

# CALIFORNIA STUDENT AID COMMISSION

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

March 18, 2008



## ***CORRECTED*** **NOTICE OF MEETING** *(Corrections Italicized)*

**A Strategic Planning Meeting of the California Student Aid Commission (CSAC) will be held on Thursday, March 27, 2008, from 10:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the Dixon High School, Library, 555 College Way, Dixon, CA.**

The California Student Aid Commission will meet to discuss and may take action on the following items:

### **AGENDA**

#### **Thursday, March 27, 2008 – 10:30 a.m.**

- Call to Order and Roll Call
  - Public Comment
  - Chair's Report
  - 1. Presentation by Robert Shireman, Executive Director, The Institute for College Access and Success (TICAS) on "Paying for College – How students make ends meet nationally and in California, and what CSAC can do to support access to quality post-secondary education."
    - o Discussion
  - 2. Working Lunch with Students to Discuss College Access and Affordability
  - 3. Presentation by Jennifer Paluch, Research Associate, Public Policy Institute of California on "Californians and Higher Education: A presentation of the recent survey results of Californians and their views of the health of California's post-secondary sector."
    - o Discussion
  - 4. Developing a Plan that Strengthens CSAC to Ensure California's Students have Access to Higher Education and Careers. Identifying the Opportunities (partnerships, AB 1540, and etc.).
  - 5. Review Plan and Clearly Define Next Steps
- Adjourn at approximately 6:00 p.m.

NOTE: Items designated for information are appropriate for Commission action if the Commission wishes to take action.

This information is also available on the Commission's website at [www.csac.ca.gov](http://www.csac.ca.gov). For information concerning this meeting, contact Gloria Lopez by phone at (916) 526-8074, or (916) 526-8271, or by e-mail at [glopez@csac.ca.gov](mailto:glopez@csac.ca.gov).

Agenda items occur sequentially. When circumstances warrant, the Chair may modify the order of items as they appear on the agenda. The meeting location is accessible to the disabled. If you require special assistance, please contact Gloria Lopez at least 5 days before the meeting to make special arrangements.

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