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Dear New Stevenson College Student:

On behalf of the faculty, staff and students, I want to congratulate you on your recent acceptance to UCSC and welcome you to your new home at Stevenson College.

As the Provost of Stevenson College, I am responsible for providing classes and academic activities to enrich the intellectual life at the college. I also oversee the academic advising staff who work with you to monitor your progress towards graduation and can assist you with choosing courses. In addition to my role as Provost for Stevenson College, I am also an Associate Professor of History and Co-Director of the Center for the Study of Pacific War Memories.

Founded in 1966, Stevenson is one of the first colleges at UCSC. We are located on a hill overlooking the beautiful Monterey Bay, close to restaurants and shops, library, pool, track, and gym. Our theme, "Self and Society," emphasizes the goals of both self-understanding and active participation in one's community. Our students' diverse backgrounds, perspectives and interests, our 2-quarter "Self and Society" core course, and our lectures and community events contribute to making Stevenson a stimulating environment. Your active involvement and leadership are important to this community and I hope that you will be able to take advantage of the many opportunities available to you while you are in residence. I hope you also will take time to join the faculty, staff and students in participating in the life of the college.

You should have received information about Summer Orientation. This special program is designed to assist you in selecting classes and to familiarize you with your college and the campus. You will be able to enroll in your fall classes during orientation and meet with your college academic advisers to learn about curriculum planning, academic resources, and services. For more information on orientation, go to: http://admissions.ucsc.edu/orientation/.

You also should have received information regarding University housing: <u>http://housing.ucsc.edu/guide/</u>. If you will be living on campus in the fall, your initial housing assignment will be sent to you in July. We look forward to meeting you at Summer Orientation in July and welcoming you to your new home in September.

Lastly, the Stevenson Advising Office will be sending you enrollment information in mid-June. It is important that you go through the materials to help you prepare for fall quarter.

Sincerely,

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