Our Mission

Serving the California Community Colleges of Los Angeles County and Orange County

- To integrate and coordinate economic development and vocational educational programs and services.
- To develop and coordinate staff development.
- To increase the knowledge of programs and services in the region, and to disseminate best practices.

Current Research/Reports

Institute for Higher Education Leadership & Policy

- Steps to Success: Analyzing Milestone Achievement to Improve Community College Student Outcomes (October 2009)
- Community College Student Outcomes: Limitations of the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) and Recommendations for Improvement (August 2009)
- Student Progress toward Degree Completion: Lessons from the Research Literature (September 2009)

The National Career Pathways Network & the Institute for a Competitive Workforce, an affiliate of the US Chamber of Commerce

- Thriving in Challenging Times - Connecting Education to Economic Development through Career Pathways (October 2009)

California Edge Campaign and The Workforce Alliance (TWA), Washington, D.C. for the Skills2Complete campaign

- California's Forgotten Middle-Skill Jobs: Meeting the Demands of the 21st Century Economy (October 2009)

Lumina Foundation Advances Accelerated Degree Concept at National Jobs Summit

Upcoming Events

- LOWDL Meeting - Mt. San Antonio College (6/17/2010)

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