



COLEGAS 2024 COLEGAS ANNUAL CONFERENCE

COLLECTIVE RESISTANCE: JUSTICIA Y LIBERACIÓN

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2024 - AT-A-GLANCE PRE-CONFERENCE

Pre-Conference & Conference Check-In & Cafécito

7:00am to 7:00 p.m. – 2nd Floor Foyer

Pre-Conference Breakout Session A

10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Room A2/A3	Room A4/A5	Room A9
Pre-Conf Session: Hispanic Serving Institutions	Pre-Conf. Session: Undocu Ally Professionals	Pre-Conf. Session: CEO Symposium

Lunch

12:00 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Pre-Conference Breakout Session B

12:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Room A2/A3	Room A4/A5	Room A9
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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2024 - AT-A-GLANCE CONFERENCE KICK-OFF

Hotel Check in

3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Conference Kick-Off Reception

DJ DRomo- Conference DJ

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom

Welcome

Dra. Michelle Batista, President and Founder, COLEGAS

Opening Ceremony

J. Andrea Amezcua Porras (yAyA), IndigiQueer,
Two-Spirit, transdisciplinary movement artist

Conference Orientation

Ulises Velasco, President Elect, COLEGAS & Conference Chairs
Abigail Patton & Amparo Medina, Workshop Chairs

Plated Dinner

Keynote: Dr. Pedro Noguera, Dean of the Rossier School of Education
and Distinguished Professor of Education at USC.

Entertainment & Baile

7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom

Chris Trinidad y Con Todo featuring **Mestiza** @christrinidadmusic

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2024
CONFERENCE DAY ONE AT-A-GLANCE

Conference Check-In/Information Desk
7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. – 2nd Floor Foyer

Plated Breakfast
8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom

Morning Ceremony
8:30 a.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom
J. Andrea Amezcua Porras (yAyA), IndigiQueer,
Two-Spirit, transdisciplinary movement artist

Cultura
8:45 a.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom
Carlos Andrés Gómez, Poet, speaker, actor and author

GENERAL SESSION
9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. – 1/Grand Ballroom
Keynote, Dr. Alejandro Jose Gradilla, Associate Professor
And Dual Chair of Chicana/o Studies and African American Studies at
California State University, Fullerton

Break
9:45 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

BREAKOUT Sessions A
10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

<i>Room A2</i>	<i>Room A3</i>	<i>Room A4</i>	<i>Room A5</i>	<i>Room A7</i>	<i>Room A8</i>	<i>Room A9</i>	<i>Room A10</i>
Session A1	Session A2	Session A3	Session A4	Session A5	Session A6	Session A7	Session A8
Building Coalitions to Address Structural Racism in Community Colleges	Geografías de Oportunidad: How Geography Limits Transfer Success for Latine Community College Students	No Me Peguen Con Mi Propia Chancla! Supporting Undocu Scholars Using an Anti-Deficit Approach	Breaking Barriers in Rural Community Colleges: Advancing Latina/o/x Student Success by Centering Student Voices	From HSI to Predominantly Latino/a/e/x Serving: Prioritizing Liberatory Outcomes		Lowriding as Community-Based Epistemology	Mi Alma, Cuerpo, Mente: Cultivating Joy Through Teatro with a Twist

Break
11:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.

BREAKOUT Sessions B
11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

<i>Room A2</i>	<i>Room A3</i>	<i>Room A4</i>	<i>Room A5</i>	<i>Room A7</i>	<i>Room A8</i>	<i>Room A9</i>	<i>Room A10</i>
Session B1	Session B2	Session B3	Session B4	Session B5	Session B6	Session B7	Session B8
Liberating the Latine First-Year & Beyond Experience through a Grassroots Learning Colectiva of Resistance	Diverse Experiences of Latinas in Higher Education, Chingonas on Their Terms	The Power Of Trust In Building Relaciones De Comunidad	Sin Miedo: Infusing Color as a Approach to Decolonizing Qualitative Research Methods	From Diapers to Diplomas: Empowering Student Parents to Advocacy and Awareness: Intentional Support for Parenting Students	Learn How To Ignite the Career Technical Education Spark	Loyal to the Soil: Re-Harvesting our Latino Male Narratives in Educational S.P.A.C.E.S	Our Stories of Resistance & Justice: Re-imagining the Future to Engage Latinx Students

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2024
CONFERENCE DAY ONE AT-A-GLANCE

Break
 12:15 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Plated Lunch
 12:30 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom

GENERAL SESSION
 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom

COLEGAS Inspira Award Recipient: Dr. Francisco Rodriguez,
 Chancellor, Los Angeles Community College District

Keynote, Prisca Dorcas Mojica Rodriguez, *For Brown Girls with Sharp Edges and Tender Hearts*
 @priscadorcas

Cafécito y Charla
 2:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.— A1/Grand Ballroom

BREAKOUT Sessions C
 2:45 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

Room A2	Room A3	Room A4	Room A5	Room A7	Room A8	Room A9	Room A10
Session C1	Session C2	Session C3	Session C4	Session C5	Session C6	Session C7	
Equity in Dual Enrollment Counseling: Justice + Love + Action + Leadership = Student Success	Decolonizing Accessibility & Mental Health Support: Centering healing engagement and supporting students' intersectional needs.	Cultivating Agency, Belonging & Community Through Acompañamiento : Decolonizing Our Relationships of Support		Conocimiento, Empoderamiento, y Pasión: Uplifting Formerly Incarcerated Students in Their Educational Hustle	Empowering Latina/o/x Students: Transforming Social & Family Capital for Academic Success	Hombres Sin Poder: Interrogating the Systems of Higher Education That Weren't Made for Us	Empowering Latina/o/x Voices: Decolonizing Education through International Experiences

Break
 3:45 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

BREAKOUT Sessions D
 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Room A2	Room A3	Room A4	Room A5	Room A7	Room A8	Room A9	Room A10
Session D1	Session D2	Session D3	Session D4	Session D5	Session D6	Session D7	Session D8
Reclutamiento con Cariño: Leveraging Outreach & In-reach Strategies for Latinx Student Empowerment	Stories of Resilience: A Workshop with Author Reyna Grande	From Silos to Synergy: Coalition Formation of AANAPISI & HSI	Luchadora Libre: Uniting and Liberating Latinas in the Workplace	MiraCosta College & ChildCare Providers United (CCPU) Educational Collaboration	Liberación a Través de la Educación— The Lived Experiences of Formerly Incarcerated Rising Scholars	Corazones Unidos: Apoyo Con Amor y Compasión Para Estudiantes de Primer Año en LBCC	Conexed

Break
 4:45 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2024
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DINNER ON OWN
5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Entertainment & Baile
7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom

La Santa Cecilia
@lasantacecilia

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2024
CONFERENCE DAY TWO AT-A-GLANCE**

Plated Breakfast
8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom

GENERAL SESSION
8:45 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom

Keynote, Dr. Celeste Townsend, President, California Indian Nation College

Cafécito y Charla
9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

BREAKOUT Sessions E
10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

<i>Room A2</i>	<i>Room A3</i>	<i>Room A4</i>	<i>Room A5</i>	<i>Room A7</i>	<i>Room A8</i>	<i>Room A9</i>	<i>Room A10</i>
Session E1	Session E2	Session E3	Session E4	Session E5	Session E6	Session E7	Session E8
Voices for Change: Testimonios of PartTime Enrolled Latina Students at a HispanicServing Community College	Latinx Student Liberation: Equitable Dual Enrollment	Hermanas in Leadership	Equitable Course Placement, Support, & Completion for English Learners. Where are we and what's next?	Cultura Cura Required: BIPOC Radical SelfCare within U.S. Settler Colonial Institutions of Schooling	Creating a COLEGAS Chapter on Your Campus: A Sense of Comunidad y Familia	UMGC's EquityCentered Community College Doctoral Program	Empowering Voices: Creating Space for Native American Professionals in the California Community College System

Break
11:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2024 CONFERENCE DAY TWO AT-A-GLANCE

BREAKOUT Sessions F 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

<i>Room A2</i>	<i>Room A3</i>	<i>Room A4</i>	<i>Room A5</i>	<i>Room A7</i>	<i>Room A8</i>	<i>Room A9</i>	<i>Room A10</i>
Session F1	Session F2	Session F3	Session F4	Session F5	Session F6	Session F7	Session F8
Aspiring Radical Leaders Capstone Projects	Uplifting Latinx Student Voices: The Start of a Latinx Student Project at a Community College	Rompiendo Barreras, Fortaleciendo Futuros: Student Success through Basic Needs	Diagnosis: Racial Battle Fatigue. Rx: Mente, Cuerpo y Alma	Lowrider Arte In the Classroom	Y Todos Me Miran, Porque Sé Que Soy Divina: Advancing Latinx Leadership	Amplifying Latinx Voices: Harnessing Social Media for Justice and Liberation	Empowering Voices: Creating Space for Native American Professionals in the California Community College System - Continued

Break

12:15 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Plated Lunch & Closing Session

12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. – A1/Grand Ballroom

Keynote, Ruben Canedo

Director, Strategic Equity Initiatives at University of California, Berkeley

Entertainment

2:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.– A1/Grand Ballroom

Mariachi Bonitas de Dinorah @mariachibonitas

COLEGAS Membership Sessions G

2:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Room A1/Grand Ballroom

Session G1:

COLEGAS Members Business Meeting

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2024 - AT-A-GLANCE

COLEGAS GUIDING CONCILIO (EXECUTIVE BOARD) BREAKFAST AND MEETING

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ALL GENDER BATHROOM

2nd Floor

LACTATION ROOM

2nd Floor/ Green Room 1 & 2