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Spring 2020

MDC News



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Monday - Thursday: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Friday: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Location: Bell Tower 1530

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For all of our exciting events offered this semester use the link below or scan the QR code

<https://www.csuci.edu/mdc/spbrochure.pdf>



Welcome to Our Graduate Interns for Spring 2020



Hello everyone! My name is Stephanie Hauptman and I am one of the Graduate Assistants in the MDC. I am currently in the 2nd year of the Masters in Counseling and College Student Personnel at California Lutheran University. I started my college journey at Moorpark College and transferred to CLU for undergraduate. I am a first generation college student that was blessed with the help of some amazing mentors that helped guide me and cheer me on. Now I strive to give that back to the students I am able to work with. I look forward to meeting you all.

My name is Alicia Valdez and I am a Graduate Assistant at the MDC. I currently attend California Lutheran University (CLU) and I am in my third year of the Masters in Counseling and College Student Personnel program. I began my journey through higher education at Oxnard College where I was a student worker and a student athlete. I then transferred here to CSUCI where I was part of SSS and worked under MSAP and the Mini-Corps program. After taking a year off from school I decided to attend CLU to continue my education. Even though at times school can get overwhelming I find myself de-stressing and practicing self-care by spending time with my family and loved ones. I enjoy playing soccer, hiking, watching TV and going on trips with my family. As I reflect on my educational journey being a Latina and first-generation student I believe I owe my success to my family who always supported me even though they were not knowledgeable about the college process. In addition, I am thankful for my support system at school which included my academic advisors, mentors and supervisors. I am excited to be part of the MDC team and look forward to hearing your stories.



Hello CSUCI! My name is Czarina Gutierrez and I am a Graduate Assistant at the MDC. I am currently in my final year of the Master's Program for Counseling and College Student Personnel at California Lutheran University. I started my college career at California Lutheran University (CLU) where I earned my Bachelor of Arts in Communication. During my undergraduate career I was involved in TRiO Student Support Services, Residence Life, Latin American Student Organization (LASO), and worked as a Student Assistant in Disability Support Services. It was through these experiences that I found my passion for serving students. After graduating, I took a year off to grow professionally and began working with the transfer population at CLU. After some time off, I decided to return to school to further my education and experience. I am a first-generation college graduate and navigating higher education would not have been possible without the support of my family, friends, and mentors. When I am not working or doing homework, I enjoy spending time with my family and friends. I am a big Disney fan and love binge watching The Office. I am very excited to be a part of the MDC team and meet all of you!

2020 - 2021 SCHOLARSHIPS

Over \$680K Awarded in
Scholarships for 2019-2020

Apply from January 1
to March 2, 2020

Visit your myCI portal & click
the "CI Scholarships" link to apply.

Questions?

Email: scholarships@csuci.edu

(805) 437-8530



FINANCIAL
AID &
SCHOLARSHIPS
CHANNEL
ISLANDS

SAVE THE DATE FOR...

GRAD FEST

GRAND SALON

WED. MARCH 4 &
THUR. MARCH 5

10 A.M. TO 6 P.M.



 Channel Islands
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY

YOUR ONE-STOP SHOP FOR GRADUATION 2020

WANT TO BE A



Peer Education and Equity Programs (PEEP) is hiring for multiple student leadership positions for the Academic Year 2020-2021. PEEPs mentor CI students as well as local high school and community college students and their families. For more position details and application requirements, visit:

PEEP.CIKEYS.COM

PEER EDUCATION
& EQUITY PROGRAMS

The logo is a red circular emblem with a white border. Inside the circle, there is a stylized landscape with palm trees and a building. Below the landscape, the text "PEER EDUCATION & EQUITY PROGRAMS" is written in white. In the center of the circle, the word "PEEP" is written in large, bold, white letters. Below the word "PEEP", there are three stylized fish swimming to the right.

PEEP



**PRIORITY
DEADLINE**

**Friday,
March 6, 2020**

**FOR QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT PEEP AT
PEEP@CSUCI.EDU OR STOP BY THE PEEP SPACE
IN MADERA HALL 1900.**

Disability Statement: The University encourages persons with disabilities to participate in its programs and activities. If you anticipate needing any type of accommodation or have questions about the physical access provided, please contact Disability Resource Programs at (805) 437-3331 or accommodations@csuci.edu as soon as possible, but no later than 7 business days prior to the event.

African American Enrichment Academy Peer Mentor Position



**NOW
HIRING!**

Job Description

- African American Enrichment Academy (AAEA) is a program for local 10th-12th grade high school students to explore campus life and support their academic success
- Attend training for the role of Peer Mentor
- Serve as a positive role model and advocate to high-school migrant students
- Be a good listener and able to suggest positive solutions when conflicts arise
- Ability to work one-on-one with a student or small groups of students
- Attend and help facilitate all student workshops
- Facilitate study sessions, ice breakers and Peer Mentor break outs

Join the Team!

Hours per week: 20-40 hours

Salary Rate: \$13.00/hour

Dates: July 31-August 7

Apply through

[Dolphin Career Link](#)

Priority deadline to apply:

Friday, March 13

For questions or more information

please contact Leo Sun at

leo.sun@csuci.edu

(805) 437-2660



STUDENT
SUCCESS &
OUTREACH
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Summer Job Opportunity



NOW HIRING

Migrant Summer Leadership Institute

The Migrant Summer Leadership Institute (MSLI) at California State University Channel Islands (CSUCI) serves migrant students and parents across the State of California. Students attend a two-week program focusing on leadership, STEM, algebra, and writing activities for high school students. The institute helps to develop and infuse a university-going culture that addresses barriers to higher education for this population. In addition, students received one unit of collegiate academic credit for completion of the University 900 Leadership course during the institute.

- 24 Peer Mentor Positions
- June 29—July 25
- Residential Position
(Living on campus)

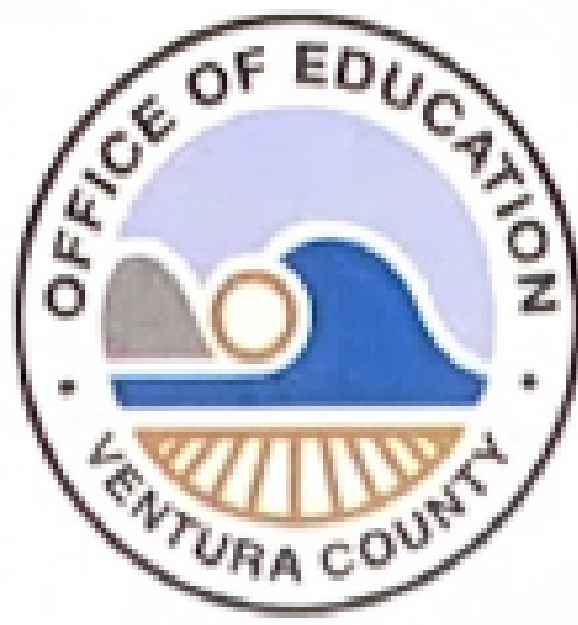
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For questions, please contact Leo Sun at leo.sun@csuci.edu or (805) 437-2660.

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Presented by:
Stanley C. Mantooth, Ventura County Superintendent of Schools

Coordinated by:
Special Populations Educational Support Department / Foster Youth Services
Comprehensive Health & Prevention Programs Department

Evidence Based Emotional Intelligence Teaching Tools: *Helping Students Live Their Best Lives*

Keynote Presenter:
D.R. “Jamie” McDermott, MPPA

Ms. McDermott received specialized training from the National Institute for the Clinical Application of Behavioral Medicine’s Treating Trauma Master Series in 2019. She has been committed to the study of trauma for many years and has direct experience in managing traumatic responses in juvenile halls and in the field through specialized training from the Department of Justice’s Federal Bureau of Investigation. As a member of a California Probation Department Management team, she designed, implemented and managed an award winning program that reduced violence and recidivism by employing the methodologies taught in this course. Ms. McDermott’s direct experience in the field adds immense value to the classroom learning environment.

**This workshop will expand upon ideas and conversations shared at the Special Populations Conference.
Both new and returning participants are encouraged to attend.**



“Made possible through the California Mental Health Services Act and Ventura County Behavioral Health.”

“Commitment to Quality Education for All”



March 19, 2020
8:30am – 3:00pm
Registration: 8:00am to 8:30am

**Ventura County Office
of Education**
**CONFERENCE & ADMINISTRATIVE
SERVICES CENTER**
5100 Adolfo Rd / Camarillo / 93012
(805) 437-1520

REGISTER HERE:
[HTTP://VCOE.K12OMS.ORG/1627-181866](http://VCOE.K12OMS.ORG/1627-181866)

Conference fee – \$100
No refunds.
Substitutions are accepted.
Continental breakfast and lunch will be provided.



Building Healthy Communities

Come hear from community members who are making a difference in Ventura County

FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 2020

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

VENTURA COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION
5100 ADOLFO ROAD, SALON A,B & C
CAMARILLO, CA 93010



KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Dr. Tony Iton is Senior Vice President of the California Endowment's Building Healthy Communities program. Dr. Iton is leading an effort to empower residents with the worst health outcomes to fight for changes in their communities that will help them lead healthier lives.

Creating change includes establishing connections between and among people; establishing relationships and building trust. Local, individual, organizational and community efforts have the power to affect positive change in the lives of Ventura County residents.

Join us as Dr. Tony Iton shares his message of resiliency and advocacy and inspires us to be part of the solution.



Anthony Iton, MD, JD, MPH

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Policymakers, Educators, Mental Health Professionals, Community-Based Organization Leaders, Health Care Professionals, Public Health Leaders, Planners & Transportation Professionals.



VENTURA COUNTY
PUBLIC HEALTH



VENTURA COUNTY
HEALTH CARE AGENCY



VENTURA COUNTY
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

Healthy, Safe & Supportive Schools The Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Youth

*Presented by Stanley C. Mantoath, Ventura County Superintendent of Schools
Coordinated by Comprehensive Health and Prevention Programs & Foster Youth Services Coordinating Program*

Nola Brantley Speaks has partnered with Ventura County Office of Education to bring "The Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Youth." This is an introductory course that provides an overview of commercial sexual exploitation. The training will discuss risk factors for involvement in CSEY, warning signs that youth may be involved in CSEY, pathways of entry, needs of CSEY survivors, and resiliency factors. This training is essential for social workers, probation officers, psychologists, clinicians, advocates, teachers, school administrators and school counselors who work with at-risk youth.

Participants will be able to:

- Define CSEY
- Identify at least 3 examples of CSEY
- Increase ability to identify youth as CSEY
- Describe the emotional, spiritual, physical, and social impact of CSE
- List at least 3 needs of youth involved in CSE

Tuesday, April 21, 2020

8:30 am - 3:00 pm

Ventura County Office of Education
5100 Adolfo Road Camarillo, CA 93012
Conejo Room (upstairs)

Register at: <http://vcoe.k12oms.org/1616-178999>

\$75.00 registration fee includes breakfast, lunch and materials

Deadline to register is Thursday, April 16, 2020.

If you have questions about the training, contact (805) 437-1370



Made possible through the Mental Health Services Act and Ventura County Behavioral Health.

- *The School of Education presents* -

The 12th annual



Belonging Matters:

“Building Connections, Coalitions,
and Curricula for Human Beings”

Visit go.csuci.edu/soju to register for this free event
and for information about how to submit a proposal to present



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To register, scan code at left
or visit us online at:

go.csuci.edu/soju

SAT, APR. 25, 2020

8am-2pm CSU Channel Islands | Grand Salon

Bible Studies

Bible Studies are a great way to learn more about who Jesus is. My hope is that these meetings can be places of fun, discovery, and perspective-challenging to you.

Here are the different studies we have going on...

Tuesday Bible Study

10:30am ~ 2nd Floor SUB

Contact: Nathan (805) 791-1724

Wednesday Bible Study Study

3pm ~ North Quad Grass

Contact: Ivan (805) 832-5756

Thursday Bible Study Study

7:30pm ~ Anacapa Commons

Contact: Ruthie (916) 600-7319

Wednesday Catholic Bible Study

2:30pm ~ 2nd Floor SUB

Contact: Paulina (714) 425-9940

Prayer Meetings

Come participate in the blessing of conversation with the Creator of our world

Monday at 5pm ~ Central Mall

Tuesday at 1pm ~ Central Mall

Friday at 1pm ~ Central Mall

Si usted ganó menos de \$56,000 en 2019, califica para

Preparación y Declaración de Impuestos **GRATIS**

Para hacer una cita

Llame al 2-1-1
al partir de 1/21/2020

*Usted puede calificar para un **Crédito por Ingreso del Trabajo estatal*** y federal.*

*Trabajadores autónomos y familias que ganan hasta \$30,000 ahora son elegibles para el crédito CalEITC

Abierto 1 de febrero al 2 de mayo, 2020

Qué debe llevar:

- Tarjeta de Seguro Social o número ITIN para cada miembro de la familia
- Formularios W-2 para cada trabajo que tuvo en 2019
- Formularios 1099 para otros ingresos recibidos
- Identificación con foto de cada adulto declarando
- Su declaración de impuestos del año 2018
- Un cheque anulado para el depósito directo de su reembolso
- Información de su proveedor de cuidado infantil: nombre, dirección e identificación fiscal (si está disponible)
- Formulario 1095-A, si aplica

Sitios:

- America's Job Center – East County**, 2900 N. Madera Road, #100, Simi Valley
- America's Job Center – Oxnard**, 2901 N. Ventura Road, 3er piso, Oxnard
- CLU – Oxnard Campus**, 2201 Outlet Center Drive, #600, Oxnard
- Oxnard College – Room OE2**, 4000 S. Rose Avenue, Oxnard
- City of Ventura Housing Authority**, 375 E. Thompson Blvd, Ventura
- Many Mansions – Hillcrest Villas**, 2726 E. Hillcrest Drive, Thousand Oaks
- Moorpark College – Technology Building**, 7075 Campus Road, Moorpark
- Ventura College – Santa Paula**, 957 Faulkner Road, Santa Paula
- Ventura Community Service Center**, 4651 Telephone Road, #200, Ventura

Aquellas personas que son cómodas con las computadoras y tienen ganancias de hasta \$66,000 pueden presentar sus impuestos en línea de forma gratuita en www.myfreetaxes.org



La Coalición "Financial Empowerment Partnership" del Condado de Ventura es una colaboración comunitaria patrocinada por el United Way of Ventura County, County of Ventura Human Services Agency, y el IRS.

12/2019

If you earned under \$56,000 in 2019, you are eligible for

FREE Tax Prep & Filing

To schedule
your appointment,
Call 2-1-1
beginning
1/21/2020

You may qualify for the state* & federal
Earned Income Tax Credit.

*Self-employed workers & families earning wages up to \$30,000 are now eligible for the CalEITC

Open February 1 – May 2, 2020

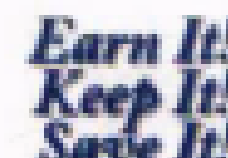
What to bring:

- Social Security card or ITIN for each family member
- W-2 forms for all jobs worked in 2019
- All 1099 forms for other income
- Picture I.D. for each adult filing
- 2018 tax return
- Canceled check for direct deposit of refund
- Child Care provider information: name, address, and Tax I.D. (if available)
- Form 1095-A, if applicable

Locations:

America's Job Center – East County, 2900 N. Madera Road, #100, Simi Valley
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Those who are computer savvy and have earnings up to \$66,000 may file their taxes online for free at: www.myfreetaxes.org



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Thinking about a job or internship?

Resume Day With Jake is an opportunity to utilize free resources to help you create a career path for after graduation!

Why do you need a resume?

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DOR Meeting
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**DASS OFFICE
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2ND FLOOR
2:00-3:00 PM**

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PATH Letter By Leticia Cazares

March 2020

PATH students I hope your semester is going well! Just a few reminders: Note Spring Break is taking place March 23-27, 2020. The Multicultural Dream Center will be open 8am-5pm for this week. If you have yet to schedule your semester check-in please do so as soon as possible.

TO SCHEDULE YOUR 1:1 APPOINTMENT GO TO:

<https://go.oncehub.com/LeticiaCazares>

PATH STAFF



Precious Becerra

PATH Student Assistant
Psychology
Spring 2020



Leticia H. Cazares, M.S.

Coordinator of PATH
(805) 437-3528
leticia.cazares@csuci.edu



Andi Garcia

PATH Student Assistant
Liberal Studies & Spanish
Spring 2021

PATH STUDENTS NEED A TEXTBOOK?

**THE FOLLOWING
BOOKS CAN BE
CHECKED OUT AND
USED IN THE MDC**

**5TH EDITION – RESEARCH METHODS AND STATISTICS: A
CRITICAL THINKING APPROACH ISBN-13: 978-1-305-25779-5**

MODERNISM THE LURE OF HERSEY

PERSPECTIVES ON ANIMAL BEHAVIOR ISBN 978-0-470-04517-6

ADOLESCENCE 16TH EDITION ISBN 978-0-07-811718-3

PERSONALITY THEORY ISBN 978-0-19-543020-2

RAIN ON A TIN ROOF



Did you know?

You could receive hundreds or thousands of dollars in a tax refund if you file your taxes?



California Earned Income Tax Credit

Transition age youth ages 18+ who are working can receive additional cash back in their pockets through a tax credit called the **California Earned Income Tax Credit (CalEITC)**.

There is **\$1 billion in cash on the table** for the CalEITC this upcoming tax year which California working individuals and families can receive through tax refunds. To get the cash back credit, you must file taxes.

- If you made less than \$30,000 in 2019, you could be eligible to receive up to **several hundreds of dollars back!**
- If you're a young parent with a child younger than 6 and made less than \$30,000, you could receive up to **several thousands of dollars back!**

Find out how much you could qualify for below and talk to your social worker, counselor or mentor to get connected to **FREE tax prep services** to file your taxes and claim the credit.

Am I eligible? You must:

- Be age 18 or older
- Earn less than \$30,000 in 2019
- Have a social security number
- Have lived in California for more than half of 2019

Number of Children	Maximum Income	CalEITC (Up to)	Federal EITC (Up to)	Young Child Tax Credit (if you have a child younger than six in 2019)
None	\$30,000	\$240	\$529	\$0
1	\$30,000	\$1,605	\$3,526	\$1,000
2	\$30,000	\$2,651	\$5,828	\$1,000
3 or more	\$30,000	\$2,982	\$6,557	\$1,000

Didn't file taxes or claim the EITC the last three years? That's ok! You can still file or amend your taxes to get that money back!

Helpful Resources

- Claiming the CalEITC Guide for Transition-Age Youth <https://www.jbaforyouth.org/cal-eitc-guide/>
- CalEITC4Me-includes calculator & FREE tax prep services <https://caleitc4me.org/>
- IRS Free Tax Prep Help <https://irs.treasury.gov/freetaxprep/>



As a **foster youth**,
filing taxes seemed
complicated.

But after my
social worker
connected me to
**free tax prep
services**,
I found out

**I'M GETTING HUNDREDS
OF DOLLARS BACK IN
MY TAX REFUND.**




SCAN ME

Don't leave money on the table.
Get free tax prep today!

**California Earned Income Tax Credit =
\$\$ Money Back in Your Pockets**

www.jbaforyouth.org/cal-eitc-guide/





As a **foster youth with a young child**, filing taxes seemed complicated.

But after my social worker connected me to **free tax prep services**, I found out

**I'M GETTING OVER
\$1000 BACK IN
MY TAX REFUND!**



SCAN ME

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SPECIAL ALERT

STATE OF
CALIFORNIA




Update from the California Student Aid Commission

January 10, 2020

GSA 2020-02

TO: Financial Aid Administrators
Chafee Coordinators

FROM: Catalina G. Mistler 
Deputy Director, Program Administration & Services Division

SUBJECT: Chafee Update – Senate Bill (SB) 150

On October 4, 2019, Governor Gavin Newsom signed SB 150 (Beall, Chapter 525, Statutes of 2019) into law. This Special Alert announces the following updates related to the administration of the Chafee Educational Training Voucher (Chafee Grant) program. Bills signed during the legislative session, unless otherwise specified, take effect beginning January 1 of the next year.

Among other provisions, SB 150 relaxes the Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) requirements for foster youth who qualify for Chafee Grants. Below is a brief summary of the changes to Chafee administration included in SB 150. For additional detail, please see the full text of [SB 150](#).

Campuses with Chafee Grant recipients will be required to implement the requirements in SB 150 that are related to SAP. The process to request awards and to certify eligibility will remain unchanged.

Beginning January 1, 2020, SB 150 requires public colleges and universities to make the following changes to the Chafee Grant Program:

- Imposes certain requirements on a student who fails to demonstrate SAP as defined by the institution where the student is enrolled, to maintain Chafee grant eligibility.
- Takes away Chafee Grant eligibility from students who fail to demonstrate SAP as specified.
- Requires public institutions to provide an appeal process in writing and reinstate the student's Chafee Grant when certain conditions are met.
- Requires that a student who loses Chafee eligibility and subsequently is not enrolled for one or more terms shall regain eligibility upon reenrollment.
- Requires the California Community Colleges (CCC) and the California State University (CSU), and requests the University of California (UC), to provide all Chafee grant recipients, upon release of the first payment, with information regarding available support services on campus and the process for completing an educational plan. The notification must strongly encourage Chafee grant recipients to utilize those services.

- Consistent with federal law; limits Chafee award eligibility to 5 years, which are not required to be consecutive.
- Prohibits institutions from requiring any other eligibility criteria for a Chafee grant than those described in this bill and in specified federal law.

Need to contact us?

- Student Support phone number: (888) 224-7268, option 3
- E-mail: Chafee@csac.ca.gov

Working together to effectively promote education beyond high school!

Facts About California's New Rules Regarding the Chafee Education and Training Voucher (Senate Bill 150)

Effective January 1, 2020, California adopted new rules regarding the distribution process and eligibility requirements for the Chafee Education and Training Voucher program. Provided below is an explanation of the pertinent provisions of the bill (SB 150) that enacted these changes.

WHAT IS THE CHAFEE EDUCATION AND TRAINING VOUCHER?

The Chafee Education and Training Voucher (Chafee ETV) is administered by the California Student Aid Commission and provides financial assistance for current and former foster youth attending college. Students who were in foster care after the age of 16 can receive up to \$5000 annually for up to five years or until age 26 while enrolled in a post-secondary education or training program.

WHAT DID SB 150 CHANGE ABOUT THE PROGRAM?

SB 150 included the following provisions.

- Beginning with the 2021/2022 award year, CSAC is authorized to award up to 200% of the Chafee ETV allocation amount during the first award cycle, allowing a greater number of students to receive funds at the beginning of the school year, when funds are needed the most.
- The bill replaces the Chafee ETV's existing satisfactory academic progress (SAP) requirements with more flexible standards and requires each school to offer an appeal process that accounts for the unique circumstances of foster youth.
- Colleges are required to provide grant recipients with information about support services available on campus with their first grant payment.

WHAT ARE THE NEW SAP STANDARDS?

If a student fails to demonstrate SAP, as defined by the institution where the student is enrolled, for two consecutive semesters (or equivalent enrollment), the student may continue to receive a Chafee ETV grant but must meet with an appropriate college staff member to develop a plan for improving academic progress in order to receive their remaining Chafee ETV grant funds.

If a student subsequently fails to meet SAP standards for a third consecutive semester (or equivalent) the student must meet with an appropriate college staff member to

update their plan in order to receive their remaining Chafee grant funds.

A student who fails to update their plan or who fails to meet SAP for a fourth semester (or equivalent) loses eligibility for subsequent awards but may appeal to retain eligibility.

WHAT NEW APPEAL REQUIREMENTS MUST BE PUT IN PLACE?

Colleges must update their appeal processes to include the following provisions:

- A student who loses eligibility may appeal the loss of the Chafee ETV grant during any subsequent term following the loss of eligibility.
- Institutions must provide a student written notice of the process for appealing the loss of a Chafee ETV grant.
- In reviewing the appeal of a student, institutions must automatically reinstate a student's Chafee ETV eligibility if one of the following applies:
 - The student achieves either a 2.0 GPA during the previous term or a cumulative GPA of 2.0.
 - The student demonstrates the existence of an extenuating circumstance that impeded successful course completion in the past but that has since been addressed such that the student is likely to demonstrate satisfactory academic progress in the future.
 - The student provides evidence of engagement with a supportive program, either on or off campus, that is assisting the student to make continued academic progress.

WHAT HAPPENS IF A STUDENT LEAVES SCHOOL AND RE-ENROLLS?

Under SB 150, a student who loses Chafee ETV eligibility due to SAP who disenrolls for one or more terms regains eligibility for a Chafee ETV grant upon reenrollment.



California State University

PROMOTING ACHIEVEMENT THROUGH HOPE

CHANNEL ISLANDS

PATH Pass (Freshmen/Sophomore)

Student Name _____ ID #: _____

In order for PATH students to stay active and eligible with the program, they must complete the following requirements each semester. First, print this pass, then follow the outlined number list below:

1. Schedule a one-on-one appointment to meet with Leticia, email her at leticia.cazares@csuci.edu or call (805) 437-3923 to schedule your appointment.
2. You will need to meet with an academic advisor or set up a Zoom virtual teleconference, if you are a freshmen or sophomore to plan your Fall schedule. Please call their main line to schedule your appointment at (805) 437-8571. If you are part of any other support program such as the Educational Opportunity Program (EOP) or Student Support Services (SSS), this requirement does not mean that you have to meet with an academic advisor twice; you will just print out your PATH Pass and the Gold Card for EOP or the Priority Pass for SSS. Then you can have the same academic advisor sign off both documents.
3. You will need to fulfill each item outlined in a and b:
 - a. Attend one event hosted by the Multicultural Dream Center (MDC).
 - b. Attend one CI Event taking place on or off campus. Again, if you are part of EOP or SSS you may count one of the workshops or cultural events that you are already fulfilling for that program to fulfill this area.

Keep in mind that you can begin to schedule your 1:1 meeting with Leticia, as soon as possible, and you can complete the items below in any particular order. Prioritize your time and don't wait till the last minute.

1. One-on-one meeting with PATH Coordinator (PATH Center 805-437-3923):

Date _____ Signature _____

2. Academic advising session or Zoom-Virtual teleconference (Advising Center 805-437-8571):

Date _____ Signature _____

3. Attend one (1) event hosted by MDC. Please review the monthly newsletter for a list or check with the MDC staff, and attend one (1) CI Event.

a. Event hosted by MDC: _____

Representative Signature: _____ Date: _____

b. CI Event Name: _____ Department: _____

Representative Signature: _____ Date: _____

This completed pass is due in the Multicultural Dream Center (MDC) by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, May 4th, 2020



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PATH Pass (Junior/Senior)

Student Name _____ ID #: _____

In order for PATH students to stay active and eligible with the program, they must complete the following requirements each semester. First, print this pass, then follow the outlined number list below:

1. Schedule a one-on-one appointment to meet with Leticia, email her at leticia.cazares@csuci.edu or call (805) 437-3923 to schedule your appointment.
2. You will need to meet with your major department chair if you are a junior or senior to plan your Fall schedule. Please refer to the academic programs page on the main CI home page. If you are part of any other support program such as the Educational Opportunity Program (EOP) or Student Support Services (SSS), this requirement does not mean that you have to meet with the department chair twice; you will just print out your PATH Pass and the Gold Card for EOP or the Priority Pass for SSS. Then you can have the same individual sign off both documents.
3. You will need to fulfill each item outlined in a and b:
 - a. Attend one event hosted by the Multicultural Dream Center (MDC)
 - b. Attend one CI Event which can be any event taking place on campus. Again, if you are part of EOP or SSS you may count one of the workshops or cultural events that you are already fulfilling for that program to fulfill this area.

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1. One-on-one meeting with PATH Coordinator (MDC Center 805-437-3923):

Date _____ Signature _____

2. Major department advising session (refer to your major department):

Date _____ Signature _____

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SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Music forward is excited to offer 4 \$10,000 scholarships and we are especially excited about the one specifically for college junior and seniors that have experienced foster care or homelessness. Please take a look at our website and pass the info along to any young people that qualify.

CLICK THE LINK BELOW FOR MORE INFO

<https://hobmusicforward.org/programs/scholarships/>



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Stanley C. Mantooh, County Superintendent of Schools

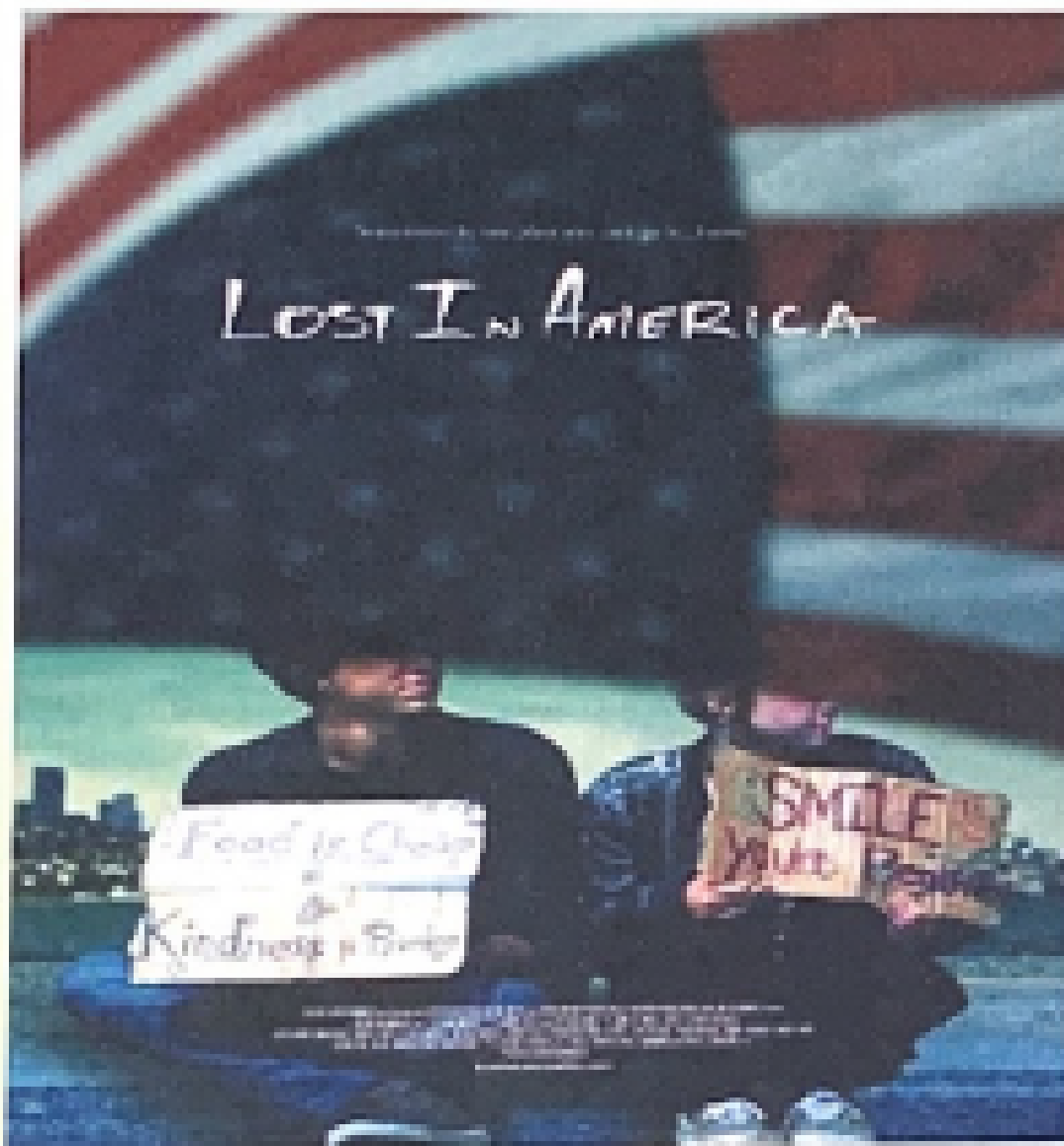


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Tutoring Homeless Children Since 1993



“Lost in America”

Film Screening



REGISTRATION IS OPEN!

<http://vcoe.k12oms.org/1627-181568>

March 4, 2020

Check In: 3:30 to 3:50

Screening will start at 4:00 PM

**Ventura County
Office of Education
Ventura Room
5100 Adolfo Road • Camarillo**

“Lost in America” is a feature documentary on the issue of youth homelessness in America. This film by director Rotimi Rainwater, a former homeless youth and his team traveled the country to shine a light on the epidemic of youth homelessness in the United States. It investigates the reasons youth become homeless, the challenges they face while on the streets and the possible ways to help them find homes and get off the streets for good.

Issues highlighted include human trafficking, the foster care system, youth rejected because of their sexuality, domestic violence, abuse, and more.

The film includes appearances by singers Jon Bon Jovi and Jewel, actors Halle Barry and Rosario Dawson and US Senator Patrick Leahy



ADVOCATING FOR CHILDREN IN YOUR CARE



As a caregiver of a child in the foster care system, there is a lot of support and many resources available to you!

This brand new mini-series will walk you through some areas to help you identify and advocate for services that will benefit your whole family.

This three-part series will explore:

- Identifying & managing in-home and out of home support services
- Effectively working with Schools
- Creating positive visitation experiences

3 Wednesdays 6-8PM
Feb 19 & 26, Mar 4

(please plan to attend all!)

Rise Church
2572 Barry St, Camarillo

Receive a certificate for 6 hours of training upon completion of the series.

Steps To Register:

1. Email Leticia at leticia_sandoval1@vcccd.edu
2. Write "Advocating for Your Child" in the Subject Line
3. Indicate if you are a foster, resource or kinship provider.



Presented by Renee Cervantez

Renee Cervantez has recently joined the FKCE Training Team! Renee is a Ventura native and lives in Ventura County with her husband and three children, along with 2 dogs, 1 cat and 2 fish! Renee and her husband are a Resource Family Approved Home, first becoming foster parents in 2015. They have been blessed by adoption 3 times and each of their kiddos brings a special piece to their home.

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Free! **EDUCATIONAL
CHAMPION TRAINING**

Presented by Laura Welbourn & Joanna Della Gatta

**WED & THURS, APRIL 15 -16, 2020
4-7:30PM**

**Volunteers needed to advocate for foster
youth educational needs!**

When a child in foster care does not have a viable adult in their life to support, advocate, and remove barriers to his or her education, the court must appoint a responsible adult to carry out these duties.

Ventura County has a need for volunteers who are willing to be assigned education rights for one or more children in foster care.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Foster parents, mentors, and other committed volunteers who would like to help a child in foster care navigate the education system, need training hours, or just want to learn more about becoming an "Education Rights Holder".

Participants will receive a certificate for 7 hrs of training upon completion.

**VENTURA COUNTY COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION
CONFERENCE & EDUCATIONAL SERVICES CENTER
5100 ADOLFO RD, CAMARILLO**

***DINNER INCLUDED**

For more information, please contact Laura Welbourn
Tel: (805) 437-1525; Email: lwelbourn@vcoe.org

**DEADLINE APRIL 14th
TO RSVP
<https://bit.ly/2Tc0Wob>**



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MAR/WOC Letter

By Natalie Johnson

March 2020

I would love to meet with you to inform you of our new services and to catch up. To book an appointment with me please go to the link below.

<https://go.oncehub.com/NatalieJohnson>

MAR/WOC STAFF



Natalie Johnson, M.Ed.
Coordinator of Underrepresented
Student Initiatives



Emily Quiñonez
Political Science, Anthropology, &
Chicanx Studies
Spring 2022



Megan Keleta
Health Science major & Psychology
minor
Spring 2021

Woman of Color Peer Mentoring Program Spring 2020 EVENTS

February

20 | Training

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Bell Tower 1568

27 | Social

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Bell Tower 1462

March

05 | Women's History Month Social

MDC Space

12 | Mixer

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm

Broome 1320

13-14 | Retreat

4:15 pm - 5:15 pm

Off campus

18 | Women's Recognition luncheon

11:30 am-1:30pm

Grand Salon

April

21 | Training

4:30 - 5:30 pm

Bell Tower 1568

30 | Closing ceremony

4:30 pm -5:30 pm

To be determined

Woman of Color

Peer Mentoring Program Spring 2020 EVENTS

February

27 | Social

- 4:00 - 5:30 pm @ Bell Tower 1462

March

05 | Social

- 4:15 - 5:15 pm @ MDC

13-14 | Retreat

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April

13 | Closing Ceremony

- 4:30 - 5:30 pm to be determined

M.A.R. Program

Spring 2020 EVENTS

February

07 | MAR/PATH Retreat

2:30 pm - 6:00 pm @ Boating Center

10 | Immigration Legal Services Workshop: Federal Updates

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm @ Bell Tower 1422

March

09 | Immigration Legal Services Workshop: Immigration Relief

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm @ Bell Tower 1471

17 | Undocumented Workshop: Farm Workforce Modernization Act

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Bell Tower 1568

April

10 | MAR Social

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm @ MDC

13 | Immigration Legal Services Workshop: Citizenship

1 pm - 2 pm @ Bell Tower 1422

23 | Mental Health & Immigration

4:00 pm - 5:30 pm @ Grand Salon

27 | Undocumented Workshop: Know Your Rights

1 pm - 2 pm @ Bell Tower 1568

May

14 | Undocumented Student Stoling Ceremony

4:30 - 5:30 pm @ Petit Salon



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JANUARY 21
Know Your Rights

February 10
Federal Updates

March 9
Immigration Relief

April 13
Citizenship

IMMIGRATION LEGAL SERVICES WORKSHOPS

SPRING 2020 **UNDERREPRESENTED** **STUDENT INITIATIVES**

Direct immigration legal services and workshops are available free of charge to CSU students and employees.

Attorneys and paralegals are available to assist students with general consultations, DACA renewals and general assistance in filling out forms such as family-based petitions. This project aims to serve undocumented students, students with immigration questions, staff and faculty.

Book one on one meetings with the attorney here:

<https://go.oncehub.com/ImmigrationLegalServices>

WORKSHOPS ARE EVERY SECOND MONDAY FROM 1- 2 P.M. BELL TOWER 1422.

RSVP for Workshops Here:

https://csuci.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_bQT345hvwJ3bPmd

For more information about the services contact Natalie Johnson at natalie.johnson@csuci.edu or by phone at 805-437-3667

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UNDOCUMENTED STUDENT ALLY TRAINING

2019-2020

In Person RSVP Link:

https://csuci.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_ekx86lF8sVZVn2l

Bronze Online Link:

<https://cilearn.csuci.edu/enroll/9EB6B7>

Bronze Ally Training

10 a.m. to noon

Wednesday, October 23
Solano 2210 (ELD)

Thursday, March 19
Bell Tower 1611

Silver Ally Training

10 a.m. to noon

Thursday, November 21
Bell Tower 1302

Tuesday, March 3
Bell Tower 1310

Friday, April 10
Bell Tower 1302

Gold Ally Training

10 a.m. to noon

Friday, February 14
Bell Tower 1302

**THIS TRAINING IS OPEN TO FACULTY,
STAFF AND STUDENT EMPLOYEES.**

For more information contact Natalie Johnson at natalie.johnson@csuci.edu or at 805-437-3667.



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Immigration Legal Services

FREE DACA RENEWALS

GET A FREE LEGAL CONSULTATION AND DACA APPLICATION PREPARATION WITH ATTORNEY REPRESENTATION. THOSE WHO QUALIFY MIGHT BE ABLE TO GET THEIR FILING FEE COVERED.

Book Appointment Here:

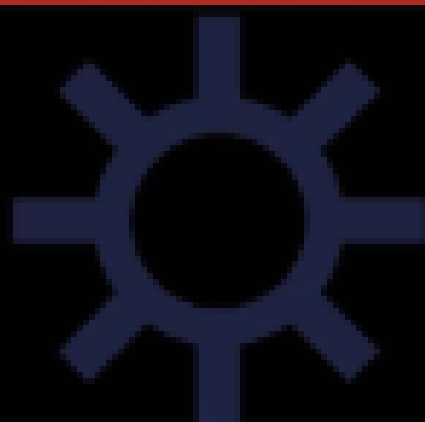
<https://go.oncehub.com/ImmigrationLegalServices>

QUALIFICATIONS: MUST MEET INCOME GUIDELINES

HOUSEHOLD # | INCOME

1	\$31,225
2	\$42,275
3	\$53,325
4	\$64,375
5	\$75,425
6	\$86,475
7	\$97,525
8	\$108,575

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT NATALIE JOHNSON, COORDINATOR OF UNDERREPRESENTED STUDENT INITIATIVES, AT NATALIE.JOHNSON@CSUCI.EDU




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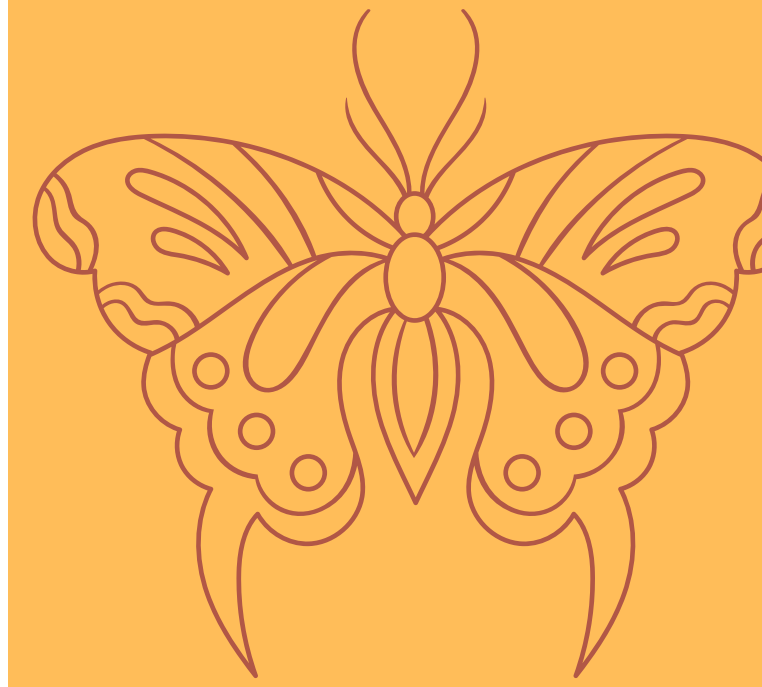
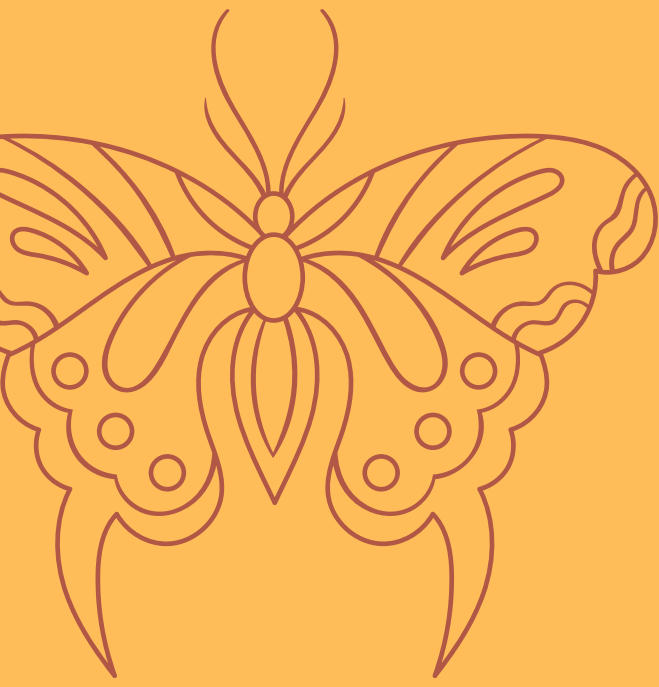
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TRANSFORMING LIVES THROUGH EDUCATION

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**SCHOLARSHIPS FOR
DIFFERENT LEVELS
OF EDUCATION
AND DIFFERENT
FIELDS OF STUDY**

PRE Law Fund



Immigrants Rising's Pre-Law Fund will provide financial support of up to \$2,500 to low-income immigrants who are planning to attend law school. Grants will cover LSAT preparation (courses, tutoring, self-study materials, etc) and law school application fees. In addition to financial support, recipients will be connected to Immigrants Rising's network of legal professionals.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Foreign-born
- Demonstrate financial need
- Do not have permanent residency (green card) or citizenship in the U.S.
- Currently attending or have graduated from a college or university
- Intend to enroll in an accredited law school in Fall 2021
- At least a 3.0 GPA or equivalent on a 4.0 scale in college (or provide an explanation of extenuating circumstances if GPA is lower than 3.0)

CALIFORNIA RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS

You must fulfill at least one of the following:

- Have graduated from a California high school
- Have graduated (or intend to graduate) from a California college or university

Applications are due at **5pm PST, Wednesday, March 4, 2020.**

immigrantsrising.org/financial-support/pre-law-fund/



Alternative Income and Career Options for Undocumented Students - How Colleges can Help

March 4th, 11 AM PST
REGISTER: bit.ly/careeralt20

Learn how colleges can establish research, learning or teaching fellowships that are not employment-based; provide entrepreneurial classes or programs; and refer students and alumni to entrepreneurial ventures, independent contracting, worker cooperatives, and other opportunities beyond campus. [Register Here](#)

Suggested Audience: college educators and administrators

[RSVP: zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_H3byZxEhS_2QP-OUAqyMDQ](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_H3byZxEhS_2QP-OUAqyMDQ)

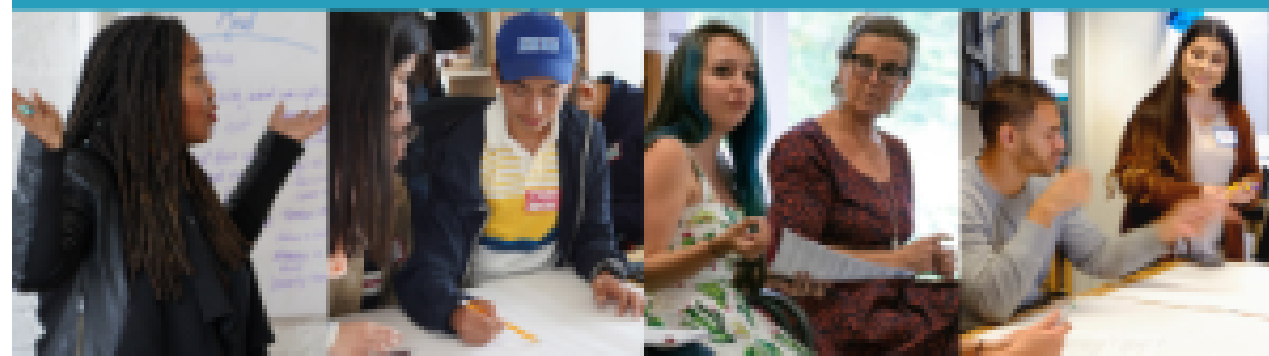
Immigrants Rising CA Educator Webinar Series

PAID OPPORTUNITIES REGARDLESS OF IMMIGRATION STATUS

April 15th, 4 PM PST
REGISTER: bit.ly/paidopportunities

Immigrants are already a vibrant force in the U.S. economy and have the potential to contribute much more. This training module will provide educators with information on how students can engage in career training and paid opportunities regardless of their immigration status. [Register Here](#)

Suggested Audience: High school educators



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THE MULTICULTURAL DREAM CENTER PRESENTS

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FARM WORKFORCE MODERNIZATION ACT



UNDOCU WORKSHOP SERIES :
MARCH 17TH FROM 4:00 TO 5:00 P.M.
BELL TOWER 1568

Purpose:

In collaboration with the UFW Foundation this Undocu Series Workshop is to educate and provide an opportunity for those who would benefit from the Farm Worker Modernization Act to apply.

Farm Worker Modernization Act Information:

The UFW and UFW Foundation are enthusiastic about passing legislation that honors all farm workers who feed America by creating a way for undocumented farm workers to apply for legal status and a roadmap to earn citizenship in the future without compromising farm workers' existing wages and legal protections.

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