

CaCN Roundtable 3 Resources

Career Education and Equity: Making the Most of Career Education Opportunities for Students of Color

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This resource is provided with special thanks to our CaCN Roundtable (*New Year, New Reality: Counseling strategies to meet our students' needs in a new environment* Panelists and Contributors).

Please share information and resources you feel are helpful with cacn@careeraddersproject.org.

To help you frame your thoughts, consider the following:

- What tools do you use in your most successful counseling sessions?
- What verbal/non-verbal behaviors do you employ to better serve students?
- What resources are important beyond the educational plan?
- Are there partnerships that you value and depend on to serve your students and how do you partner with them?

Articles and Archives

- [Pathways to a Post-Pandemic Workforce](#)
- [Equity Issues in College and Career Pathway Teaching and Learning Practices](#)
- EMSI [Degrees At Work; Examining the Serendipitous Outcomes of Diverse Degrees](#)
- [Data on display; Measuring the value of education](#)
- [Projections of occupational employment, 2016-26](#) by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, the projections are especially useful when advising about careers
- [National Career Development Association \(NCDA\)](#): a compilation of articles for counselor educators

Sample Course Materials

- [Pathway Ready; Advanced Transportation and Manufacturing](#): sample course outline courtesy of Los Angeles Trade Technology College
- [Pathway Ready; Welcome Packet: Advanced Transportation and Manufacturing](#): sample Welcome Packet courtesy of Los Angeles Trade Technology College
- [Counselor Applications Toolkit](#): a partial listing of software applications counselors are called on to utilize in their daily service to students. Courtesy of Gabriel Martinez, Berkeley City College

Videos & Podcasts

- [Using Labor Market Information for Career Counseling with Lori Strumpf](#)
- [JobTalk Podcast: Using Your Community College to Get Ahead](#) with Dr. Patricia Ramos, Dean, Santa Monica College
- [California Community College Video Library](#): a searchable collection of videos featuring career education fields

- [Success in the New Economy; How Prospective College Students can Gain a Competitive Advantage by Citrus College](#): a useful introduction to career education routes for high school and college students

Online Resources and Support Networks

- [AARP; Veteran resources](#): provides an online learning series to connect with resources and information for veterans
- [Bright Outlook Occupations](#) are expected to grow rapidly in the next several years, or will have large numbers of job openings
- [Bureau of Labor Statistics; Career Outlook](#): a rich publication and database on employment trends and economic releases
- [California Career Resource Network](#): California's official resource for career exploration and planning, providing training videos, lesson plans, and other practitioner related tools
- [CareerOneStop](#): a source for career exploration, training, and jobs
- [California Career Zone](#): an online platform that helps students navigate through their exploration and career decision-making journey
- [Center of Excellence](#): labor market information by region
- [Construction Trades Workforce Initiative \(CTWI\)](#): a nonprofit located in the SF Bay Area created by the Construction Union Trades to provide resources about Unions and Apprenticeships
- [Jobs for Felons in California](#): a resource to support students who may be justice-involved/ formerly incarcerated in obtaining employment
- [O*Net Online](#): a longstanding occupational outlook database to explore occupations
- [Perkins Collaborative Resource Network \(PCRN\)](#): career education information by state and resources for learning centers and practitioners
- [Tradeswomen, Inc](#): information and support for women interested in construction trades and apprenticeships

Professional Organizations

- [Alliance of Career Resource Professionals \(ACRP\)](#): State organizations that provide information, resources and training on career and education exploration. Organizations formerly known as ACRNA and ACSCA are now ACRP.
- [Association for Career and Technical Education \(ACTE\)](#): ACTE's mission is to provide educational leadership in developing a competitive workforce. ACTE strives to empower educators to deliver high quality CTE programs that ensure all students are positioned for career success.
- [California Association of School Counselors](#): provides leadership and advocacy for school counseling professionals in California. The association advocates for state and nation policies that support the creation of comprehensive school counseling systems based on the National Standards for School Counseling for California K–12.
- [California Career Development Association](#): a professional organization for career development practitioners to connect and collaborate on issues, policies, and practices relating to career development.

- [California Counseling Association \(CCA\)](#): CCA, a Branch of the American Counseling Association (ACA), is a non-profit professional association. It serves its members to advance the field of counseling in the broad areas of mental health, career and education. CCA acts as an umbrella organization for divisions and affiliates within the profession.
- [National Association of Colleges and Employers \(NACE\)](#): offers a community of college professionals up to date information on career and professional development as well as a job market for aspiring professionals in the field. Along with resources, it connects with a Community Center that houses current job opportunities and discussion groups.
- [National Academic Advising Association \(NACADA\)](#): For everyone who is professionally engaged in academic advising; helping students in higher education to realize their dreams and reach their full potential. NACADA invites you to get involved in a global community, and benefit from the experience and insights of over 12,000 advising colleagues. Edited from NACADA homepage.
- [National Career Development Association \(NCDA\)](#): A division of the American Counseling Association, NCDA provides service to the public and professionals involved with or interested in career development, including professional development activities, publications, research, public information, professional standards, advocacy, and recognition for achievement and service.