Dear Fellow Trojans:

As we say goodbye to another spectacular year for both USC and the Trojan Family, it’s time to reflect on the many accomplishments of the last 12 months.

This past spring, the Campaign for the University of Southern California crossed the $5 billion mark. Alumni have contributed $1.8 billion of this amount—nearly 40% of the total raised to date—in support of USC’s people and programs.

The 2015-16 academic year was also a resounding success for the USC Alumni Association (USCAA), which continued to engage the Trojan Family through programming, events and our new USC Fight Online mobile app. As always, the USCAA hosted hundreds of events and programs, while providing a wide array of benefits and services to more than 379,000 alumni worldwide.

We wish to sincerely thank the thousands of Trojans who support the university and the USCAA in so many ways—our colleagues, partners, staff and friends. We are truly grateful to Senior Vice President for University Advancement Al Checcio for his unwavering support. We also owe a debt of gratitude to Ramona L. Cappello ’81, chair of the USC Board of Trustees Alumni Affairs Committee, and USCAA Board of Governors President-Elect Rod Nakamoto ’83, MBA ’94, for their leadership and advocacy.

And thanks to you for continuing to help us support the advancement of our beloved alma mater.

Fight On!

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USC Day of SCupport

During the first-ever USC Day of SCupport on May 4, the USC community from around the world—alumni, parents, students, faculty, staff and friends—came together to demonstrate the loyalty and generosity of the Trojan Family.

Just before the stroke of midnight at the end of the USC Day of SCupport, we surpassed the 3,000-donor mark—making our inaugural USC Day of SCupport a great success, thanks to you.
The USC Alumni Association supports nearly 100 affiliated alumni organizations worldwide, including regional, alumnae (women’s), generational, affinity and school-based groups, and industry networks.

**Worldwide Regional Programs**

With 70 alumni clubs and chapters in major cities across the country and around the globe, Trojans everywhere are connecting at standout academic, cultural, philanthropic and social events.

**Half Century Trojans**

Revered across campus as the stewards of USC history and tradition, the Half Century Trojans strengthen the bonds that connect USC alumni across generations, while also providing scholarships to deserving USC students.

**Encore Trojans**

Encore Trojans, ranging in age from the mid-40s to 70, stay connected to each other and the university through social networking, profession-centered programming and service opportunities.

**Second Decade Society**

Now in its eighth year, the Second Decade Society provides alumni engagement programs geared to alumni ages 35-45.

**Young Alumni Council**

The Young Alumni Council offers events, webinars and career events tailored to alumni ages 35 or younger.

**Student Alumni Society**

The Student Alumni Society helps connect current USC students to the Trojan Family through events and programs, while members of the society’s leadership board, Society 53, serve as official ambassadors at university and USCAA events.

**Industry Networks**

**Trojan Entertainment Network**

Through professional, career-related, educational and social events, the Trojan Entertainment Network connects USC alumni who work in film, television, music, video games, sports, theater and digital to one another and to the university.
Affinity Programs

Alumnae Groups
The women of all generations who participate in the USC Alumni Association’s alumnae groups discover support and friendship through social and networking events, philanthropic projects and community involvement.

USC Asian Pacific Alumni Association (APAA)
The APAA connects and supports USC alumni of Asian Pacific origin/descent with the university and one another, lifelong and worldwide, through meaningful and relevant programs, many of which raise scholarship support for current USC students.

USC Black Alumni Association (BAA)
The BAA is an alumni leadership network established to strengthen the legacy of educational attainment and excellence among USC’s black students. It provides scholarship assistance, career mentoring and cultural advocacy through alumni volunteer involvement, philanthropy and social enterprise.

USC Lambda LGBT Alumni Association
USC Lambda connects lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and allied Trojans to each other and the university. Each year, it awards scholarships to students who demonstrate a dedication to LGBT issues, regardless of sexual or gender identity.

USC Latino Alumni Association (LAA)
The LAA is devoted to the academic advancement and development of Latino students attending USC. The association is made up of USC alumni, students and friends working together to provide support, leadership training, service opportunities and networking.

USC Alumni Veterans Network
The USC Alumni Veterans Network—open to all USC alumni who have served in our nation’s armed forces—strengthens the community of Trojan veterans through educational and service-oriented engagement.

Alumni Real Estate Network
The Alumni Real Estate Network connects Trojans who work in real estate through professional, career-related, educational and social events.

Alumni Education Network
The Alumni Education Network strengthens ties among education alumni, including those working in K-12, higher education, non-profits and policy-making.
Annual Events and Programs

USC Alumni Leadership Conference
On September 3-4, the USC Alumni Leadership Conference brought together nearly 300 volunteer leaders from across the university and around the world to examine and discuss alumni engagement, leadership and organization development.

Volunteer Recognition Dinner
On September 3, the USC Alumni Association honored 32 outstanding volunteers from alumni clubs and organizations throughout the university who have devoted their time and energy to serving USC.

Notre Dame Weekender
Hundreds of Trojans descended on Chicago and South Bend in October to root for the Trojans—one of five fun-filled away-game celebrations over the course of the 2015 Trojan Football season.

Reunion Weekend and Homecoming
Six generations of Trojans (undergraduate classes of 1965, 1975, 1985, 1990, 1995 and 2005) were welcomed back to Troy this fall to reconnect, rediscover and reunite for Reunion Weekend 2015, while the annual Homecoming celebration attracted more than 80,000 members of the Trojan Family to the University Park Campus.

The 2015 USC Global Conference/2015 International Alumni Leaders Symposium
The 2015 USC Global Conference drew more than 700 guests to Shanghai, China, in October to gain insights into "Innovations for a Rapidly Changing World." from leading global executives and academics. In addition, international alumni leaders attended the 2015 International Alumni Leaders Symposium in Shanghai to hear university updates and share best practices.
USC Alumni Day of Service
With more than 3,400 participants in more than 100 projects around the world, the 5th Annual USC Alumni Day of Service in March provided rich opportunities for alumni and friends to volunteer for local service projects organized by our USC alumni clubs, chapters and other affiliated groups.

Trojan Travel
Trojan Travel sponsored more than 40 trips in 2015-16, representing a wide array of top-notch travel programs designed for all members of the extended Trojan Family.

USC Women’s Conference
The 8th Annual USC Women’s Conference in March—“The Collective Wisdom of Role Models & Risk Takers”—brought together USC alumnae, parents, students, faculty, staff and friends for a memorable day of empowerment, inspiration and professional networking.

USC Alumni Awards
In April, the USCAA celebrated the accomplishments of seven exceptional Trojans at the 83rd Annual USC Alumni Awards. William J. Schoen ’60, MBA ’63 (front, second from left) received the evening’s highest honor, the Asa V. Call Alumni Achievement Award.

2015-16 USCAA Board of Governors
The USCAA Board of Governors provides critical advice and support in developing USCAA programs and services. Its members represent each of the USCAA’s major constituent groups, as well as all of the principal academic units of the university.