



understanding human biology and rational drug design."

~ Erwin Neher, Nobel Prize in Medicine 1991

On Dec 15, 2014, at 9:52 AM, Mark Tramo MD PhD <[REDACTED]> wrote:

Dear iMABS Board Members, Colleagues & Friends,

I'm delighted to inform you that my colleagues and I at the University of California (including iMABS Board member John Iversen PhD) have been awarded a grant by the UC Office of Research & Grants to advance research and education at the interface of music, neuroscience and medicine across all UC campuses. The planning grant is designed to lay the foundation for a large, long-term grant to fund laboratory research and graduate student/post-doc training and education. The team includes PI Scott Makeig PhD and his colleagues Sarah Creel PhD and Dr Iversen at UCSD, Petr Janata PhD at UC Davis, Ramesh Balasubramaniam PhD at UC Merced, and me at UCLA. A couple of links with info appear below.

<http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu/press-room/uc-president-announces-10-million-research-awards-initiative-first-group-recipients>

<http://timesofsandiego.com/education/2014/12/10/ucsd-profs-receives-grant-study-musics-effect-brain/>

All the best this holiday season, with thanks for your support, teaching, and friendship,

Cheers,  
Mark

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----- Message from [mrider@arts.ucla.edu](mailto:mrider@arts.ucla.edu) -----  
Date: Mon, 15 Dec 2014 17:02:49 +0000  
From: "Rider, Martha" [REDACTED]  
Subject: RE: IMPORTANT TIME-TO-VOTE NOTICE  
To: "Tramo, Mark J." <[REDACTED]>

Dear Mark,

It opens up at noon.

Best,

Martha

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**From:** Mark Tramo MD PhD [mailto: [REDACTED]]  
**Sent:** Monday, December 15, 2014 8:55 AM  
**To:** Rider, Martha  
**Subject:** Re: IMPORTANT TIME-TO-VOTE NOTICE

Hi Martha -

I clicked on the link but there was no ballot or survey in MyUCLA

Mark

----- Message from [mrider@arts.ucla.edu](mailto:mrider@arts.ucla.edu) -----  
Date: Mon, 15 Dec 2014 16:29:38 +0000  
From: "Rider, Martha" [REDACTED]  
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## **IMPORTANT TIME-TO-VOTE NOTICE**

### **Proposal to Establish the UCLA Herb Alpert School of Music**

December 15, 2014

Faculty of Ethnomusicology, Music, and Musicology:

It is time to vote on the *Proposal to Establish the UCLA Herb Alpert School of Music*. Voting begins **today, MONDAY NOON, December 15, 2014** and ends **WEDNESDAY NOON, December 17, 2014**. To vote, go to <http://my.ucla.edu/directLink.aspx?featureID=136&surveyID=483> to log on and you will be directed to the ballot.

Your ballot is confidential; voting is being managed by an independent party, using a process designed to ensure confidentiality. Because votes must be tallied by appointment (Ladder, Lecturer, Adjunct), voting is being managed on a SURVEY site; don't let this confuse you. At the top of each page, you will see:

### **FACULTY BALLOT: Proposal to Establish the UCLA Herb Alpert School of Music.**

If you have any questions or concerns about the voting process explained above, please respond send an email to [REDACTED]

Note: You will be accessing the ballot via your UCLA Logon; if you have forgotten your UCLA Logon ID or Password, follow the easy instructions on <http://logon.ucla.edu/>.

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