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Regional Job Opportunities

California State University, Long Beach Positions

Tenure-Track Organic Chemistry Faculty

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Assistant Professor of Organic Chemistry more info here

Chapman University Positions

Instructional Assistant Professor in Biology more info here

Instructional Assistant Professor, Program
Director for the Grand Challenge Initiative
more info here

Diablo Valley College Positions

Non-Majors General Biology/Human Biology Assistant Professor more info here

Microbiology Assistant Professor more info here

Anatomy Assistant Professor more info here

Tenure Track Assistant Professor Cellular Neuroscience

Cal State Poly Technic University, Pomona more info here

Biological Sciences (Anatomy/Physiology) Instructor Los Angeles Trade Technical College more info <u>here</u>

Part Time Instructor Mathematics Santa Monica College

more info here

Part-Time Earth Sciences Instructor

Cerritos College more info here

Assistant Professor of Biology Education - San Jose State College more info here

Academic Coordinator - Division of Biology

University of California, San Diego more info here

To see more regional job opportunities visit our website!

Please send job announcements to aspire.calrc@gmail.com

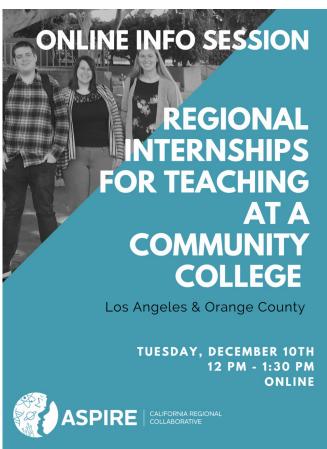
Online Info Session: Regional Internships For Teaching at a Community College in Los Angeles County and Orange County

Date: Tuesday, December 10, 2020

Time: 12:00pm - 1:30pm

This informational webinar will provide an overview of several different internship opportunities for getting experience in teaching at a community college in Los Angeles County and Orange County. Join us to meet program coordinators, directors, and former participants, learn about the criteria and timelines for the various applications, and see if there is an internship that works for you. Each program will provide a 10 minute overview with time for Q&A at the end of the webinar.

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Featured Programs

Coast Colleges - Teaching Internships with Experienced Support (TIES)

College of the Canyons - Future Instructors in Training (FIT) Program

Los Angeles Community College District - ProjectMATCH

University of California Irvine - Community College Internship Program

University of California Los Angeles - Aspire2Lead & Aspire2Teach



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The 4th Annual SABER West Registration is Officially Open!

Date: January 18 - 19, 2020

Location: UC Irvine Anteater Learning Pavilion

Register Here

Registration for SABER West (January 18/19, 2020) is now officially open! This year's conference will be held



in the **UC Irvine Anteater Learning Pavilion**, our brand new active learning classroom building. SABER is the Society for the Advancement of Biology Education Research and was founded in 2010. For all information regarding the meeting, including our goals and meeting programming, please visit our <u>website</u>.

Rates for early registration (by November 15th) are as follows:

• 4-year faculty, staff, administrators - \$115

- 2-year faculty, staff, administrators \$65
- Post docs, Graduate students and Undergraduates \$65

The Southern California Regional Collaborative will pay registration for a limited number of attendees. Please email <u>jessgregg@ceils.ucla.edu</u> by <u>Nov 15th</u> for consideration.

If you have any questions about the conference, please email bsato@uci.edu."

Call for Proposals ATD EQUITY INSTITUTE 2020



Date: February 18 - 21, 2020 Location: National Harbour, MD

Proposal Submission Deadline: November 18th 2020

Submit your proposal today to present at the second annual ATD Equity Institute, held at the DREAM 2020 annual convening in National Harbor, MD.

Colleagues at two-year colleges and open-access four-year colleges are invited to submit a proposal to present a Breakout Workshop on February 18, 2020.

Proposals are due November 18, 2019.
Submit your ATD Equity Institute Breakout Workshop Proposal here

Visit the website for more information.

2020 STEMwrite Institute for Writing to Learn in STEM Disciplines

Date: June 24 - 26, 2020

Location: University of Minnesota, June 24-26, 2020

Application Deadline: February 1, 2020

The 2020 STEMwrite Institute invites faculty teams from biological sciences to a lively and productive three-day institute that focuses on Writing to Learn in STEM disciplines. Grounded in evidence that brief writing assignments have positive impacts on conceptual learning, this institute enables participants to develop brief, conceptually-focused writing activities and assessment tools that can be realistically implemented in large-enrollment, introductory biology courses.

To apply, complete <u>this application survey</u> by February 1, 2020 more info <u>here</u>

Questions can be directed to Leslie Schiff (schif002@umn.edu).

Call for Special Track Proposals iLRN 2020: 6th International Conference of the Immersive Learning Research Network



ILRN 2020: 6TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE IMMERSIVE LEARNING RESEARCH NETWORK
SAN LUIS OBISPO, CALIFORNIA, USA

Date: June 21-25, 2020

Location: San Luis Obispo, California Proposal Deadline: November 11, 2019

iLRN 2020 will be an innovative, interactive gathering for a burgeoning global network of researchers and practitioners collaborating to develop the scientific, technical, and applied potential of immersive learning. It is the premier scholarly event focusing on advances in using virtual reality (VR), augmented reality (AR), mixed reality (MR), and other extended reality (XR) technologies to support learners across the full span of learning—from K-12 through higher education to work-based, informal, and lifelong learning contexts.

Details on organizing a Special Track available <u>here</u>

Visit the conference website for more information.

REGIONAL EVENTS

Community College Faculty Job Symposium in Anaheim

Date: Saturday, December 7, 2020

Time: 8:00am – 2:00pm Location: Anaheim, CA

Register Here

Are you searching for a faculty position at a community college? Your next career destination could be near. Register to attend the inaugural City to Sea Community College Faculty Job Summit, hosted by seven local Southern California community college districts!

During the summit, expect to learn how to: Navigate the job announcement - Create stand-out application materials - Understand the hiring process Attendees will have the opportunity to: Join engaging workshops - Meet and greet with faculty - Participate in mock interviews - Have a professional head shot taken - Engage in Q&A with HR professionals, administrators, and faculty.

Admission to this event is FREE! Parking validation of \$8 is available to all attendees.

*If you require accommodations, contact <u>HR@nocccd.edu</u> or 714-818-4810.





AVID for Higher Education Workshop Series The Intersection of Equity and Pedagogy (Part 2):Changing the Narrative for Diverse College Students

Date: Friday, January 31, 2020 Location: Costa Mesa, California

AVID for Higher Education (AHE), in collaboration with and the Community College Equity
Assessment Lab (CCEAL), will provide a workshop focused on how to cultivate a positive institutional culture, improve instructional practices, and systems that help diverse learners succeed. This workshop will expand on Part 1 information that



was delivered by Dr. Frank Harris and Yvonne Ortiz. However, you do not have to attend Part 1 to engage in this workshop.

We will explore a variety of topics and questions, including:

- 1. How can higher education cultivate success for diverse students?
- 2. What are the positive elements of institutional culture to help all students succeed? What is my role in this effort?
- 3. How do I act upon equity-minded practices that promote diverse student success and create a plan for sustainability?

For more information visit the website here

California Higher Education Basic Needs Alliance (CHEBNA) 2020 Summit: Advancing Student Success

Date: February 6 - 7, 2020

Location: Costa Mesa Hilton, Orange County

Registration is now open!!
Register Here

This intersegmental gathering will bring together over 750 leaders from across the



CSU, CCC and UC systems. Students, staff, faculty, and community partners will explore the efforts of advancing basic needs security in order to address student success on an individual, communal, and institutional level.

For more information visit the website **here**

ONLINE EVENTS & WEBINARS

MOOC Teaching and Learning in the Diverse Classroom

Course Dates: November 4 – December 9, 2020

you can still join! join the course here

US.-based and higher education-centered, the five-week, instructor-paced online course runs from November 4 – December 9, 2019 at edX.org, and is for anyone with teaching responsibilities, at any level of diversity expertise. Course participants will explore strategies for inclusive course design, social identity and self-reflection, and pedagogical practices that effectively support student engagement and belongingness across difference



Cornell University's Center for Teaching Innovation is launching a new massive open online course (MOOC) to guide educators in exploring frameworks and strategies for building and sustaining inclusive learning environments. Watch their 2-minute introductory video above.

For more information visit the website **here!**

A Focus on Underrepresented Students: Practical Strategies for Inclusive Teaching & Mentoring



Date: November 13, 2019 Time: 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm. EDT

Register Here

Participants will learn more about researchbased, practical strategies for inclusive

teaching and mentoring. Although the demographics on campuses worldwide are becoming increasingly diverse, many colleges are struggling with how to foster a more inclusive climate and equitable outcomes for students. This session will highlight the experiences of underrepresented students (to include first-generation, low-income, community college transfer, historically underrepresented racial-minority students, among others). This session also underscores strategies to optimize the interactions we already have on a regular basis in and out of the classroom in order to achieve greater impact.

For more information visit the website here!

AAC&U: STEM Matters: The Formula for Driving Innovation

Date: December 11, 2019 **Time:** 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm. EDT

Register Here

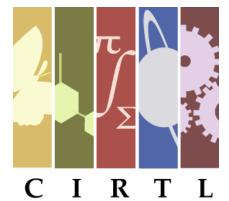
To succeed, innovative efforts to broaden participation in STEM and to make equity an immutable factor in quality STEM teaching require critical reflection and



active engagement from the entire range of stakeholders. This webinar will bring together key institutional leaders, funding agency officers, and professional society representatives for an open and frank discussion of the structural and systemic barriers to quality and equity in undergraduate STEM education. Participants will focus on challenges faced, struggles overcome, lessons learned, and potential threats.

For more information visit the website **here!**

Save the Dates!! CIRTL Webinar Series on Exploring Careers in Teaching at a Community College



Session Dates:

Thursday, January 30, 2019 Thursday, February 27, 2019 Thursday, March 19, 2019

Time: All sessions are 1.5 hours in length and will take place from 10:00am - 11:30am PST

In this three-part series, you will learn from panels of current community college faculty about the joys and challenges of teaching at a community college, the broad diversity of students in their courses, how that diversity enhances

learning, and the ins/outs of finding a full-time teaching position at a community college. The panelist will take questions from future faculty throughout the presentation. This series is organized through CIRTL's NSF INCLUDES Alliance Aspire: National Alliance for an Inclusive and Diverse STEM Faculty, as part of the regional collaborative initiatives.

NEWSWORTHY

California Community Colleges Podcast California Community Colleges Lenny Mendonca, chief economic and business advisor in Gov. Newsom's office, joins Chancellor Eloy Ortiz Oakley for a discussion on California's "Regions Rise Together" approach to economic development. <u>Listen Here</u>



Statewide Movement to Support More Financial Aid for Community College Students Gains Momentum California Community Colleges

One of the bills sponsored by the California Community College Chancellor's Office, SB 291 (Leyva), is currently awaiting a hearing in the Assembly Higher Education Committee. If passed, the bill would establish the "California Community College Student Financial Aid Program" to provide need-based grant awards to eligible community college students. These need-based awards are designed to address the total cost of attendance, including non-tuition expenses like textbooks, housing, food and transportation. Read More

The Community-College Application: 7 Ways to Improve Your Odds Chronicle Vitae

Hint for candidates: Why should we seriously consider you when you haven't seriously considered us? **Read More**





Community College Voice Podcast American Association of Community Colleges

Community College Voice Season 3, Episode 1: Talking about College Promise with Martha Kanter

In the latest Community College Voice Podcast, Martha Kanter talks about the past, present, and future of the College Promise movement.

Listen Here

Closing the gap for LatinX Students Community College Daily

Elgin Community College (ECC) has seen significant improvements in the success of its LatinX students in recent years. LatinX students, who comprise 42 percent of the Illinois college's student population, still lag slightly behind white and Asian students, but they are nearly catching up, says Philip Garber, ECC's vice



president of planning, institutional effectiveness and technology. Read More

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The California Regional Collaborative is a regional network of 2- and 4- year institutions, working together towards improving overall outcomes in STEM higher education, and in particular for students and faculty from underrepresented groups.

We work with graduate students and other potential "future faculty" from groups that are underrepresented in academia to address the need to increase diversity in our regional colleges to better reflect the diversity of our students. These trainees will support teaching efforts, education research initiatives, and curriculum development needs in collaboration with their 2- year internship site. In addition, regional programming such as webinars, symposiums, conferences, panels, and other events supports both current faculty along with future faculty. This will be coupled with an assessment plan to understand regional needs and assess the impact of our work.

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