

# UNDERSTANDING OUR STUDENTS

## STUDENT EQUITY SUMMIT

## WHEN

October 26, 2018  
8 am - 3 pm

## WHERE

Riverside Convention Center  
3637 Fifth Street, Riverside, CA 92501

This faculty and staff professional development summit is based on insights from research and practice relevant to men of color in community colleges.

Breakfast and lunch provided.  
Space is limited.

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*For Student Success*  
Issues in classroom contexts

## RACIAL MICROAGRESSIONS

*Readdressing Inequities*  
For men of color in  
community colleges

## LEADING FOR COLLEGE

*Student Success (M2C3)*  
Intrusive support practice for  
men of color

## PRESENTERS



*Frank Harris, Ph.D.*



*Luke Wood, Ph.D.*

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# SPEAKER INFORMATION



*Frank Harris, III, Ph.D.* is Professor of Postsecondary Education in San Diego State University's College of Education and Co-Director of the Community College Equity Assessment Lab (CCEAL) – Minority Male Community College Collaborative (M2C3). His research is broadly focused on student development and success in postsecondary education.

With more than 50 scholarly publications to his credit, Harris's scholarship has been published in leading journals for higher education and student affairs research and practice. He has delivered more than 300 academic and professional presentations throughout his career. His commentary has been sought by several high-profile media outlets, including CNN, The New York Times, and The Chronicle of Higher Education.

Before joining the faculty at San Diego State, Harris worked as a student affairs educator and college administrator in the areas of student affairs administration, student crisis support and advocacy, new student orientation programs, multicultural student affairs, academic advising, and enrollment services. He also served as an adjunct professor of speech communication at Los Angeles Trade Technical College.

Harris earned a bachelor's degree in communication studies at Loyola Marymount University, a master's degree in speech communication at California State University Northridge, and a doctorate in higher education from the Rossier School of Education at the University of Southern California. For a list of selected works by Harries, visit: <https://cceal.org/employees/frank-harris/>

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*J. Luke Wood, Ph.D.* is Associate Professor of Community College Leadership and the Director of the Doctoral Program in Community College Leadership at San Diego State University (SDSU). Wood is also co-director of the Community College Equity Assessment Lab (CCEAL) – Minority Male Community College Collaborative (M2C3), chair for the Council on Ethnic Participation (CEP) for the Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE) and co-editor of the *Journal of Applied Research in the Community College*.

Wood's research focuses on factors affecting the success of men of color in the community college. His research examines contributors to student persistence, achievement, attainment, and transfer for these men. He has delivered over a 120 scholarly professional and conference presentation. His research has been featured by the White House Initiative on Educational Excellence for African Americans, *New York Times*, *Chronicle of Higher Education*, *Huffington Post*, C-SPAN, and National Press Club.

Wood has authored over 100 publications, including six co-authored books, six edited books, and more than 60 peer-reviewed journal articles. He is a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. To learn more about Wood, visit: <https://cceal.org/employees/j-luke-wood/>