



CHIEF STUDENT SERVICES OFFICERS ASSOCIATION
 2024 FALL SYMPOSIUM
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 Agenda At A Glance

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2024

7:00 AM - 5:00 PM

SYMPOSIUM CHECK-IN/ REGISTRATION/ INFO DESK

8:00- 9:00 AM

BREAKFAST AND NETWORKING

OPENING SESSION

9:00-9:20 AM: MASTER OF CEREMONY- SYMPOSIUM WELCOME REMARKS

President of CSSO Association - Christopher Sweeten, Vice President Santiago Canyon College

9:20- 10:50 AM: KEYNOTE PRESENTATION



DR. GINA GARCIA

Dr. Gina Ann Garcia is a professor in the School of Education at UC Berkeley. Her research centers on issues of equity and justice in higher education with an emphasis on understanding how Hispanic Serving Institutions (HSIs) embrace and enact an organizational identity for serving minority populations. She explores the experiences of administrators, faculty, and staff at HSIs and the outcomes of students attending these institutions. As an equity-minded scholar, she tends to the ways that race and racism have shaped institutions of higher education.

Dr. Garcia is the author of *Becoming Hispanic-Serving Institutions: Opportunities for Colleges & Universities* for which she won the American Association of Hispanics in Higher Education Book of the Year Award in 2020 and the editor of the book *Hispanic-Serving Institutions in Practice: Defining “Servingness” at HSIs*. Her newest book, *Transforming Hispanic Serving Institutions for Equity and Justice* was released in Spring 2023 and is now available. She is also the host of the popular podcast *¿Qué pasa, HSIs?* and founded the Cal HSI Center which advances HSI research that informs practice and policy.

BREAK AND TRANSITION

11:00 AM- 5:30 PM **ATIXA TRAINING**  Association of Title IX Administrators

2024 Title IX Regulations Implementation for Higher Education Overview Training & Certification

This one day certification course provides a comprehensive review of the procedural and substantive elements of the 2024 Title IX regulations, with a focus on critical decision points for Title IX administrators.

The Training Overview focuses on the revised regulatory requirements and the policy, procedural, and practice changes needed to ensure compliance.

Title IX professionals will leave this course with an understanding of:

- The two-track Grievance Procedure, Training and reporting requirements
- Notification and response requirements for pregnant students and employees
- Protections for LGBTQIA+ individuals, Title IX scope and applicability

12:00 - 12:50 PM

LUNCH AND NETWORKING

1:00 PM -5:30 PM **ATIXA TRAINING**  Association of Title IX Administrators

2024 Title IX Regulations Implementation for Higher Education Overview Training & Certification

5:45 – 7:00 PM

NETWORKING SOCIAL MIXER

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25TH, 2024 (DAY 2)

7:30 AM-9:00 AM

SYMPOSIUM INFORMATION DESK

8:00- 9:00 AM

BREAKFAST AND NETWORKING

9:00-9:10 AM: CSSO ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT REMARKS

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9:10 -10:30 AM



Government Relations Update: Key Legislative & Advocacy Insights

Your voice matters in shaping the future of California community colleges, join us for this crucial update! As the 2023-2024 legislative session wraps up, don't miss the opportunity to gain invaluable insights from the Community College League of California's expert government relations team!

What to Expect:

- Legislative Update: A review of critical potential bills impacting California's community colleges
- Budget Update: Get the latest on the state budget and its implications for our community colleges
- Trends & Insights: Learn about emerging legislative trends that affect student services
- Looking Forward: Stay ahead of the game with an overview of the legislative calendar and key deadlines for the 2024-2025 policymaking process
- Advocacy Tips & Strategies: Effective strategies and advice for navigating the policy landscape and enhancing advocacy efforts.

Presenters

- Nune Garipian, Senior Policy Advocate
- Kristal Padilla, Legislative Advocate

Don't miss your chance to empower your advocacy and stay informed!

10:30- 12:00 PM: CSSO ASSOCIATION BUSINESS MEETING

Calling all CSSO Association members to attend the Bi-annual Business Meeting.

Why Attend:

- **To Network:** Opportunities to build relationships that can lead to future collaborations
- **To Collaborate:** Foster discussion and share insight to enhance leadership and engagement across our campuses.

12:00- 12:15 PM SYMPOSIUM CLOSING REMARKS

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