



# President's Update

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## PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

State of the College was held on October 25, 2023

Thank you to all who attended both virtually and in-person!



## PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

The Grand reopening celebration of the completion of buildings 200, 300, 800, and Tennis Courts was held on October 25, 2023.

Thank you to all who attended and participated in the grand reopening tour!

A big thank you to Erickson Hall Construction Company for hosting this event.



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## PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

On November 6, 2023, IVC and SDSU participated in the Check Presentation for entering into agreement to the first-ever Inter-segmental agreement to start a housing program (dormitories) for both IVC and SDSU Students.

Thank you all who attended and more importantly those who worked so hard in establishing the agreement.



## ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

### WALK LIKE AN EGYPTIAN

*by the Bangles*

Administrative Services won 1st Place in the 2023 ASG Halloween Costume Contest!



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## ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

**COMTEC 2023**

**October 2-5, 2023**

**Las Vegas, NV**



Attendees:

Stacey Browning, Fernando Romero and Edthmyr Sandez

The group attended sessions to help gain a better understanding of the TouchNet products including Student Payments and Marketplace currently in use by the District. They also took advantage of sessions on Student Account Advisor in preparation for the product implementation beginning in November.



## ACADEMIC SERVICES

**2023 Nursing & Allied Health College and Career Days were held on October 25-26, 2023.**

**This event was an opportunity for our Nursing and Allied Health students to network with Agencies/Organizations within the Medical Field.**

Thank you to the following Agencies/Organizations who attended the event:

- El Centro Regional Medical Center
- Pioneers Memorial Healthcare District
- REACH air Medical
- Fresenius Medical Care
- In-Home Support Services
- University of Phoenix
- SDSU-IV Nursing Program
- The University of Arizona Yuma
- UniCare Hospice Inc.
- Access to Independence of San Diego
- Burn Institute



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## ACADEMIC SERVICES

### Brawley Cattle Call Rodeo took place November 9-12, 2023

- The Economic and Workforce Development were Silver Sponsors.
- Performances 1 and 3 are Televised worldwide on the Cowboy Channel.



## ACADEMIC SERVICES

### Dual Enrollment and Credit by Exam Field Trips November 7-8, 2023 Calexico and Holtville High Schools

Students received:

- Student IDs
- Campus Tours
- DegreeWorks Presentation
- Potential Pathways
- AP/Credit by Exam/Dual/Concurrent



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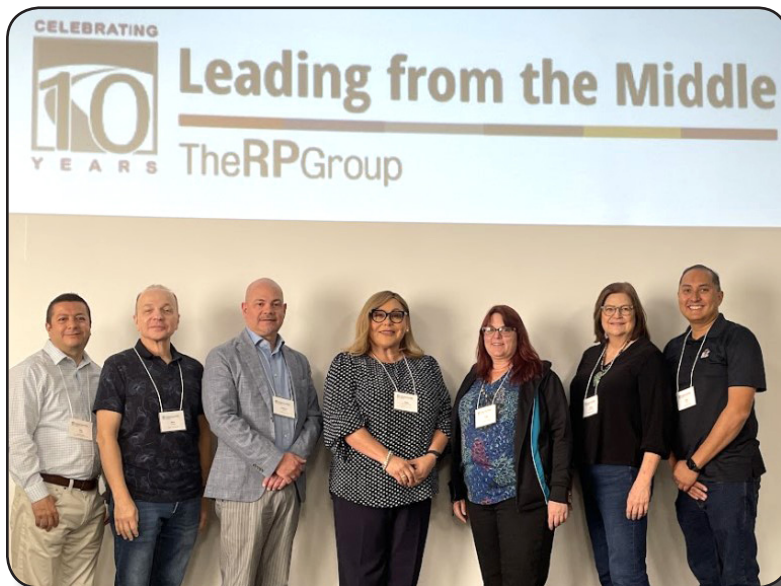
## ACADEMIC SERVICES

- Career Services Center staff members Irene, Maricela, Jazmin and Genaro completed the **Certified Business Engagement Professional Certifications (CBEP)**.
- The program included a seven-week, demand-driven business engagement and facilitator-led online course to gain the necessary knowledge and skills to successfully engage business and industry.



## ACADEMIC SERVICES

CalPoly Pomona Campus  
November 1-4, 2023



From Left: Our coach, Ray Cuellar (Chaffey College); Dr. Alex Cozzani, Teaching Faculty; Dr. Andrew Sanchez, Dean; Vikki Carr, Director; Paige Lovitt, Non-Teaching Faculty; Betsy Lane, Dean; Jose Carrillo, Associate Dean

*Welcome*  
*2023-24*  
*Leading from*  
*the Middle*  
*(Breakfast / Downstairs on Hillside Terrace)*



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## IMMIGRANTS RISING

TRANSFORMING LIVES THROUGH EDUCATION

### CHAMPIONING EQUITY:

SYSTEMWIDE AB540 FAQ  
Thursday, October 5, 2023,  
San Diego Mesa College



From left:  
Paula Saldana,  
Isabel Contreras,  
Vikki Carr,  
Cynthia Moran

### AB540 FAQ REGIONAL OVERVIEW:

This systemwide AB540 FAQ (frequently asked questions) training was aimed to increase alignment in the implementation of AB540 and streamline processing between the **CCCs**, **CSUs**, and **UCs**, as well as at individual campuses.

### STUDENT SERVICES & EQUITY



Lotus living held a Halloween event on October 25, 2023

Thank you to those in attendance and for the continuous support for our student residents.

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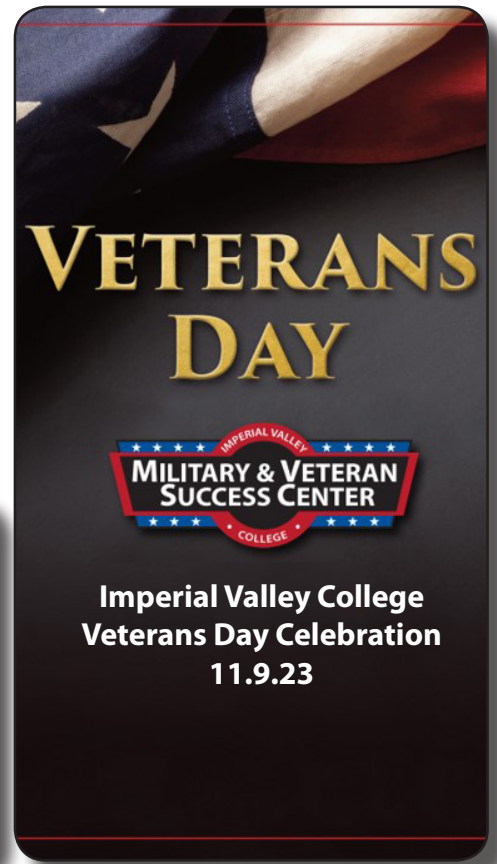
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## MILITARY & VETERANS SUCCESS CENTER

The MVSC held a Veterans Day recognition event on Thursday, November 11, 2023. The event was produced in collaboration with Student Affairs, Associated Student Government, and the MVSC. Many staff and students attended to listen to the National Anthem performed by IVC student Jasmine Wilson, as well as a Keynote Speaker presentation by Louie R. Estrada Jr., Outreach Specialist for the Wounded Warrior Project.

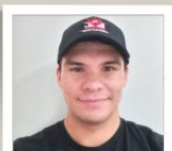


## ESL

The ESL Program in collaboration with the Learning Services Department provide English language learners an opportunity to practice speaking English through a special tutoring opportunity known as **Conversation Partners**. Tutors engage ESL students in casual conversations which help them to practice their English-speaking skills.

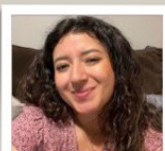
### CONVERSATION PARTNERS

### MEET the Tutors!



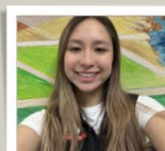
Edwin Mungarro

Hi, I'm Edwin Mungarro, and I am a tutor at IVC. I grew up speaking only Spanish at home and I learned English once I started elementary school. I love playing sports such as soccer and basketball as well as watching action movies.



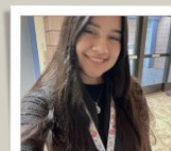
Meredith Flores

I'm an IVC student with a major in Child Development. I'm a Lead Tutor, and I have been working with the ESL population for 2 years. A fun fact about me is that I play guitar and I love gummy worms.



Ileana Espinoza

Hello, my name is Ileana Espinoza, and this is my first semester working as a tutor for Conversation Partners. Some of my hobbies include cooking and baking!



Jacqueline Valenzuela

Hello, my name is Jacqueline Valenzuela and I've been a tutor for six months. An interesting fact about me is I like to listen to k-pop in my free time.



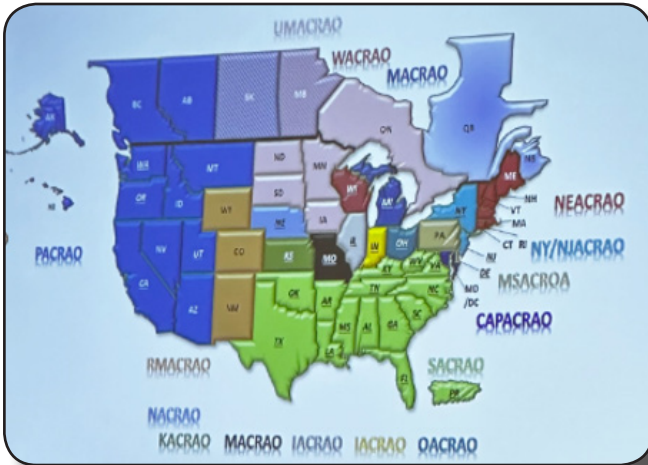
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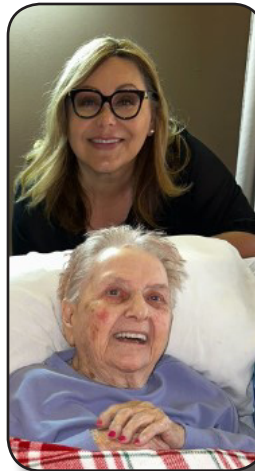
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## PACRAO

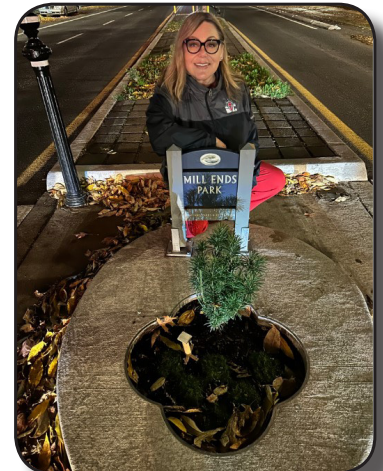
### Pacific Association of Collegiate Registrars & Admissions Officers



Blue area is PACRAO – 100 Years Strong!  
Learn, engage, collaborate, and promote  
the best practices and general advancement  
of higher education.



Mrs. Marion Long  
Former IVC Trustee  
She's 95!  
Lives in McMinnville, OR



Mill Ends Park  
World's Smallest Park  
452 sq. inches

**Vikki Carr**  
Director of Admissions & Records  
Portland, Oregon - Nov. 5-9, 2023







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## ANNUAL THANKSGIVING LUNCH



The campus community joined forces one more time to make the annual thanksgiving lunch for students a success. 460 students served November 14, 2023



Student services & equity would like to thank everyone who contributed and assisted during the event.

## HUMAN RESOURCES

### ACHRO ACADEMY ACHIEVEMENT



Johanna Fisher, AVPHR and Liz Cantu, Benefits Specialist, completed the Emerging CHRO and HR Administration Academies, respectively. They received their certificate of completion during the 2023 ACHRO/EEO Fall Institute. Congratulations!



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## HUMAN RESOURCES

### 2023 ACHRO/EEO FALL INSTITUTE



The Human Resources staff attended the 2023 Association of Chief Human Resource Officers (ACHRO) Fall Institute in October. The staff attended quality presentations and workshops on various topics including updates on Title IX, DEIA and new EEO legislation. The team had the opportunity to build networks amongst other community college HR professionals.



### EVENTS

- Nov. 21: IVC Men's Basketball vs. Copper Mountain
- Nov. 27: IVC Men's Basketball vs. College of the Desert
- Nov. 29: IVC Women's Basketball vs. La Harbor College
- Nov. 30: LifeStream Blood Drive
- Dec. 7: RN/LVN Pinning Ceremony
- Dec. 9: IVC Baseball Golf Tournament
- Dec. 9: Correctional Academy Graduation
- Dec. 13: IVC Men's Basketball vs. Southwestern College
- Dec. 14: Employee Holiday Celebration

