

HSI Lanzamiento

Planting Seeds, Cultivating Minds

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HSI Timeline 2013 - 2024

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2013	2013	2014	2020	2021	2023	2024
APRIL 2013	OCTOBER 2013	SEPT. 2014	SEPT. 2020	SEPT 2021	NOV 2023	APRIL 25, 2024
SRJC receives official designation as an Hispanic Serving Institution	Cross constituency group forms to host first HSI summit.	1 st HSI Grant received: META ⁴ \$2,375,000	2 nd HSI grant received: Lanzamiento \$2,375,000	3 rd HSI Grant received: Avanzando HSI STEM \$4,691,205	SRJC invited to participate in Transformation Research with Dr. Gina Ann Garcia	SRJC Transformation Team presents at the Inaugural Conveying of the HSI Research Colectiva

A Few Faculty Faces of Lanzamiento



Lanzamiento Sections 2021- 2024

8,831 Students (unduplicated headcount) have enrolled in a Lanzamiento Designated Sections since fall 2021.

Fall 2021:
27 Sections across all disciplines

Spring 2022:
55 Sections
32 Faculty

Fall 2022:
73 Sections
44 Faculty

Spring 2023:
74 Sections
51 Faculty

Fall 2023:
100 Sections
59 Faculty

Spring 2024
79 Sections
47 Faculty

Fall 2024:
45 Sections
30 Faculty

Professional Development

Communities of Practice:

- From Summer 2021 to Spring 2024: 21 CoP topics ranging from “Decolonizing the Classroom” to “Equitable Grading Practices” and Puente’s “Reclaiming our STEM Heritage”
- Attended by faculty, staff, and administration.

[Spring Communities of Practice](#)

Lecture Series

- Faculty led lectures, covering a wide range of topics.
- 17 lectures, attended by faculty, staff, and students.
- Dr. Gina Ann Garcia presentation and hands on workshop.
- Spring 2024 – Northern California Film Premiere of Allá (Over there)

Communities of Practice: 2021- 2022

Spring 2022

Unlearning Grammar: Freddy Martinez

Decolonizing the Classroom: Laura Larqué and Deyanira Morales

Understanding the Current Latinx College Student: Rafael Vasquez

Teaching and Learning for Wholeness and Social Change: Roberto Alvarado

The Dawn of Everything: Examining the Past for New Futures: Leticia Contreras and Freddy Martinez

Summer 2021:

Transformative Syllabus: Roberto Alvarado and Luz Garcia

Fall 2022

Equitable Grading Practices: Purnur Ozbirinci, PhD.

Maya and Inca Mathematics: Tim Melvin and Salvador Rico

Equitable and Inclusive Course Design and Teaching Practices: Danielle Bruns

Finding Latinx: In Search of the Voice Redefining Latino Identity: Tony Ruiz

Teaching to Transgress: Education as the Practice of Freedom by bell hooks : Leticia Contreras and Freddy Martinez

Communities of Practice 2023-2024

Puente Lectures:

- Puente Core Pedagogies
- Teaching the Whole Student
- Community Care
- Reclaiming STEM Legacy

Inca Mathematics and History: Laura Larque and Salvador Rico

Transforming Hispanic-Serving Institutions for Equity and Justice: Creating a Culture of Servingness at SRJC: Dr. Gina Ann Garcia

A Lynching in New Orleans: Dr. Nick Perrone

Andean and Egyptian Mummification Practices: Dr. Heidi Saleh and Dr. Nikki Slovak

Liquid Syllabus, Liquid Margins, & Liquid ePortfolio: Purnur Ozbirinci

New Faculty Training: Roberto Alvarado

Embedded Services: Transfer and Counseling Services

- **The First Generation Experience: Strategies for Success:** Margarita Gonzalez and Sam Montellanos
- **College Success and Study Habits:** Roberto Alvarado
- **Transfer Center Workshops:** Margarita Gonzalez and Sam Montellanos
- Chicana Scholarship
- Carnaval de Primavera
- **Latinx Focused Talking Healing Circle:** Brijit Aleman
- Financial Aid Workshops
- Latinx Mental Health Services
- College Tours 2022 – 2024:
 - UC Davis,
 - UC Berkeley,
 - San Francisco State,
 - San Jose State,
 - Cal State East Bay,
 - Sacramento State

Lanzamiento' s Impact on Latinx and low- income students

Objectives	Grant Baseline 2019	Latinx & Low –income 2023
1. Increase first year completion rates in Math & English.	5%	9.4%
2. Increase course completion rates.	71%	72%
3. Increase rate of “A”s earned.	30%	34%
4. Increase 3 year transfer rate	10%*	11.2%
5. Increase retention rates	56.2%	64.16%

[Annual Performance Reports](#)

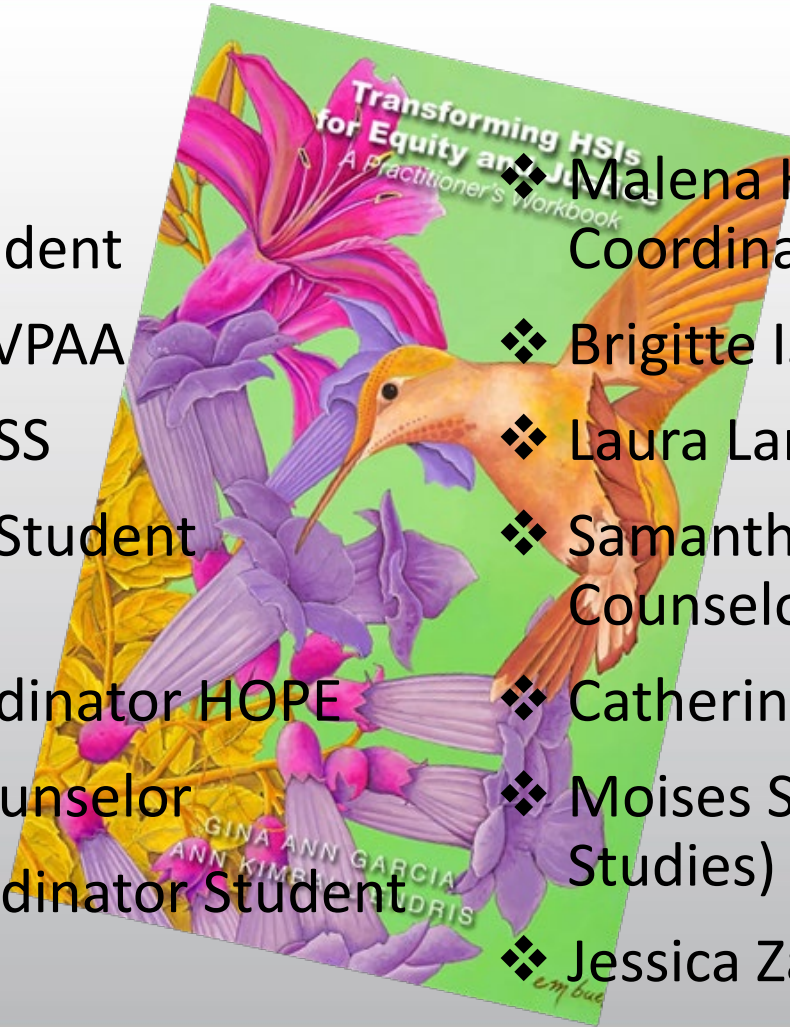
(*redefined in 2023 by Title V, Dept of Education)

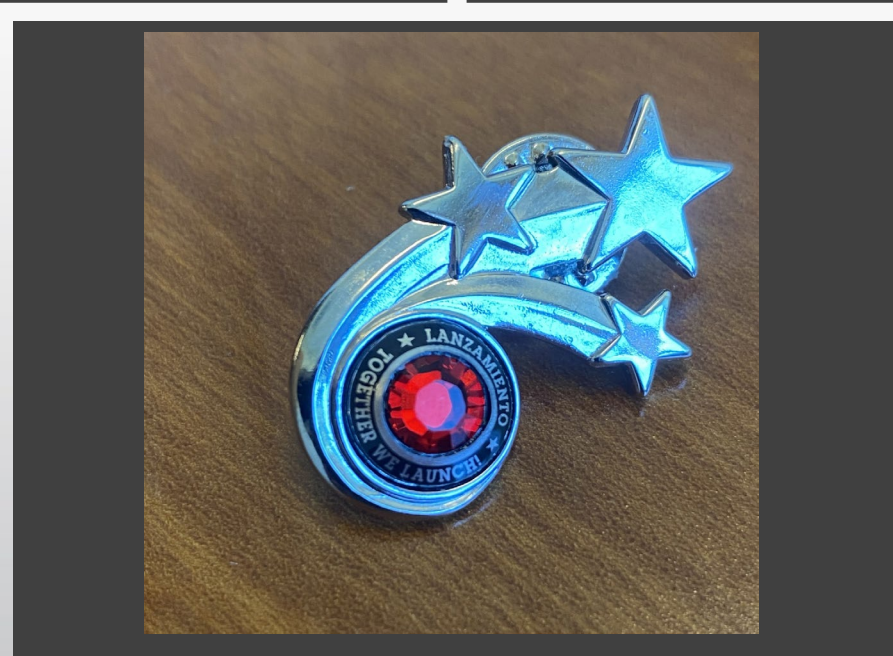
ACT HSIs: Advocate, Create, and Transform Hispanic Serving Institutions to Improve Student Experiences.

- SRJC 1 of 2 Community Colleges selected to participate.
- Participatory Action Research (PAR) project, funded by SERN. (Student Experience Research Network)
- Led by **Dr. Gina Ann Garcia**, leading researcher issues of equity and justice in higher education.
- SRJC's team has developed 4 research questions to review with assistance from UC Berkeley Graduate students.
- Team meets monthly, began in November 2023, concluding in Fall 2024.
- Invited with Fullerton College to be a part of Dr. Gina Ann Garcia's ACT presentation at the HSI Research Colectiva, held at UC Davis in April, 2024.
- Transformation Team work will inform future HSI funding request, while providing data for the larger CCC HSI collective.

SRJC Transformation Team Members

- ❖ Dr. Angélica Garcia, President/Superintendent
- ❖ Dr. Robert Holcomb, VPAA
- ❖ Dr. Molly Senecal, VPSS
- ❖ Beatriz Camargo, Dir Student Outreach
- ❖ Daisy Cardenas, Coordinator HOPE
- ❖ Roberto Alvarado, Counselor
- ❖ Oscar Guajardo, Coordinator Student Outreach
- ❖ Malena Hernandez Legorreta, Coordinator Inter Cultural Center
- ❖ Brigitte Islas, Student
- ❖ Laura Larque, Faculty (History)
- ❖ Samantha Montellanos – Diaz, Counselor
- ❖ Catherine Prince, Dean, Instruction
- ❖ Moises Santos, Faculty (Ethnic Studies)
- ❖ Jessica Zambrano, Manager MESA





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