

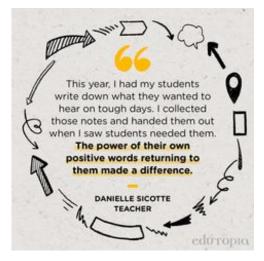
GREETINGS!

The past year has been challenging in different ways for all of us and the future seems to hold more questions than answers. We hope that the resources provided in this newsletter help as you prepare to enter the fall semester, whether you are Face-2-Face, Hybrid, or Online.

On the image to the right is a tip you could try in your classroom to encourage your students and yourself as you return to your classes.

Take care of yourself, be there for each other, and advocate for your students.

Happy August and Stay Safe!



ANNOUNCEMENTS



Welcome 2021 Aspire Interns!

Please join us in welcoming our 2021 Aspire Interns! Their year-long journey is underway as they train and prepare for their mentored teaching practicum.

> We're so excited to have you all! **Raquel Aragon Dr. Lindsay Ferguson** Kari Garcia Alex Hallenbeck Lauren Hofschneider Dr. Artin Soroosh

You can learn more about these amazing academics on our website Click here

Aspire: The National Alliance for Inclusive and **Diverse STEM Faculty was featured in Diverse Issues** In Higher Education as the "Face of Change"!



Read more here

WORKING TOWARDS STUDENT EQUITY IN HIGHER ED

Food for Thought

Did you know that almost 50% of student with disabilities do not register with their institution's disability services office for support? Also, most disability support offices require an official diagnosis in order to offer support.

Consider, how you can make your classroom accessible, inclusive, and equitable whether a student is registered with the support office or not.

Resources

- EDUCAUSE 2020 Student Technology Report: Supporting the Whole Student
- <u>College Guide for Students with Learning Disabilities</u>
- Helping Students with Disabilities Understand Accommodations in College
- <u>Teaching Students with Disabilities</u>

EVENTS



Join AAAS SEAChange for a five-part learning series, **Transforming Institutions: Systemic Change for DEI in STEMM**, designed and facilitated by the leaders of ASCN.

Learn more and register today

The California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office <u>invites you to join</u> the Chancellor's Office System Webinar: Leading Courageous Conversations about Equitable Placement on August 4th.

Equitable Placement improves students' chances to succeed, and is central to achieving the *Vision for Success* goals and implementing Guided Pathways.



California Virtual Campus

REGISTER HERE

Critical Race Theory Summer School -"Forbidden Knowledge" Fights Back August 10th - 14th

Join fellow teachers, journalists, labor unions, parent groups, students, researchers, DEI practitioners, faith-based organizers, and others in exploring these questions and helping to shape a movement for a robust multiracial democracy. Learn more!

IN THE NEWS: ARTICLES & OPPORTUNITIES

Faculty Life & WELLNESS	VS Hybrid Teaching Resources	COLUMN TY COLUMN
<u>10 Reflective Questions</u> for Teachers to use <u>Everyday</u>	<u>A Trauma Informed</u> <u>Return to Campus</u>	<u>California community</u> <u>college students will</u> <u>soon be required to</u> <u>take ethnic studies</u>
Event: <u>How to</u> <u>Decompress from the</u> <u>Covid-19 Era: Refresh,</u> <u>Reset, Restart</u>	<u>New Approaches to</u> <u>STEM Engage</u> <u>Traditionally</u> <u>Underrepresented</u> <u>Students</u>	Resource: <u>California</u> <u>Community Colleges</u> <u>Health & Wellness</u>
<u>California's failure to</u> <u>diversify community</u> <u>college faculty tied to</u> <u>arcane state law</u>	<u>Faculty: 'Gatekeepers'</u> of Student Mental <u>Health?</u>	<u>Charting a New Normal</u>

WEBINARS, WORKSHOPS & CONFERENCES

Strengthening Student Success Leading with Clarity, Determination, and Purpose

October 13-15, 2021

Strengthening Student Success Conference

This is a unique opportunity for a wide cross-section of California Community College professionals including faculty, deans, student services staff, IRPE, and more — to engage each other on strategies for increasing equitable outcomes, institutional effectiveness, leadership capacity, and more.

Learn more here.

Virtual Conference on Transforming STEM Higher Education

The AAC&U Conference on Transforming STEM Higher Education uses its convening power and mission-level commitment to quality and inclusive excellence to advance undergraduate STEM education reform. Learn more here.



November 4-6, 2021



Diversity & Inclusion Virtual Research Conference, 2021-2022

November 17-19, 2021

Learn more here.

Looking for more events?



Check Out the UCLA CEILS Curated Calendar of Events

Looking for other online events related to inclusive teaching or student equity? Check out the <u>CEILS calendar of events</u> for a curated list of local and national workshops, webinars, and conferences! The calendar is updated regularly so check back often.

REGIONAL JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Looking for jobs at local Community Colleges?

Visit the <u>CCC Registry</u>!!



This website provides a number of services for individuals seeking employment as a faculty, support staff or manager at a California Community College.

Assistant Professor of Teaching: Biological Sciences University of California, Irvine <u>more info here</u>

> Assistant Teaching Professor University of California, San Diego <u>more info here</u>

Lecturer Position in Science Education University of California, Los Angeles more info here

Assistant Professor California State University, San Bernardino <u>more info here</u>

Full-Time Instructor Psychology Palo Verde Community College District more info here

Adjunct Associate Professor San Joaquin Delta Community College District more info here

> Adjunct and Part-Time Positions (multiple disciplines) Coast Colleges more info here

Adjunct and Part-Time Positions (multiple disciplines) Los Angeles Community College District Adjunct Faculty Lake Tahoe Community College <u>more info here</u>

Lecturer 2021-2022 Positions University of California, Riverside <u>more info here</u>

Lecturer Positions 2021-2022 University of California, Los Angeles more info here

PT Faculty Pool - Biology Glendale Community College <u>more info here</u>

Full-Time Instructor Psychology Yuba Community College District more info here

Tenure-Track Instructional Designer Educational Media Technology San Mateo Community College District <u>more info here</u>

Adjunct and Part-Time Positions (multiple disciplines) North Orange County Community College District <u>more info here</u>

Adjunct and Part-Time Positions (multiple disciplines) Ventura County Community College District To have your openings posted in our newsletter, please send job announcements to aspire.calrc@gmail.com

CONNECT WITH THE CALIFORNIA REGIONAL COLLABORATIVE

If your organization is a regional partner please send all inquires and announcements to <u>aspire.calrc@gmail.com</u>.

If you wish to be added to the California Regional Collaborative mailing list for future newsletters and special announcements, please send your request to aspire.calrc@gmail.com.

LEARN MORE ABOUT WHAT WE DO



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.

The **California Regional Collaborative** is part of a network of collaboratives, national organizations, and initiatives participating in the NSF INCLUDES Aspire Alliance

Visit the ASPIRE Alliance website to learn more

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