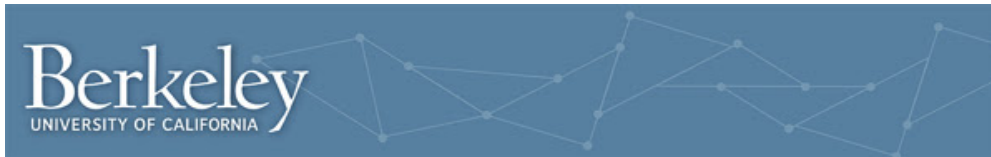

October 21 Town Hall to Discuss Planning for Phase 3 Research Recovery in Laboratory Buildings

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Dear Colleagues:

The Vice Chancellor for Research invites you to a town hall this coming **Wednesday, Oct. 21 from 4:00-5:00 p.m.** to provide information on the campus' plans for moving to Phase 3 in the research recovery process for experimental laboratory research buildings.

Given that Alameda County has recently moved to the [Orange Tier](#), and that our campus continues to have very few COVID-19 cases, we are exploring with the City of Berkeley the opportunity to take incremental next steps to increase density in our laboratory buildings. The proposed Phase 3 would allow for an optional .5 increase over current approved density in research laboratories, provided that physical spaces allow and health and safety measures can be maintained.

Speakers:

- **Randy Katz**, Vice Chancellor for Research
- **Susan Marqusee**, Research Recovery Committee; Professor, Molecular & Cell Biology and Chemistry
- **Guy Nicolette**, Assistant Vice Chancellor, University Health Services
- **Patrick Goff**, Executive Director, Environmental Health and Safety

At the town hall, leaders will discuss plans for how the campus would implement a modest increase in personnel density while maintaining health and safety, and will address questions and concerns you may have about on-campus research activities.

We hope you can join us on Wednesday, Oct. 21 from 4:00-5:00 p.m. via Zoom. [Add to your calendar](#) or save the webinar info copied below.

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