IT ALL STARTED HERE

LET US BE A PART OF YOUR HISTORY
The printing of this annual report is made possible by the generous donation from the Educational Employees Credit Union. The State Center Community College Foundation sincerely thanks the Educational Employees Credit Union for their support.

Cover photo by David Wakely.
In 1910, it all started here.

In 1909, for residents of the Central Valley, options for higher education were limited. The closest universities were in the Bay Area. The financial burden, as well as the distance—especially in an era before modern transportation—was too great for many young adults and their families.

Charles L. McLane, superintendent of Fresno schools, recognized the need for an affordable way for students to begin their higher education while remaining at home. With community support, he established the first community college in California (and only the second in the nation) on the campus of Fresno High School.

On September 10, 1910, courses began for the first class of Fresno Junior College. In 1921, Fresno Junior College moved to its current location, where it shared space with Fresno Normal School (later California State University, Fresno). The iconic and newly refurbished Old Administration Building still stands as a reminder of this historic period.

In 1926, 22 miles away, Reedley Junior College was established on the campus of Reedley High School.

By 1959, Reedley College had relocated to its current location and Fresno City College no longer shared space with the university.

In 1963, the colleges formed the State Center Community District (SCCCD), which covers 6,000 square miles in the heart of the San Joaquin Valley. As student needs grew, additional educational centers opened. First in Madera in 1988, followed by Oakhurst in 1990, and in Clovis in 1992. SCCCD’s newest educational center, Willow International Center, opened in 2007 in response to the tremendous growth in northeast Fresno and Clovis.

Fresno City College, and by extension the entire SCCCD, has a history that includes two World Wars, the inventions of television and the Internet, and the entirety of human space exploration. It’s impossible to know all the ways that SCCCD students have shaped, and continue to shape, our world. But we can be sure of one thing: for many thousands of individuals, it all started here.
In 2010 we celebrated the 100th anniversary of the founding of Fresno City College. It was the first of what we now call “community colleges” to be established in California (and only the second in the nation). With this in mind, it is worth taking a moment to reflect on where we have come from, and where we are going.

While we can trace the historical beginnings of our District to the founding of Fresno City College a century ago, the State Center Community College District represents new beginnings of a different kind. Ideas, dreams, and success start here. It all starts here for students who begin their careers with an education received at Fresno City College, Reedley College, or the North Centers.

You hold in your hands the annual report for the State Center Community College Foundation. The name of the organization is fitting. It is the “foundation” upon which we continue to build legacies of innovation, excellence, and community in the Central Valley. Without the hard work of the Foundation and its supporters, many of our students simply would not have the same opportunities. This annual report celebrates the many people responsible for our District’s continued growth and success. On behalf of the District’s students, staff, and faculty, I thank you.

Together we will ensure that, in another hundred years, when a community member is seeking to improve his or her life, the advice of the State Center Community College District will be the same as it is today: start here.

Dr. Deborah G. Blue
Chancellor, State Center Community College District
Dear Friends of the Foundation,

I can’t thank you enough for your generosity and support for the many scholarships and programs that benefit the students of the State Center Community College District. The downturn in the economy means the education system is overloaded with students seeking job skills as a means of survival. Now, more than ever, community college isn’t just a place for high school graduates preparing to transfer to four-year colleges and universities. Many adults in our community are returning to college.

Your support directly affects all of our students. This year’s scholarship receptions at Fresno City College, Reedley College, and the Madera Center provided a venue for scholarship students to meet with donors face-to-face and express their thanks. At this year’s Heritage Dinner, scholarship recipient Yessenia Valdez spoke about how education is changing her life.

The Foundation Board of Directors and staff worked diligently on the capital campaign to transform Fresno City College’s Old Administration Building (OAB) into a historic showcase. The restored building—which houses several classrooms, administrative offices, and an auditorium for the enjoyment of music and theater—opened its doors in January 2011.

The Bernard Osher Foundation, through the California Community College Endowment Scholarship Program, has so far contributed approximately $255,000 for scholarships throughout the District. The matching program is scheduled to run through June 2011.

As you can see, the rewards of your generosity continue to multiply, supporting new generations of students. Thanks to you, we’re able to ensure that our community will flourish.

With gratitude,

Paul Duckworth
President, State Center Community College Foundation
MINI-GRANTS

With the goal of major impact; and with minimal resources, the Mini-Grants Program encourages creativity and participation among all the members of the District.

Once a year, the Foundation encourages proposals for Mini-Grants from faculty, staff, and management. The maximum funding level for a proposal is currently $500. The emphasis is on projects and programs that directly benefit students and classroom instruction, are meaningful and efficient, and are closely tied to the District’s Strategic Plan.

Prior successful proposals have made it possible for faculty to purchase additional classroom equipment, supply funds for leadership and cultural awareness programs, reading and writing projects and retention programs just to name a few.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Total scholarships awarded in 2009–2010:

New scholarship dollars $247,061.98
Scholarships issued 1064

Total $328,680.43

New scholarships established by location:

Fresno City College (see page 13)
Reedley College (see page 14)
North Centers (see page 7)

BERNARD OSHER FOUNDATION

In May 2008, the Bernard Osher Foundation made a historic gift in the amount of $25 million to the California community college system to fund scholarships throughout the state. California’s 110 community colleges were challenged to raise $50 million in matching funds by June 2011. When accomplished, the Osher Foundation will provide an additional $25 million, bringing the total for endowed scholarships to $100 million.

Supporting the endowment will provide you with the opportunity to invest in California by supporting an educated workforce, creating a permanent fund of scholarships, and participating in a historic fundraising campaign that is changing the way community colleges raise funds. Your contribution can be applied to the SCCCD campus of your choice.

For every dollar you contribute to the endowment, the Osher Foundation will contribute 50 cents, helping increase the impact your contribution has on the lives of California community college students. For example, a contribution of $13,500, with the Osher Foundation’s match of $6,750, will result in a $1,000 scholarship each year, forever. What’s more, 100 percent of your donation will directly fund scholarships, ensuring the greatest possible support for our students.

“The Bernard Osher Foundation’s intention in creating this $50 million endowment was to provide scholarship support to California community college students with the greatest need who have also demonstrated a commitment to their education,” said Mary Bitterman, President of the Osher Foundation. “An investment in our students is an investment in our future.”

For more information on how to donate to the endowment, please contact the SCCC Foundation at (559) 244-5991, or go to www.scccd.edu/foundation.
Although the Madera Center opened its doors in 1988 as the first of the District’s North Centers, it didn’t have a permanent home until 1996. The Madera Center has continued to expand and serve the growing student population through the work and generosity of donors like Jill and Steve Cholewa.

The Cholewas retired in 2008 when they sold their business, S & J Lumber, to two long-time employees. While enjoying their retirement, they also want to serve their community.

“My two philosophies are, ‘In giving, you receive’ and ‘He who gets wisdom loves his own soul; he who cherishes understanding prospers (Proverbs 19:8),’” said Jill, who is also a Foundation board member. “We want to have an impact on the economic and educational growth in Madera County.”

The Cholewas have been strong supporters of the Madera Center. Last year they contributed $300,000 for the construction of sports fields at the campus.

“Steve and I met on a volleyball court 30 years ago,” she said. “We are both athletic and competitive—in life as well as in sports. We believe in an active and healthy lifestyle, which is part of the reason we choose to fund a sports field and fitness center for the Madera Center.”

The couple is also involved in raising money for scholarships as part of the Bernard Osher Foundation’s support for California community colleges.

For Jill, raising money for charitable causes is a matter of “walking the talk,” she said. “As a businesswoman, I have always believed in interest on your investment. By investing in our students through scholarships, facilities, mini-grants, and time, it’s an investment in our future!”

Scholarships established for the North Centers in the 2009–2010 fiscal year

Annual
- Bernard Osher Foundation Scholarship
- Don Piper Memorial Scholarship
- ABC 30 Building a Better Community Scholarship
- Greater Madera County Industrial Association Scholarship

Endowments
- Tom & Janey Crow Endowment
- Leadership Clovis Endowment
The Chancellor’s Circle is an annual $1,000 membership for our donors who have invested at a leadership level. Members have the opportunity to interact with the chancellor, campus presidents, vice presidents, deans, and department heads by invitation to at least three business forums a year, as well as the exclusive Chancellor’s Circle Dinner. Members provide a positive impact through their participation in the workforce and community.

**CHANCELLOR’S CIRCLE MEMBER LIST**

This list reflects Chancellor’s Circle members from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010.

**Individuals**
- Bijan and Cynthia Azari
- Barry and Rosemarie Bauer
- Paul and Marilyn Behringer
- Tom and Janey Crow
- Felix Reyes and Pilar De La Cruz-Reyes
- James and Coke Hallowell
- Richard and Althea Johanson
- Sallie Lucchesi
- Daniel Martin
- Robert and Kathryn Price
- Jerry and Geri Tahajian
- Jerry and Rosemary Waters

**Organizations**
- Barry Maas, Administrative Solutions, Inc.
- Debra Nephew, Advantek Benefit Administrators
- Butch Wilson, Canteen of Fresno, Inc.
- Claude Laval, Claude Laval Corporation
- Len Falter, Comcast
- Jeff Tanielian, Commercial Neon, Inc.
- Terry Barthuli, Barthuli & Associates Insurance Services, Inc.
- Mike Flynn, Blair, Church & Flynn Consulting Engineers
- Edwin Darden Jr., Darden Architects
- Paul Duckworth, Duckworth Environmental Services, Inc.
- Elizabeth Dooley, Educational Employees Credit Union
- Patty Martin, Educational Employees Credit Union
- Jack Chubb, Community Medical Centers

Pictured from left to right: Chancellor’s Medallion recipients: Dr. Bill F. Stewart (1985-1999), Dr. Judith A. Redwine (1999-2003), Dr. Deborah G. Blue (current) and Dr. Thomas A. Crow (2004-2010)
The 2010 Chancellor’s Circle Dinner was held at the Old Administration Building at FCC.

Organizations con’t.

Bob Fishman, Fishman, Larsen, Goldring, & Zeitler
Jack and Jane Papazian, J.R. Papazian
David Manion, Kaiser Foundation Health Plan
Gilbert Nye, Lawrence-Nye-Andersen Associates
Stephen Becker, Mechanical Design Concepts, Inc.
Denise Hurst, Moore Grider & Company
Chris Morse, Morse Yardumian & Wittwer, LLP
Al Galvez, Pacific Gas & Electric
Paul Chen, Paul C. Chen Accountancy Corporation
Gus Bonner, Pearson Realty
Rochelle Noblett, Pete’s Sport Shop

Richard Shehadey, Producers Dairy
Jerome and Marianne Dunklin, Sierra Pacific Orthopaedic & Spine Center
Lonnie Petty, Strategic Mechanical, Inc.
Barry Kriebel, Sun-Maid Growers of California
Thomas Downing, D.D.S.
David Stepp, Union Bank
Dennis Woods, United Security Bank
Robert Bagdasarian, US Script, Inc.
Jim and Lee Anne Briscoe, Valley Iron, Inc.
Richard Olsson, Wells Fargo Commercial Banking

Chancellor Dr. Deborah G. Blue with Dr. and Mrs. Jack Papazian
**SPECIAL RECOGNITION:**

**RUTH ELIZABETH BATT**

The Foundation received a very generous donation of over $94,000 from the distribution of the estate of Ruth Elizabeth Batt. Ms. Batt was born in 1914 and passed away in 2007. She was adopted in San Francisco by a couple and raised in Fresno. She attended Roosevelt High School and worked as an interior decorator for Turpins and Garrett Bros. Ms. Batt traveled extensively and loved the arts and the theatre, traveling until the age of 89. Fresno City College records indicate that at the age of 58, she started taking classes in art, history and physical education until Spring Semester of 1981. Ms. Batt left her estate to be divided equally between State Center Community College District and two other nonprofits organizations. The donation to the Foundation is specifically to be used for the Fresno City College Nursing Program.

The Foundation would like to acknowledge the generosity of Ms. Batt and applaud her foresight of planned giving to include the State Center Community College Foundation in her will.

**HERITAGE SOCIETY**

The Heritage Society is comprised of generous individuals who have committed major resources to the future health and viability of the State Center Community College Foundation. This includes anyone who has chosen the Foundation in his or her estate through a will or charitable remainder trust, including individuals who have made arrangements to receive current taxation consideration or income, with the Foundation receiving a future benefit. The Heritage Society also includes major donors who have helped to construct a facility, endow a scholarship, or fund a program that contributes to the future stability of the Foundation and State Center Community College District.
The State Center Community College Foundation held the 3rd annual Heritage Society Dinner on November 3, 2010, at Fort Washington Country Club. This event provides the Foundation with the opportunity to thank donors of $10,000 and above, and to honor the donors who have reached giving levels of $100,000 or more.

This year we had the pleasure of awarding five Legacy Makers Recognition Awards to the following companies who have contributed $100,000 or more:

- ADCO Manufacturing
- Fresno Hispanic Scholarship Fund
- Serpa Packaging Solutions
- Sun-Maid of California
- The Fresno Bee

The Foundation appreciates the generous support of all of our donors.
The Visionary Circle has been established for donors of $1 million or more.

At the Heritage Dinner in 2009, the Foundation had the privilege to induct the first three members of the Pillar Society Recognition Award to donors of $500,000 or more.

Alden Edgar Endowment
Coca-Cola Bottling Co. of California
Educational Employees Credit Union

LEGACY MAKERS

ADCO Manufacturing
Bonner Family Foundation
Caterpillar, Inc.
Dan Bailey Trust
Robert and Debbie Bagdasarian
JoNell Beal Endowment
Dru and Robert Benefiel Scholarship
Coca-Cola Bottling Co. of California
Alden Edgar Endowment
Educational Employees Credit Union
Fresno Hispanic Scholarship Fund
Leon S. Peters Foundation, Inc.
James and Coke Hallowell
Richard and Althea Johanson
Daniel Martin
McHenry-Johnston Scholarship Fund
Miller Brewing Company
Linda Carol Miller Memorial Scholarship
Pepsi Bottling Company
Producers Dairy Foods, Inc.
Quinn Company/JaAnne Quinn
S & J Lumber, Inc.
Paul & Katherine Schmitt Scholarship
Serpa Packaging Solutions
Earl and Muriel Smittcamp
Gary and Carolyn Soto
Sun-Maid Growers of California
The Fresno Bee
Dennis and Cheryl Woods
Rinko Yoshioka and the late Minoru Yoshioka

TRUSTEE CIRCLE

Ashwood Construction, Inc.
Harris Construction Company, Inc.
Barthuli & Associates Insurance Services, Inc.
Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, Fresno
Chris and Michelle Morse
Pelco
Dennis Shine
Pete P. Peters
Donald Larson
Stewart Title
Foundation for CA Community Colleges
Fresno Hispanic Scholarship Fund
The Baxter Family Trust
Fresno Regional Foundation
Fresno/Clovis New Car Dealers Association
West Valley Properties, Inc.

CHANCELLOR DR. TOM CROW RETIRES

A retirement reception was held on May 7, 2010 in honor of Dr. Tom Crow who retired from his position as chancellor of the State Center Community College District. He served as chancellor since 2004. The reception was sponsored by the Foundation and the District Board of Trustees.

Dr. Crow’s wisdom and commitment have left a mark throughout the District. His compassion for education has touched many in a variety of ways. Dr. Crow has always been a tremendous supporter of the Foundation and all the District’s campuses and centers. His amiable and humorous personality helped attract alumni and community members who have contributed time and resources to the District. These contributions, in turn, have helped build the inner structures of the District’s community college campuses, and ensured the success of many students who might otherwise not have an opportunity to attend college.

We wish Dr. Crow and his family the best.
For many of Central California’s nurses, their careers start with an education at Fresno City College. The program at FCC is the largest community college nursing program in California and serves a region that is continually in need of registered nurses. It was this need that inspired Foundation Board Member Pilar De La Cruz-Reyes to develop a program that allows area hospitals to participate in the education of their nurses.

De La Cruz-Reyes was born and raised in the Valley. She attended Reedley College before going on to nursing school in San Jose. She returned to Central California to serve as a nurse in a variety of positions at Community Medical Center and Fresno Heart Hospital.

As vice president of education at Community Medical Center, De La Cruz-Reyes worked with Fresno City College to address the region’s need for nurses.

“Working with Dr. Carolyn Drake, the Dean of Health Sciences, we developed the Paradigm Nursing Program, which allowed hospitals to collaborate with the college to provide education,” she said. “This allowed hospital employees who had completed all of the pre-requisites and who were recommended by the hospital to bypass the college lottery program and begin the FCC nursing program immediately.”

Essentially, the hospitals paid for the education of some of their own nurses. The program began with Community Medical Center, which contributed a sizable grant to implement the program, and expanded to include other local hospitals.

“This was a win-win program for everyone,” De La Cruz-Reyes explained. “The college was able to admit more nursing students and the hospitals were able to gain more nurses with a two-year commitment to work for the hospitals that sponsored them.”

The Paradigm Program has produced more than 400 additional RNs for the Central Valley. The innovative idea is being emulated by other communities across the state.

Scholarships established for Fresno City College in the 2009–2010 fiscal year

Annual
Don Atkinson Scholarship
Dr. Art Elliah Memorial Scholarship
Bernard Osher Foundation Scholarship
Mayfair Elementary Scholarship
Camping Women Memorial Scholarship
Green Hope Veterans’ Children Scholarship
Betty Jo McCully Memorial Scholarship
Burroughs Broncos Scholarship
DJ Smith Scholarship
Michaela Grace Conway Scholarship
Lawrence McAlaster Sr. Scholarship
Shaw-Geeu Dhawn (陳紹裘) and Trua Hing Dhawn (陳蔡杏) Memorial Scholarship
ABC 30 Building a Better Community Scholarship

Endowments
Cicely Elahi Roberts Endowment
Minoru and Rinko Yoshioka Nursing Endowment
Fresno Printing Craftsmen Endowment
Tom and Janey Crow Endowment
Athletics are often an integral part of the college experience, and things are no different at Reedley College. The college has many successful sports programs, but the programs depend on donations to keep equipment and facilities up to date. Foundation Board Member Terance Frazier stepped up to the plate for the Reedley baseball program.

Frazier—who owns Frazier Realty and TFS Investments—graduated from Fresno State and is a former baseball player himself, having played for the Oakland A’s. He is also an instructor at Fresno City College.

“I got involved with the Reedley baseball program after I found out they hired Coach Steve Pearse,” Frazier said. “He’s a great coach and mentor for young kids.” Pearse became head coach for Reedley College baseball in July 2010 after serving as assistant coach at UCLA.

“I really want the coach to be successful,” said Frazier. But when he viewed the current baseball facilities, he felt they were inadequate. “After I viewed the facility, I felt bad for the coach and the kids,” he said. “The field looked dangerous. How can a parent or a recruit feel safe if they are playing on an inadequate field?”

Frazier’s donation will help get the fields into proper condition. He believes it is important to support community colleges.

“Most kids can’t afford to go to a university right away after high school,” he said. “Some kids are not ready. We need to support all students so they will have some of the same opportunities as those who attended a university. Community college helped me when I attended Fresno State. I was able to go to Fresno City College during the summer and take affordable GE classes.”

Community college students have these opportunities because of the work of the Foundation and donors like Frazier.
The success of the Foundation can best be measured by the success of the countless students it helps. **Yessenia Valdez**, a student at the Madera Center, is just one example.

Yessenia was born in Jalisco, Mexico. When she was four years old, she moved with her parents and older brother to the U.S., where they settled in Madera. The family slept on the floor of their small mobile home and braved the winter without a heater. The conditions were dismal, but the family persevered and Yessenia worked hard in school.

By the time Yessenia graduated high school, her family had grown to a total of nine. She knew she wanted to be an inspiration for her six brothers and sisters.

“For me, getting a higher education is one of the most important things in life,” she said. “I want to set the example for my family so that my siblings follow in my footsteps.”

Yessenia plans to attend California State University, Fresno, majoring in business administration with an emphasis in accounting. To save money, she began taking courses at the Madera Center. This year, she received a scholarship from the Foundation to cover the costs of tuition and books. The scholarship allows her to begin saving money for her transfer to Fresno State.

“It’s my dream to finish a college education,” Yessenia said. “I want to be successful and be able to one day help others as the Foundation has helped me.”

She’s also thankful for the support she has received from the faculty and staff. “I’m glad I started [college courses] at the Madera Center,” she said. “It has been a great experience.”

After graduation, Yessenia hopes to become a certified public accountant. She will continue to give back to the community and help others to reach a lifelong dream of a college degree.
OUR DONORS

THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING DONORS, WHO GAVE TO OUR SCHOLARSHIPS AND PROGRAMS:

This donor list includes to State Center Community College District between July 1, 2009 and June 30, 2010. We have made every effort to ensure its accuracy, and we apologize for any incorrect listing or omission. Report any error to the Foundation office by calling (559) 244-5990.

**Legacy Makers**
$100,000 – $499,999
- Dorothy “Dot” Sedley
- The Grainger Foundation
- US Script, Inc.
- Waterford Foundation

**Dean’s Circle**
$25,000 – $49,999
- WestAmerica Investment Management and Trust Services
- Foundation for CA Community Colleges
- Sun-Maid Growers of California
- Fresno/Clovis New Car Dealers Association
- Leon S. Peters Foundation, Inc.

**Directors’ Circle**
$10,000 – $24,999
- Ashwood Construction, Inc.
- James and Lee Anne Briscoe
- Educational Employees Credit Union
- Fresno Club of Printing House Craftsmen
- Dr. Cicely Roberts Rotary Club of Fresno

**Benefactors**
$5000 – $9999
- Eugene Azamber
- Barthuli & Associates Insurance Services, Inc.
- Caterpillar Foundation
- Tom and Janey Crow
- CSUF Foundation
- Duckworth Environmental Services, Inc.
- Fig Garden Rotary Foundation
- Fig Garden Women’s Club
- Kiwanis Club of Madera
- Donald Larson
- Clyde McCully
- PG&E
- Quinn Company

**Community Makers**
$1000 – $4999
- Community Medical Centers
- Lisa Conway
- Carol Copeland
- Janey Crow
- Gina Cuttone
- Robert Dahill
- Julie Dana
- Darden Architects
- Pilar De La Cruz-Reyes
- Larry Dickson
- Disney Worldwide Services
- Donna Dotson
- Dr. Thomas H. Downing, DDS
- Carolyn Drake
- Marianne Dunklin
- Lee Farley
- Fishman, Larsen, Goldenberg & Zeitler, Attorneys at Law
- Flo restone Products Co., Inc.
- Fresno Community Concert Band
- Fresno County Archaeological Society
- Fresno County Economic Opportunity Commission
- Fresno Distributing Company
- Fresno Gem and Mineral Society
- Fresno Regional Foundation
- Fresno Thunder
- Friends of Phil Larson
- Shirley Fries
- Steven Froberg
- Sally Gallagher
- Gary & Esther Toottelen Charitable Foundation
- Ernesto Garcia
- Geil Enterprises, Inc.
- GM, Western Region
- Bernice Graham
- Michelle Gray
- Alanzo Hall

**Associates**
$1000 – $4999
- Administrative Solutions, Inc.
- AIA San Joaquin Chapter
- Linda Albright
- James Aldredge
- Augusto Altamura
- William Andrews
- Cynthia Azari
- Rosemarie Bauer
- Stephen Becker
- Marilyn Behringer
- Tim Billingsley
- Nathan Bisio
- Blair, Church & Flynn Engineering
- Blue Door, LLC
- Gus and Greti Bonner
- Bonner Family Foundation
- David Borofka
- Douglas Brinkley
- Deborah Bristol
- Britz Fertilizer, Inc.
- Jeff Burgstahler
- Camping Women
- Canteen of Fresno
- Anthony Cantu
- Philip and Amanda Capin
- Centene Management Company, LLC
- Central Valley Community Bank
- Tungre Chen
- Steve and Jill Cholewa
- Citizens Business Bank
- Claude Laval Corporation
- Coca-Cola Bottling Co. of California
- Commercial Neon, Inc.

**Directors’ Circle**
$10,000 – $24,999
- James and Coke Hallowell
- Harris Construction Company, Inc.
- Katherine Hickman
- Satoshi Hirayama
- Hydraulic Controls, Inc.
- Deborah Ikeda
- International Motor Sales
- Richard Johanson
- Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, Fresno
- Malia Keep
- Monique Kelley
- Terral Kershaw
- Gregory Kinder
- Kiwanis Division 5 Torch of Excellence
- Phil Larson
- Lawrence Nye Andersen Associates
- Michelle Liscano
- Sallie Lucchesi
- Maas Companies, Inc.
- Madera Evening Lions
- Daniel Martin
- McCann-Erickson USA, Inc.
- Brian McCully
- Mechanical Design Concepts, Inc.
- Reg Mericle
- Mid Valley Disposal
- Midland Tractor
- Moore Grider & Co.
- Sharon Morgan
- Morse, Yandurman & Wittner, LLP
- Donald Munshower
- Ashok Naipally
- Mary Nieto
- Richard Olsson
- Pete’s Sport Shop
- Vikki Piper
- Bob and Kathy Price
- Producers Dairy Foods, Inc.
- Progressive Home Club, Inc.
- Joanne Quinn

**Patrons**
$501 – $999
- Kristi Andreen
- Roberta Baber
- Bill Bertolani
- Johany Blackwood
- Jeffrey Burdick
- California Black Faculty
- Lester Camp
- Jeanine Castle
- Central Valley Children’s Services Network
- Colleges Entrepreneurs’ Organization
- Patricia Covey
- Michael Dana
- Derrel’s Mini Storage
- East Fresno Rotary Charitable Foundation
- Fortune Associates
- Robert Fox
- Charles Francis
- Fresno County Women’s Chamber of Commerce
- Fresno Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary
- Fresno Unified PTA Council
- Michael Guerra
- Jerry Hentzler
- Barbara Hicco
- Jean Kato
- Charles Keller
- Michael Kiljian
- Kiwanis Club of Readley, Inc.
- Jean Kulbeth
- Jerry Landers
- Susan Liberty
- Erek Lohne
- Claudia Lourido-Habib
- Josephine Mancillas-Llanos
- Cristina Masterson
- Linda Mendez
- Dale Merrill
- Jill Minor
- Steven Mortimer
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS
Cash $138,566
Receivables 17,991
Pledges receivable, net of allowance for uncollectible amounts 90,444
Short-term investments 739,706
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS 986,707

Pledges receivable, net of current portion 27,992
Equipment, net of accumulated depreciation 0
Long-term investments 10,643,321
TOTAL ASSETS 11,658,020

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

CURRENT LIABILITIES
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities 62,443
Annuity agreement liabilities 2,518
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES 64,961

NET ASSETS
Unrestricted 267,920
Temporarily restricted 6,105,224
Permanently restricted 5,219,915
TOTAL NET ASSETS 11,593,059

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS $11,658,020

* Deceased
STATE CENTER COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Paul Duckworth
President

Gus Banner
Vice President

Keith Kamps
Treasurer

Chris Morse
Past President

Stephen Becker
Member-at-Large

Lee Anne Briscoe
Member-at-Large

2010 BOARD MEMBERS

Robert Bagdasarian
Terry Barthuli
Greg Baxter
Jeff Burgstahler
Thomas Burk
Don Casperson
Jill Cholewa
Donna Dotson
Pamela Fobbs
Terance Frazier
Karen Simmons Gillian
Patty Hixson
Don Larson
Rachelle Noblett
Pat Patterson
Pilar De La Cruz-Reyes
Dr. Cicely Roberts
Dorothy ‘Dottie’ Smith
David Stepp
Jeff Tatsumura
EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS

Dr. Deborah G. Blue
Chancellor

Douglas Brinkley
Vice Chancellor, Finance and Administration

Tony Capetillo
Student Trustee, Fresno City College

Kayla Urbano
Student Trustee, Reedley College

The Foundation welcomes new board members for 2011, Gina Cuttone and Harold McClarty

ADMINISTRATION AND STAFF

SCCCD ADMINISTRATION

Dr. Cynthia Azari
President, Fresno City College

Dr. Barbara Hioco
President, Reedley College

Dr. Terry Kershaw
Vice Chancellor, North Centers

SCCC Foundation Staff

Gurdeep Sihota He’Bert
Executive Director

Deborah Bristol
Public Information Consultant

Marcia Burg
Administrative Assistant

Penny Cristan
Accountant

Tomoko Mason
Accountant - Interim

SCCC Foundation Honored Board

JoNell Beal*
Michael Dowling
Coke Hallowell
Richard Johanson
Dr. Clyde McCully
Pete P. Peters
JoAnn Price
Joanne Quinn
Gary Renner
Rick Schoenwald
Richard Shehadey
Dr. Bill F. Stewart
Dennis Woods

* Deceased

SCCCD District Trustees

Isabel Barreras
Richard M. Caglia
H. Ronald Feaver
Patrick E. Patterson
Dorothy ‘Dottie’ Smith
William J. Smith
Leslie W. Thonesen
THE RENAISSANCE FEAST FOR SCHOLARS

The sixth annual Renaissance Feast for Scholars was held in Fresno City College’s historic library on March 13, 2010. The library was transformed into a festive hall that welcomed guests for an extraordinary dinner, exciting entertainment, and sounds of merriment.

This event raises funds for Foundation programs and scholarships for all the colleges and centers of the District. This year, over $100,000 in scholarship money was raised.

2010 SPONSORS

The Foundation would like to acknowledge the generous support of our sponsors.

Queens Court Sponsors $5000
Barthul & Associates Insurance Services, Inc.
Duckworth Environmental Services, Inc.
Granville Homes
US Script, Inc.

Knights Hall Sponsors $2500
Alvarado Group
Thomas H. Downing, DDS
The Fresno Bee
Meeder Equipment/Ransome Manufacturing
Morse Yardumian & Witwer, LLP

Lords Table Sponsors $1500
Citizens Business Bank
Supervisor Phil Larson
Joanne Quinn
Stoughton Davidson Accountancy Corp.
TFS Investments
Union Bank
Valley Iron, Inc.
Wells Fargo Bank
Jerry and Rosemary Waters

State Center Community College Foundation
1525 East Weldon Avenue Fresno, CA 93704
Phone: 559-244-5991 • Fax: 559-499-6010
www.scccd.edu/foundation

The Foundation is a private, non-profit 501(c)(3) organization that is designated to receive gifts to any division of the District from private sources such as individuals, foundations, and corporations.

SAVE THE DATE

Please plan to attend the 2011 Renaissance Feast for Scholars on March 12, 2011, as “The Queen Visits India”. For more information, call the Foundation at (559) 244-5990 or go to www.scccd.edu/foundation.