

# Central Mother Lode Regional Consortium

July 2016

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Welcome to the July edition of the  
Central/Mother Lode Regional Consortium  
monthly newsletter.  
Be sure to visit [our website](#) to see more details  
on all of this information!

### Next Steering Committee Meeting

August 3, 2016

9:00 am – 2:00 pm

Clovis Community College, Herndon Campus

Please RSVP to [allyson.adams@sccd.edu](mailto:allyson.adams@sccd.edu) or (559) 324-6444

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9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Clovis Community College, Herndon Campus

390 W. Fir, Bldg. B, Room 305

Clovis, CA 93611

[Link to Agenda](#)

## California Community College System Names Student Success Champion and First Latino Chancellor

In a historic move, the California Community Colleges Board of Governors chose Eloy Ortiz Oakley to become the system's next Chancellor. Oakley will be the first Latino to serve as Chancellor of a system that serves over 2.3 million students, 42% of whom are Latino.



To read the full text of the press release, please click [here](#).

## Central/Mother Lode Regional Stakeholder Meetings

With the **Legislature's passage of the State Budget that includes \$200M for Strong Workforce** and the anticipated budget signing by Governor Brown, CRC colleges will have an opportunity to carry forward the momentum of their strategic and master plans in relationship to CTE programs by providing more options and higher quality CTE programs.

It is a very exciting time for our community college students as we work towards addressing labor market demands so that students can obtain gainful employment within our region. Through CTE Enhancement Funds grant-funded programs, CRC colleges have demonstrated tangible success in making strides towards these goals, as well as success in regional efforts. The infusion of these new funds will take local and regional planning efforts to another level and one that will allow colleges to meet their needs.

### All Stakeholder Meetings

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## **Now Available: Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act Final Rules**

The U.S. departments of Labor and Education have collectively issued five rules to implement the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) (Pub. L. 113–128). President Barack Obama signed WIOA into law on July 22, 2014. WIOA is landmark legislation that is designed to strengthen and improve our nation's public workforce system and help get Americans, including youths and those with significant barriers to employment, into high-quality jobs and careers and help employers hire and retain skilled workers.

The U.S. departments of Labor and Education announce the advanced posting of the following:

- *Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act: Joint Rule for Unified and Combined State Plans, Performance Accountability, and the One-Stop System Joint Provisions; Final Rule*
- *Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act; Department of Labor-only Final Rule*

- *Programs and Activities Authorized by the Adult Education and Family Literacy Act (Title II of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act); Final Rule*
- *State Vocational Rehabilitation Services Program; State Supported Employment Services Program; Limitations on use of subminimum wage; Final Rule*
- *Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act, Miscellaneous program changes; Final Rule*

These rules will formally publish in the Federal Register in the coming weeks and will be available on the Federal Register's public inspection website

at <https://www.federalregister.gov/>. For a preview of these documents, please visit

<https://www.doleta.gov/wioa/>, <https://www.ed.gov/aefta>, and <http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/osers/ras/wioa-reauthorization.html>.

For more information and the most recent updates, please visit the Department of Labor's WIOA landing page at [www.doleta.gov/WIOA](http://www.doleta.gov/WIOA) and the [Innovation and Opportunity Network on WorkforceGPS \(ION\)](#), which features technical assistance on strategies fundamental to WIOA implementation, such as customer-centered design, strategic boards, career pathways and sector strategies. It will also host technical assistance specific to the regulations as it is available. Use ION to find peer learning groups and calls, fact sheets, and details on training events.

Disclaimer: this regulation has been submitted to the Office of the Federal Register (OFR) for publication, and is currently pending placement on public inspection at the OFR and publication in the Federal Register. This version of the regulations may vary slightly from the published document if minor technical or formatting changes are made during the OFR review process. Only the version published in the Federal Register is the official regulation.

## Centers of Excellence Updates

Labor Market Information Guides

Demand and Supply Data Tools

Business Information Workers Study



### Guides for Using Labor Market Information

Recently, the number of data sources for LMI has grown considerably, making it difficult to know which are best suited to the question most often asked by community colleges. These two new guides will help demystify labor market data:

- [Making Use of Labor Market Information Guide](#)
- [Understanding Labor Market Information Resources](#)

### Demand and Supply Tools

Conducting a program review? Doing analysis of your CTE portfolio? Looking for data to kick-start regional conversations about program alignment? The Centers of Excellence have a suite of tools to support your decision-making with labor market data. [Click here](#) to access the Demand and Supply Data Tools.

### Employer Demand for Business Information Workers (BIW 2) in California

The Centers of Excellence for Labor Market Research collaborated with the Sector Navigator for ICT/Digital Media to conduct a study assessing the potential for employers to hire business information workers (BIW 2) trained by community colleges. The BIW pathway prepares students for entry-level and mid-level jobs and offers training in areas such as computer office applications, social media support, and customer relations. [Read the report.](#)

Contact a regional COE Director today for more information on available products and services. [Click here](#) for the list of COE Directors.

## WEDPAC/EDPAC/Strong Advisory Updates

- [July 27, 2016 Meeting Agenda](#)
- [Local Share Overview PowerPoint – July 22, 2016](#)
- [Review of HVACR Certificate Programs in Southern California](#)
- [June 24, 2016 Meeting Summary Notes](#)
- [Regional Planning PowerPoint – June 24, 2016](#)

## Statewide CTE Advisories

If you are willing and interested in serving on the CTE Leadership Committee, please complete a [State Level Application Form](#).

## CCCAOE – Request for Input Please Respond by August 15th

On behalf of Salvador Vargas, our CCCAOE, Central Valley/Mother Lode Regional Vice President, please take a few minutes of your time to provide input into an important topic being reviewed by the System Advisory Committee on Curriculum (SACC). The committee is currently discussing comingling credit and not-for credit students in one classroom environment, due to the need for additional experiences for CTE students in some courses that are prohibited by Title 5 Section 55040.

Please take a moment to complete the attached survey so that your input may be collected and shared. Your survey response is due by August 15th to be included.

Survey: [CCCAOE Input for SACC](#)

## Grant Opportunity – USDA Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Foundational Program

Multiple Grants Available: Due dates July 13, 2016 – August 17, 2016, depending on grant

The Foundational Program is the largest of all the Agriculture and Food Research Initiative grants and is offered to support grants in the six AFRI priority areas to continue building a foundation of knowledge critical for solving current and future societal challenges. Grants are expected to address one of the Program Area Priorities (see Foundational Program RFA for details).

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$130,000,000

Please click [here](#) to view grant descriptions and Request For Applications.

## Upcoming Funding Opportunities

DOL Announces \$100 Million Funding Opportunity Through America's Promise Job-driven Grant Program

**DEADLINE: AUGUST 25, 2016**

- Designed to create a competitive workforce by developing or expanding regional partnerships and sector strategies – streamlining efforts and leveraging existing resources – and creating innovative tuition-free education and training opportunities that connect Americans to high-demand middle- to high-skill occupations.
- Fund 20–40 grants from \$1M – \$6M each to regional workforce partnerships across the US
- Click [here](#) for grant program details and application

## CRC Key Talent Road Show...Next Up College of the Sequoias – August 31, 2016

Join Bakersfield College, San Joaquin Delta College and College of the Sequoias in being able to boast that your college has hosted a "CRC Road Show" which gathers all of the region's key talent (regional chair, deputy sector navigators, CEO, SB1070 and Prop 39 project directors) together to visit your college!

Help us to get to know you better and vice versa. The Road Show structure involves:

- A tour of the college, including CTE classrooms and labs
- Lunch with faculty and administrators
- Key Talent presentations
- Q & A session
- An opportunity to meet together in small, industry focused groups

The Road Show objectives are as follows:

1. Strengthen communication between the CRC, Key Talent and CRC colleges
2. Develop a better understanding of the programs at CRC colleges
3. Identify ways to better support CRC colleges as it relates to CRC's CTE programs and Doing What Matters for Jobs in the Economy/CCCCO

If you are interested in hosting a Road Show at your college, please contact [Karri Hammerstrom](#).



## Community College Student Graphic Design Competition

Entry Deadline October 15, 2016

The Small Business Sector wants a California Community College student designed logo for our new website developed for educators to share entrepreneur teaching resources. The winner will receive an Adobe Creative Cloud License (valued at \$600).



Design parameters and submission requirements will be released soon.

## EVENTS

### CA-RHT Sector

#### Central/Mother Lode Regional Educator Advisory

August 20, 2016

8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Merced College Business Resource Center

The world famous Disney Institute is returning to the Central Valley! Join us on Saturday, August 20th for a 90 minute Disney Institute

program followed by the Central Region CA-RHT Advisory. Hear about job projections and industry updates (the 2014 "Skill Standards for Customer Service" regional Industry Advisory is being re-validated). CTE Educators, Industry Partners, and College and High School Career Pipeline Partners are invited to participate and help set policy for the future of the region!



To register, please click [here](#).

## REGISTRATION OPEN !!

Central Valley/Mother Lode 2016 Counselor Conference  
DoubleTree, Modesto, CA  
September 9, 2016

The Central Valley/Mother Lode Region High School and Community College 2016 Counselor Conference is an opportunity to learn about high demand, high paying industry endorsed jobs in the Central Valley/Mother Lode Region. This year's conference also offers a special Principal/Administrator Track.



Who should attend?

- High School and Community College Counselors, Administrators and Student Advisors
- CTE Faculty, Instructors and Deans
- Student Success Advisors
- Club Advisors
- Workforce Investment Boards
- Industry Partners
- Economic Development

For more information, including the agenda, please visit:

[www.crc-cc.com](http://www.crc-cc.com).

[REGISTER HERE](#)

## SAVE THE DATE !!

California Partnership for the San Joaquin Valley  
2016 Summit

October 5, 2016, 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Fresno, CA

It's been a decade since the California Partnership for the San Joaquin Valley began bringing together experts and leaders committed to a common vision – a prosperous economy, quality environment, and social equity throughout the San Joaquin Valley.



The Partnership provides an organizational framework for collaboration to connect, collaborate, and advocate around issues impacting the quality of life in the eight-county San Joaquin Valley.

Summit includes keynote speaker, lunch, panel discussion, and afternoon reception.

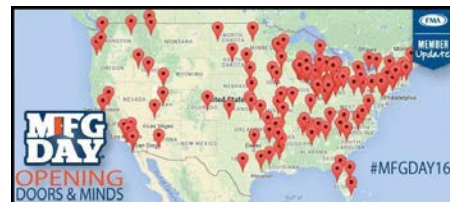
For more information contact:

Marcia Martin, 559-278-0179, [mamartin@csufresno.edu](mailto:mamartin@csufresno.edu) or visit the [website](#).

## Manufacturing Day 2016

October 7, 2016

More than 200 organizations across the country have already planned and registered their 2016 Manufacturing Day events at [mfgday.com](http://mfgday.com). The



Fabricators & Manufacturers Association (FMA) encourages all members to participate in this movement to improve the image of manufacturing. Some ideas for events include:

- Conducting plant tours with your elected officials and the public
- Holding a career fair or workshop with local students
- Hosting an open house with a barbeque or picnic for visitors and employees' family members

[Register your event](#) on the official calendar as soon as possible.

If you have never hosted an event before and need help in getting started, check out the guides, toolkits, and pre-recorded webinars you'll find in the [MFG DAY Resource Center](#).

## SAVE THE DATE!!

### Orosi High School Career Day

October 7, 2016

Calling all business leaders, professionals, community members, and alumni!! The Orosi High School College and Career Center is in search of individuals who want to "Give Back" and volunteer to be an Orosi High School Career Day Guest Presenter.

Students need every opportunity possible to learn about the various college and career paths to success, the diversity in career occupations, similar or differing backgrounds to achieve post-secondary success and, most importantly, they need opportunities to learn about what employers seek in employees and what it will take to be successful in the workforce.

If you have an interest in speaking or having a table, please [click here](#) for contact information.

## SAVE THE DATE!!

### NACCE2016: Innovate Now

October 8-11, 2016

Sacramento, CA

Invent, launch and create positive change in your classroom, community, campus and Board Room.



NACCE2016: Innovate Now is about transformation and seizing the windows to opportunity. NACCE2016 will share solutions and focus on providing the tools to ignite and innovate at all levels and share actionable examples of staff applying the entrepreneurial method to common community college challenges. Not only will you walk away with an action plan for your campus, you will have a community of entrepreneurial catalysts from across the US to turn to for ideas post-conference.

For more information or to register, please click [here](#).

A limited number of educator stipends are available to cover the cost of conference registration and hotel stay. Availability is on a first ask, first receive basis. To request a stipend for NACCE2016, contact Small Business DSN Lorinda Forrest at [lforrest@deltacollege.edu](mailto:lforrest@deltacollege.edu).

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## ASCCC Events and Meetings 2016–2017

The Academic Senate for California Community Colleges will host the following events for their 2016–17 Calendar Year. Please click on the links to the website registration for more information as it becomes available. Please contact [edie@asccc.org](mailto:edie@asccc.org) for questions or further information.

### [2016 Academic Academy October Institute](#)

October 7–8, 2016  
The Westin South Coast Plaza

### [2016 Fall Plenary Session](#)

November 3–5, 2016  
The Westin South Coast Plaza

### [2017 Accreditation Institute](#)

February 17–18, 2016  
Napa Valley Marriott

### [2017 Innovation and Instructional Design](#)

March 17–18, 2017  
San Jose Marriott

[2017 Spring Plenary Session](#)

April 20–22, 2017

[2017 CTE Leadership Institute](#)

May 5–6, 2017

San Jose Marriott

[2017 Faculty Leadership Institute](#)

June 15–17, 2017

Sheraton Sacramento

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## Meetings of Interest

### San Joaquin Valley Manufacturing Alliance Quarterly Meeting

August 15, 2016

11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Clovis, CA

[Agenda and Registration](#)

### CCCAOE Fall 2016 Conference

September 27–19, 2016

Rancho Mirage, CA

<https://www.cccaoc.org/>

### National Career Pathways Network (NCPN) Annual Conference & Preconference

October 5–7, 2016

Indianapolis, IN

<http://www.ncpn.info/2016-ncpn-conf.php>

### ACTE Career Tech Vision 2016

November 30–December 3, 2016

Las Vegas, NV

<https://www.careertechvision.com/>

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## Upcoming CRC Meetings and Events

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**September 26, 2016**

**4:00 pm – 8:00 pm**

Omni Ranch Las Palma, Rancho Mirage, (Pre-CCCAOE)

**November 17, 2016**

**9:00 am – 2:00 pm**

Modesto Junior College

**February 9, 2017**

**9:00 am – 2:00 pm**

Columbia College, Sonora

**March/April 2017**

**4:00 pm – 8:00 pm**

Pre-Spring CCCAOE

**June 12-14, 2017**

CRC Annual Planning Conference, Monterey, CA

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**CRC CIO Meeting**

July 27, 2016

**CRC CEO/CVHEC Meeting**

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**If you have events or news that you would like to share with colleagues in the region, please let us know!**

**Best,**  
**Karri Hammerstrom, M.P.A., Chair,**  
**Central/Mother Lode Region Consortium**

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