

**2024 Community Engagement Board Candidates Finalized**

There are four members that will be cycling off of the Community Engagement Advisory Board: one advocacy member, two community members, and one practitioner. More specifically, the advocacy member represents Immigrants Rising, the two community members represent Northern California College Promise Coalition and Southern California College Attainment Network, and the practitioner represents K-12.

Below are the top applicants as well as runners up based on member scoring. A final determination will be made by the Committee and then will be recommended to the Governing Board for approval.

**Community Engagement Final Slating Based on Member Scoring**

<b>Slot</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Organizational Affiliation</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Geographic Reach Described</b>
Advocacy (1 Representative)	Dar'rell	Jones	Blu Educational Foundation	Advocacy	Regional Focus; Inland Deserts Region
Community (1 Representative)	Natalia	Gonzalez	Riverside County Office of Education	Community and Student	<i>None listed</i>
Practitioner (1 Representative)	Scott	Aselfine	Karuk Tribe	Practitioner; Tribe and Student	Regional Focus; Northern Region
Student (1 Representative)	Anushka	Tadikonda	Junior in High School	Student	<i>None listed</i>

**Runners Up**

Advocacy (1 Runner Up)	Marisa	Johnson	Campaign for College Opportunity	Advocacy	State-wide
Community (1 Runner Up)	Lisa	Countryman	Jewish Vocational Service	Community	State-wide
Practitioner (1 Runner Up)	Pang	Vangyi	State Center Adult Education Consortium	Practitioner; Adult Education	<i>None listed</i>
Student (1 Runner Up)	Cristian	Reyes	Cal Poly San Luis Obispo	Student	State-wide