What does Ted actually do?
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The topic of the Undergraduate Education newsletter for this month is something that many of you have been wondering for several years: What does Ted actually do? Continue reading here...

Extra Mile Award Nominee of the Month:
Esteban Adame
Esteban attended San Gorgonio High School in San Bernardino, CA prior to arriving at UC Santa Cruz. Click here to read more about him.

Renaming of Oakes College Provost House
The Oakes College Provost House is soon to be renamed in honor of founding provost J. Herman Blake. The ceremony is scheduled to take place on Tuesday, October 30 at 5:30 p.m. You can RSVP by October 22 here. Read more about the name change here.

Did You Know...?
...the origin of Halloween dates back to the ancient Celtic festival of Samhain? "This day marked the end of summer and the harvest and the beginning of the dark, cold winter, a time of year that was often associated with human death. Celts believed that on the night before the new year, the boundary between the worlds of the living and the dead became blurred. On the night of October 31 they celebrated Samhain, when it was believed that the ghosts of the dead returned to earth." Read more about its origins here.

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