



California Community Colleges Classified Senate

Supporting Memberships

Dear Potential 4CS Member:

Established in 1993, the California Community Colleges Classified Senate (4CS) is a non-profit, public benefit corporation. As a statewide participatory governance vehicle for all classified employees, 4CS is dedicated to supporting student success, a classified voice in governance, and the overall mission of the California Community College system. For all classified employees and our members, the 73 local classified senates and councils throughout the state, we serve as an advocate and a resource in their governance role by promoting collegiality, leadership development and facilitating communication.

There are a number of ways in which 4CS works to promote leadership development, most notably by offering the annual Classified Leadership Institute (CLI) in partnership with the Community College League of California. As requested, 4CS also conducts presentations and workshops at local community college events, annual League conferences and other events put on by community college organizations. In addition, 4CS represents classified employees at the state level by attending the Chancellor's Office Consultation Council meetings, Board of Governors meetings, and the annual League Legislative Conference to share information, recommendations and the classified perspective whenever possible.

As the organization has grown and developed so have our member's expectations for the level of involvement of the 4CS Board members at the state and local levels. In order for this all-volunteer board to accomplish the 4CS mission and increase effectiveness, we rely financially on local district/college support, supporting memberships, individual and corporate sponsors and specific fundraising events. It is only through your continued support that 4CS can continue to grow and provide vital services to the governance structures of the California Community Colleges. Through your support of 4CS, we will be able to fund board travel to meetings and events, a quality speakers bureau for your use, design and provide workshops and conferences (including CLI), represent the classified perspective at statewide meetings, and communication and information sharing efforts throughout the state for the overall purpose of improving our community college system for our students, communities, and staff.

Thank you for your continued support and participation.

Sincerely,
Board of Directors
California Community Colleges Classified Senate

