

Board of Trustees  
**Accreditation Information Update**  
May 10, 2021  
Dr. Jennifer Vega La Serna, Accreditation Liaison Officer

**Accreditation Update:**

Midterm report due October 2022; Accrediation Work Group meeting and writing in process.

**ACCJC**

**ACCJC Standards Review**

ACCJC reviews (and when needed, revises) its Accreditation Standards every 10 years, in accordance with the Policy on Review of Accreditation Standards. Through its review and revision of the 2014 Accreditation Standards, ACCJC will continue to advance equitable student success and educational excellence.

- Dr. Sarah Harris, Curriculum/SLO Coordinator was nominated and appointed as a member of the Peer Writing Team to work on content related to academic programs.

**ACCJC Commission Nominations**

ACCJC is seeking nominations and applications for the following positions:

- Three Academic Members

Two of the positions have incumbents who are eligible for election to a second three-year term. The incumbents for these positions, John Randy Beach and Cynthia Napoli-Abella Reiss, are seeking re-election. Nominations are due May 21, 2021.

**ACCJC ALO Orientation**

ACCJC will host an online **ALO Orientation on Tuesday, June 22, 2021, from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. PDT**. Save the date and consider joining us for this important webinar! While the orientation is targeted to new ALOs, registration is free of charge and anyone may attend (existing ALOs, those interested in serving in the role of ALO in the future, others involved in accreditation). Please feel free to forward this message to anyone who may be interested. Full details and the registration link are below.

**Presenters:**

*Valerie Barko* – Director of Institutional Effectiveness, Kaua'i Community College

*Kevin Bontenbal* – Vice President, ACCJC

*Christopher McDonald* – Vice President for Instruction, Irvine Valley College

*Duncan Sutton* – Director of Institutional Effectiveness and Strategic Planning, Salvation Army College for Officer Training

*Jennifer Vega La Serna* – Vice President Academic Services, College of the Sequoias

**Registration Information:**

All attendees must register through the following Zoom registration link. Registration is free of charge and will remain open until the beginning of the ALO Orientation. Please contact Jared Spring at [jspring@accjc.org](mailto:jspring@accjc.org) if you have any questions or issues with the registration process.

[https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZ0lc-iqrDwvGNAw6NWJe4tpD77LgtPeyt\\_1](https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZ0lc-iqrDwvGNAw6NWJe4tpD77LgtPeyt_1)

**ACCJC Connect**

The ACCJC has developed ACCJC Connect to communicate with member institutions. Interested parties can sign up to receive the newsletter here: [Use this link to forward ACCJC Connect.](#)