



# President's Update

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## PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

### Upward Bound Classic and Upward Bound, Math and Science

Fifty students are currently participating in Upward Bound Residential at UCSD!

Forty-six students are currently participating in Upward Bound, Math and Science! Dr. Garcia conducted a presentation to them on 7/10/18.



Dr. Martha Garcia went to visit the students at UCSD on 7/15/18.



Dr. Jaime went to visit the students at UCSD on 7/8/18.



## ACADEMIC SERVICES

- On June 26, 2018 Veronica Soto's Dual Enrollment Counseling 120 Class met at IVC.
- Students took a campus tour, listened to a Financial Aid presentation from Lisa Seals, and discussed how they enjoyed their dual enrollment experience this summer.





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## ACADEMIC SERVICES



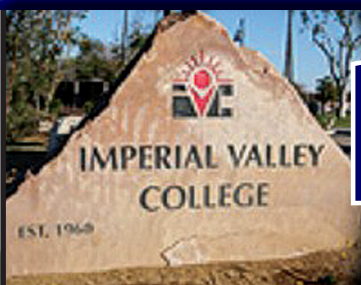
- In anticipation that an IVC Corrections Academy will be offered, 78 students have already declared interest for consideration of enrollment in fall 2019.
- IVC Fire Academy continues to be popular with the fall 2018 class already full.
- EMT students attended air ambulance orientation at Imperial County Fire Department.

## ACADEMIC SERVICES



- Active Learning Classrooms were created to help promote innovative and engaging instruction.
- Rooms 4000, 810, and 202.





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## ACADEMIC SERVICES

- The “fast track” welding students were tested on July 14th by a certified American Welding Society Inspector to receive their Shielded Metal Arc Welding and Flux Core Arc Welding Certificates.
- 26/30 passed, and those that did not pass will get a second opportunity.



## STUDENT SERVICES

### Veteran's Memorial Day Tribute

- Military and Veteran students and their families participated in a flag placement around the monument on May 28, 2018 at Pioneer Museum.





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## STUDENT SERVICES

### IVC Community College Leadership Symposium

- K-12 Principals, Superintendents and Athletic Directors attended the Community College Leadership Symposium on June 27, 2018, to learn more about IVC.
- Attendees learned about athletics, career education simulations, visioning results, and the new funding formula.

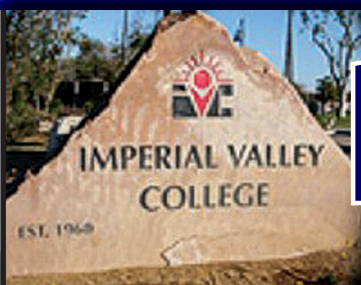


## STUDENT SERVICES

### UCLA Visit – Foster Youth

- In partnership EOPS and IVROP Ace students attended the Museum of Tolerance and a tour at UCLA on June 27, 2018.
- Students learned about the history and effects of the Holocaust, met a Holocaust survivor and interacted with a Holocaust Specialist. Students explored the campus.





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## STUDENT SERVICES

### Foster Youth Graduation – Project ACE

- June 23, 2018 – 19 graduates attended the ceremony, 5 earned an A.A. degree or certificate of achievement from IVC.
- Moreover, the remaining high school graduates will all attend IVC in the fall.
- Betsy Pino, IVC Graduate, will transfer to NAU and will continue her journey towards earning BSW degree this upcoming fall 2018. Betsy was an active student in EOPS and Project ACE and is an advocate for foster youth in Imperial County.



Betsy Pino, IVC Graduate

## STUDENT SERVICES



### Financial Aid

- Student Success Completion Grant
  - ▶ IVC was allocated \$2.8 million for the new Student Success Completion Grant.
  - ▶ This was the third highest allocation for all California Community Colleges.
  - ▶ This new grant will award Cal Grant recipients up to \$4000 in additional funding depending on course load:
    - \$649 per semester for 12-14.5 units
    - \$2000 per semester for 15+ units
- Financial Aid Technology Funding
  - ▶ IVC was allocated a one time grant of \$122,776 as well as an annual grant of \$45,472.
  - ▶ The purpose of the funding is to support technology advancement and innovations in financial aid processing and management systems.



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## STATE UPDATE



- **Janus vs. ASFCME:** the United States Supreme Court has ruled that public employees cannot compel their members to pay agency fees. In response, Governor Brown has signed into law SB 866, budget trailer bill language intended to support unions in promoting the benefits of being a member and to establish procedures an employee must follow in order to leave a union. The Chancellor's Office has issued an advisory opinion to help districts implement these new policies and procedures.
- **AB 1435 (Gonzales Fletcher):** this bill would have created a new one-size-fits-all bureaucracy with significant regulatory powers over collegiate athletics. An effective and well-coordinated advocacy effort involving the league, CCCAA, member districts, and others prevented passage of this well-intentioned yet troublesome bill. The author was unable to secure sufficient votes to advance the bill.
- **SB 1406 (Hill):** this bill is still moving through the assembly. In late June the assembly higher education committee voted unanimously (12-0) to extend the sunset date for our sector's 15 baccalaureate degree pilot programs to the year 2026. The bill repeals the requirement that a student must complete his or her degree program by 2023.

