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Sabrina Conza
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Dear Ms. Conza,

We are in receipt of your letter dated August 2, 2022, which outlined concerns held by the Foundation for Individual Rights and Expression about UC San Diego's upcoming Black, Latinx and Native American Family Orientation.

UC San Diego offers a variety of orientations for incoming undergraduate and graduate students, all of which are designed to facilitate a smooth transition into our campus community. The Black, Latinx and Native American Family Orientation is a voluntary program designed to share information about the UC San Diego student experience from a culturally informed lens. All students and their families are welcome to attend, subject to space availability. No UC San Diego student will be excluded from the Black, Latinx and Native American Family Orientation program, or any other university-sponsored event, on the basis of their race.

A workgroup met to review the registration form and website for the Black, Latinx and Native American Family Orientation for inclusive language. We have added clarifying language to ensure everyone feels welcomed to participate.

Warm regards,

Pradeep K. Khosla
Chancellor

cc: Alysson Satterlund, Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs