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Regards,

Van Ton-Quinlivan, Vice Chancellor

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Doing What MATTERS for Students: Success in Their Own Words



Hear [student testimonials from the Personal Care Aide program](#) offered under the [Health Workforce Initiative](#) by community colleges in the Inland Empire. For more information on the health sector and its current and emerging career pathways, contact Director and Sector Navigator [Linda Zorn](#) or the Health Deputy Sector Navigator in [your region](#).

New RFA in Support of Data-Related Technical Assistance

Districts are being invited to respond by 4/7/14 to the newly released Statement of Interest in the CCCCO Doing What Matters for Jobs and the Economy *Accountability Dashboard, Research, Evaluation, and Data-Related Toolkits Technical Assistance* Grant. Districts must have demonstrated experience administering grants/contracts with multiple stakeholders and subcontractors.

[RFA Memo and Statement »](#)

[Certification Form »](#)

LaunchBoard Supports Accreditation and Program Review

CIOs gave a warm welcome to the rollout of [LaunchBoard](#), the data-backed decision tool for CTE practitioners, being released by the CCCCO Division for Workforce and Economic Development. View an abbreviated presentation of what was presented at the CCCCO Conference where WestEd's Kathy Booth explained LaunchBoard's [usefulness in supporting accreditation and program review](#).

[Attend free LaunchBoard training here »](#).



Registered Apprenticeship is Hot

Apprenticeship is a proven learn-and-earn model for successful skills acquisition. \$500M has been proposed in President Obama's new budget for registered apprenticeships and pre-apprenticeships. While attending the National Advisory Committee on Apprenticeship last month, Vice Chancellor Ton-Quinlivan heard first-hand Secretary of Labor Tom Perez's enthusiasm for apprenticeships as an essential job training policy. CCCCO's John Dunn (jdunn@cccco.edu) is our system's technical assistance expert on this topic. Listed below are some helpful resources to read before calling John.

- Chancellor's Office [Apprenticeship Contact & Web Page](#)
 - [US Department of Labor 2015 Budget](#) – Includes \$500M for Apprenticeship
 - Center for American Progress Research Paper – [Training for Success: A Policy to Expand Apprenticeship](#)
 - [German Apprenticeship model](#) news coverage on NPR
 - [Apprenticeship Carolina](#)
 - [Next Generation Apprenticeship Survey](#)
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New Resources

The New Face of ICT-Digital Media

The *Information & Communications Technology/Digital Media Sector* is often misunderstood. Here to clarify the scope, the pathways and the Doing What MATTERS for Jobs and the Economy solution is Steve Wright, Sector Navigator.

[Watch Steve explain more »](#)



“Where Value Meets Values: The Economic Impact of Community Colleges”

AACC’s [new report](#) shows that community colleges are a boon to the American economy at large and to the individual student. In 2012 alone, the net total impact of community colleges on the U.S. economy was \$809 billion in added income, equal to 5.4% of GDP.

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