



Dream Outreach Center

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Annual Report

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1. List major milestones and accomplishments over the past year. (This should be a bulleted list with dates when appropriate).

- Dream Counselors' Conference – 09/23/2015
- Feria de Educación – 10/24/2015
- It's FAFSA Time – 02/13/2016

2. Describe the major challenges that our department experienced.

1. Access to financial aid viewing data
 - a. In order to assist Dream students with their applications for financial aid I need to have View Only access to financial aid
2. Many Dream students continue to have challenges in meeting residency documentation requirements. Fresno State Admissions continues to require permanent residency cards, employment authorization card, and social security card from Dream students even when AB 540 law does not require them. This has caused delays.
 - a. As of June 16, 70 active incoming students have not cleared residency
3. Program literature
 - a. Have not been able to get approval for a DOC brochure
 - b. Have not been able to launch a DOC Website
4. Fresno State Materials. We have very little Fresno State materials/promotional items to hand out during information tables and/or presentations

3. Total Number of People Helped: 8,964				
	Event Name	Date of Event	Attendance	Description
DOC Events				
1	Dream Counselor's Conference	09/23/2015	176	DOC hosted a conference at Fresno State to help counselors from high schools and community colleges learn about CA Legislations, Admission Application Process, and Residency Requirements for AB540 students interested in applying for community college, the CSU, or a UC
2	Laton High School	09/30/2015	66	DOC hosted Laton HS seniors to inform them about educational opportunities, admission requirements, and financial resources with a specific focus on Dream students
3	HACU Internships Presentation	10/05/2015	16	DOC hosted a workshop to inform interested Dream students about HACU's internships now available for Dream students with DACA
4	Feria Volunteer training	10/13-14/2015	35	We conducted a Feria volunteer training to help volunteers identify and understand their specific role in Feria
5	Feria Orientation	10/21/2015	12	During this orientation, we informed interested individuals about Feria and explained the need for volunteers
6	Feria de Educación	10/24/2015	5,000	Feria de Educación was a partnership between the CSU, Univision, and Fresno State. Feria included over 30 exhibitors, more than 20 workshops, immigration forum, and many educational activities for Spanish speaking participants of all ages. The event was highly promoted by Univision and resulted in a tremendous success. Some of the most popular educational activities were the Reading Garden, the Visualization Booth, book giveaways, etc... I was in charge of volunteers, DOC had an information table, and we participated in the cleanup process. I also conducted a workshop on DACA.
7	Partnership with Mr. Tim Rios	11/04/2015	3	Mr. Tim Rios and David Hembre visited the Dream Outreach Center in January. Mr. Tim Rios offered a donation of \$10,000 to help support the center
8	Reedley College Counselor's Training	11/04/2015	32	I presented information on CA Legislation, admission and residency process, as well as financial resources to Reedley College Staff and Faculty
9	Le Grand High School	11/05/2015	85	DOC hosted Le Grand High School Freshman class for an orientation about preparing for college and A-G

				requirements. Later the participants went to a Fresno State football game
10	Immigration Forum	11/12/2015	80	DOC hosted an Immigration Forum which included presentations from Centro La Familia, UFW, and DOC. Our Keynote Speaker was Arturo Rodriguez, president of UFW and successor of Cesar Chavez.
11	CA Dream Act Training	11/20/2015	92	DOC hosted a CA Dream Act Training for high school, community colleges, and Fresno State staff/faculty. The training was mainly offered by staff from the California Student Aid Commission.
12	McFarland High School Senior Orientation	12/07/2015	32	DOC hosted an orientation to help McFarland migrant seniors with admission applications, scholarships, and financial aid
13	CA Dream Act/DACA Training for ambassadors and volunteers	01/13/2016	26	DOC coordinated a training session to help students understand the application process for the CA Dream Act.
14	Hartnell College visits Fresno State	01/15/2016	36	DOC hosted an orientation for Hartnell College students to review transfer requirements and assist students with their application for admissions, scholarships, and financial aid
15	Univision FAFSA/Dream Act	02/15/2016	200	In partnership with Univision, DOC hosted a FAFSA/Dream Act application day. We assisted about 200 applicants with their financial aid or CA Dream Act application
16	Merced College Dream Students	02/22/2016	11	DOC provided an orientation for students to transfer from Merced College including admission, scholarship, and financial resources application process.
17	Hartnell College Dream Presentation	03/12/2016	45	DOC hosted students from Hartnell College and presented on admissions, scholarships, and financial resources application process
18	Roosevelt Elementary visits Fresno State	03/30/2016	72	DOC hosted students from Roosevelt Elementary and presented on Fresno State careers, majors, and educational opportunities for all students. The presentation also highlighted basic skills needed for the mentioned careers.
19	Teague Elementary visits Fresno State	04/01/2016	72	DOC hosted students from Roosevelt Elementary and presented on Fresno State careers, majors, and educational opportunities for all students. The presentation also highlighted basic skills needed for the mentioned careers.
20	Dream Applicants Pre-Orientation	04/02/2016	45	DOC hosted a Pre-Orientation for Dream applicants and instructed them on Fresno State resources. We

				highlighted the importance of completing required documents by admissions, financial aid, health center, and support programs. We also devoted time to learn to navigate the Fresno State Student Center and going over on and off-campus resources
21	Burney Elementary	04/04/2016	40	DOC hosted Burney Elementary and provided them with a general Fresno State orientation, a review of majors and career highlighting basic skills needed, and provided a campus tour
22	Parent College Conference	04/30/2016	22	DOC hosted a Parent College Conference and provided a general overview of higher education opportunities for all students. Because it was a small group, we emphasized the educational opportunities for the young students in the audience.
23	Our Vote Counts!	04/30/2016	65	DOC hosted a Register To Vote table in collaboration with “Nuestro Voto Cuenta”, a special campaign from Univision
24	MiMentor.org with Dr. Luz Corona	05/23/2016	20	DOC hosted a career presentation by Dr. Luz Corona sharing her story with Dream students at Fresno State. www.MiMentor.org is an online tool to help students dialogue with medical career mentors
25	Feria de Educación Breakfast Reception	05/26/2016	63	In partnership with Univision, DOC hosted a Feria Breakfast Reception who invite local school administrators to take active participation in this year’s Feria de Educación scheduled for October 22, 2016
26	Orientation for new Parents and Students with Dr. Martin Valencia	06/02/2016	46	DOC hosted a presentation in Spanish for parents with young children. The presentation highlighted educational opportunities for all students regardless of documentation and California laws.
27	MISL Parent Training	06/12/2016	72	DOC hosted a training for parents of MISL participants. The training included an overview of the program, parent’s role in preparing their children for higher education, A-G requirements, overview of higher education, careers/majors, and goal setting. The entire orientation was conducted in Spanish
28	MISL	06/12-24/2016	70	In partnership with the Migrant Education Programs from San Joaquin County, Merced County, Fresno County, and Tulare County, DOC hosted a Migrant Institute for STEM and Leadership. This two week residential

				program included courses coordinated with Engineering, Agriculture, and HCOP. Enrichment activities included fine arts and leadership.
	Total: 6,534			
Presentations by Raul Z. Moreno				
1	West Hills (Firebaugh) Presentation for students	09/29/2015	33	Presented information on higher education opportunities, the transfer system, careers and majors, goal setting, and CA Legislations that help undocumented students
2	Presentation for UFWF	10/08/2015	12	Presented to UFWF staff about higher education opportunities for Dream students
3	Feria Volunteer Training	10/13-14/2015	11	Provided an overview of Feria setup, activities, and role of volunteers
4	Feria Orientation	10/15/2015	12	Provided a Feria orientation for Fresno State staff that served as volunteers. The orientation included setup, activities, and special assignments
5	Community Counselor's Conference	10/16/2015	181	Presented information on admission steps for Dream students
6	CenCal 2015 Workshop (CA Dream Act)	10/22/2015	25	Presented to CenCal Trio staff on DACA, CA Legislation, and higher education opportunities for undocumented students
7	Dream Team Development Breakfast	11/02/2015	6	Presented on the financial needs of Dream Students enrolled at Fresno State
8	AMAE Presentation	11/07/2015	18	Presented on Higher education opportunities for undocumented students to staff and administrators of the Association of Mexican American Educators
9	Dream Conference hosted by FCOE	11/16/2015	42	Presented on DACA identification & recruitment of high school students that qualify for employment authorization after the age 15. Discussed strategies to help identify these students
10	Reedley College Training for Staff	12/02/2015	32	Presented to Reedley College faculty and staff about DACA, financial resources, and higher education opportunities for Dream students
11	College of the Sequoias Training for Counselors	12/03/2015	32	Presented to College of the Sequoias faculty and staff about DACA, financial resources, and higher education opportunities for Dream students
12	Dream Presentation at Fresno City	01/28/2016	14	Presented on the academic, personal, social, and immigration needs of Dream students in higher education
13	Presentation for El Concilio	01/29/2016	28	Presented on higher education and immigration related opportunities for undocumented students to community leaders representing different community organizations in Fresno

14	Chicano Youth Conference	01/30/2016	48	Presented on higher education opportunities for Dream students including careers and financial resources
15	Si Se Puede Conference	02/02/2016	48	Presented on higher education opportunities for Dream students including careers and financial resources
16	Harvesting the Leaders of Tomorrow	02/04/2016	24	Presented on higher education opportunities for Dream students including careers and financial resources
17	Presentation at Orange Cove	02/11/2016	120	Provided a presentation and information table for parents and community leaders from the area of Orange Cove. Topics included DACA and higher education opportunities for Dream students
18	Keynote Speaker for CAMP Statewide Leadership Conference	03/05/2016	120	Presented on goal setting and leadership required to persist and succeed in college
19	Leadership activity in Firebaugh	03/05/2016	28	Conducted trust building activities together with goal setting to help students persist through the community college experience and successfully transfer to a university
20	Presentation for LFSA; RE: Legislation and Immigration for Dream Students	03/11/2016	24	Presented on understanding the needs of undocumented students and some of the resources and opportunities available to them
21	Preview Day/DOC Table	03/12/2016	85	Presented to new students and their parents on the Fresno State experience, goal setting, housing, and financial resources for students entering Fresno State. The session also included a lengthy Q&A session. This presentation was entirely in Spanish
22	Faculty/Staff Dream Training for Hartnell College	03/18/2016	38	Presented on several topics related to Dream students including: immigration, legislation, financial resources, goal setting, and leadership development
23	San Joaquin Health Fund Convening	04/14/2016	160	Presented and learned about Medical Insurance for Dream college students
24	Roosevelt Elementary Assembly Presentations	04/18/2016	490	Presented three motivational sessions for all students at Roosevelt Elementary. The key message was preparing for Fresno State
25	Central Unified Orientation	04/25/2016	64	Presented to parents on the admission and financial aid application process for Dream students
26	Speaker for Mission Oak High School Migrant Seniors	05/04/2016	210	Presented to Mission Oak HS migrant students and their families about the higher education opportunities and challenges for migrant students
27	Cal-SOAP College & Career Day Table & Presentation	05/24/2016	84	Provided a presentation and an informational table for participants in the College & Career Day Fair. Our

				main topic was educational opportunities for Dream students
28	Speaker at Washington Union Migrant Program	05/25/2016	70	Presented to Washington Union HS migrant students and their families about the higher education opportunities and challenges for migrant students
29	FCC Dream Center Meeting with Chancellor Parnell	05/26/2016	8	Presented about the needs of Dream students at the college level: immigration, application assistance, financial aid, scholarships, advocacy, integration, and involvement
30	Speaker for West Park Charter Academy Seniors	05/27/2016	330	Presented to West Park HS migrant students and their families about the higher education opportunities and challenges for migrant students
	Total: 2,430			
Participated in the Following Events				
1	Website Training at HML 2130		09/01/2015	
2	SAFARI		09/10/2015	
3	Univision Educational Phone Bank		10/08/2015	
4	California Leadership Summit		10/29/2015	
5	High School Counselor Conference		10/30/2015	
6	President's Forum for Faculty/Staff		11/12/2015	
7	DOSAEM Professional Retreat		01/12/2016	
8	AB 540 Webinar		02/09/2016	
9	Webinar on the CA Dream Act		02/12/2016	
10	Dream Center Reception/Fundraiser		02/16/2016	
11	Webinar for USA Jobs		02/17/2016	
12	Mexican Flag Day		02/24/2016	
13	DOC Table at College of Science and Mathematics		02/25/2016	
14	Student Success Summit		03/02/2016	
15	Children Now Webinar		04/20/2016	
16	Reception in Honor of President Kustra		05/03/2016	
17	CLCC Staff Volunteer Training		05/09/2016	
18	Table at McLane HS		05/19/2016	
19	CLCC Rehearsal		05/19/2016	
20	CLCC		05/21/2016	
21	OIE/Federal Trio Programs		06/07/2016	
22	Dream Centers Website		06/08/2016	
23	KFSR Student Spotlight		06/15/2016	
24	Customer Service Training		06/16/2016	
Committees/Associations				
1	Dream Centers Committee			
2	Dream Scholarship Committee			
3	Food Security Committee			
4	Office of I Effectiveness Committee			

5	CLCC Committee
6	Association of Mexican-American Educators
7	Central Valley Health Fund
8	Central Valley Immigration Integration Collaborative
9	California Latino Leadership Network
10	Latino Faculty and Staff Association
11	Latino Mayors Association
12	Mexican Consulate
13	Univision
14	Migrant Education Programs
15	Fresno County Office of Education
16	State Center Community College District
17	West Hills Community College District

4. List information about any programs or services that were provided in collaboration with academic departments.

- Migrant Institute for STEM and Leadership (MISL) – 06/12-24/2016
 - This is a partnership program between the Migrant Education Programs from Tulare, Fresno, Merced, and San Joaquin Counties working in collaboration with the Education and Leadership Foundation to execute a Migrant Institute for STEM and Leadership. This is a residential program housed at Fresno State for 70 high school migrant students. At Fresno State, the program includes partnerships with the Plant Science Department, Pathways, and HCOP. The students are taking classes in Engineering, Medical Science, Agricultural Science, and Leadership.

5. List any notable student or staff awards or accolades received by those in our department.

None

6. List the number of volunteers and volunteer hours our department contributed through its programs and services.

None

7. Select one program, event, service or student accomplishment that you are most proud of from the previous year and would like to highlight. If possible, provide a picture (upload below) and one paragraph describing your featured accomplishment. Make this passage especially fun and inviting to the reader.

- FAFSA/Cal Dream Act Assistance Day

On Saturday, February 16, in partnership with Univision 21 we offered assistance for Fresno State students and applicants to complete their financial aid application. Univision provided a

massive media campaign and the day of the event more than 70 professional volunteers assisted more than 200 students with their financial aid application. (No picture available).

Dream Outreach Applicant Summary

Dream Students Admission Status as of June 23, 2016	
Row Labels	Count of Admit Type
First Time Student	913
Active	178
Applicant	16
Cancelled	704
Waitlisted	15
Returning	11
Active	7
Applicant	1
Cancelled	3
Returning Transfer	9
Active	5
Applicant	1
Cancelled	2
Prematric	1
Transfer	235
Active	87
Admitted	29
Applicant	1
Cancelled	112
Prematric	6
Grand Total	1168

**Dream Students
First Time Freshmen
Application Cancelled**

Row Labels	Count of Admission Override
D:Denied Admission	217
Denied- Program Deny	1
Denied-College Prep Eligib Low	30
Denied-College Preps Low	20
Denied-Eligibility Low	166
N:Will Not Attend - Admitted	278
Withdrawl-No Dog Day Reg/Paymt	16
Withdrawl-No Intent to Enroll	222
Withdrawl-Student Request	40
U:Denied and Not Redirected	185
Denied-No Space Available	185
W:Withdrew Appl Before Adm	24
Withdrawl-App Not Complete	1
Withdrawl-No App Fee Paid	19
Withdrawl-Program Cancelled	1
Withdrawl-Student Request	3
Grand Total	704

Dream Students Transfer Cancelled Applicants	
Row Labels	Count of Admission Override
D:Denied Admission	8
Denied-Manual Denied	8
N:Will Not Attend - Admitted	4
Withdrawl-Student Request	4
T:Denied and Redirected	5
Denied-Redirected -SB1440 Only	5
U:Denied and Not Redirected	18
Denied-No Space Available	18
W:Withdrew Appl Before Adm	77
Withdrawl-App Not Complete	75
Withdrawl-Lower Division	1
Withdrawl-Student Request	1
Grand Total	112