

Chancellor Julio Frenk
405 Hilgard Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90095

Dear Chancellor Frenk,

UCLA has long been a pillar of excellence, producing leaders whose influence has shaped not just athletics, but academia, culture, and society at large. From Nobel Prize–winning diplomat Ralph Bunche, whose vision for peace and justice carried him to the world stage, to Jackie Robinson, who broke baseball’s color barrier and forever changed America, to Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and Arthur Ashe, who stood as athletes, activists, and intellectuals. From the legendary Coach Wooden and his “Pyramid of Success,” to Troy Aikman’s move to UCLA and the era of dominance under Terry Donahue, the Bruins’ Legacy is both profound and unmatched.

This tradition is about more than winning championships. It is about setting standards of courage, integrity, and visionary leadership that inspire generations and place UCLA among the nation’s elite. That history demands excellence at every level of the university, particularly in positions of leadership that shape the trajectory of its athletic programs and cultural identity.

It is within this context that we must express deep concern with the current direction of UCLA Athletics under Martin Jarmond. Despite the resources, history, and opportunities at his disposal, Mr. Jarmond has not demonstrated the level of leadership or vision consistent with UCLA’s proud legacy. Rather than building on the foundations of greatness established by those before him, his tenure has fallen short of advancing UCLA to its rightful place among the nation’s premier programs.

UCLA deserves an athletic director who understands that this role is not merely about administration, but about stewardship of a legacy—one rooted in excellence, historic achievement, and national leadership. Unfortunately, Mr. Jarmond has not embodied these values, nor has he positioned UCLA Athletics to rise to the standard its history demands.

For UCLA to reclaim its rightful standing among the nation’s elite, new leadership is essential. A change at the top is necessary to reestablish the university’s commitment to excellence, both on and off the field, and to honor the enduring tradition of greatness represented by figures expressed earlier.

We urge you to consider this moment not just as an evaluation of one individual’s performance, but as a reflection on the future of UCLA Athletics and its role in carrying forward the extraordinary legacy of Bruins. The past shows us what is possible. The present demands decisive action so that the future can once again reflect the greatness that UCLA has always stood for.

This is bigger than any one of us. Former players have joined forces—through countless calls, texts, and meetings—to push this cause forward. We are united in our commitment to protecting the proud legacy of UCLA football and athletics

Below are the names and signatures (Petition) of former UCLA Bruin Football Alumni Players that are unified and support this decision:

Name	City	State	Postal Code	Country	Signed On
Nathan Fikse	Castle Rock	CO	92887	United States	9/26/2025
Will Peddie	Mission Viejo	CA	92691	United States	9/26/2025
Dylan Price	Newport Beach	CA	92663	United States	9/26/2025
Matt Ware	Queen Creek	AZ	85142	United States	9/26/2025
Kenneth Walker	Goodyear	AZ	85395	United States	9/26/2025
Cassius Marsh Sr	Los Angeles	CA	91364	United States	9/26/2025
Donovan Carter	Los Angeles	CA	90043	United States	9/26/2025
Brian Poli-Dixon	Plantation	FL	33324	United States	9/26/2025
Colin Samuel	Los Angeles	CA	90029	United States	9/26/2025
Alex Staff	Newport Beach	CA	92625	United States	9/26/2025
Richard Brehaut	Los Angeles	CA	90049	United States	9/26/2025
Alex Rassool	Los Angeles	CA	90291	United States	9/26/2025
Stan Jarvius Mckay	Costa Mesa	CA	92627	United States	9/27/2025
Rad Timber	Oakland	CA	94605	United States	9/27/2025
Aaron Wallace	San Diego	CA	92127	United States	9/27/2025
Ryan Schon	Hermosa Beach	CA	90254	United States	9/27/2025
Carl Hulick	Cool	CA	95614	United States	9/28/2025
A. Davis	Spencer	OK	73084	United States	9/28/2025
Daric Manser	Los Angeles	CA	90024	United States	9/28/2025
Brandon Breazell	Fresno	CA	93727	United States	9/28/2025
Aleksey Lanis	Fort Worth	TX	76244	United States	9/28/2025

Terrence Austin	Los Angeles	CA	90013	United States	9/28/2025
Aaron Perez	Hendersonville	TN	37075	United States	9/28/2025
Alberto Cid	Los Angeles	CA	91364	United States	9/28/2025
Tyler Ebell	Ventura	CA	93001	United States	9/28/2025
Jason Harrison	Queen Creek	AZ	85142	United States	9/28/2025
Jimmy Stephens	Redondo Beach	NY	11217	United States	9/28/2025
Chinonso Anyanwu	Los Angeles	CA	90043	United States	9/28/2025
Jarrad Page	Los Angeles	CA	91344	United States	9/28/2025
Darius Savage	San Diego	CA	92114	United States	9/28/2025
Lacy Westbrook	Norwalk	CA	90650	United States	9/28/2025
Micah Kia	Las Vegas	NV	89141	United States	9/28/2025
Carlo Valdes	Irvine	CA	92612	United States	9/29/2025
Glenn Love	Albuquerque	NM	87120	United States	9/29/2025
Kevin Prince	Nolensville	TN	37135	United States	9/29/2025
Mark Mangelsdorf	San Francisco	CA	63131	United States	9/29/2025
David Driesbach	Los Angeles	CA	90024	United States	9/29/2025
Chris Longo	Costa Mesa	CA	92626	United States	9/29/2025
James Cameron	Orange	CA	92869	United States	9/29/2025
M. P.	Los Angeles	CA	90042	United States	9/29/2025
Christian Reveles	La Puente	CA	91744	United States	9/29/2025
Russell Robinson	Chico	CA	95928	United States	9/29/2025
Marques Anderson	Long Beach	CA	90805	United States	9/29/2025
Sam Tai	Saline	MI	48176	United States	9/29/2025

Alexander Lee	Newport Beach	CA	92660	United States	9/29/2025
Bo Olorunfunmi	Aurora	CO	80019	United States	9/29/2025
Ed Ieremia-Stansbury	El Paso	TX	79932	United States	9/29/2025
Justin Fareed	Los Angeles	CA	91302	United States	9/29/2025
Dietrich Riley	Beverly Hills	CA	90212	United States	9/29/2025
Nathan Chandler	Escondido	CA	92026	United States	9/29/2025
Eric McNeal	Los Angeles	CA	90037	United States	9/29/2025
Josh Barut	Redondo Beach	CA	90278	United States	9/29/2025
Ryan Davis	Los Angeles	CA	90095	United States	9/29/2025
Neil Baffert	Manhattan Beach	CA	90266	United States	9/29/2025
Justin Martinez	Huntington Beach	CA	92648	United States	9/29/2025
Xan Cuevas	New York	NY	10038	United States	9/30/2025
Matt Lynch	Dallas	TX	75254	United States	9/30/2025
Cristian Garcia	La Habra	CA	90631	United States	9/30/2025
Damien Thigpen	Atlanta	GA	30328	United States	9/30/2025
John Young	Los Angeles	CA	91401	United States	9/30/2025
Jordan Barrett	Marina del Rey	CA	90292	United States	9/30/2025
Robert Chai	Los Angeles	CA	90017	United States	9/30/2025
Andrew Abbott	Long Beach	CA	90808	United States	9/30/2025
Roosevelt Davis	Huntington Beach	CA	92648	United States	9/30/2025