



A shared vision of “our GCC”

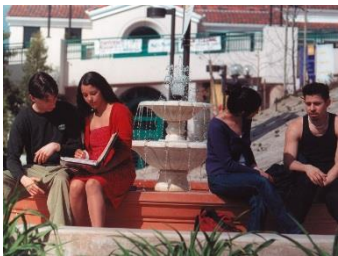
What we want to be as we fulfill our statutory mission

Presented by Superintendent/President David Viar
at Classified Institute Day on August 20, 2014
and Faculty Institute Day on September 5, 2014
Entered into Shared Governance process.

Vision



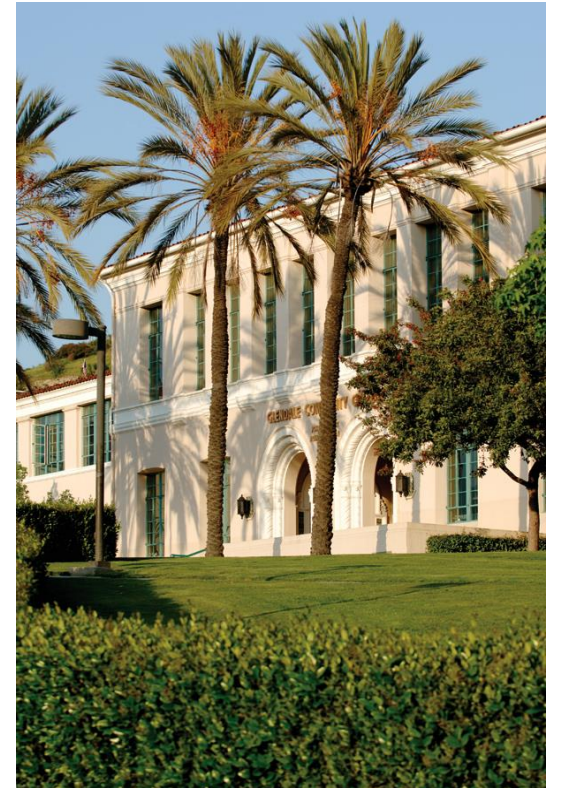
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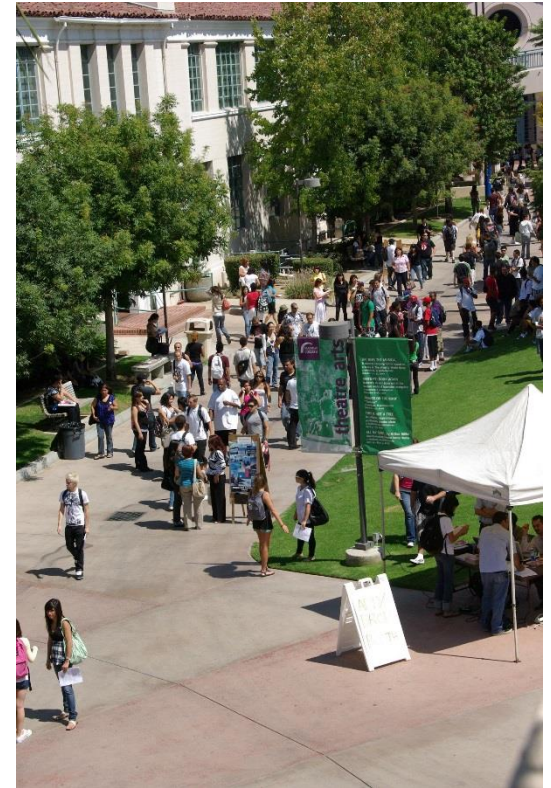
- ▶ Student success outcomes
- ▶ Accreditation status
- ▶ Service to and reputation in community



Learning Community



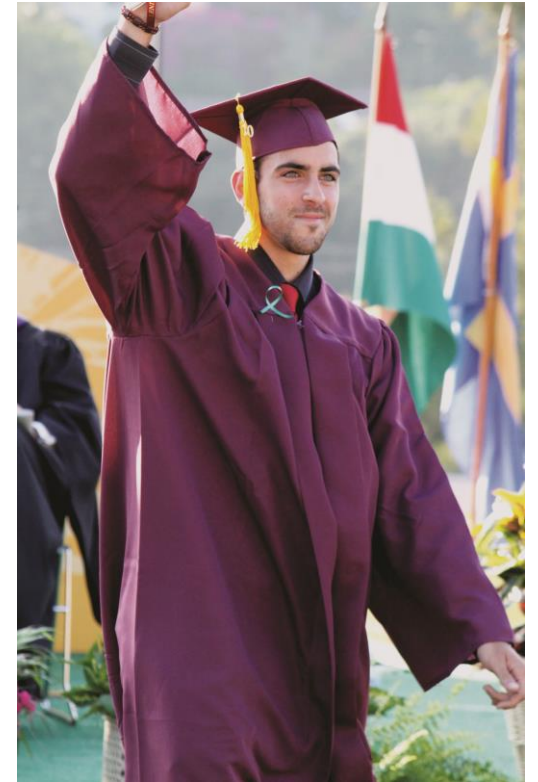
- ▶ Work together with respect
- ▶ Commonly understood vision and goals
- ▶ Focus on students
- ▶ No blame value



All Students Achieve



- ▶ Limit achievement gaps
- ▶ Informed goals
- ▶ Success services
- ▶ Research



Outstanding Instruction & Student Support Services



- ▶ Excellent hiring processes
- ▶ Useful evaluations and support
- ▶ Clear expectations and shared involvement in decision-making
- ▶ Professional development



Comprehensive Community College Curriculum



- ▶ All-encompassing – Noncredit, ESL, Basic Skills, Adult Education, CTE, Transfer
- ▶ Reviewed, connected, meeting needs



Unique Opportunities



- ▶ Student engagement
 - ▶ Enrichment connected to mission
 - ▶ Examples: International Students, Scholars Program, Forensics and Debate Competitions, Students as Researchers, Baja Field Studies
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- ▶ Is this where you would like us to be?
- ▶ Is this a GCC of which you want to be a part?



“our GCC” Vision



- ▶ **You are an essential part of our learning community.**
- ▶ **Without you, we cannot achieve our vision.**
- ▶ **Without you, our students will not be successful.**

