

THE ACCCA AWARD FOR EQUITY, DIVERSITY & SOCIAL JUSTICE

The ACCCA Award for Progress in Diversity was developed by the MDC and Board to recognize administrators who have contributed to the progress of the concept of diversity, equity and inclusion on a campus or within the institution.

The nexus for the award sprung from the anti-affirmative action efforts in the state which were threatening to reverse the tremendous progress that had been made toward more tolerance and diversity on the campus.

Previous winners of the Diversity Award are:

2025 **The CCC LGBTQ+ Advisory Committee**

2024 **Rene Alvarez**, Dean, Academic Success & Student Equity, San Jose City College

2023 **Elizabeth Imoff**, Dean of Educational Programs, Santa Barbara City College

2022 **Dr. Ed Bush**, President, Cosumnes River College

2021 **No Award Presented**

2020 **No Award Presented**

2019 **No Award Presented**

2018 **No Award Presented**

2017 **Eugene Whitlock**, Vice Chancellor, Human Resources & General Counsel, San Mateo CCD

2016 **No Award Presented**

2015 **Wyman Fong**, Vice Chancellor of Human Resources, Chabot Las Positas CCD

2014 **Irma Ramos**, North Orange CCD, Sheri Wright, Mira Costa and Laura Schulkind, LCW

2013 **Lucinda Aborn**, Dean, DSPS Program, Cerritos CCD

2012 **No Award Presented**

2011 **Damon Bell**, Vice President, Student Services, San Bernardino CCD

2010 **No Award Presented**

2009 **Dr. Rosa Perez**, Chancellor, San Jose Evergreen CCD

2008 **Coastline CCD**

2007 **A2MEND**

2006 **Abel Nunez**, Vice President of Instruction, Taft College

2005 **Dr. Maria Sheehan**, Supt/President, Desert CCD

2004 **Dr. Gus Guichard**, former Vice Chancellor, CCCCO