## **VISION 2030**

A Roadmap for California Community Colleges

# Priorities, Implications, and Support for Curriculum & Instruction

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#### Meeting the Needs of Today and the Opportunities of Tomorrow

#### Evolving student body

Today's students and future learners expect more from their education experience.

#### Vision 2030

We must strengthen our systems to get students to and through our colleges faster and more equitably.

#### Changing landscape

Communities need a skilled workforce across fast-growing career fields.

#### New circumstances

We must reckon with our new climate reality and the impact of new tech on teaching and learning.



#### Vision 2030

A Roadmap for California Community Colleges

What is it?

A seven-year action plan that:

- Guides field practice.
- Removes systemic barriers.
- Opens doors for policy reform.

Vision 2030 envisions a higher education system more inclusive of all Californians that ensures access points for every learner across race, ethnicity, region, class and gender to enter a pathway, with tailored supports and exit points to transfer or complete a community college baccalaureate or obtain a job with family-sustaining wages.



#### Building for the Future Based on Where We've Been

Vision for Success Goals (2017-2022) Governor's Roadmap Goals (2021-2027)

Vision 2030 (2023-2030)



#### Leading With Equity

How Vision 2030 grows California Community Colleges' commitment to equity and academic success

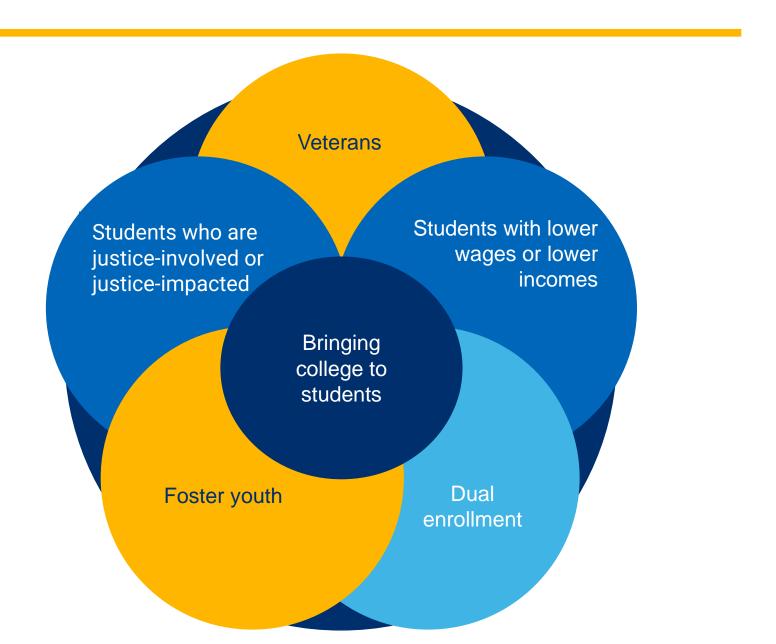
- Vision 2030 sets bold goals for the system to pursue transformational change to ensure institutions truly work for and support all students across race, ethnicity, religion, class and gender.
- It builds on California Community Colleges' hard-won progress.
- It goes further by being explicit about what structural changes are needed to create equitable opportunities and support for students, focusing on students harmed by persistent systemic barriers linked to their racial and ethnic identities.

Ismenia Siaumau from Long Beach City College

#### Vision 2030 Goals

- Vision 2030 goals and outcomes examine disaggregated data for students of color who are underrepresented in our system, students with low incomes and students with disabilities.
- Vision 2030 set systemwide goals focused on providing accountability and feedback loops for our continuous improvement efforts.

#### **New Pathways to Reach Future Learners**







Mikala Hutchinson from MiraCosta College

### **Our What**

Actions, Outcomes and Metrics

#### Vision 2030 Framework





#### How We Know We're Getting There: Goals & Metrics

#### Increase with equity the number of California Community College students: **Equity in Success** Who complete a meaningful educational outcome. Who attain a baccalaureate degree. Who earn a living wage. Increase with equity the number of students attending a California community college, with particular emphasis on the **Equity in Access** number of underserved Californians. Increase with equity the number of California Community Colleges students receiving state and federal aid for which **Equity in Support** they are eligible to better support their educational journey. Decrease the number of units in excess of 60 units for the Associate Degree for Transfer.



## What We're Doing to Get There: Strategic Directions + Actions

#### Equitable Pathways to Baccalaureate Attainment

**Equitable Workforce** and Economic Development

#### The Future of Teaching and Learning

California Community
 Colleges are committed to
 the governor's ambitious
 higher education goal of
 70% postsecondary degree
 and certificate attainment
 among working-aged
 Californians by 2030.

- Vision 2030 furthers the sector approach to workforce development through more partnerships between community colleges and industry to invest in hands-on training for career readiness.
- The priority sectors are health care, climate, STEM and technology, education and early education.

- Generative artificial intelligence
   (AI) provides new opportunities
   and challenges for education.
- Use of tools such as ChatGPT has already become a part of students' studying, research and more.
- Guidance concerning AI must have oversight and a deep commitment to diversity, equity and inclusion.



## Strategic Direction 1: Equitable Baccalaureate Attainment

Equitable Pathways to Baccalaureate Attainment

Equitable Workforce and Economic Development

The Future of Teaching and Learning

Actions 1-6 will advance Strategic Direction 1 in particular but will also positively impact Strategic Directions 2 and 3.

- 1. All actions, policies and procedures will be enacted centering equity and inclusion and dismantling prejudice and racism.
- 2. Increase equitable access, success and support for: dual enrollment in degree pathway, justice-involved and justice-impacted Californians, foster youth, those with lower wages and incomes, and veterans.
- 3. Improve systems of access, including financial support and program mapping.
- 4. Increase the number of eligible students who apply for and receive federal, state and local financial aid grants, including the federal Pell Grant, the state Cal Grant and the California College Promise Grant, among others.
- 5. Increase flexible term structures, flexible schedules and credit for prior learning opportunities.
- 6. Increase credit mobility and transfer opportunities.



## Strategic Direction 2: Equitable Workforce and Economic Development

Equitable Pathways to Baccalaureate Attainment

**Equitable Workforce** and Economic Development

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Actions 7-11 will advance Strategic Direction 2 in particular but will also positively impact Strategic Directions 1 and 3.

- 7. Increase educational access for prospective learners of low income to enhance their socioeconomic mobility by developing a customized educational and training opportunities to them.
- 8. Health care: Expand access to health care pathway programs with particular attention to nursing, mental and behavioral health.
- **9. Climate action:** Advance community college engagement with the four fields of climate practice facilities, workforce and curriculum, community engagements and benefits, and resource development.
- **10. STEM:** Expand success, access and support in science, technology, engineering and math disciplines for historically underrepresented students.
- **11. Education:** Increase system capacity to decrease faculty shortages in key sectors including nursing, early childhood pathways and education.



## Strategic Direction 3: The Future of Learning

Equitable Pathways to Baccalaureate Attainment

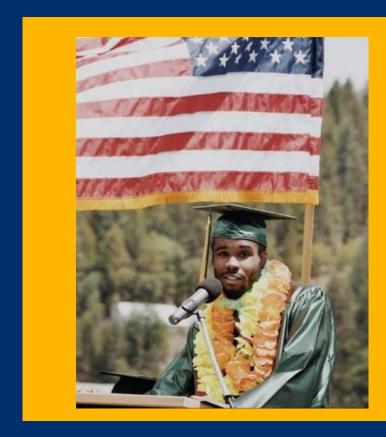
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Action 12 will advance Strategic Direction 3, in particular, while also positively impacting Strategic Directions 1 and 2.

- 12. Actively engage with the impacts of generative AI on the future of teaching and learning:
  - a. Improve the student experience with the use of generative AI as well as smart analytics applied to the "big data" systems (e.g., Student Information System, Learning Management System)
  - b. Modernize system technology infrastructure to support online education delivery and faculty.
  - c. Develop an analysis of the impact of generative AI technology and its potential implications for teaching and learning, and take the necessary action in policy reform, systems development and practices to advance success, access and support for our students.





Jesse Williams from Feather River College

## Our How

Advancing Vision 2030

#### How Will the Chancellor's Office Advance Our Work?

#### **People**

Establish and engage in active partnerships with people in the field to guide practice.

#### Resources

Lead state, federal and philanthropic growth to support fiscal sustainability.

#### **Systems**

Review whole systems development to remove barriers at scale.

#### **Policy**

Identify and advance policy reform across state, federal, Title V and local district policies to unlock potential.

### **Chancellor's Office** supporting the field

To ensure implementation at scale for this transformational change that Vision 2030 calls for, the Chancellor's Office will provide colleges with support through four spheres of engagement — people, systems, resources and policy.







#### Title 5 Associates Degree §55060- §55064 (Completed Sept 2023)

- Updating competency requirements to focus on knowledge areas rather than specific disciplines with the goal of contextualizing how students may demonstrate competence in quantitative reasoning, written expression and reading within their field of study
- Aligning with Cal GETC Pattern
- Clarifying that Ethnic Studies courses are baccalaureate-level courses

#### Title 5 COR §55002 DEIA Language (BOG First Read Jan 2024)

- Ensuring course outline of records demonstrate a culturally responsive approach that integrates principles of diversity, equity, inclusion, and anti-racism, in ways appropriate to the discipline and course content.
- Ensuring course outline of records guarantee accessibility for every student, including students with disabilities.







#### **PCAH Updates**

- Addition of CB27 Course Upper Division Status
- Addition of General Baccalaureate Degree Standards
- Addition of Ethnic Studies Requirement
- Addition of Modified CTE Associate Degree Approval
- Apportionment and Noncredit Courses

Common Course Numbering Legislative Timeline Extension (Initiated Sept 2023)

**Regulatory Changes for Dual Enrollment** 







#### **COCI Updates (Ongoing)**

- Prioritizing Competency Based Education
- Improving Functionality
- Common Course Numbering (Initiated 2023 Ongoing)
- Assessing Technology Capabilities & Needs (COCI, ASSIST, C-ID, Local, & Beyond)
- Exploring Data-Assisted Solutions

#### **CalGETC Implementation**

TMC Alignment with CalGETC pattern

**Baccalaureate Degree Process Improvements** 







Transition from Common Course Numbering Task Force to Implementation Council & Workgroups (Early 2024)

**Continued Partnership via 5C (Ongoing)** 



#### Resources Examples



#### **Common Course Numbering (2024-Ongoing)**

- Development of Distribution Model for Existing Funding
- Advocacy for Additional Funding (as needed e.g. for Intersegmental Partners in Implementation)

#### **Competency Based Education (Ongoing)**

Potential Federal Funding for Scaling Promising Practices

#### **Mapping Articulated Pathways**

Funding to support college implementation for credit for prior learning

Continue to partner with the ASCCC to provide support, guidance and resources



## Throughout all strategies, actions, and approaches, ESLEI remains committed to:

- Student-Centered Design
- Adaptable Learning Constructs and Modalities
- Supported Learning Leadership
- DEIA Affirming Campus Climates
- Educational Attainment Leading to Career Mobility



## "Our time is now."

- Chancellor Christian

# THANK YOU!

**Questions?**