To All Faculty and Staff:

Dear Colleagues,

Our Fall 2010 Provost's Lecture Series will begin in September, as we host Dr. Bruce Alberts, whose lecture is entitled "Science and the World's Future," on Monday, September 13, 2010 at 4:00 PM in the Charles B. Wang Theatre.

Dr. Alberts is Editor-in-Chief of Science and Professor of Biochemistry and Biophysics at the University of California, San Francisco. Alberts served two six-year terms as President of the National Academy of Sciences, ending in 2005, and was instrumental in developing the landmark National Science Education standards that have been implemented in school systems nationwide.

Widely recognized for his work in the fields of biochemistry and molecular biology, Alberts has earned many honors and awards, including 16 honorary degrees. He currently serves on the advisory boards of more than 25 nonprofit institutions, among them the Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation, and Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory.

I invite you to attend this lecture, which is cosponsored by The Center for Science and Mathematics Education. Please pass along this information to any students or community members you feel may be interested in this special event. Seating for the lecture is limited and on a first come basis.

Eric W. Kaler
Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs.