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California Community Colleges Chancellor Jack Scott Announces Nearly \$37 Million in U.S. Department of Education Grants Awarded to 34 Colleges to Help Latino Students
System receives a third of entire national grant funds for colleges with more than 25% Hispanic enrollments

SACRAMENTO, Calif. – California Community Colleges Chancellor Jack Scott today said that 34 of the system's colleges have been awarded nearly \$37 million in Hispanic-Serving Institutions grants from the U.S. Department of Education. The funds will make a college education attainable for Latino students while expanding and enhancing the academic offerings, program quality and institutional stability at the campuses.

The federal government awarded \$107.4 million to colleges and universities nationwide that have more than 25 percent Hispanic enrollments. The California Community Colleges received a third of the total available grant funding. Roughly \$100 million of the funding is earmarked to enhance science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) components at colleges. The other \$7 million was awarded through the Developing Hispanic-Serving Institutions program to further educational opportunities for students.

"This is tremendous news for our system and even better news for those who will directly benefit from these grants," said Chancellor Scott. "The funds will help Hispanic students achieve their educational goals while improving the pool of highly skilled individuals who can strengthen California's economy and compete globally."

The grants are awarded for a five-year period. The first-year grants were determined through a competitive process. Four additional years are provided as non-competitive continuation grants subject to Congressional approval each fiscal year. The funds can be used to purchase scientific or laboratory equipment for teaching, construct or renovate facilities, purchase educational materials, develop curriculum, enhance tutoring and counseling programs, provide teacher education and supplement other student support services.

The U.S. Department of Education awarded two types of STEM grants to colleges and universities: individual development grants and cooperative grants. The average individual development grant awarded to California community colleges is \$948,550 per year and the average cooperative grant amount is nearly \$1.2 million. The

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cooperative funds are designated to develop academic programs at different institutions in partnership, with one college specified as the lead institution. Glendale Community College, Antelope Valley College, Hartnell College and Taft College all secured cooperative grants as the lead institution, in addition to individual development grants. Merced College and San Joaquin Delta College are sub-grantees on a cooperative grant awarded to California State University, Stanislaus which is the lead institution. Citrus College and Riverside Community College received separate Developing Hispanic-Serving Institutions grant awards of \$700,000 and \$586,255 respectively.

Each of the 34 colleges will be required to complete an interim performance report due six months after the grant's start date. An annual performance report is required 90 days after each one-year budget period. That report will include data on student enrollment, retention and graduation rates in the STEM fields.

The [California Community Colleges](#) is the largest system of higher education in the nation. It is composed of 72 districts and 112 colleges serving 2.6 million students per year. Community colleges supply workforce training, basic skills courses in English and math, and prepare students for transfer to four-year colleges and universities. The Chancellor's Office provides leadership, advocacy and support under the direction of the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges.

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Editor's Note: See the attached list of California community colleges receiving grants and the total amounts funded.



CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGES
CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE

CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGES RECEIVING DEVELOPMENT & COOPERATIVE GRANTS FOR SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MATH PROGRAMS:

Aptos, California

Grantee: Cabrillo College
Year One Funding: \$868,509
Director's Name: Jo-Ann Panzardi
Phone Number: (831) 479-6497
Email Address: JP@CABRILLO.EDU

Bakersfield, California

Grantee: Kern Community College District-
 Bakersfield College
Year One Funding: \$1,199,999
Director's Name: J. O'Connor
Phone Number: (661) 395-4224
Email Address: DOCONNOR@BAKERSFIELDCOLLEGE.EDU

Gilroy, California

Grantee: Gavilan Joint Community College
 District
Year One Funding: \$1,200,000
Director's Name: Frances Lozano
Phone Number: (408) 848-4702
Email Address: FLOZANO@GAVILAN.EDU

Glendale, California

Grantee: Glendale Community College
Year One Funding: \$1,199,992
Director's Name: Cathy Durham
Phone Number: (818) 240-1000
Email Address: CDURHAM@GLENDALE.EDU

Grantee: Glendale Community College
Year One Funding: \$869,999
Director's Name: Cathy Durham

Phone Number: (818) 240-1000
Email Address: CDURHAM@GLENDALE.EDU

Glendora, California

Grantee: Citrus Community College District
Year One Funding: \$870,000
Director's Name: Sylvia Smythe
Phone Number: (626) 857-4172
Email Address: SSMYTHE@CITRUSCOLLEGE.EDU

Lancaster, California

Grantee: Antelope Valley College
Year One Funding: \$1,198,489
Director's Name: Christos Valiotis
Phone Number: (661) 722-6422
Email Address: CVALIOTIS@AVC.EDU

Grantee: Antelope Valley College
Year One Funding: \$869,986
Director's Name: Robert Bell
Phone Number: (661) 722-6300
Email Address: RBELL9@AVC.EDU

Martinez, California

Grantee: Contra Costa Community College,
Contra Costa College
Year One Funding: \$728,811
Director's Name: Mayra Padilla
Phone Number: (510) 917-2998
Email Address: MAYRALPADILLA@YAHOO.COM

Modesto, California

Grantee: Modesto Junior College
Year One Funding: \$869,592
Director's Name: Jenni Abbott
Phone Number: (209) 575-7795
Email Address: ABBOTTJ@MJC.EDU

Monterey Park, California

Grantee: East Los Angeles College
Year One Funding: \$1,200,000
Director's Name: Armando Rivera-Figueroa

Phone Number: (323) 780-6780
Email Address: RIVERAA@ELAC.EDU

Moreno Valley, California

Grantee: Riverside Community College
District/Moreno Valley College

Year One Funding: \$867,869

Director's Name: Maureen Chavez

Phone Number: (951) 571-6259

Email Address:

Napa, California

Grantee: Napa Valley Community College
District -- Research, Planning &
Developme

Year One Funding: \$788,581

Director's Name: Jose Hernandez

Phone Number: (707) 253-3179

Email Address: JHERNANDEZ@NAPAVALLEY.EDU

Norco, California

Grantee: Riverside Community College/Norco
Campus

Year One Funding: \$868,772

Director's Name: Kevin Fleming

Phone Number: (951) 739-7880

Email Address: KEVIN.FLEMING@NORCOCOLLEGE.EDU

Norwalk, California

Grantee: Cerritos College -- Science, Eng., and
Math Div.

Year One Funding: \$840,277

Director's Name: Carolyn Chambers

Phone Number: (562) 860-2451

Email Address: CCHAMBERS@CERRITOS.EDU

Pasadena, California

Grantee: Pasadena City College

Year One Funding: \$1,200,000

Director's Name: Dave Douglass

Phone Number: (626) 585-7140

Email Address: DNDOUGLASS@PASADENA.EDU

Pittsburg, California

Grantee: Los Medanos College(Contra Costa Community College District)

Year One Funding: \$813,263

Director's Name: Ruth Goodin

Phone Number: (925) 439-2181

Email Address: RGOODIN@LOSMEDANOS.EDU

Redwood City, California

Grantee: San Mateo County Community College District-Canada College -- Canada College OPEID 00697300 Science & Technology

Year One Funding: \$1,190,899

Director's Name: Amelito Enriquez

Phone Number: (650) 306-3261

Email Address: ENRIQUEZ@SMCCD.EDU

Reedley, California

Grantee: Reedley College

Year One Funding: \$870,000

Director's Name: Marie Byrd

Phone Number: (559) 638-3641

Email Address: MARIE.BYRD@REEDLEYCOLLEGE.EDU

SANTA BARBARA, California

Grantee: SANTA BARBARA CITY COLLEGE -- EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

Year One Funding: \$787,803

Director's Name: IGNACIO ALARCON

Phone Number: (805) 965-0581

Email Address: ALARCON@SBCC.EDU

Salinas, California

Grantee: Hartnell Community College District -- Science and Math Department Academic Affairs

Year One Funding: \$860,000

Director's Name: Gary Hughes

Phone Number: (831) 755-6870

Email Address: GHUGHES@HARTNELL.EDU

Grantee: Hartnell Community College District --
Science and Math Department
Academic Affairs

Year One Funding: \$1,200,000

Director's Name: Gary Hughes

Phone Number: (831) 755-6870

Email Address: GHUGHES@HARTNELL.EDU

San Bernardino, California

Grantee: San Bernardino Valley College

Year One Funding: \$951,456

Director's Name: Jeremiah Gilbert

Phone Number: (909) 387-8903

Email Address: JEGILBER@SBCCD.CC.CA.US

San Jacinto, California

Grantee: Mt. San Jacinto Community College
District

Year One Funding: \$819,042

Director's Name: Carlos Lopez

Phone Number: (951) 487-3410

Email Address: CLOPEZ@MSJC.EDU

San Marcos, California

Grantee: Palomar Community College District --
Office of Instruction Instructional
Services

Year One Funding: \$870,000

Director's Name: Dan Sourbeer

Phone Number: (760) 744-1150

Email Address: DSOURBEER@PALOMAR.EDU

Santa Ana, California

Grantee: Rancho Santiago Comm. College
District - Santa Ana College

Year One Funding: \$1,193,110

Director's Name: Micki Bryant

Phone Number: (714) 564-6079

Email Address: BRYANT_MICKI@SAC.EDU

Santa Maria, California

Grantee: Allan Hancock College Joint
Community College District -- Life and
Physical Sciences Academic Affairs

Year One Funding: \$869,817

Director's Name: Paul Murphy

Phone Number: (805) 922-6966

Email Address: PMURPHY@HANCOCKCOLLEGE.EDU

Santa Monica, California

Grantee: Santa Monica College -- Latino Center
Student Affairs

Year One Funding: \$1,192,468

Director's Name: Brenda Benson

Phone Number: (310) 434-4433

Email Address: BENSON_BRENDA@SMC.EDU

Stockton, California

Grantee: San Joaquin Delta Community College
District -- Office of Planning and Res.
President's Office

Year One Funding: \$831,763

Director's Name: Cassandra Hernandez-Vives

Phone Number: (209) 954-5318

Email Address: CHERNANDEZ-VIVES@DELTACOLLEGE.EDU

Sylmar, California

Grantee: Los Angeles Mission College

Year One Funding: \$868,500

Director's Name: Mike Reynolds

Phone Number: (818) 364-7695

Email Address: REYNOLMJ@LAMISSION.EDU

Taft, California

Grantee: Taft College

Year One Funding: \$870,000

Director's Name: Val Garcia

Phone Number: (661) 763-7945

Email Address: VGARCIA@TAFTCOLLEGE.EDU

Grantee: Taft College

Year One Funding: \$1,199,635

Director's Name: Val Garcia
Phone Number: (661) 763-7945
Email Address: VGARCIA@TAFTCOLLEGE.EDU

Torrance, California

Grantee: El Camino College -- Office of Resource Development Student Community Advancement

Year One Funding: \$869,627

Director's Name: Lars Kjeseth
Phone Number: (310) 660-5226
Email Address: LKJSETH@ELCAMINO.EDU

Valley Glen, California

Grantee: Los Angeles Valley College

Year One Funding: \$869,689

Director's Name: Syed Hussain
Phone Number: (818) 947-2657
Email Address: HUSSAISK@LAVC.EDU

Ventura, California

Grantee: Ventura County Community College District -- Oxnard College

Year One Funding: \$1,200,000

Director's Name: Cynthia Herrera
Phone Number: (805) 986-5944
Email Address: CYNTHIA_HERRERA@VCCCD.EDU

Wilmington, California

Grantee: Los Angeles Harbor College -- Economic Development

Year One Funding: \$869,253

Director's Name: Robert Richards
Phone Number: (310) 233-4044
Email Address: RICHARR@LAHC.EDU

Yucaipa, California

Grantee: Crafton Hills College

Year One Funding: \$870,000

Director's Name: Richard Hogrefe
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Email Address: RHOGREFE@CRAFTONHILLS.EDU

FY 2011 Developing Hispanic-Serving Institutions Awards

Glendora, California

Grantee: Citrus Community College District -- ,
Year One Funding: \$700,000
Director's Name: Rafael Herrera
Phone Number: (626) 857-4078
Email Address: RHERRERA@CITRUSCOLLEGE.EDU

Riverside, California

Grantee: Riverside Community College
 District/Riverside City College -- ,
Year One Funding: \$586,255
Director's Name: Marilyn Martinez-Flores
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Email Address: MARILYN.MARTINEZ-FLORES@RCC.EDU

Total funds statewide for California Community Colleges:	<u>\$36,993,456</u>
Number of grants received:	39
Average per grant:	\$948,550
Maximum grant value:	\$1,200,000
Minimum grant value:	\$586,255
% of Total grant funding (\$107.8 million):	34.32%
Total Grant Funds reported:	107,422,924
Total Number of other Institutions:	83
% of Total grant funding (reported):	34.44%