

| |
|----------------------------------|
| Overview |
| Accreditation |
| Cañada Collaborates |
| College Metrics |
| College Planning |
| Contact Us |
| Data Dashboards & Packets |
| Educational Master Plan |
| Enrollment Management |
| Institutional Review Board (IRB) |
| Learning Outcomes & Assessment |
| Making a Research Request |
| Participatory Governance |
| Planning & Budgeting Council |
| Program Review |
| Resources |
| Student Right-to-Know Rates |
| Survey Results |

Cañada Collaborates

This website is organized to help Cañada College students, faculty, staff and administrators collaborate effectively as they strive to implement our Educational Master Plan and achieve our [College Mission](#).

What are our strategic initiatives for 2025-26 and beyond?

Leadership Retreat

As part of the College's [annual planning and budgeting cycle](#), student, faculty, and classified staff leaders and administrators at Cañada College gather for a [Leadership Retreat](#) just prior to the start of the academic year. These leaders review the progress made on implementing the College's [Educational Master Plan \(EMP\)](#) and discuss and choose priorities from the EMP (and Strategic Enrollment Management Plan) on which to focus during the coming academic year.

Working on our strategic priorities in 2025-26

During the 2025-26 academic year, College leaders will organize collaboration to continue working on 5 EMP initiatives that were identified during this year's Leadership Retreat. These are laid out in the [Annual Plan for EMP Implementation in 2025-26](#) adopted by the Planning & Budgeting Council. Each of these work groups is open to all faculty, staff, and students. For more information or to get involved, please contact the leads below:

| Annual EMP Priority Project for 2025-26 | Project Lead(s) | Progress Reports |
|---|---|------------------|
| 1.8 Ensure academic program viability | Gampi Shankar, Academic Senate President Chialin Hsieh, Vice President of Instruction | |
| 1.15 Create and scale the First Year Experience Program | Ron Andrade, Director of Learning Center Mayra Arellano, Director of Promise Scholars Program and High School Transitions | |
| 2.6 Improve faculty and staff hiring practices to ensure a diverse pool of applicants | Mwanaisha Sims, Director of Civil Rights and Compliance, District Office Michiko Kealoha, Director of Equity | |
| 3.11 Create and expand career exploration experiences for students | Lizette Bricker, Vice President of Student Services Max Hartman, Dean of Counseling Bob Haick, Career Center Program Supervisor | |
| 4.1 Improve access to campus via public transit, rideshare | Ludmila Prisecar, Vice President of Administrative Services Adolfo Leiva, Director, SparkPointCenter | |

At the same time, work continues on our other EMP initiatives as defined by PBC here: [EMP implementation matrix](#) and below:

| |
|---|
| EMP Initiatives |
| Groups Responsible for EMP Initiative(s) |
| Persons Responsible for EMP Initiative(s) |

College Councils, Senates, Committees, Work Groups and Operational Groups

To work together effectively to achieve our goals, the College is organized into Councils, Senates, Committees, Work Groups and Operational Groups which are part of our [participatory governance decision-making process](#). These groups, and the person(s) to contact include:

| Councils | Senates | College Committees | Work Groups | Operational Groups |
|--|---|---|--|--|
| Planning & Budgeting Council Contact co-chairs: Professor Gampi Shankar and Maria Huning | Student Senate Contact: Andric Slede (ASCC President); Sergio Suarez , Student Life and Leadership Manager | Distance Education Advisory Committee (DEAC) Contact: Professor Nada Nekrep or Anniqua Rana , Dean of ASLT | Strong Workforce Program Alex Kramer , Dean of BDW Jasmine Jaciw , Director of Workforce Development | College Cabinet Contact: Aziza De la Torre |
| Equity & Antiracism Planning Council Contact tri-chairs: Michiko Kealoha , Director of Equity , Kiran Malavade , Faculty Equity Coordinator | Academic Senate Contact: Professor Gampi Shankar | Professional Development Planning Committee Contact: Anniqua Rana , Dean of ASLT or Ellen Young , Faculty Flex Day Coordinator | Program Review PBC Sub-Committee Contact: Dean Karen Engel | College Council Contact: Aziza De la Torre |
| Instructional Planning Council Contact co-chairs: VPI Hsieh and David Eck , Faculty Co-Chair | Academic Senate Curriculum Committee Contact: Professor Lisa Palmer | Safety Committee Contact: VPAS Prisecar | Transfer Advisory Group Contact: Dean Max Harman | Divisions <ul style="list-style-type: none">ASLTBDWCounselingHSSKADSTEM |
| Student Services Planning Council Contact co-chairs: VPSS Lizette Bricker and Juan Vera | Classified Senate Contact: Maria Huning | Honors Transfer Program Committee Contact: Professor Rebekah Taveau | | iDeans Contact: VPI Hsieh |

How can I get involved?

For more information about any of the initiatives or participatory governance committees, please email the person identified with it for more information.

Cañada Collaborates Archives:

- [2024-2025 Collaborates Page](#)

- [2023-2024 Collaborates Page](#)
- [2022-2023 Collaborates Page](#)

[BACK TO TOP](#)

Student Resources

Academic Calendar
Canvas
Catalog / Schedule
Financial Aid Eligibility
Library / Bookstore
Student Email
WebSchedule / WebSmart

Security

Clery Act
Emergency Information
Privacy Policy
Report Concerning Behavior (CARES Report)
Sexual Harassment (Title IX)
Website Accessibility

Campus Information

Accreditation
A-Z Site Index
Campus Map
Consumer Information
Employee Directory
Search
Student Outcomes

[Apply](#)

[Contact Us](#)

[Donate](#)



Cañada College
4200 Farm Hill Blvd.
Redwood City, CA 94061