## SAN FRANCISCO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

# **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY PLAN**

(Adopted by SFCCD Board of Trustees:

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competency have knowledge of the intersectionality of social identifies and the multiple axes of oppression that people from different racial, ethnic, and ext minoritized groups face. Individuals striving to develop cultural competence recognize that it is a dynamogo process that requires a lorterm commitment to learning. In the context of education, cultural competence refers to the ability tsuccessfullyteach students who come from cultures other than one's own. It entails developing personal and interpersonal awareness and sensitivities, learning specific bodies of cultural knowledge, and mastering a set of skills for effective crosscultural teaching.

Discrimination: The unequal treatment of members of various groups based on race, ethnicity, gender, social class, sexual orientation, physical ability, religion, national origin, age, physical/mental abilities and other categories that may result in disadvantages and differences in provision of goods, services or opportunities.

Diversity Means a condition of broad inclusion in an employment environment that offers equal employment opportunity and respect for all persoln sequires both the presence, and the respectful treatment, of individuals from a wide range of ethnic, raeignet, national origin, religious, gender, sexual orientation, disability and sectonomic backgrounds, in all aspects of the workplace

Equal Employment Opportunit (EQ) means that all qualified individuals have a full and fair opportunity to compete for hiring and promotion and to enjoy the benefits of employment with the District. Equal employment opportunity should exist at all job categories all employment opportunity also involves:

- identifying and eliminating barriers to employmethat are not job related, such as reliance on preferred job qualifications that do not reasonably predict job performance;
- 2) Updating job descriptions and/or job announcements to reflect accurately the knowledge, skills and abilities of the position, including a commitment to equity; and
- 3) creatingan environmenthat fosters cooperation, acceptance, democracy, and free expresion of ideas, and welcoming to persons free from discrimination related to the categories protected from discrimination by Government Code section 12940.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Department of Epidemiology, (2017). Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee. University of Washington School of Public Health. Retrieved August 5, 2020, from https://epi.washington.edu/sites/default/files/DEI%20Glossary%20Word.pdf

Equal Employment Opportunity Plan: A twit document that includes: 1) analysis of the District's workforce; and 2) descriptions of the District's programs, strategiess, and procedures informed by the District's workforce analysis, that are implemented or will be implemented to promotegual employment opportunity.

Equal Employment Opportunity Programsfers to combination of District strategies implemented to promote equal employment opportunity. The District's longitudinal workforce and applicant analyses shall inform such programs

Equity The condition under which individuals are provided the resources they need to have access to the same opportunities, as the general population. Equity accounts for systemic inequalities, meaning the distribution of resources provides more for those who need it most. Converselyequality indicates uniformity where everything is evenly distributed among people.

Ethnicity Is a category of people who identify as a social group on the basis of a shared culture, origins, social background, and traditional are distinctive, maintained between generations, and lead to a sense of identity, common language or religious traditions.

Ethnic Group Identification: means an individual's identification in one or more of the ethnic groups reported to the Statehancellor pursuant to section 53004he Statehancellor consistent with state and federal law shall more specifically define these groups

Gender Is separate froms'ex, which is the biological classification of male or female based on physiological and biological features. Gender is socially constructed roles, behavior, activities, and attributes that society considers "appropriate" for men and women. A person's gendemay not necessarily correspond to their birth assigned sex or be limited to the gender binary (woman/marf).

In-house or Promotional Only Hiringneans that only existing District employees **ahg**ible to apply for a position.

Job Categories For purposes of this Plan, "job categories" includes executive/administrative/managerial, faculty and other instructional/counseling staff, professional norfaculty, secretarial/clerical, technical and paraprofessional, skilled crafts, and service and maintenance.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Equity. (n.d.)National Association of College and EmployRestrieved August 10, 2020, from https://www.naceweb.org/about-us/equity-definition/,; Mann, B. (2014). Equity and equality are not equal. The Education Trust. Retrieved September 3, 2020, from from s://edtrust.org/the-equity-line/equity-and-equality-are-not-equal/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Dein, S. (2006) Race, culture and ethnicity in minority research: A critical disculsational of Cultural Diversity, 13 (2) 68 67; Senior, P., & Bolato, R. (1994). Ethnicity as a variable in epidemiological research Medical Journal 309, 327328.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Torgrimson, B. N&

Monitored Group means groups identified in section 53004(b) for which monitoring and reporting of demographic data is required pursuant to section 53004(a).

Person with a Disabilitymeans any person who(1) has a physical or mental impairment defined in Government Code, section 12926 which limits one or more of such person's major life activities (2) has a record of such an impairment (3) is regarded as having such an impairment. A person with a disability is "limited" if the ondition makes the achievement of the major life activity difficult.

Race: A social construct that artificially divides people into distinct groups based on characteristics such as physical appearance (particularly skin color), cultural affiliation, cultural history, ethnic classification, and the social, economic and political needs of a society at a given period of time. There are no distinctive genetic characteristics that truly distinguish between groups of people. Race presumes human worth and social status for the purpose of establishing and maintaining privilege and powerace is independent of ethnicity.

Reasonable Accommodationmeans he efforts made by the District in compliance with Government Code section 12926.

Screening or Selection rocedures any measure, combination of measures, or procedure used as a basis for any employment decision. Selection procedures include the full range of assessment techniques, including but not limited to traditional paper and pencil tests, performance tests, and physical, educational, and worC6[eys p andud e t(i)-4 esisS.fst

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#### Plan Component 3: Policy Statement

The San Francisco Community College District is committed to the principles of equal employment opportunity and will implement a comprehensive program to put those principles into practice. It is the District's policy to ensure that all qualified applicant employment and employees have full and equal access to employment opportunity and are not subjected to discrimination in any program or activity of the District on the basis of race, color, ancestry, national origin immigration status ethnic group identification, religion, age, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, marital status, domestic partner status, sexual orientation, physical

### 4. Equal Employment Opportunity Advisory Committee

The District haestablished an Equal Employment Opportunity Advisory Committee to act as an advisory body to the EOOfficer and the District as a whole to promote understanding and support of equal employment opportunity policies and procedures. The Equal Employment Opportunity Advisory Committee shall assist in the development and implementation of the lan in conformance with state and federal regulations and guidelines, monitor equal employment opportunity progress, and provide suggestions for lanrevisions as appropriate.

## 5. Screening Committees

A screening committee member, or any organization or individual, whether or not an employee of the District, who acts on behalf of the Board with regard to the recruitment and screening of personnel is subject to the requirements of **Rhis** and applicable Title 5 provisions.

#### 6. Agents of the District

Any organization or individual, who participates in District recruitment or screening of personnel, whether as employee or a contractor, is an agent of the District for such purposes only and is subject and requirements of this Plan.

Through the authority articulated in this Plan Component and the EEO Plan generallysttfree shall make continuous good faith effotts implement the EEO Plan, achieve employee diversity, and avoid disparate impacts, consistent with state and federal laws.

#### Plan Component 6: Complaints

#### Discrimination and Harassment ComplaiPtocedure

#### References:

Education Code Sections 212.5, 231.5, 66281.5 and 67386 Government Code Section 12950.1 Title 5 sections 59320, 59324, 59326, 59328, and 53000 et seq., BP/AP 2.30 Unlawful Discriminati&rBP/AP 2.31 Harassment

#### Reporting and Filing Complaints

State and federal law prohibit discrimination or retaliation against persons or groups, or those associated with them on the basis of an actual or perceived characteristic related to ethnic group identification, national origin, immigration status, religio age, sex, gender, gender

x Complainants may also file the complaint with tbleS. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEO@)d/or theOffice of CiviRightsof the U.S. Department of Education (OCR)

The District's discrimination and harassment complaint policies, procedures, and complaint form can be accessed at the following linkDA/EEO/Civil Rights Compliance | CCSF

#### Plan Component 7: Notification to District Employees

The commitment of the Board of Trustees and the Chancellor to equal employment opportunity is emphasized through the broad dissemination of Equal Employment Opportunity Policy Statement and the Plan. The policy statement is online the college catalog and in employment materials. The Plan and subsequent revisions will be distributed to the District's Board of Trustees, the Chancellor, administrators, the academic senate leadership, classified senate leadership, union representatives and members of the District Equal Employment Opportunity Adviory Committee.

The Planwill be available on the District's website, and when appropriate, may be distributed by email. New employees at the time of their new hire process are provided with employee handbooks, which include the EEO Plan as an appendix, and at new employee orientation.

#### Plan Component 8: Training for Screening/Selection Committees

Any organization or individual, whether or not an employee of the District, who is involved in the recruitment and screening/selection personnel, shall receive appropriate training on

- o the requirements of the Title 5 regulations on equal employment opportunity (section 53000 et. seq.& of federal and state nondiscrimination laws;
- o the requirements of the District's Equal Employment Opportunityn;Pla
- o the District's policies on nondiscrimination, recruitment, and hiring;
- o the elimination of biasin hiring decisions
- o principles of diversity and culturæsponsiveness;
- o the value of a race conscious, artacist, diverse workforce;
- o Equity advancing practices in serving on a selection or screening committee
- o The educational benefits of workforce diversity; and
- o Best practices in serving on a selection or screening committee

Personsserving in the above capacities will be required to receive training within the 24 months priesse(c) Stir(nictel Ethis training tra

Plan Component 9: Annual Written Notice to Community Organizations

The EEO Officer will provide annual written notice to appropriate communitied and professional organizations concerning than. The notice will inform these organizations that they may obtain a copy of the and shall solicit their assistance dentifying diverse qualified candidates. The notice will include a summary of then. The notice will also include the internet address where the District advertises its job openings and the names, departments and phone numbers of individuals to carllorder to obtain employment information. The District will actively seek to reach those institutions, organizations, and agencies that may be recruitment sources. The Human Resources Office and the Cofficer will maintain a list of organizations that will receive this notice. The listay be revised from time to time as necessary.

Plan Component 10: Analysis of District Workforce and Applicant Pool

References: CCR, Title 5, §§553003(c)(8), 53004, and 53006

The District collects data yearly and determines through data analysis if there are adverse impacts. The District athers EEO data or applicants and current workforce expecified in Component 10 for the purpose of conducting periodic, longitudinal analysising applicant and employee data identified by number of persons from monitored groups identified below for each job categor (see Component 2 Definitions for the job categories)

Thedata analysiss used todetermine whether additional diversification measures are required and to implement and evaluate the effectiveness of those measures understood practices, identifying, and eliminaing barriers to employment.

#### **EEO Data Collection**

The Distict allows applicants and employees to identify their gender (including-binosary options), ethnic group identification, and, if applicable, their disability status as prescribed by the StateChancellor, consistent writstate, and federal law (EEO Data).t Di(s)-4 (t)]TJ 0.005 Tc Tit( Di.1 ( w.

#### 3. Disability Identification

The District requests that all employees sidentify their disability status, if any, by using the following definition consistent with the Fair Employment and Housing Act:

- a. Disabled person anyperson who (1) has a physical or mental impairment which limits one or more of such person's major life activities, (20 has a record of such impairment, or (3) is regarded as having such impairment.
- b. Major life activities—Functions such as caring for ones'elf, performing manual tasks, walking, seeing, hearing, talking, breathing, learning, and working.

In addition to the monitored groups identified in Title 5, Section 53004, the District also requests that all employees selfdentify their protected vetean status, if any, by using the following definition consistent with the Vietnam Era Veteran's Readjustment Assistance Act (VEVRAA):

4. Protected Veteran status—The District requests that all employees sidentify their veteran status, if any, in accordance with the Vietnam Era Veteran's Readjustment Assistance Act (VEVRAA). VEVRAA covers veterans from World War II, the Korean conflict, the Vietnam era, and the Persian Gulf Waterfined as occurring from August 2, 1990 to the present, and including dislated veterans

The District also requests that **al**hployees selfdentify their protected sexual orientation status

5. Sexual Orientation status California law protects employees from discrimination based on their actual or perceived sexual orientation. This includes heterosexuality, homosexuality, and bisexuality.

#### Voluntary Submission of EEO Data

Applicants provide their EEO Data voluntadilying the application process and are not required to respond. There may be a significant number of application decline to identify their protected class category status with the District data is maintained confidentially and separate

Districts are required to identify any "significantly underrepresented groups," where actual representation is below 80% of projected representation. Adverse impaists where the selection rate for a monitored group is less than footths (or 80%) of the selection rate for the group with the highest rate.

The workforce analysiseport, Employee & Hiring Data Repoint provided annually to the State Chancellor's Office, and insade available on the District's Human Resources website in the Employee Data | CCSF. Transports include demographic data on applicant pools and existing workforce, including applicant and workforce data analysis used to conduct adverse impact analyses.

Specifically, the District compares the composition of initial applicant pools, qualified pools, and applicants recommended for interview **fo**nal selection to identify any adverse impact of the District's prehiring and hiring strategies.

Plan Component 11: A Process for Utilizing Data to Determine Whether Monitored Groups Are Underrepresented Within District Job Categories.

Studies have shown the education benefits of a diverse workforce. Statewide demographic data shows that the community college student population has become increasingly diverse over the last several years. However, the workforce does not reflect the stily of the students served.

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"significantly underrepresented groups workforce by job categorydentified in section 53004(a):

Executive/administrative/managerial Faculty and other instruction/adounselingstaff Professional nonfaculty Secretarial/clerical

Table B: FALL 2022 District Total Workforce measured against Student Demographics										
Demographic Group	Student Demographics (Pircent Rule	CCSF Workforce (Actual Representation)	80 Percent Rule							

District Total Workforce measured against Community Demographics*
Community Demographics

Table Dreflect the fourstep process established by the EEOC for employers to follow when conducting the EEOC's Adverse Impact Test as follows 1) Calculate the rate of selection for each group (divide the number of persons selected from a group by the number of applications from that group); 2) observe which group has the highest selections rate cultate the impact ratios, by comparing the selection retfor each group with that of the highest group (divide the selection rate for a group by the selection rate for the highest group); and 4) observe whether the selection group is substantially less than 4/5ths or 80 percent than the selection for the highest group.

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Analysis of Adverse Impact by Monitored Race/Ethnicity Group:
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#### **EEO PLAN COMPONENT 13**

# DISTRICT & COLLEGE ACTIVITIES DEMONSTRATING ON-GOING COMMITMENT TO EEO/EMPLOYMENT DIVERSITY

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	What/When	Effectiveness Metrics & Review	

- x This template includes a comprehensive list of all non mandatorystrategies provided in Title 5, Section 53024.1, as well as additionas uggested strategies generated by the DEIA Task ForceDistricts may also draw fromocally-developed strategies.
- x Strategiesare organized under the following categories:
  - 3/4 pre-hiring
  - ¾ hiring
  - 3/4 post-hiring
- x While no specificstrategy is mandatory, the EE@lanmust include at least onstrategy from each category.
- x To use this template:

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		What/When
PRE-HIRING		
Provide training to employees, students & trustees*.	HR EE@fficer	Y1- Y3
*This applies if you are planning training that goes beyond mandatory training for hiring committees.	Risk Management	EEO & DEltraining is included in the New Employee Orientation (NEO) held yearly.
(53024.1(d))		Mandatory Sexual Harassment & Discrimination Training is mandatory and required of all employees in accordance with SB 1343. Training is conducted yearly and coordinated by the Management Office.
Convey in publications and website the district's commitment to diversity & EEO. (53024.1(j))	HR EEO Officer	Y1- Y3 Updated EEO Planadopted by the Board of Trustees and distributed via the CCSF HR website, include in Employee Handbooks, New Employee Orientation, and in the Search & Screening (Hiring) Committee Orientations/trainings where applicable.
		Ensure the District' Diversity Statemeris included in all applicant

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Continued from page 8	opportunity; the EEO Plarequirements; the District's policies on nondiscrimination, recruitment, and hiring; elimination of bias hiring decisions principles of diversity and cultural responsivenes the value of a race conscious, a raticist, diverse workforce queditions.	
		Conduct data analysis on applicant and workforce to evaluate areas of improvement and areas of needed improvement(adverse impact & underrepresentation)

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