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New Administrators Named

Two new administrators have been named to support Glendale Community College's Career Education and Workforce Development programs and services.

Career Pathways and Strong Workforce Program Manager

Emma Sanchez will assume her new duties effective October 16, 2017. She has served 15 years spearheading and implementing Career Education programs to achieve successful workforce outcomes. She has been involved with the Pasadena City College/Glendale Community College CTE Community Collaborative Grant, the Pasadena Unified School District College and Career Pathways Project, and the GCC/Glendale Unified School District/Burbank Unified School District/ CSUN Verdugo Creative Technologies Consortium.

Ms. Sanchez has a Bachelor's Degree and a Master's Degree in Educational Psychology from the University of Southern California.

In this grant funded position, Ms. Sanchez will administer GCC's Career Pathways development with K12 and support CTE /STEM workforce training Strong Workforce Programs, analyze labor market data to inform the development, expansion, and improvement of GCC's CTE programs, and expand and improve articulation with the high schools in important career pathways efforts.

Interim Associate Dean Career Education and Workforce Development

Federico Saucedo will begin his new position effective October 30, 2017. He has served the past five years as CTE/Workforce Administrator for the Los Angeles County Office of Education coordinating and supervising CTE programs across LA and Orange counties. He also provided oversight to nine apprenticeship programs. Previously he served as a Career Counselor and Coordinator of the Student Success/Career Center at Pasadena City College.

Mr. Saucedo has an Associate's Degree from Pasadena City College, a Bachelor's Degree in psychology from CSULA, and a Master's Degree in Academic Counseling from CSULA.

The Associate Dean will focus on planning, developing, and the implementation of various projects supporting and expanding GCC's Career Education and Strong Workforce programs. Among those are the Perkins Act, local and regional Strong Workforce Program initiatives in such areas as infrastructure, construction, engineering, manufacturing, health science, culinary, digital and studio arts. Additionally, the Associate Dean will explore potential collaborations with CalTrans, Metro, Verdugo Workforce Development Board and other state-wide entities.

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