

Business Affairs Service Award Celebration and Dinner; Honoring our Staff on their Service Anniversary

On Thursday evening, February 6th, Business Affairs celebrated our long term employees, those with twenty or more years of service, with a sit down dinner for the employee and their guest. There were nineteen individuals who had reached this milestone in 2013 and almost all were able to attend the dinner and award ceremony held at Flemings Steak House at Stanford Shopping Center. The venue was decorated with red balloons with blinking streamers, there were centerpieces of red roses, and a wonderful four course meal was enjoyed by all attendees.

Randy Livingston was the host of this event and he had the following comments: *It is a long standing tradition at Stanford to honor our dedicated staff at 5 year increments.*

This evening I want to pay special tribute to those individuals who have achieved the milestone of 20, 25, 30 and 35 years of service. These staff members – you – are among those who have made Stanford the great university that it is today. Without you, the achievements our institution has made over the years would not have been possible. You have much to be proud of over your combined 515 years of service to Stanford.

We honored the following Business Affairs staff at this celebration:

20 Years of Service – hired in 1993

Susan Calandra, Financial Management Services

Manual (Manny) George, Research Financial Compliance & Services

Kevin Pryor, Administrative Systems

Rob Riepel, IT Services

Victoria Vargas, Research Financial Compliance & Services

25 Years of Service – hired in 1988

Tonya Jackson, Office of Sponsored Research

Joseph Riddle, Financial Management Services

Carol Swanson, Office of Sponsored Research

Tim Torgenrud, IT Services

Christine Wynkoop, IT Services

30 Years of Service – hired in 1983

Janis Carter, Financial Management Services

Paul Dellwo, RFCS

Daniel English, IT Services

Thomas (Tom) Goodrich, IT Services

Rosina Minjares, Financial Management Services

35 Years of Service – hired in 1978

Chris Canellos, Financial Management Services

John Childress, IT Services

Christine Gonzalez, IT Services

Dominga Zepeda, IT Services

At the end of the evening Randy told the audience; *This has been a remarkable evening and I am honored to have spent it in your company. Each one of you has given significantly to Stanford and to Business Affairs and I know you would not have been as successful as you have been without the support of your family and friends who have joined us tonight. I hope to see many of you at this dinner again in 5 years. I sincerely thank you for your service.*