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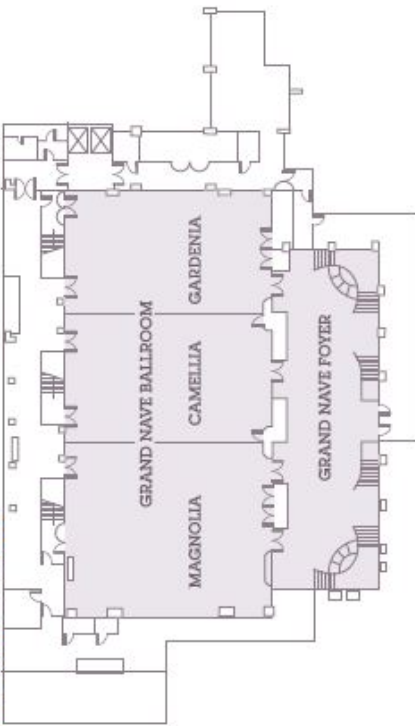
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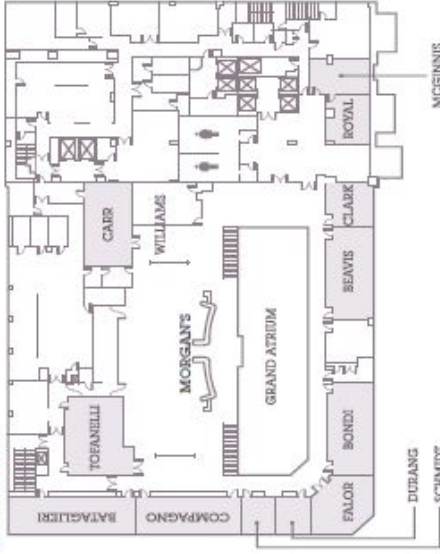
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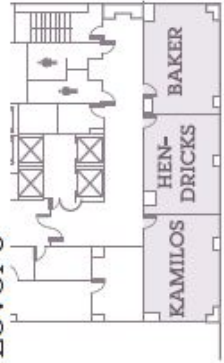
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SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

Sunday, January 27

7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION..... Ballroom Foyer

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Supporting Low Income Students: Addressing Total Cost of Attendance..... Carr
 California Community Colleges Dreamers Project: Promising Practices and Shared
 Challenges in Meeting the Needs of Undocumented Students Tofanelli
 Capital Outlay Advocacy and The Future of College Facilities.....Compagno
 Governance, Effective Participation, and Collegiality in Action Bataglieri

11:45 a.m. – 1:15 p.m.

OPENING KEYNOTE/LUNCH GENERAL SESSIONCamellia/Gardenia

California’s Emergence as a Bellwether State

*Dr. Manuel Pastor, Director of the Program for Environmental and Regional Equity
 and Professor, University of Southern California*

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

California’s Community College and Federal Higher Education Policy:
 Outlook for the 116th Congress.....Compagno
 Dual Enrollment As A College Success Opportunity for All..... Carr
 Approaches for Effective Student-Centered Funding Formula Implementation Tofanelli
 Importance of Faculty, Staff and Campus Leadership Diversification Bataglieri

2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

GENERAL SESSION

Community College Budget and Fiscal Update Camellia/Garden

4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m.

STRATEGY SESSIONS

League Advocacy & Talking Points Training..... Bataglieri
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 African American California Community College Trustees (AACCT).....Beavis
 California Community Colleges Veterans Caucus (CCCVC)..... Tofanelli
 McCallum Group..... Bataglieri
 California Association of Latino Community College Trustees and Administrators
 (CALCCTA)..... Carr

6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

NETWORKING RECEPTION.....Magnolia

SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

Monday, January 28

7:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION..... Ballroom Foyer

7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

BREAKFAST..... Concurrent Session Rooms

Breakfast Buffet served on 2nd Floor Foyer

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

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Re-Engaging Adults: Supporting the Transition Back to College..... Tofanelli

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California State Senator Connie M. Leyva

11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

LEGISLATOR TOWN HALL MEETINGS

A Conversation with Senator Scott Wilk Tofanelli

A Conversation with Assemblymember Monique Limón..... Compagno

11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

GRAB-N-GO LUNCH..... Ballroom Foyer

12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

CAPITOL VISITS California State Capitol

Scheduled by districts/colleges

4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

AFFORDABILITY, FOOD & HOUSING ACCESS

CAPITOL BRIEFING..... California State Capitol, Room 444

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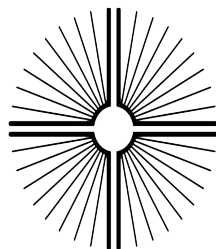
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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

(Program is subject to change)

For trustees enrolled in the Excellence in Trusteeship Program (ETP), approved sessions have been noted throughout the program with the following designated competencies:

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| (A) – Accreditation | (FR) – Fiscal Responsibilities |
| (BA) – Brown Act | (G) – Governance |
| (BC) – Board/CEO Relationship | (BE) – Board Evaluation |
| (SS) – Student Success | (E) – Ethics |

SUNDAY, JANUARY 27

7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION

Ballroom Foyer

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Supporting Low Income Students: Addressing Total Cost of Attendance (G, SS)

Carr

While California has the largest free tuition program in the country and those who pay fees pay the lowest tuition fees in the country, low income students still face serious barriers to obtaining academic success. While attending college our low income students must take time away from school to work to pay for housing, food, healthcare and other living costs. Various proposals have surfaced to better support our low income students and panelists will discuss various options policymakers have to help this population.

Laura Metune, Vice Chancellor for External Relations, California Community College Chancellor's Office; **David O'Brien**, Director of Government Affairs, California Student Aid Commission; **Lisa Qing**, Fiscal and Policy Analyst, Legislative Analyst's Office

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS continued...

California Community Colleges Dreamers Project: Promising Practices and Shared Challenges in Meeting the Needs of Undocumented Students (G, SS)

Tofanelli

The California Community Colleges Dreamers Project seeks to elevate promising practices and identify common challenges that CCCs are facing in effectively serving undocumented students across the state. The panel will share highlights from a landscape analysis undertaken through an online survey of all the CCCs and four regional meetings, as well as recommendations from the Dreamers Advisory Group and an overview of the final report submitted to the Chancellor's Office. Funded by The James Irvine Foundation, this project is a collaborative effort between the Chancellor's Office, Immigrants Rising, and the Foundation for California Community Colleges, which seeks to lay the groundwork for a longer-term program or initiatives to meet undocumented students' needs.

Nancy Jodaitis, Director of Higher Education Initiatives, Immigrants Rising; Leah Abate, Senior Program Manager, Foundation for California Community Colleges; Rosa de Anda, Governmental Relations Policy Specialist, Community College Chancellor's Office

Capital Outlay Advocacy and The Future of College Facilities (G, FR)

Compagno

Addressing aging infrastructure and modernizing and maintaining facilities at the state's community colleges should be a major priority as California seeks to adequately support student success. Fortunately, California voters agree, approving \$2 billion in bonds for facilities improvements at California Community Colleges. Unfortunately, colleges are still waiting for the release of these resources. This session will discuss the political dynamics surrounding facilities and highlight strategies to make the case for quality facilities at all colleges.

Rebekah Cearley, Partner at Murdoch, Walrath & Holmes and Legislative Advocate for the Community College Facility Coalition

Governance, Effective Participation, and Collegiality in Action (G)

Bataglieri

Presenters will discuss the statewide Academic Senate and Community College League's Joint Program, Collegiality in Action, which seeks to assist districts and colleges to successfully implement state law and regulations that call for effective participation by faculty, staff and students in governance. We strongly encourage attendance by chancellors and presidents interested in learning how they might participate and assist their colleagues in this important work.

John Stanskas, President, Academic Senate for California Community Colleges; Larry Galizio, President & CEO, Community College League of California



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OPENING KEYNOTE/LUNCH GENERAL SESSION

Camellia/Gardenia

California's Emergence as a Bellwether State (G, SS)

Just a few decades ago, California confronted many of the challenges the country now faces. How did the Golden State emerge from its past of social strife to become a bellwether for the rest of the country? Join us for our opening general session as keynote speaker and award-winning sociologist Dr. Manuel Pastor guides us through an improved California, with lessons that the rest of the nation should note. Dr. Pastor will share highlights and research that led to his new book, *State of Resistance*, which makes the case for honestly engaging racial anxiety in order to address our true economic and generational challenges, renewing our commitment to public investments, cultivating social movements and community organizing, and more.



KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

Dr. Manuel Pastor

Director of the Program for Environmental and Regional Equity and Professor, University of Southern California



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Bernie Rhinerson

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1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

California's Community College and Federal Higher Education Policy: Outlook for the 116th Congress (G, SS)

Compagno

With the new 116th Congress, what should community colleges leaders expect from the new Congressional leadership as it relates to the reauthorization of the higher education, funding, immigration and regulatory actions? Learn about new legislative priority issues and join efforts to mount broad support for community college issues and students.

Jee Hang Lee, *Vice President for Public Policy and External Relations, Association for Community College Trustees*

Dual Enrollment as a College Success Opportunity for All (G, SS)

Carr

Dual enrollment provides an introduction to higher education for first-generation college students and their families. Students who participate in high-quality dual enrollment programs are more likely to graduate high school, enter college, and persist in college to completion, according to research nationwide. Most likely to benefit are the students who are most underrepresented in California community colleges: young men of color, students from low-income families, and first-generation college students. Join us in a session to explore strategies and partnership structures that make dual enrollment effective. Also, learn about recent legislation supported by the League to further reform this important educational strategy.

Naomi Castro, Director, Career Ladders Project; Representative, East Los Angeles College; Representative, Reedley College; **Moderator: Lizette Navarette**, Vice President, Community College League of California

Approaches for Effective Student-Centered Funding Formula Implementation (G, FR)

Tofanelli

The new Student-Centered Funding Formula aligns with the CCC Vision for Success through metrics that reflect student success. This session will provide strategies for effective transition to the new formula. Attendees will discuss approaches to navigate the campus culture shift and how to effectively use data to drive implementation.


Christian Osmeña, Vice Chancellor for Finance and Facilities Planning; **Laura Metune**, Vice Chancellor for External Relations, California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office

Importance of Faculty, Staff and Campus Leadership Diversification (G, SS)


Bataglieri

Statewide data shows that the workforce employed by the California Community Colleges does not reflect the racial and ethnic composition of the state of California. How can we encourage our colleges to examine and address the structures and processes that may unconsciously limit our ability to attract and retain individuals that reflect the students and communities we serve? This panel is intended to provide campus leaders the tools, strategies and information they need on how to diversify their faculty, staff and campus leadership.

Keith Curry, President, Compton College; **John Stanskas**, President, Academic Senate for California's Community Colleges; **Daisy Gonzales**, Deputy Chancellor, California Community College Chancellor's Office



SPURR Renewable Energy Aggregated Procurement (REAP) Program



The League is proud to be partnering with the School Project for Utility Rate Reduction (SPURR) to expand its energy-related offerings to California Community Colleges. For information on Solar, Battery Storage, the League's Electricity Consortium or changes in the energy industry, please contact Lisa Mealoy, Director of District Services at lmealoy@cclleague.org.

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2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

GENERAL SESSION

Community College Budget and Fiscal Update (FR, G)

Camellia/Gardenia

On January 10th, Governor Newsom released his first state budget proposal. The January budget proposal presents major policy changes and concepts, including online education, community college funding, and affordability. Hear from key legislative staff, community college fiscal experts, and Administration representatives as they discuss the pragmatic approach to implementing and embedding the programmatic reforms of the past few years seen in the Governor's 2019-20 Budget. Engage in a discussion about the fiscal priorities of the Community College System and the State Legislature, and the opportunities and challenges facing state and local decision makers.

PANELISTS:



Chris Ferguson

Assistant Program Budget Manager, California Department of Finance



Anita Lee

Consultant, Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee



Christian Osmeña

Vice Chancellor for Finance and Facilities Planning, California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office

MODERATOR:



Marvin Martinez

*President, East Los Angeles College
President, Chief Executive Officers of the California Community Colleges (CEOCCC) Board*

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4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m.
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Lizette Navarette, Vice President, Community College League of California;
Ryan McElhinney, Legislative Advocate, Community College League of California

Leveraging National Support for California Community College Initiatives (G)

Compagno

The federal government is an essential partner to community colleges when crafting programs that improve student access, success or equity. Through grants and the creation of centers of excellence focusing on workforce development, the United States Departments of Education and Labor can provide stable funding streams to support programs important to your institution. This session will highlight the efforts that promote these centers of excellence and provide a briefing on how colleges can make themselves eligible for these programs.

Tom Downs, Downs Governmental Affairs

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
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6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
NETWORKING RECEPTION

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BREAKFAST CONCURRENT SESSIONS**A Conversation With Key Capitol Staff (G)***Carr*

Legislative staff play a critical role in the legislative process. Not only do they research potential bills, draft reports and briefing, but also they serve as the gateway to collaboration with legislators and policy committees. This session provides a forum for an insightful discussion with key legislative staff. Hear their perspectives on the higher education priorities of members of the Senate and Assembly. Learn about ways to effectively engage with Legislators and their primary policy advisors.

Olgalilia Ramirez**, Consultant, Senate Education Committee;*Elle Hoxworth**, Office of Assemblymember Holden; **Edgar Cabral**, Principal Fiscal & Policy Analyst, Legislative Analyst Office***Re-Engaging Adults: Supporting the Transition Back to College (G, SS)***Tofanelli*

Four million Californians aged 25 to 64—a number nearly as large as the population of the City of Los Angeles—have left college without finishing their degree. As a result, they face limited earning potential and a host of other challenges. All Californians would benefit if more adults with some college but no degree move across the finish line. A pathway to degree completion could boost their prosperity, sustain the state's innovation economy by meeting workforce demands, and form more civically engaged communities. In this session, California Competes' Deputy Director Ria Sengupta Bhatt will present findings and recommendations from California Competes' new report series, *Back to College*, which offers a deep analysis of this population and the barriers they face, as well as policy recommendations to support these adults to return to college, graduate, and thrive in California's innovation economy.

***Ria Sengupta Bhatt**, Deputy Director, California Competes*

Building Hunger-Free Campuses (G, SS)*Compagno*

Food insecurity affects at least half of all community colleges students. This session will provide information on innovative and practical strategies to support students experiencing food insecurity, a campus case study, as well as an overview of new budget allocations to support food security for California's community college students.

Colleen Ganley, Program Specialist in Student Services, California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office; **Jessica Smith**, Program Specialist, Foundation for California Community Colleges, **Nancy Grass**, Associate Dean of Student Life, Santa Monica College

League Advocacy & Talking Points Training*Bataglieri*

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Larry Galizio, President & CEO, Community College League of California; **Ryan McElhinney**, Legislative Advocate, Community College League of California

9:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.**GENERAL SESSION***Camellia/Gardenia***KEYNOTE SPEAKER:**

The Honorable Connie M. Leyva
California State Legislature, Senate District 20
Chair, Senate Education Committee
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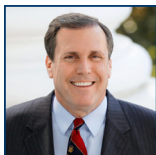
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LEGISLATOR TOWN HALLS

A Conversation with Legislative Leaders



A Conversation with The Honorable Scott Wilk

California State Legislature, Senate District 21

Tofanelli



A Conversation with The Honorable Monique Limón

California State Legislature, Assembly District 37

Compagno

11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

GRAB-N-GO LUNCH

Camellia/Gardenia

Grab a boxed lunch and either be on your way or join your colleagues for some table conversation.

12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

CAPITOL VISITS

California State Capitol

Colleges and districts are encouraged to set up meetings with their members to discuss the League's 2019 policy priorities and other important issues impacting their campuses. Meetings should be scheduled by districts/colleges.

4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

AFFORDABILITY, FOOD & HOUSING ACCESS CAPITOL BRIEFING

California State Capitol, Room 444

In Spring 2018, the Chief Executive Officers of the California Community Colleges (CEOCCC) established the Affordability, Food & Housing Access Taskforce to provide system-wide recommendations to address housing and food insecurities faced daily by our students. Join the taskforce for a capitol briefing to discuss the challenges California community college students with housing and hunger.



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PRESENTER INFORMATION

Chris Ferguson

Assistant Program Budget Manager, California Department of Finance

Chris Ferguson is a principal program budget analyst at the California Department of Finance, where he supervises the office's analyses of issues related to community colleges and K-12 school facilities. He has worked at the Department of Finance since 2007, with roles as an analyst responsible for various education programs including the development of the Local Control Funding Formula. He earned a bachelor's degree in economics from the University of California, Riverside, and a master's degree in economics from Wichita State University.

Anita Lee

Consultant, Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee

Anita Lee is a Consultant at the Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee. In her role, Anita specializes on higher education and labor, supporting the California State Senate Budget Committee on these issues. She supports the advancement of the Senate's budget goals through her work and stakeholder engagement. She is experienced in state legislative, fiscal, and administrative processes.

Prior to joining the Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee, Anita was a Senior Legislative Aide in the California State Assembly. Anita Lee holds a Bachelor of Arts in Political Economy from the University of California, Berkeley.

The Honorable Connie M. Leyva

California State Legislature, Senate District 20

Chair, Senate Education Committee; Chair, Democratic Caucus of the State Senate

Reelected to represent the 20th State Senate District in 2018, Senator Connie M. Leyva is serving her second term in the California State Senate. The district includes the cities and communities of Bloomington, Chino, Colton, Fontana, Grand Terrace, Montclair, Muscoy, Ontario, Pomona, Rialto and San Bernardino. As State Senator, Senator Leyva is committed to improving California's schools, environment and communities, as well as creating quality jobs throughout the 20th State Senate District and California. She firmly believes that California families benefit most when we invest in and help strengthen small businesses and other job drivers that create good paying jobs in our local communities. Senator Leyva serves as Democratic Caucus Chair of the California State Senate and chair of Senate Education Committee.

During her first term in office, Senator Leyva authored important education legislation signed into law, including

- Improve career technical education at California community colleges (SB 66)
- Extend career technical education course options for high school students (SB 1123)
- Expand educational services for homeless students (SB 1068)
- Ensure stronger student voices on school boards (SB 532)

A lifelong activist standing up for working people and families, Senator Leyva started working at her local Alpha Beta market as a senior in high school. She served as both Union Representative and President of the United Food and Commercial Workers (UFCW) Local 1428, helping grocery workers gain a stronger voice for fair wages and benefits. Following in that tradition of community service and action to improve the lives of others, she was elected in 2004 as the first woman President of the California Labor Federation, representing more than 2.1 million workers throughout the state.

Raised in Chino, Senator Leyva has lived in the Inland Empire since she was a small child. She attended local schools and graduated from the University of Redlands with a bachelor's degree in communicative disorders. Senator Leyva and her husband Al, live in Chino and are the proud parents of adult twin daughters, Allie and Jessie.

The Honorable Monique Limón
California State Legislature, Assembly District 37
Chair, Banking & Finance; Member, Budget Subcommittee on Education

Assemblymember Monique Limón was elected to the Assembly in November 2016 and represents the 37th district that includes over half of the County of Santa Barbara, as well as nearly a quarter of the County of Ventura. Born and raised in the 37th district, Monique has worked continuously to serve her community as an educator, leader, and an advocate for causes advancing the quality of life in her community.

For Monique, education has always been a priority. A UC Berkeley graduate with a Masters degree from Columbia University, Monique served two terms on the Santa Barbara Unified School Board and as Assistant Director for the McNair Scholars Program at the University of California, Santa Barbara prior to serving in the Assembly.

Women's issues are also a priority for Monique. As former Commissioner on the Santa Barbara County Commission for Women she helped connect private and public resources with women in the community. Monique has a passion for bringing community groups together and building strong coalitions among local nonprofit organizations and civic groups. Monique's roots go deep in the 37th district. Her extended network of family and friends include a range of small business owners and important leaders in the community. Her husband, Michael Medel, works at Santa Barbara City College as Director of Admissions and Records and serves as President of the 19th District Agricultural Association. Monique and Michael were both raised in the area and currently live in Goleta.

Marvin Martinez**President, East Los Angeles College****President, Chief Executive Officers of the California Community Colleges (CEOCCC) Board**

Marvin Martinez is the President of East Los Angeles College, one of the largest Hispanic serving institutions in the nation serving nearly 60,000 students annually. In his role as President, Mr. Martinez oversees more than 1,300 employees and a budget of nearly \$100 million. He is responsible for the college's building efforts, which include the completion of three new on-campus buildings and the development of a permanent offsite center in the City of South Gate.

Prior to arriving at East Los Angeles College, Mr. Martinez served as President of Los Angeles Harbor College from August 2010 through July 2013. In his role as college President at Los Angeles Harbor College, he was responsible for \$444 million in bond construction, balancing the college budget in his first year as college President, and making significant gains in student success. Prior to his role as LACCD's Vice Chancellor of Economic and Workforce Development, Marvin Martinez worked as the Vice President of Planning and Development at Santa Monica College and Dean of Business and Industry. He began his community college career at Cerritos College in 1989 as the Director of Economic Development and Coordinator of the Vocational and Applied Technology Education Act.

President Martinez is a native of El Salvador. He immigrated to Brooklyn, New York and then moved to Long Beach, CA where he graduated from Long Beach Wilson High. He holds a Master of Arts in Urban Planning and a Bachelor of Arts in English from UCLA. He is a father of four.

Jim Moreno**Trustee, Coast CCD****President, California Community College Trustee (CCCT) Board
President, League Board of Directors**

Jim Moreno has been a public servant for over 35 years, was elected to the Coast CCD in 2006 and is serving his fourth term. He has served as president, vice president, and clerk of his board. He served as a chief deputy to a member of the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors, as chair of the Citizen Participation Advisory Board for the City of Huntington Beach and as a volunteer at the Live Oak Adult Literacy Program. Jim was elected to the California Community College Trustees (CCCT) Board in 2011 and currently serves as its president. He serves as Clerk of the Board of Trustees, and is on the Coast Board of Trustees' Audit and Budget Committee. Jim earned a graduate degree from CSU Northridge, holds a bachelor's degree from CSU Long Beach, and is a graduate of East Los Angeles Community College. He resides in Huntington Beach, California.

Christian Osmeña**Vice Chancellor for Finance and Facilities Planning, California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office**

Christian Osmeña oversees the division responsible for formulating policies that determine the distribution of local assistance and capital outlay funds for the state's 72 community college districts, along with the construction and remodeling of new buildings and centers. Vice Chancellor Osmeña is responsible for aligning budget policy with the Vision for Success.

Before joining the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office, Vice Chancellor Osmeña worked at the California Department of Finance, where he served as a principal program budget analyst responsible for the office's analyses of issues related to higher education, as an analyst responsible for various education programs, and as a liaison to the Legislature. Prior to joining the Department of Finance, he served in the California Office of the Governor, first as the assistant to the governor's chief of staff and later as a deputy cabinet secretary.

Vice Chancellor Osmeña earned a bachelor's degree in political science from the University of California, Berkeley, and a master's degree in public administration from the University of Southern California. He is currently pursuing a doctorate in education at the University of California, Davis.

Dr. Manuel Pastor**Director of the Program for Environmental and Regional Equity and Professor, University of Southern California**

Dr. Manuel Pastor is a professor of sociology and American studies and ethnicity at the University of Southern California, where he also serves as director of the Program for Environmental and Regional Equity and as co-director of USC's Center for the Study of Immigrant Integration. Dr. Pastor has received Guggenheim and Fulbright fellowships as well as the 2012 Wally Marks Changemaker of the Year award from the Liberty Hill Foundation and is author of *State of Resistance: What California's Dizzying Descent and Remarkable Resurgence Mean for America's Future* (The New Press). He currently holds the Turpanjian Chair in Civil Society and Social Change at USC.

Bernie Rhinerson**Trustee, San Diego CCD****Chair, Advisory Committee on Legislation**

Bernie Rhinerson is the chair of the League's Advisory Committee on Legislation. In 2012, he was elected to the Board of Trustee for San Diego Community College District. Rhinerson has a strong background both in K-12 education as well as the private sector.

The Honorable Scott Wilk
California State Legislature, Senate District 21
Vice Chair, Senate Education Committee

Scott Wilk represents the 21st Senate District which includes the Antelope, Santa Clarita and Victor valleys. Before being elected to the Senate, Scott represented the 38th Assembly District for four years, where his focus was on job creation. During his first year in the Senate, Wilk authored landmark legislation creating a new water agency in the Santa Clarita Valley. Wilk also received approval by the Joint Legislative Audit Committee for an audit of the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) to ensure that funding is equitably distributed to all areas of LA County.

In 2018, Wilk was the recipient of Easterseals California's "2018 Senate Champion Award." The award was presented to him in recognition of his continuing legislative work on behalf of children and adults with disabilities. In 2014, Wilk was the only California legislator selected by the non-partisan, non-profit State Legislative Leaders Foundation to attend the prestigious Emerging Leaders Program held at the University of Virginia.

Scott serves as vice chair of four Senate Committees – the Committees on Education, Agriculture, Rules and Governmental Organization. In addition to his vice chairmanships, he is a member of the Committees on Business, Professions and Economic Development; and Veterans Affairs. In 2018 he was unanimously elected by his colleagues to the 5-member Senate Rules Committee, which is responsible for reviewing gubernatorial appointments and the internal rules of the house. Scott and his wife, Vanessa, reside in Santa Clarita with their two spoiled dogs. They have two adult children, Scott, Jr. and Alison.

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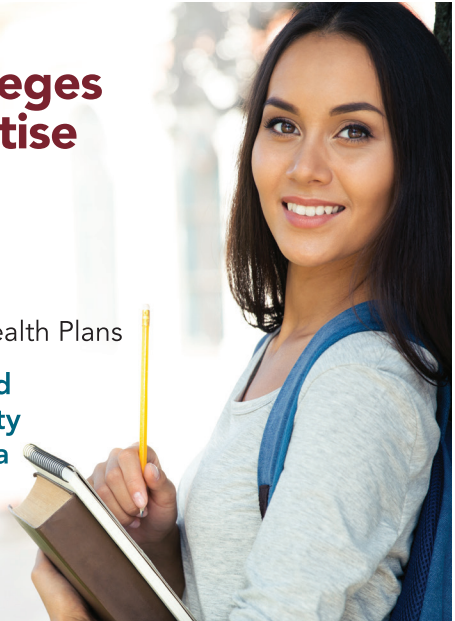
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