



REGION VII NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2025 EDITION

IMPORTANT DATES



Delegate Assembly
October 23 at 3 PM

Executive Committee Meeting
October 21 at 4 PM

Advocacy Academy
December 5-7, 2025
Riverside Convention Center
Riverside, CA

Federal Advocacy Academy
March 1-3, 2026
Washington Marriott
Georgetown
Washington, D.C.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Hello Region VII!

As we enter the middle of the semester, it will be filled with fresh opportunities, new challenges, and exciting events. Whether you're diving into coursework, joining clubs, or networking for internships, make the most of this season of growth.

Currently, Region VII has activated X out of 14 colleges. We are working to seek activation from the remaining colleges; if you are interested in filling the position, please reach out to your respective student governments to get the item on their next agenda.

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REGION VII COLLEGES

Compton LA Harbor LA Valley East LA LA Mission Pasadena El Camino LA Pierce
Santa Monica Glendale LA Southwest West LA LA City LA Trade Tech

LETTER FROM THE REGIONAL AFFAIRS DIRECTOR

Destiny McLemore

STUDENT SENATE FOR CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGES

Hello Everyone!

Let's be real college is wild. You're expected to act like an adult, but most of us still Google "how long does rice take to cook" at 2 a.m.

You wake up tired, go to class tired, study tired, and somehow still can't fall asleep at night. And don't even get me started on group projects 1 person does all the work while the rest ghost like it's Halloween.

But here's the thing: you're doing it. Every test, every paper, every awkward presentation you're surviving. Barely? Maybe. But surviving!

College isn't just about getting a degree it's about learning how to function with zero sleep, five deadlines, and a diet made entirely of caffeine and snacks.

So when you feel overwhelmed, just remember: you've made it this far. You're smarter than you think, stronger than you feel, and funnier than your GPA suggests.

Keep going. You got this.

Sincerely,

Destiny McLemore

Regional Affairs Director



ACTIVATED COLLEGES

Region VII

As of September 18, 2025, Region VII has activated 5 out of 14 colleges! Listed are the names of the delegates and their respective college.

Jocelyn Coenmans, El Camino College

Andril Lysak, Los Angeles Valley College

Darlene Moore, Los Angeles Southwest College

Madalyn Lauterbach, Pasadena College

Ivana Barlow, West Los Angeles College

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OPPORTUNITIES

Get Involved!

ADVOCACY ACADEMY

Advocacy Academy serves as a cornerstone of SSCCC's mission to empower students through education and civic engagement. Whether you're a new advocate or a seasoned student leader, this event is designed to help you elevate your voice and create meaningful change.

For more info, press [here](#)

ATTEND A CAUCUS MEETING

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UPCOMING MEETINGS

Delegate Assembly

October 23 at 3 PM

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**Executive
Committee**

October 21 at 4 PM

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**Legislative Affairs
Committee**

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