



Representing Chaffey College Faculty in All Academic and Professional Matters

Professional Accomplishments

PATRICIA POWELL

Full Time DPS Counseling Faculty
Counseling and Student Success
and Support Programs

Patricia recently trained and became recertified from the National Behavioral Intervention Team Association (NaBITA) Behavioral Intervention Team (BIT). This certification is designed to provide skills and knowledge to develop a behavioral intervention team on the campus.

ALAN YANKEE

Part Time Faculty, Music
Visual and Performing Arts



Alan attended the New Thought Music Conference in Walnut Creek, CA., September 27-29. The conference focused on management of non-profit, volunteer-based music and arts organizations.

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Professional Accomplishments

MEHGAN HASSANZADAH

Full Time Temporary Professor, Biology
Math and Science



Dr. Meghan Hassanzadah, MS, PharmD, collaboratively conducted an observational study involving individuals with tobacco dependence and mental illness while she was a pharmacology resident at Western University of Health Sciences. Some of the findings were published in September 2019. Dr. Hassanzadah contributed in writing and editing the manuscript cited below:

Hassanzadah M, Bitar AH, Khanfar NM, Khasawneh FT, Lutfy K, Shankar GS. A retrospective cohort study of the prevalence of anxiety and agitation in schizophrenic smokers and the unmet needs of smoking cessation programs. *Medicine*. 2019;98:40(e17375).



Academic Highlights

Academic Senate for California Community College (ASCCC) 2019 Fall Plenary Session

Jackie Boboye, Faculty Senator from Counseling and Nicole DeRose, Acting Faculty Senate President attended the ASCCC Fall 2019 Plenary Session November 7-9, 2019. The sessions included information on faculty diversification, integrating Guided Pathways into Program and Services Review processes, transfer pathways, non-credit education in a post-AB705 world, equity driven systems, Distance Education guidelines, and faculty leadership in diversity, equity, and inclusion.

Continuing Education Efforts

The following faculty shared that they are pursuing a degree or taking courses that will enhance their professional service and growth as educators.

CARLOS MARTINEZ

Part Time Faculty

Business and Applied Technology



Carlos is pursuing a DBA in Entrepreneurship and Management from Northcentral University to expand the scope of teaching opportunities and better serve his students.



Professional Activities Beyond Chaffey

ROBIN IKEDA

Retired Full Time Professor, Biology
Math & Science

Retired Biology Professor Robin Ikeda and San Bernardino Valley College Emeritus Biology Professor Mark Ikeda were invited to make an informal presentation on the impacts of the undergraduate education program at the Rocky Mountain Biological Laboratory (RMBL) on the community college students. Robin and Mark were invited by RMBL Director Ian Billick to lead the discussion at the Board of Trustees' meeting, held in multiple locations in Southern California during late October.

The Ikeda's presentation highlighted community college students from the LA area in particular, and the evolution and impacts of RMBL's outreach and work with these students. The exchange was terrifically productive; with lots of great conversation about creating equity and diversity in science. Here is some feedback they received.

From the executive director: Several board members said that hearing from the two of you was a highlight. Thanks so much for doing that! The next challenge is diversifying the scientific community. I think the work we have already done with undergrads over the last several decades will be an important part of that.

From the science director: Thanks... for spending time with us and the RMBL Board and giving a nice presentation. Many Board members were really struck by the time and effort and dedication that we all have to helping bring undergraduates to RMBL to gain research experience. They also have a greater appreciation for the challenges and hurdles that the students face.