

## Response to This Weekend's Tragic Events in Virginia

To the Jacobs School Faculty, Staff and Students,

As the UC San Diego Dean of Engineering, I add my strong support to the statement from the Chancellor regarding the terrible events in Virginia. I re-affirm that white nationalism, like all forms of identity-based hatred, have no place at the Jacobs School of Engineering. I encourage everyone to speak out against acts of bigotry, and I reiterate that hate-filled ideology is completely counter to our core values in the Jacobs School.

Below I am including the full response from campus.

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SUBJECT: Response to This Weekend's Tragic Events in Virginia

Like many of you, we the UC San Diego administration watched this weekend's horrific incidents unfold in Virginia with a mix of outrage, frustration and sorrow. We condemn this vile display of inhumanity, hatred and violence, extend our condolences to the family and friends of those who lost their lives and were injured, and stand in solidarity with our colleagues at the University of Virginia. We extend our support to all members of our campus community, particularly those who feel the impact of this hatred most acutely.

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