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## From the RP Group

### 2017 IRPE Survey Report

Thank you to everyone who completed the survey! This year's survey had the highest response rate in the last five years with 82 colleges and districts responding. Of the 114 colleges, 63% responded and of the 23 multi-college district offices, 43% responded.

[Find the full report](#) of the survey results, including an executive summary with highlights – and past years' surveys – on our website under the "Membership" tab.



2017 Survey of Institutional  
Research Offices in the  
California Community  
College System  
Full Report

Andrew Kretz, Ph.D.  
January 2018  
[www.rpgroup.org](http://www.rpgroup.org)

### RP Summer Institute 2018 - Save the Date!

June 10-14, 2018 | Pomona, CA



Save the date for the RP Group's bi-annual RP Summer Institute, June 10-14 in Pomona, at the Kellogg West Conference Center and Hotel. This year, we will offer two overlapping tracks for two distinct communities:

- Colleagues who are relatively new to institutional research, planning, and effectiveness in the CCCs (June 10-13)
- Veterans in the field who want to go deeper into current topics that would be of value to IRPE offices (June 13-14)

More details will be posted soon on [our website](#).

### Create a Lasting Guided Pathways Movement on Your Campus!



INSTITUTIONAL EFFECTIVENESS PARTNERSHIP INITIATIVE  
Participate | Collaborate | Innovate

The California Community Colleges  
Chancellor's Office (CCCCO) and  
Institutional Effectiveness Partnership

Initiative (IEPI) are hosting a series of workshops in the spring of 2018 called: Create a Lasting Guided Pathways Movement on Your Campus.

The workshops are offered by the CCCCO and IEPI in partnership with the Career Ladders Project, the RP Group, and the Academic Senate for California Community Colleges. [Click here for more information](#) about workshop content, dates/locations, and registration.



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## New This Year: Birds of a Feather at RP Conference 2018



On Wednesday, April 11th from 8-9:45 am (before the RP Conference opening session), we invite you to join us for small roundtable discussions on various topics of interest to the IRPE field.

This "Birds of a Feather" session is included with your conference registration and light refreshments will be served. The [RP Conference 2018](#) will be held April 11-12, in Long Beach, CA.

[Register for the RP Conference Today!](#)

## RP Conference 2018: Sponsorship Slots Still Available

Get recognition and visibility at the largest gathering of institutional researchers and planners in the California Community College system and take advantage of:

- Speaking Opportunities
- Brand/Organization Recognition
- Other Partnership Possibilities
- Digital and Print Placement Opportunities
- More

[Go here for details and contact information.](#)

## Sacramento and Far North RRG Meeting

February 2, 2018 | Virtual

Join your fellow IRPE colleagues remotely from the comforts of your home or office on Friday, February 2nd, from 12 pm - 2 pm. [Join from PC, Mac, Linux, iOS, or Android](#) or by telephone, +1 646 876 9923 (US Toll). The meeting ID is: 465 521 816. Please contact [Erik Cooper](#) for more information.

## From Our Partners

### You're Invited: 3rd Annual Nor Cal Tutor Expo

March 23, 2018 | Merced College | Merced, CA



This one-day conference, by and for tutors and other educators, showcases effective practices in tutoring, supplemental instruction, and a wide variety of learning assistance programs and services within the California Community Colleges. Individuals as well as teams of tutors, faculty, staff, and administration are encouraged to attend!

[Registration opens](#) February 5th for the third annual installment of the Northern California Tutor Expo, "Peer Power."



## AB705 CAP: Two More Workshops Left

Get a jump start on meeting the requirements of AB705 by attending the California Acceleration Project's (CAP) Spring 2018 1-day workshops. CAP will be offering corequisite and statistics workshops in Southern CA at College of the Canyons on February 2nd and 3rd, and in Northern CA at City College of San Francisco on February 9th and 10th. Here are the registration links:



[Southern CA](#)  
[Northern CA](#)

## Don't Forget: The 2018 Linked Learning Convention!

February 12-14, 2018 | Anaheim, CA



Join the Career Ladders Project (CLP) and colleagues and partners from across the state at the 2018 Linked Learning Convention in Anaheim on February 12-14. The convention brings together more than 900 leaders in K-12 and postsecondary education, business, workforce, research, policy, and nonprofit for thoughtful discussion and learning aimed at ensuring all students are well prepared for college, career, and life. For the full schedule of conference speakers and breakout sessions along with registration details, visit the [Linked Learning website](#).

## Join the 2nd Annual 3CSN Northern California Equity Institute

March 9-10, 2018 | Mission College | Santa Clara, CA

[Please join 3CSN](#) on March 9-10 for the 2nd annual 3CSN Northern California Equity Institute hosted by Mission College. Confirmed keynote speakers include Drs. Nika Hogan, Veronica Neal, and J. Luke Wood.



## A Guided Pathways Model: Get Focused...Stay Focused!®

What is your onramp to your Guided Pathways program?

Come to Santa Barbara City College, March 26 - 27, 2018, and join your peers at the two-day [Get Focused... Stay Focused!® Conference](#) to learn about a cost efficient way to launch your students on the path to success. Based on Dr. Davis Jenkins' most recent report, [Implementing Guided Pathways: Early Insights From the AACC Pathways Colleges](#), the Guided Pathways/GFSF crosswalk breaks down how GFSF meets all four of the reports main practice areas:

- Mapping pathways to student end goals
- Helping students choose and enter a program pathway
- Keeping students on path
- Ensuring that students are learning

Collaborate with statewide Guided Pathways leaders and your colleagues and learn more about this important foundational onramp to students making informed pathway decisions and about how GFSF is aligned with Chancellor Oakley's Strategic Vision 2017.

### Submit Your News to the RP Super Brief!

*If you would like to include information in a future RP Super Brief about opportunities or resources that increase the capacity of California Community Colleges to support student success, please send your announcement (a title, a two or three-line description, and any photos, logos and links) to [Olivia Loy](#) by the 25th of the month for publication in the next month's issue.*



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