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To: Community Members  
Extended Opportunity Programs and Services Directors  
Foster Youth Success Initiative Liaisons

From: Rhonda Mohr, Interim Vice Chancellor, Student Services and Special Programs  
Division

Subject: Cooperating Agencies Foster Youth Educational Support Application To  
Participate Reviewers Needed

The California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office is administering a competitive, peer-review process to identify up to ten additional California community college districts to recommend to the Board of Governors for approval to begin operating Cooperating Agencies Foster Youth Educational Support (CAFYES) programs and is seeking volunteers to review and score submitted applications. (CAFYES is publicly recognized as NextUp: <http://nextup.cccco.edu/>.)

Review panels -- comprised of members representing Extended Opportunity Programs and Services, the Foster Youth Success Initiative and the community that serves and supports current and former foster youth -- will independently review and collaboratively discuss applications via CCCConfer meetings from March 19-30, 2018. Review panels will be led by an identified panelist who has completed "CAFYES Training: Leading Small Group Discussions" on CCCConfer: <https://www.cccconfer.org/GoToArchive?SeriesID=4b50431d-dcc8-419e-8131-7187e6bedb69>. Webinar training on effectively reviewing applications, using the tools provided by the Chancellor's Office, will be provided all application reviewers.

If you or a member of your staff is interested in serving as a CAFYES Application To Participate reviewer in this competitive process, please complete and submit the attached application by Friday, March 2, 2018, to [cafyes@ccco.edu](mailto:cafyes@ccco.edu). Staff of districts that are submitting Applications To Participate are prohibited from serving as application reviewers.

*Cooperating Agencies Foster Youth Educational Support*

## **2018 Application To Participate Competitive Process Reviewer Application**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

District/College or Organization \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Is your district submitting an Application To Participate? Y\_\_\_\_\_ N\_\_\_\_\_

Are you interested in serving as a panel discussion leader? Y\_\_\_\_\_ N\_\_\_\_\_

**Please scan and e-mail to: [cafyes@cccco.edu](mailto:cafyes@cccco.edu) by Friday, March 2, 2018.**

You will be contacted in early March, after the number of applications needing review is determined, with further instructions or our thanks.