

STATE OF THE COLLEGE

*Celebrating 75 Years of
Educational Excellence
&
Mapping our Future*



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Dr. Angelica Suarez
President



— ADVANCING OUR MISSION —

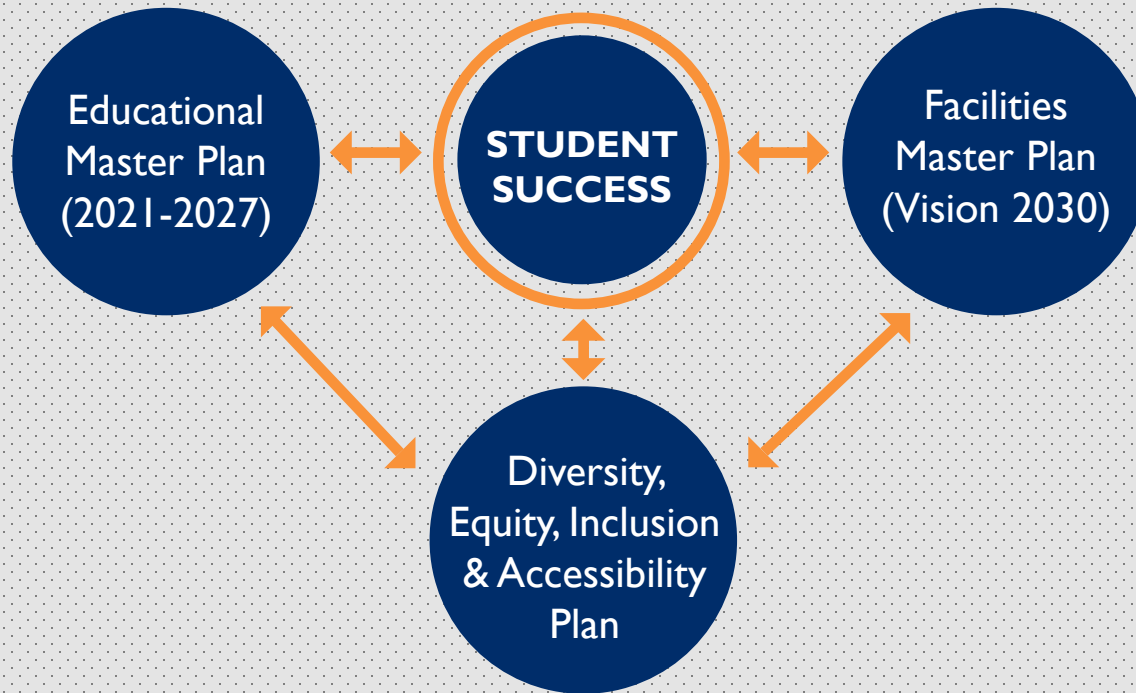


Mission Statement

Orange Coast College serves the educational needs of a **diverse local and global community**. The College **empowers students to achieve their goals by providing high quality, culturally responsive, and innovative programs and services** through pathways leading to degrees, transfers, certificates, foundational skills, workforce development, and lifelong learning. The **College promotes student development, learning, and equitable outcomes by fostering a respectful, inclusive, caring, and participatory campus climate** of student engagement and academic inquiry.

Updated: Fall 2021

— OUR ROADMAPS



LIVING OUR VALUES AND ACTING ON OUR GOALS

COMMUNITY: Foster an inclusive, diverse, race-conscious, and equitable culture through growing partnerships with local and global communities.



LEARNING: Equitably engage all students in an inclusive, high-quality education geared towards maximizing their knowledge and lived experiences and facilitating the completion of their goals.

ACCESS & EQUITY: Create equitable access through effective and innovative pathways, programs, and services that result in increased student success

STEWARDSHIP: Create, Sustain, and improve programs, physical and human resources, infrastructure, and processes that ensure accountability, long-term viability, continuous improvement, equity, and environmental sustainability.

STUDENT & EMPLOYEE ENGAGEMENT: Foster a culture of care leading to meaningful connections, collaborative participation, and supportive spaces among people, places, and ideas within the College.

— DIVERSITY, EQUITY, INCLUSION, & ACCESSIBILITY PLAN

DEIA PLAN

01

Establish a Sustainable Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Accessibility Infrastructure and Culture

02

Build DEIA Knowledge for Employees

03

Improve Recruitment and Retention of Employees from Underrepresented Populations

04

Implement Student-Centered Scheduling, Support Services, and Programs

05

Provide Culturally Responsive Curriculum

06

Evolve and Expand Robust Data-Informed Culture Designed to Address and Close Educational Equity Gaps



MILESTONES ALONG OUR JOURNEY

And there is so much more inside the Magazine



INSTRUCTION

Michelle Grimes-Hillman
Vice President of Instruction



CELEBRATING DATA COACHING: FACULTY, CLASSIFIED, AND MANAGERS

▶ To build capacity of **Orange Coast College** to *analyze data* and *conduct inquiry* to inform **transformation and change** to implement **student-centered and equity-minded scheduling practices** to improve the enrollment and success of underrepresented students, with a focus on racially minoritized students.

— FOCUSING ON DIVERSITY, EQUITY, INCLUSION, & ACCESSIBILITY



Enrollment Management (IEPI Grant) – Access (Efficiency), Retention, Completion (SEMP, Scheduling Conversations, and Data Coaching)

Guided Pathways 2.0 – Ensure Learning

Dual Enrollment – NMUSD, GGUSD, Santa Ana Unified, HBUSD, Mater Dei, AoP, GG Adult Education and HB Adult Education

Adult Education (ELL, CTE)

Life long learning (non-credit)

Faculty DEIA Professional Development Grant

Accessibility of our Canvas Pages

— CELEBRATING OCC EXCITEMENT —

Pirate's Plank Business Pitch Competition

Students Intern at Snapchat

Career Mentor program and Career Launch job-finding workshop series

Waterfront Campus and Sailing Center hosted Summer Camps (over 1000 participants)

OCC Dance department were selected to perform at the National Festival at CSU Long Beach

CC Chamber Singers performed Carl Orff's "Carmina Burana" with choirs from Palomar College, MiraCosta College, and the San Diego Master Chorale at Palomar College

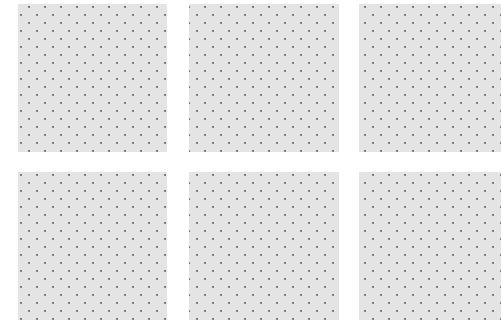
Respiratory Care Program recognized as the 2023 Distinguished RRT Credentialing Success Award by the Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care

OCC Fashion opened the Coast Collective Pop-Up Shop at the College Center

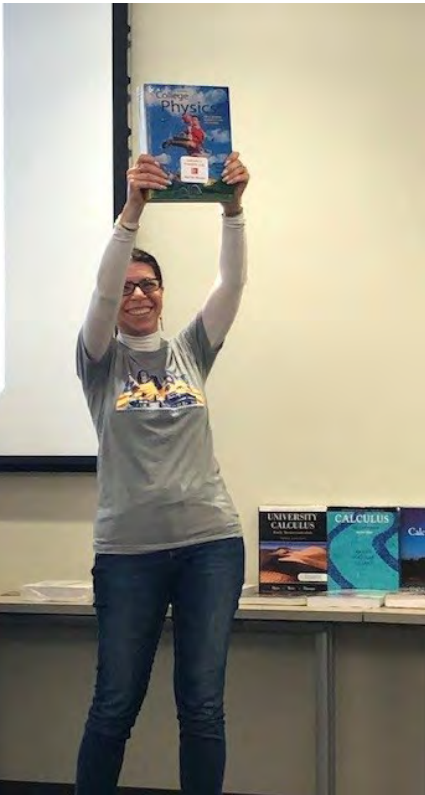
UC – Irvine School of Engineering and **OCC's Architecture** program are part of the Orange County Sustainability Decathlon (OCSD)

Career Center presented Careers in Industrial Technology showcase event in the Technology

21 faculty received tenure in 2022-23



MORE OCC EXCITEMENT



MATH & SCIENCE

- Math Meet
- Dennis Kelly Aquarium 50th Anniversary
- Astronomy Outreach
- MESA Program/STEM Program

ATHLETICS

- Laura Behr won National Coach of the year
- Two State Championships (Women's basketball and Men's Volleyball)
- CCCAA Male Athlete of the Year for the State (Ethan Smith - Swim)
- Seven Conference Champions (Women's Water Polo, Tennis, Basketball, Beach Volleyball, Swim; Men's Volleyball, and Swim)
- Over 200 Student-Athletes Transfer to 4-year institutions

Coast Report, Orange Coast College's student newspaper, was honored with 11 awards at the Associated Collegiate Press/Journalism Association of Community Colleges Spring 2023 National Student Media Conference

The **Orange Coast College Speech and Debate** team won its 13th national championship (spring 2023)

OCDE's **2024 Teacher of the Year** – Kelli Elliott



STUDENT SERVICES

Dr. Madjid Niroumand
Vice President of Student Services

STUDENT SERVICES

Appreciation

Organizational Structure

Completion (Summer, Fall 22 & Spring 23)

- 4,718 – Degrees and Certificates

Enrollment, Retention, & Support

- International Student Program
(7th in the nation, 3rd in California)
- Expansion of services to high schools
- \$28 Million in Federal and State Aid
(\$4 Million increase)
- Intentional efforts – basic needs
(e.g., financial support, expanded Pirate's Cove)
- The Harbour

Technology

- Slate (CRM), Unite Us, Call/Answer Center,
Expansion of Starfish, etc.



ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

Dr. Rich Pagel

Vice President of Administrative Services

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

Public Safety

- Clery Compliance Review / Reporting / Notifications
- Threat and Vulnerability Assessment
- Active Shooter & Stop the Bleed Training
- Campus Safety Plan
- Parking Systems

Maintenance & Operations

- Electric Vehicle Charging Stations
- Air Conditioning Replacements
- Gym and Technology Roof
- Additional Trees and New Parks (Demo Areas)

Fiscal Services

- 2023/2024 Budget and Beyond
- Townhall Meetings
- Budget Committee



ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

Technology

- Technology Replacement Plan
 - Roll Out of New Computers and Audio/Visual Equipment
 - Server Consolidation into the Cloud

Measure M Facilities Bonds

- Chemistry Building
- Demolition of Buildings
- Technology and Maintenance Endowments

College Support Services

- Print Services – Extended Hours
- Recycling Center
- Facility Rentals
- Weekend Swap Meet





LOOKING AHEAD: PRIORITIES FOR 2023-2024

- ✓ Re-engaging Students & Building Enrollment
- ✓ Preparing for Accreditation Self Study
(August 2025; Visit March 2026)
- ✓ Engaging YOU in Creating a Sustainable Budget
- ✓ Maximizing Revenue Opportunities that
Advance OCC's Spirit of Innovation &
Creativity
- ✓ Continuing to Cultivate & Promote a Culture
of Inclusivity & Belongingness for our students
and for you!

UPCOMING CAMPUS EVENTS CELEBRATING 75TH ANNIVERSARY



9/13

75th Anniversary of first students
arriving at OCC campus

10/1

Orange County Children's Book Festival

10/19

Chemistry Building Topping Off Ceremony

11/28

Giving Tuesday & opportunity drawing

December

End of the 75th Anniversary Celebration



THANK YOU!

Dr. Allissa Blystone, *Flex Coordinator*
and the Flex Committee