SCHOOL OF ACCOUNTANCY

February 26, 2018, saw Framroze Virjee, president of California State University, Fullerton welcome an audience of more than 50 alumni and donors to CSUF’s Smart Giving in the New Tax Environment hosted by the Department of Accounting. Present were distinguished panelists from EY: Scott Jaconetty, Robert Kies, and Temple Turner, who expounded upon the implications of the Trump Tax Reform Act on charitable giving. Dean Morteza Rahmatian spoke to the group emphasizing why the Department of Accounting needed to be elevated to a school of accountancy. He outlined a plan of action for the year to raise $5 million for the school. Barry Gershenovitz then introduced the panelists who discussed the impact of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 on individuals and small business in Orange County. An upbeat audience heard how the new act was generally “friendlier” for charitable giving.

TOP 10 DISTINCTIONS of CSUF’s Accounting program

The School of Accountancy offers one of the largest undergraduate programs in the country with more than 1,400 enrolled accounting students. The school offers a world class curriculum taught by expert faculty that equips students with real world skills for advancing their careers. Listed here are the top 10 distinctions of CSUF’s accounting program:

1. One of approximately only 40 Schools of Accountancy in the country.
2. The only AACSB Accredited Program in Orange County.
3. The only Master of Science in Taxation program in Orange County.
4. One of only two schools in Southern California to host an annual SEC Hot Topics Conference.
5. The first in the country to sign an agreement with UiPath to introduce robotic process automation (RPA) in the curriculum.
7. Strong connections to the Profession and Accounting Industry.
8. Distinctive curriculum focused on incorporating cutting edge technology taught with industry experts, analytics, and real world practices.
9. The only program in Orange County to host an annual International Academic Conference.
10. The largest accounting program west of the Mississippi and the second largest program in the country.