



THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

**Professors Emeriti Club**

**Emeriti**

**NEWSLETTER**

**No. 5 January 2019**

## **FROM A DISTINGUISHED INSIDER: BUILDING UTAH'S THIRD BRANCH OF GOVERNMENT**



We are pleased to announce that the **Honorable Christine Meaders Durham** will be the speaker at our **Wednesday, February 13 luncheon**. Justice Durham served on the Utah Supreme Court from 1982 to 2017 and as Chief Justice and chair of the Utah Judicial Council from 2002 to 2012. Before joining the Supreme Court, she was a practicing attorney in Utah and served on the state trial court. A native of California, Christine's family moved to Paris when she was a teenager, and she finished her schooling there. Returning to the U.S., Durham earned her A.B. with honors at Wellesley College and her J.D. at Duke University.

Justice Durham is an emeritus member of Duke's board of trustees, a past-president of the Conference of Chief Justices of the United States, and a former chair of the American Bar Association's Council on Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar. She was a founder of the Leadership Institute in Judicial Education and helped create and lead the Utah Coalition for Civic Character and Service Education. For many years she taught state constitutional law as an adjunct professor in the University of Utah's S.J. Quinney College of Law. In 2007 she received the William H. Rehnquist Award for Judicial Excellence. She now co-chairs Utah's Coordinating Committee on Access to Justice and the Utah Center for Legal Inclusion. She is also a member of the Board of Trustees of University of the People, an accredited tuition-free online institution. Pediatrician George Durham has been married to Christine since the late-1960s. Together they reared five children.

We look forward to a stimulating presentation and lively conversation with Justice Durham on February 13th!

### **Luncheon Menu**

**Wednesday, February 13, 12:15 p.m. Union Building, Saltair Room**

Reservations should arrive by mail or online by **February 6**.

Online with credit card at: <https://academic-senate.utah.edu/professors-emeriti-club>

By mail to **Carol Stenger**, 573 L St., Salt Lake City, UT 84103

See **page 5** for a reservation form

[Fifty-cent charge for credit card payment; this is equal to the price of a first-class stamp]

**Garden Salad**

**Meat Loaf with Gravy**

**Garlic Mashed Potatoes and Seasonal Vegetable**

**Apple Pie**

**Vegetarian Option: Vegetable Fritter with Roasted Onion Sauce**

**Fruit Plate Option**



**PIONEER  
THEATRE  
COMPANY**

**300 S. 1400 E. Salt Lake City, UT 84112**

**Box Office: 801-581-6961**

<http://www.pioneertheatre.org/2018-2019-season/>

**Emeriti Club Members** are entitled to a pair of **FREE** preview tickets. You may collect them in person from the **PMT** box office with your emeritus **UCard**.



### **Ticket Pickup (T/P) and Preview (P) Dates**

Please Note: PTC Preview performances are on Thursdays at **7:30 p.m.**

**Once**

T/P: Jan. 21, 2019

P: Feb. 14, 2019

**Sweat**

T/P: March 4, 2019

P: March 28, 2019

**Grease**

T/P: April 15, 2019

P: May 9, 2019

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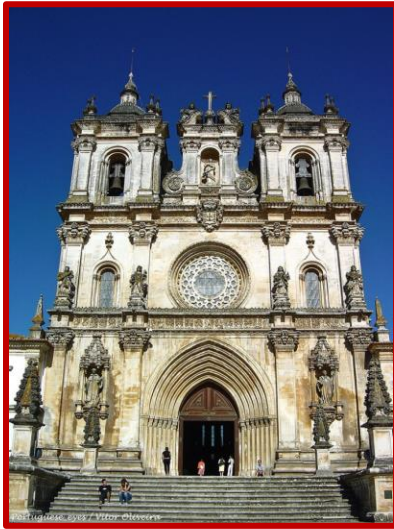
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~ New Year's Resolution: See the World! ~

## Portugal in Depth

10 - 21 April 2019



Our reserved space has now been released, but **if you decide you would like to join your Emeriti Club colleagues** on our super tour to Portugal this spring we would be happy to check availability for you. A few places were left last time we contacted Globus. FYI, the tour company is not allowing us any additional single rooms, **only double occupancy**. We therefore welcome couples, but **if you are without a traveling companion** and don't mind sharing, let us know and we can try to pair you with someone if at all possible. We never like to turn anyone away, Emeriti travelers, family and friends, new or returning, and will do our best to get you on board!

The official land cost for this tour is \$2,219, but **we are still able to get a 7.5% discount** for you until Jan. 29.

***Request a full itinerary! ~ Join your Emeriti colleagues for this wonderful Journey of Discovery!***

**Land:** ~~\$2,219~~ \$2,052 per person double occ.    **Air:** *working on it*

**Triple discount:** \$65 per person    **Final payment due:** Jan. 31, 2019

**Questions?** Call Michele, 801-582-2806; or Monica at Thomas Travel, 801-266-2775



## TOUR OF THE GEORGE S. AND DELORES DORE ECCLES THEATER

Tuesday, March 5, 2019, 10:00 a.m.

131 S. Main



Designed by world renowned architect, Cesar Pelli, and opened in 2016, the Eccles Theater is an exquisite jewel in downtown Salt Lake City. With 2,500 seats and a six-story grand lobby, the theater hosts national touring Broadway musicals, concerts and other popular entertainment events.

This is a unique opportunity for a guided tour of the theater including back stage. The Eccles Theater limits tours to 30 individuals but promises additional tours later as needed. **Registration will be on a first come first served basis. To register, email Julia Kleinschmidt, [julia.kleinschmidt@hsc.utah.edu](mailto:julia.kleinschmidt@hsc.utah.edu) and include the names of all attending and a telephone number. PLEASE NOTE:** 1) Eccles Theater's Community Outreach Director has warned that the tour will involve much walking. Please keep this in mind as you consider this activity. 2) If you sign up and then must cancel, contact Julia so that others can move up on the waiting list. 3) There is parking available at the Regent Street Garage and the City Creek Shopping Center, both close by.





## Happy New Year from the Emeriti Hiking Group

Join the mailing list, put on your snowshoes or microspikes, and enjoy our wonderful Wasatch Mountains. To subscribe to our mailing list email either [Suzanne.Stensaas@hsc.utah.edu](mailto:Suzanne.Stensaas@hsc.utah.edu) or Bill Gray, [cyberflora80@gmail.com](mailto:cyberflora80@gmail.com)

## PICKLE BALL ANYONE?

As noted in the December Newsletter, our Membership and Program Facilitator, **Ryck Luthi**, invites Emeriti Club members to learn and/or play Pickle Ball at **the Sports Mall** (5445 South 900 East, east side of the road) on specific Wednesdays from 11:00 a.m. to noon. The next play date will be **January 16**. He will verify you for a guest pass (your cost will be \$8 dollars). **Please let Ryck know if you can join him then or if you might be interested in future dates.** He's also happy to answer other questions. **Phone: 801-532-6464; email address: [ryckluthi@msn.com](mailto:ryckluthi@msn.com).**



## AN INVITATION TO EMERITI CLUB MEMBERS



Looking for a deeper connection with the Utah Museum of Fine Arts? **Join UMFA Art Lovers** and become part of a philanthropic community dedicated to elevating the Museum's mission of inspiring critical dialogue and illuminating the role of art in our lives.

Throughout the year, UMFA Art Lovers enjoy exclusive insider access to the Museum and participate in one-of-a-kind, art-centered experiences: private collection and studio visits, art destination travel opportunities, behind-the-scenes tours, and much more. All UMFA Art Lovers events are designed to engage the mind and ignite the senses – exactly what art is all about!

For more information about Art Lovers, or to join or enhance your current UMFA membership, visit [www.umfa.utah.edu/join](http://www.umfa.utah.edu/join), or contact Renee Fitzpatrick, phone: 801-585-7174 or email: [renee.fitzpatrick@umfa.utah.edu](mailto:renee.fitzpatrick@umfa.utah.edu).

## How Are You Coping?

In the December issue of the Emeriti Newsletter the club's leadership reflected on the extraordinary passage we are currently experiencing in our nation's history. **We then invited Emeriti Club members to tell us how you are responding to, and coping with, unprecedented political division and government gridlock.** What are you doing to heal our wounds? To advance civility?

## SELECT CAMPUS EVENT

Wallace Stegner Center; S. J. Quinney College of Law  
**Environmental Racism Lecture – Race, Place, and the Politics of Pollution**  
**January 31 at 12:00 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. S.J. Quinney College of Law Moot Courtroom (Level 6). Free Admission.**

"[Speaker] Robert D. Bullard is often described as the father of environmental justice. He is the former Dean of the Barbara Jordan-Mickey Leland School of Public Affairs at Texas Southern University 2011-2016. Professor Bullard currently is Distinguished Professor of Urban Planning and Environmental Policy. Prior to coming to TSU he was founding Director of the Environmental Justice Resource Center at Clark Atlanta University. ... In 2013, he was honored with the Sierra Club John Muir Award, the first African American to win the award. In 2014, the Sierra Club named its new Environmental Justice Award after Dr. Bullard."—College of Law Website.

### In Memoriam

**Gary M. Chan**  
Pediatrics  
December 9, 2018

**Susan L. Morrow**  
Educational Psychology  
December 22, 2018

**Noel de Nevers**  
Chemical Engineering  
January 4, 2019

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## LUNCHEON RESERVATION FORM

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Meatloaf \_\_\_\_\_ Veggie Plate \_\_\_\_\_ Fruit Plate \_\_\_\_\_  
Partner \_\_\_\_\_ Meatloaf \_\_\_\_\_ Veggie Plate \_\_\_\_\_ Fruit Plate \_\_\_\_\_  
Guest(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Meatloaf \_\_\_\_\_ Veggie Plate \_\_\_\_\_ Fruit Plate \_\_\_\_\_  
Number attending @ \$17.00 each \_\_\_\_\_ Luncheon \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Voluntary dues for 2018/19 - \$12.00 Single, \$24.00 Couple\* \_\_\_\_\_ Dues \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please check here if this is your first luncheon as a new member

**\*PLEASE NOTE: You may use either the paper form or the online credit card reservation site at any time to pay your dues, even if you are unable to attend the luncheon.**

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