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## It's Official! Dr. Greg Schulz is Appointed Fullerton College President

We're excited to welcome Dr. Greg Schulz to the permanent role of Fullerton College President! Since you probably already know of his academic and professional background ([click here to read the press release](#)), here are a few lesser-known facts about Dr. Schulz...



### Did You Know???

Greg and his wife Denise both attended Fullerton College before transferring to Cal State Fullerton, and both majored in Business Administration/Accounting...

He plays the drums and was in an alternative rock band in the early 1990s...

He was active in Cub Scouts and the Boy Scouts of America, ultimately earning the rank of Eagle Scout... While in high school during the mid 1980s, Greg partnered with fellow Fullerton College alum Jay Tilles (better known as "Lightning" on LA radio station KROQ 106.7 FM), to form a small T-shirt company called "Centrifugal Mutology."

## NOCCCD Named Fiscal Agent for Baccalaureate Degree Pilot Program

In addition to Cypress College being selected as one of 15 colleges to participate in the baccalaureate degree pilot program, NOCCCD was chosen to serve as the fiscal agent of the \$750,000 state-wide grant to ensure that all programs are successful.



“As the fiscal agent, NOCCCD and Cypress College are in prominent positions to be a driving force of the baccalaureate degree at California community colleges,” says Dr. Joyce Carrigan, NOCCCD Dean of the Baccalaureate Degree Pilot Program.

First on Dr. Carrigan’s agenda is a two-day symposium March 31 - April 1 at the Anaheim Campus, to provide assistance to faculty, staff and administrators in implementing their respective programs.

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## Cypress College Black History Month Speaker Series Celebrates Global Village Diversity and Inclusiveness



*Group photo of students, faculty, staff, and NOCCCD Board Vice President **Molly McClanahan** at the Multicultural Storytelling closing ceremony*

The Cypress College Legacy Program hosted its first Black History Month Speaker Series in February. With the goal of promoting cultural diversity, speakers shared information on various industries, best practices, and networking opportunities with over 270 students, faculty and staff throughout the course of the series.

Established in 2000 and revamped in 2015 by Professor Regina Rhymes, the Legacy Program provides support and resources to help students transfer to four-year universities, and offers curriculum and activities that emphasize the African American experience in the United States.

Click [here](#) to learn more about the Legacy Program at Cypress College.

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## SCE Offers New Student Scholarships

SCE recently established three new student scholarships: The **Service Award**, **SchoolsFirst Textbook Award**, and the **Workmanship Award**. SCE students are encouraged to submit their applications through March 31 to Cathryn Neiswender, SCE Scholarship Program Coordinator, at [cneiswender@noccd.edu](mailto:cneiswender@noccd.edu).

The Service Award, established by NOCCCD Trustee Jacqueline Rodarte, is designed to honor students who are dedicated to applying the concepts they learn in the classroom to various service projects in their community. It seeks to acknowledge academic achievement that translates into informal or formal leadership roles.

The SchoolsFirst Textbook Award will provide up to \$100 for textbooks. The Workmanship Award is designed for students who work full-time, and seeks to acknowledge the extra effort it takes to achieve academic success.

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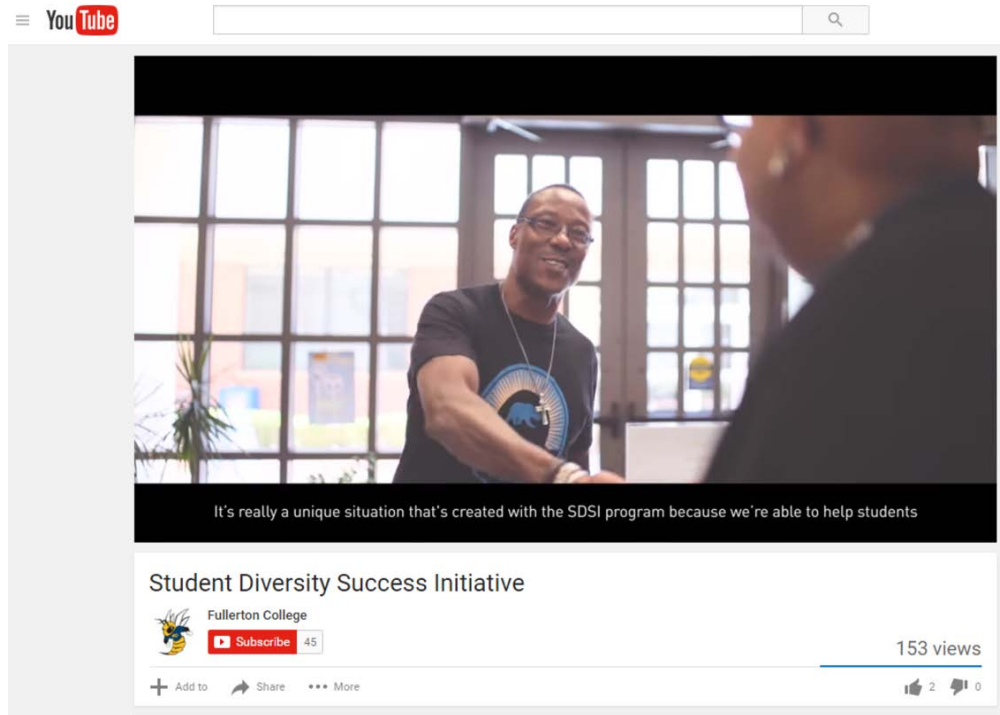
## The District Office Welcomes a New Internal Auditor

**Ashraf Demian** joined NOCCCD on March 14 as the new District Manager, Internal Audit. He brings with him more than 20 years of auditing and accounting experience, and previously served as the Chief Internal Auditor for the Monterey County Office of Education.

Ashraf is a Certified Public Accountant, Certified Fraud Examiner, Chartered Global Management Accountant, and Certified Internal Controls Auditor. He earned his bachelor's degree in Accounting, and is a member of various organizations including the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners and the Institute of Internal Auditors.



## Board of Trustees Presentation: Fullerton College SDSI



Fullerton College's **Student Diversity Success Initiative (SDSI)** was a campus program recently highlighted at the March 8 Board Meeting. The Initiative provides academic and personal support to students, and aims to increase success rates among African-American and Latino males, and other at-risk students. Click on the photo above or [here](#) to watch the video included in the SDSI presentation.

## District-wide Campus Safety Officer Training



*Campus Safety Officers with their Certificates of Completion*

District-wide campus safety officers recently participated in sensitivity training sessions focused on "policing a diverse college population." Sponsored by the District Office of Professional Development, discussion focused on stereotypes, prejudice, discrimination, and ways to increase public trust while working safely within a college environment.

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## Strategic Conversation #17 Let's Discuss College Readiness!

- *Are placements tests accurate?*
- *What is our expectation of readiness?*
- *How can we help high school students make better use of 12th grade?*
- *Are we, at the community college level, ready?*

Join the Board of Trustees to discuss these topics at the **NOCCCD Strategic Conversation #17** on **April 26** at Fullerton College.

For more information and to RSVP, please visit the [Strategic Conversation webpage](#).

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## District Governance Meeting Schedule for April *Meeting Agendas and Approved Minutes are Available [Here](#)*

### **District Curriculum Coordinating Council: April 8**

Second Friday of the month, 1:30 p.m., Room 101-A (Board Conference Room), Anaheim Campus

### **Council on Budget and Facilities: April 11**

Second Monday of the month, 2 p.m., Room 105 Anaheim Campus

*\*Videoconferencing of the meeting is available in Room 301 at Cypress College, and in the President's Conference Room A at Fullerton College*

### **Institutional Effectiveness Coordinating Council: April 18**

First Thursday of the month, 10:30 a.m., Room 100-B, Anaheim Campus

### **Technology Coordinating Council (TCC): April 19**

Third Tuesday of the month, 3:30 p.m., Room 107, Anaheim Campus

### **District Consultation Council: April 25**

4th Monday of the month, 2 p.m., Room 105, Anaheim Campus

*\*Videoconferencing of the meeting is available in Room 301 at Cypress College, and in the President's Conference Room A at Fullerton College*

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