Membership Benefits

- Discounted rate to annual CIAC Conference
- Access to regional and statewide meetings and professional development sessions
- CIAC list-serve and web page: great resources for questions/information related to articulation and transfer
- New member mentors
- Regular updates related to state, local and national issues
- Professional development/volunteer opportunities
- **CIAC Handbook**, which contains many articulation guidelines and best practices

Our History

California has a history of articulation efforts to support student transfer dating back to 1919. In 1984, The Articulation Council of California was formed. In 1993, articulation officers from all higher education segments met and voted to create the California Intersegmental Articulation Council.

Since then, CIAC has grown into a vital organization that is now the primary resource for the exchange of articulation information. The activities of CIAC include:

- Advocacy for articulation and transfer between segments
- Professional development and mentoring for articulation officers.
- Articulation officer support
- Forum for discussion of articulation and transfer issues across the state of California
- Liaison role between segmental offices, academic senates, and member institutions regarding articulation, transfer, and related curricular issues
- Legislative advocacy

Contact us!
Access membership link at: [http://ciac.csusb.edu/index.html](http://ciac.csusb.edu/index.html)
The purpose of the California Intersegmental Articulation Council (CIAC) is to provide a statewide forum for articulation officers to meet, discuss, and resolve college transfer and articulation issues. As a result, the organization facilitates the progress of students between and among the segments of postsecondary education in California.

Toward this purpose, the activities of CIAC include, but are not limited to:

- Serving as an advocate for articulation and transfer between segments
- Providing professional development and mentoring for articulation officers
- Supporting the role of articulation officers throughout the state
- Providing a forum for the discussion of articulation and transfer issues throughout the state
- Serving as a liaison between segmental offices, faculty senates, and member institutions regarding articulation, transfer, and related curricular issues.

CIAC consists of two subdivisions:
- NCIAC—Northern California branch
- SCIAC—Southern California branch

CIAC convenes annually for a statewide conference. NCIAC and SCIAC meetings are held twice annually. To better address local issues, CIAC is comprised of 10 geographically located regions, each of which also meets regularly. Information regarding CIAC meetings is available at: http://ciac.csusb.edu/index.html

Institutional memberships are for one academic year. Members may attend regional and SCIAC/NCIAC meetings at no charge. The annual membership fee is just $75.00 (NCIAC) and $100.00 (SCIAC).

Who Should Join?

Any regionally accredited college or university in California may join.

- University of California campuses
- California State University campuses
- California community colleges
- California independent colleges and universities

Our partners include

UC, CSU and CCC system offices
Academic Senates
ASSIST

Past CIAC Presenters

Dr. David Longanecker, President, WICHE (Western Interstate Commission on Higher Education)

Dr. Bonita Jacobs, founder, National Institute for the Study of Transfer Students

Dr. Jack Scott, CA state senator and Chancellor, California Community College System

Dr. Marcus Kolb, Lumina Foundation, TUNING Project

Dr. Stephen Handel, College Board Community College Initiative