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47th Annual California Association for Institutional Research

- ◆ On November 18, 2022, Jose Carrillo, Associate Dean of Institutional Effectiveness and Oliver Zambrano, Research Analyst presented at the 47th Annual California Association for Institutional Research Conference.
- ◆ The session focused on how Imperial Valley College Office of Institutional Research (IR) fostered collaboration and engagement with faculty members through the analysis of equity data.
- ◆ Using dashboards and a self-reflection tool, IR staff encouraged inquiry and research-based decision-making to inspire teaching and learning from a cultural inclusive perspective.
- ◆ The session highlighted how the IR office successfully built relationships between faculty members and researchers to lead student success by developing equity-driven pedagogies.



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MLK Stone of Hope Award

- ◆ Honored to have been selected as one of ten - 2023 MLK Stone of Hope Honorees by the Martin Luther King Jr. Commemorative Committee.
- ◆ The award ceremony will take place on January 28, 2023, at La Resaca Seafood Bar in El Centro.
- ◆ The Stone of Hope is presented annually and pays homage to King's "I have a Dream" speech.



ACADEMIC SERVICES

Welcome to our New Reference Librarian!



Hello, I am Raul Aguilera, and I am the new librarian at Imperial Valley College. Even though I am new to this position, I am not new to this campus.

I graduated from IVC in 2012 and from UC, Riverside in 2015 with a B.A. in English. I have spent the last 8 years working for the UC Riverside Library and I earned my master's degree in Library and Information Sciences in 2019.

During my time at UCR, I strived to provide an amazing library experience for all our patrons, and I am eager to provide the same experience to the IVC campus community.

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UPDATE ON PRIORITY LEGISLATION

- ◆ **AB 25 (McCarty)** This bill is currently in “spot bill” form. It has no substantive language but states intent for legislation related to college affordability. We anticipate this bill to have several provisions that will affect affordability.
- ◆ **AB 26 (Mike Fong)** This bill would exclude federal student loan forgiveness from state taxation.
AB 35 (Ting), SB 1 (Glazer) and **SB 25 (Skinner)** also seek this same tax exclusion.
- ◆ **AB 91 (Alvarez):** This bill would exempt from the nonresident tuition fee a nonresident, low-income student who is a resident of Mexico, registers for lower division courses at a San Diego and Imperial Counties Community Colleges Association (SDICCCA) college and has residence within 45 miles of the California-Mexico border. The bill also prohibits more than 200 students at each SDICCCA college from being exempted from payment of the nonresident tuition fee.
- ◆ **AB 94 (Davies):** This bill would prohibit a call, made by or on behalf of a county for the purposes of administering public social services programs, to an applicant or recipient of benefits from blocking caller identification information and would require the call to display a telephone number. College students and other applicants have stated that they are less likely to answer a call from a blocked number, so they end up missing critical phone calls from their county social services department.
- ◆ **SB 28 (Glazer)** This bill would place a \$15.5 billion school facilities bond on the March 2024 statewide election ballot. Of that amount, \$9.5 billion would be dedicated to K-12 and \$6 billion would be divided evenly among the CCC, CSU and UC.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

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Spring 2023 Orientation and Registration Event

Services offered include:

- Financial aid
- Registration assistance
- Counseling
- Student involvement opportunities and many more student services
- Lunch will be provided on a first come first serve basis from 11:00am-1:00pm

February 10, 2023 · 8:30am-5:00pm
IVC 2700 Building Quad Area



Please scan this QR code to register for the event



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