



COLLEGE PLANNING

This spring, we will develop several college plans, including a Strategic Plan, Enrollment Plan, and Professional Development Plan. The college will develop our 2021-2022 Budget and complete our annual Program Planning and Resource Allocation processes. The college is working on our accreditation mid-term report. Our fourth strategic planning retreat will be held on February 19 to review and update our college-wide strategic goals. [Review](#) our new 2020-2023 Technology Plan.

CCC PARTICIPATED AT THE CLOVIS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT VIRTUAL ANNUAL CTE (CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION) NIGHT ON JANUARY 27

This annual event provided students, parents, and the community information to learn more about the CTE programs at CCC. CTE Counselor Brandon Huebert [recorded an informational video](#) and participated by answering questions specific to CCC's Career Technical Education programs.

JOIN THE CCC TEAM

CCC created a new video that Human Resources will use on various social platforms to post job vacancies at CCC. [Watch the video.](#)



CAMPAIGN FOR COLLEGE OPPORTUNITY HIGHLIGHTS CCC

The Campaign for College Opportunity is sharing [this video](#) about CCC on social media to highlight our recognition as a "2020 Champion for Higher Education" for the third consecutive year for our exemplary work in implementing the Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) program. Also, the "Degree with a Guarantee" website highlighted Megan, a former CCC student, on how she benefitted from the ADT program. You can [view the video](#) toward the bottom of the website and Megan is featured midway through the segment.

VIRTUAL ADVISING SESSIONS FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

The Outreach Team is busy helping high school seniors prepare for the fall semester with various Virtual Advising Sessions. Each feeder school in Clovis Unified School District has an assigned date and students can log in via Zoom and meet with our team to get their questions answered.

DREAMERS CLUB

Provides undocumented students
a safe place to share.
Meets 1st & 3rd Fridays.
Email munce.carolina@gmail.com
for Zoom login.

DREAMERS CLUB COMES TO CCC

The new Dreamers Club will empower and support student success and provide undocumented students a safe place to share concerns. All students are welcome to attend the meetings held on the first and third Friday of every month from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. via Zoom. Thank you to Counselors Nancy Chavero and Carla Stoner-Brito, and student Carolina Munce for their dedication in making this club possible. Students will be provided community resources like [free immigration legal services](#), via a partnership with SCCCD and the United Farmworker Foundation. A CCC Undocumented Student Taskforce has recently been established. It is comprised of employees from multiple departments. The goal of the task force is to collaborate, review best practices, and continuously improve our services for undocumented students.

CCC ENGINEERING GRADUATE EARNS PRESTIGIOUS FELLOWSHIP

Jonathan Beltran from Kerman graduated last May and transferred to UCLA to continue his engineering studies. In his first quarter, he earned all "A" grades. He applied and was accepted to the prestigious [Caltech WAVE Fellows Summer Research Program](#). The program aims to foster diversity by increasing the participation of underrepresented students in science and engineering Ph.D. programs and making Caltech's programs more visible and accessible to students not traditionally exposed to Caltech. Congratulations Jonathan!



TWO STUDENT-ATHLETES NOMINATED FOR THE CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE COUNSELORS/ADVISORS ACADEMIC ASSOCIATION FOR ATHLETES (3C4A) STUDENT ATHLETE ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Connor Graham is pursuing pre-nursing, a member of our Men's Soccer Team since fall 2019, and a member of the Crush Student Athlete Council. Coach Chad McCarty said, "Connor is one of the hardest working student athletes that has participated in our program."

Leslie Zepeda is a member of our Women's Soccer Team since fall 2019 and planning to transfer this fall as a nursing major. Coach Orlando Ramirez said, "Leslie competes and leads with tremendous grit." Both were nominated for their ability to successfully balance working part-time jobs, school, soccer, and helping their family. They both continue to persevere through the challenging COVID-19 times.

TUTORIAL CENTER REPRESENTATIVES WILL PRESENT AT UPCOMING WRITING WORKSHOP

Assistant Coordinator, Kevin Jensen, and English Tutor, Griffin Sharp, will present at the Northern California Writing Center Association conference on March 6. They are truly amazing writers and deserving of this opportunity. The Tutorial Center hosted a wonderful Open Mic night on February 5 with students and instructors sharing their poetry.

TRIO STUDENTS GET SUPPORT WITH BACK-TO-SCHOOL KITS

TRiO and the Outreach Department kicked off the Spring semester by providing back-to-school kits to students. The kits contained blue light blocking glasses, backpacks, notepads, pencils, pens, hand sanitizers, and Office Depot gift cards. [TRiO Student Support Services](#) is focused on assisting first-generation, low-income students, and students with disabilities to achieve their educational goals.

CCC HELPING STUDENTS APPLY FOR FAFSA OR CADAA VIA VIRTUAL WORKSHOPS

The Financial Aid department is hosting virtual workshops to help students apply for financial aid through FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) or CADAA (California Dream Act Application). There are a total of four workshops taking place in February during the day and evening hours.

STILL TIME TO REGISTER FOR LATE-START CLASSES

A variety of classes will start in March and counselors are busy registering new students. A marketing campaign is underway via digital and social media.



WEEKLY HEALTH EXERCISE BREAKS FOR STUDENTS AND EMPLOYEES

Since it is important to take health breaks and stretch throughout the day, CCC developed short health breaks for students and employees. The following health breaks take place every week:

Every Monday from 2:00 to 2:15 p.m. - "Meditation Mondays with Matt Reinig."

Every Wednesday from 2:00 to 2:15 p.m. - "Health Break/Stretching with CCC Athletic Trainer Sue Hammond & CCC Nurse Naomi Forey."

Every Thursday from 3:00 to 3:30 p.m. - "Crush Wellness Class with CCC graduate Seshaan Ratnam."

Please join us, login details on the [CCC Calendar](#).

VARIETY OF VIRTUAL EVENTS FOR STUDENTS

Many events continue to be held this Spring including:

- Social Skills Group Therapy (held every Tuesday)
- Justice and Healing Circle (held every Wednesday)
- Comfort in Chaos Group (held every Thursday)
- Art with Impact: Movies for Mental Health
- LinkedIn Learning for Students