College Access and Success Design Strategy Session

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Welcome
College Access and Success Design Strategy Session

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Agenda

Welcoming Remarks
Dr. Tom Peters, President and CEO, Marin Community Foundation

I. Overview
Marcia Quiñones, Program Director, College Access and Success, Marin Community Foundation
1. Goals for today’s discussion:
   • Statewide Landscape: Shared understanding of K-12 and community college initiatives impacting equity in Marin
   • Asset & Gap Analysis: Begin collective assessment of current educational efforts & partnerships in addressing equity

II. Connecting the Statewide Landscape To Your Local Work
Linda Collins, Executive Director, Career Ladders Project

III. Self-Assessment of an Effective Community College/K-12/CBO Partnership & Asset Mapping
Dr. Laurie Scolari, Initiative Director, & Rachel Antrobus, Strategic Partnerships Manager, Career Ladders Project

IV. Discussion of Three Effective Strategies and Gap Analysis
Dr. Laurie Scolari & Rachel Antrobus, Career Ladders Project
1. System-Wide Data Sharing
2. Removal of Access Barriers
3. Cross System Collaboration

V. Closing and Next Steps
Marcia Quiñones, Marin Community Foundation
MCF’s Goals for Today’s Discussion

• Statewide Landscape: Shared understanding of K-12 and community college initiatives impacting equity in Marin

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Connecting Your Local Work to the Statewide Landscape

CA Community Colleges

- Basic Skills Initiative
- Enhanced Non-Credit (SB361)
- Assoc. Degrees for Transfer (SB1440)
- Student Success Act of 2012
  - Online Education Initiative
  - Education Planning Initiative
  - Common Assessment Initiative
  - Multiple Measures Workgroup
- Scorecard and System Completion Goals
- Proposition 30 funding
- Doing What Matters
- Student Equity Plans (SB860)
- CTE Enhancement Fund
- CCC Bachelor’s Degrees (SB850)
- Dual Enrollment AB288*
- Task Force: Workforce, Job Creation & a Strong Economy*

K12

- Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF)
- Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP)
- Common Core State Standards
- Smarter Balanced Assessment
- Next Generation Science Standards
- California Office to Reform Education (CORE) Waiver Districts
- AB 790

CCC/K12

- SB1070 CTE Pathways Program
- AB86: Adult Ed/CCC Regional Consortia
- AB86: CA Career Pathways Trust (CCPT)

* TBD: In process in 2015
Self-Assessment of an Effective Community College/K-12/CBO Partnership

• **Purpose of tool:**
  – Tool is designed to serve as a means to assess the state of your partnership between the K12, community college and CBO’s.
  – Addresses equity and access issues for students as they exit the K-12 system and enter community college.
  – Designed for communities to self-assess their strengths and challenges.
  – Allows for a collaborative discussion around future focal points and next steps.

• **Audience:** This tool is best used when K-12, Community College and CBO leadership, faculty, and staff are able to complete it together and discuss its implications.
Self-Assessment of an Effective Community College/K-12/CBO Partnership

• **Instructions**: Use the rating scale to assess each indicator to gauge your partnership status.

• **Colored dots**:

  - K-12
  - CC
  - CBO
  - County Office of Ed
Discussion of Three Effective Strategies

1. System-Wide Data Sharing
2. Removal of Access Barriers
3. Cross System Collaboration
Closing and Next Steps
Thank you!

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