

REGION III NEWSLETTER

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THIS MONTH'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

Winter is here, and finals season is just around the corner! As we wrap up the Fall 2025 semester in Region III, it's a great time to reflect on all we've accomplished and look ahead to what's coming next. We're proud of everything our students have achieved so far, and we wish you all the best as you finish out the term!

For those interested in stepping into leadership, our Communications Officer position is currently open! This is your chance to help shape the region's messaging, support outreach efforts, and ensure students stay informed about important initiatives.

Don't miss your chance to get involved and make an impact!

IMPORTANT DATES

Federal Advocacy

March 1-4, 2026

Washington Marriott
Georgetown
Washington, D.C.

Advocacy Day + March in March

March 12, 2026

Riverside Convention Center
Riverside, CA

General Assembly

March 27-29, 2026

Hyatt Regency
San Francisco, CA

REGION III COLLEGES

Berkeley City College

Chabot College

City College of SF

College of Alameda

Contra Costa College

Diablo Valley College

Laney College

Las Positas College

Los Medanos College

Cañada College

Skyline College

Marin College

Merritt College

San Mateo College

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Hello Region III,

I hope you are all doing well, and had a pleasant November and Thanksgiving break. I am so thankful for all of your efforts within your communities, campus, Bay, or elsewhere, and I hope you all are also doing your due diligence in taking care of yourselves this holiday season—your mental health is a priority!

As of this writing, we just wrapped up our time at Advocacy Academy in Riverside. It was an exciting conference and I had the honor of presenting during some sessions. If you attended, I hope you were able to walk away confident with actionable steps towards strengthening your advocacy journey!

Finally, as always, our region's internal committees (join Legislative Affairs Committee!!!) are recruiting for new members. You do not have to be a delegate to be a region committee member, you just need to be a Bay Area community college student. If you are interested in joining Legislative Affairs Committee or any other region committee, please contact me at ladregioniii@ssccc.org or reach out to RAD Malbrough at radregioniii@ssccc.org.

I hope you've all been well, and staying warm.



Sincerely,

Ode Kunthar

Legislative Affairs Director



ACTIVATED COLLEGES

Region III

As of November, Region III has activated 11 out of 14 colleges! Listed are the names of the delegates and their respective college.

We would also like to give a special “thank you” to the following colleges that have gone above and beyond by verifying an alternate delegate:

**College of Alameda,
Chabot College, Diablo
Valley College,
& Los Medanos Colellege!**

Kimiya Farzam
Berkeley City College

Phylis Essandoh
Chabot College

Heather Brandt
City College of San Francisco

Vicky Ramirez
College of Alameda

Max Stemmler
Contra Costa College

Monique Silva
Diablo Valley College

Aniah Willis
Laney College

Rend Al Itbi
Las Positas College

Salvador Velazquez
Los Medanos College

Ronniedith Dimapasoc
Merritt College

William Oo
Skyline College



RUN FOR OUR BOARD

Get Involved!

Now Recruiting: Communications Officer!

**Love design, writing, or organizing information?
Want to grow your leadership skills and actually
make an impact?**

Our Region is now seeking a dedicated Communications Officer to help lead our outreach and keep our colleges informed and connected.

The Communications Officer plays an essential role in keeping our Region connected. In this position, you help shape our outreach, manage our social media and newsletters, and work closely with student leaders across the Region.

This is a great opportunity if you enjoy writing, graphic design, organizing information, or simply want to build your leadership skills in a supportive environment.

No prior experience is required and training is provided. If you're looking for a meaningful way to get involved and make a real impact, we'd love to have you apply.

Learn more by clicking the link in our bio!



THANK YOU FOR READING!

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Executive Committee

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