## Financial Aid

Jessica Tovar, Director

The Financial Aid Office has begun closing up applications for the Direct Loan Program for the Fall 2019 term.

Pell Grant year to date total disbursed for 2019-2020: \$4,918,157.79 2,192 students.

Cal Grant B year to date total disbursed for 2019-2020: \$349,239 451 students.

Cal Grant C year to date total disbursed for 2019-2020: \$7,111 15 students.

Scholarship year to date total disbursed for 2019-2020: \$469,031.80 390 students.

Cal Grant B Dreamer awards year to date total disbursed for 2019-2020: \$38,456 48 students.

Cal Grant C Dreamer awards year to date total disbursed for 2019-2020: \$820 2 students.

Direct Loan year to date total disbursed for 2019-2020: \$17,568 9 students.

## High School Equivalency Program

Laura Zavala, Director

HEP continues to offer prospective student orientations in Salinas and Greenfield. Attendees will be part of the Spring 2020 cohort.

HEP counselors continued to meet with 2018-2019 year graduates with the purpose of identifying appropriate placement in post-secondary education. 80% of our 2018-2019 attainers reported to have acquired gainful employment or have enrolled in post-secondary education or vocational training.

HEP Director attended the 2019 HEP/CAMP National Conference, November 11-14, 2019.

HEP received approval from the Monterey Bay Aquarium to participate in their Free to Learn program which will provide free field trip entrance.

Office of Student Life

Augustine Nevarez, Director

Hosted the traditional Dia de los Muertos event on November 1, 2019 where several student clubs made ofrendas and altars in remembrance of their loved ones. Participants enjoyed Pan de Muerto and mexican hot chocolate.

ASHC supported the efforts of ASHC President and Student Trustee Samantha Saldana and hosted a Town Hall meeting to introduce Dr.

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Patricia Hsieh and several Board of Trustees to students.

Two Panther Pop-Up pantries in November where 150 students received a bag of food.

Supported the Chinatown Revitalization efforts at the Block Party on November 9, 2019 by collecting and distributing over 200 pairs of socks ASHC donated 70 pumpkin pies to the Veterans Thanksgiving drive.

Equity Programs

Bronwyn Moreno, Director

Mi CASA Services for Undocumented Students and Families

Mi CASA led a Dreamer University Tour on November 1, 2019. 15 students joined staff for a visit to CSUMB, where they were hosted by the Undocu-Otters. Students ate in the dining hall, visited the new transfer center, and met with CSUMB undocumented student leaders.

Two Mi CASA families to received legal consultations with a local immigration attorney to review the possibility of adjusting their legal status

Mi CASA staff shared information at Salinas Adult School and Seaside High School resource fair about Hartnell support services for undocumented students and families.

In collaboration with faculty and staff from key departments on campus, provided Dreamer Ally Training on Friday, November 15, 2019 to more than 40 faculty and staff from Hartnell and partner institutions. Participants learned about the strengths and challenges of undocumented students and received information about how to be an effective ally.

Salinas Valley Promise

Presented to the Curriculum Institute on November 1 regarding new processes and requirements for the Salinas Valley Promise Program.

Continued to collaborate with IT, Advancement, Financial Aid, and Admissions and Records to improve the awarding process for Spring 2020 and beyond.

Institutional Equity Work

Joined Sociology Faculty Dr. Hortencia Jimenez and student leader Juan Herrera representing Hartnell College at a convening led by the CCCCO and the Opportunity Institute, bringing together 20 community colleges from throughout the state to develop ideas and best practices for serving students who are experiencing incarceration as well as providing transition support services for formerly incarcerated students.

In collaboration with Continuing Education Director Ana Gonzalez, co

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## SSS/TRiO Program

Manuel Bersamin, Director

About 30 parents and students attended at the King City Center meeting and about 50 parents and students attended the Main Campus meeting. The next steps meeting has as its goal the uniting of the SSS/TRIO students and their parents to form a united family decision making team

Hartnell College and the transfer to a university.

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