the shrubbery in front of the facility spells out UCLA GOLF (below).



THE GIFFORD COLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIP



The Gifford Collegiate Championship, founded by the late Jack Gifford (UCLA '63) and his wife Rhodine, has come to symbolize outstanding golf and unmatched camaraderie. The Bruins have won the event twice, and in 2007 produced their first individual champion in James Lee. In addition to the 54-hole collegiate competition, the event also features a CollegeAm, a wives program and many other tournament traditions. Above left, is the perpetual Gifford Collegiate Championship Trophy, awarded to the victorious team. Top right, are the Bruins, who won the event in 2007. Above: UCLA's Patrick Cantlay, winner of the event in 2010. Right: Pontus Widegren. Below right: Benefactor Jack Gifford and Head Coach Derek Freeman.

Gifford Collegiate Championship Results

Year	Team Winner	Individual Medalist(s)
2005	UCLA	Michael Wilson, California
2006	Stanford	Rob Grube and Zack Miller, Stanford
2007	UCLA	James Lee, UCLA; Sihwan Kim, Stanford; Henrik Norlander, Augusta State
2008	USC	Nick Taylor, Washington, Tom Sluiter, USC
2009	Stanford	Peter Uihlein, Oklahoma State
2010	UCLA	Patrick Cantlay, UCLA
2011	USC	Steve Lim, USC
2012	UCLA	Rick Lamb, Tennessee



KEY ADMINISTRATORS



DAN GUERRERO

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR • UCLA '74 • 11TH YEAR

In just 10 years as UCLA's Director of Athletics, Daniel G. Guerrero has boldly placed his imprint on the school's athletic program.

Guerrero, one of the most influential, respected and talented administrators in intercollegiate athletics, was involved in the NCAA's negotiation of the new \$10.8 billion, 14-year NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament television package as well as the decision to expand the event to 68 teams. In addition, he served as the president of the the National Assn.

of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (NACDA) in 2011-12 and is a member of the BCS Athletic Directors Advisory Group, among several other committees.

In his 10 years as AD, Guerrero has clearly established a pattern of "image and substance" that few in his profession can match. UCLA's 108 NCAA team championships ranks No.1 in the nation. In Guerrero's tenure, UCLA teams have won a nation-leading 22 NCAA team titles in 12 different sports, finished second 18 times and have recorded an additional 38 Top Five finishes. More than 80% of UCLA teams have qualified for NCAA post-season competition and the football team has appeared in eight bowl games. The program has also won 51 conference championships in 15 different sports, produced nearly 500 All-Americans and featured four Honda Award winners, including the 2003-04 Collegiate Woman Athlete of the Year.

Furthermore, during the 2012 Summer Olympic Games in London, 34 Bruins participated as athletes or coaches, representing the United States and eight other nations. They won nine medals, including six gold.

In 2011-12 in NCAA competition, UCLA won its 108th NCAA title in women's volleyball, and nine teams finished among the Top 5 nationally. Men's water polo and women's tennis finished second, men's soccer, women's gymnastics, men's tennis and women's water polo captured third place, and men's golf and baseball each placed fifth. Bruin teams also won conference titles in men's soccer, women's gymnastics, baseball and men's and women's water polo. Finally, 80 student-athletes earned All-America honors and 89 were selected to various all-conference teams.

Guerrero came to UCLA in 2002 from UC Irvine, where he had served as UCI's fifth Director of Athletics for 10 years. Prior to arriving at UCI, he was the Athletic Director for five years at Cal State Dominguez Hills (1988-92). He received his Bachelor's degree from UCLA in 1974 and played second base in the Bruin baseball program for four years. Originally from Tucson, AZ, he is married to the former Anne Marie Aniello and they have two daughters: Jenna and Katie.



BOB FIELD

SR. ASSOCIATE ATHLETIC DIRECTOR • ARKANSAS '71 • 11TH YEAR

Bob Field is an associate athletic director and has served as a member of UCLA's athletic administration since January of 2001.

Field oversees men's and women's golf and women's rowing and serves as an aide to Dan Guerrero in all football matters. Field also oversees housing, parking, training table, video services, agent relations and coaches' development.

Prior to his switch to administration, Field spent 22 seasons as an assistant coach with the Bruin football team. He was the assistant head coach during his final five seasons (1996-2000) and served as defensive coordinator for 16 seasons (1982-95 and 1999-2000) while tutoring outside linebackers, place kickers and defensive backs at various times in his career.

Field has been at UCLA since 1978, with the exception of the 1980 season. Over the years, he tutored some of the top athletes in school history and crafted numerous defenses ranked in the Top 20 in various categories.

He began his coaching career under the legendary Bear Bryant at Alabama (1971-72) and moved to Mississippi State in 1973. During his five-year tenure at MSU, he coached the secondary and served as defensive coordinator in his final four seasons with the Bulldogs.

Field earned a Bachelor's degree in Science Education at Arkansas in 1971 and was named to the All-Southwest Conference Academic Team his senior year. Playing for Hall of Fame coach Frank Broyles, he was a three-year varsity letterman and two-year starter in the secondary. In his three varsity seasons, the Razorbacks were 28-5.

As a player and coach, Field participated in 20 bowl games, including one Orange, two Sugar, three Cotton, two Fiesta and five Rose Bowls. During his tenure at UCLA, the Bruins recorded eight consecutive bowl wins, eight straight wins over USC and won or tied for seven Pac-10 championships.

Field is married to Valerie Kondos Field, UCLA's women's gymnastics coach. He has three sons: Kyle, Brian and Michael. Brian and his wife Carmell have a daughter, Selah.

KEY ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT STAFF



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Steve Agee
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Pete Maglieri
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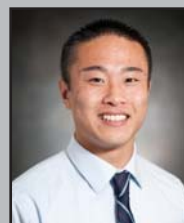
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