



2009-2010 Report to the Community

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President's Message:

Our 40th anniversary year 2009-2010 was both challenging and exciting.

Massive construction upended the Miramar College campus as new buildings took shape in the midst of deep budget cuts, wait-listed classes, a hiring freeze, and reduced student services hours. The reality is that California community colleges are state-funded public institutions and that the construction is funded by local propositions designated specifically for, and restricted to, facilities.

Despite the reduced state budget, Miramar College took measures to continue to support student access to higher education as much as possible. Faculty increased class size, both on campus and online, and outreach to area high schools focused on preparing graduating seniors for early application, assessment and registration. Enrollment grew despite a reduction in class sections and Miramar students, faculty and staff accomplished great achievements, despite the bleak fiscal climate.

*I am pleased to share with you this **2009-2010 Report to the Community** and some of those achievements. I hope the calendar format will be helpful and that you enjoy the beautiful campus photography throughout the coming year.*

Patricia Hsieh, Ed.D.
President, San Diego Miramar College

About San Diego Miramar College

San Diego Miramar College, located along the I-15 corridor, offers over 120 certificates, associate degrees and comprehensive transfer programs. Partnerships with local industry and the City and County of San Diego prepare students for high demand and well-paying careers in the highly competitive labor market, including biotechnology, paralegal (ABA approved), aviation (FAA-certified), automotive, diesel, and alternative fuels technologies.

Miramar College is home to the Southern California Biotechnology Center, Advanced Transportation and Energy Center, and San Diego Regional Public Safety Institute. Since 1969, the college has provided training for nearly all law enforcement officers and firefighters within San Diego County. The Institute also trains emergency medical technicians (EMTs) and offers the only open water lifeguard degree in the world.

New instructional programs in medical lab technology and alternative energy, as well as buildings recently completed or in development, assure students emerging career training opportunities, first-class facilities and state-of-the-art technology.

Mission Statement

Our mission is to prepare students to succeed in a changing world within an environment that values excellence in learning, teaching, innovation and diversity.

Values

We at San Diego Miramar College value...

- Student access, learning and success for students from basic skills through college level
- The preparation of students for degrees, jobs, careers and transfer, as well as personal growth and career advancement
- The ability to recognize and respond to opportunities
- A collegiate college community with mutual respect, courtesy and appreciation
- Accomplishments of individuals, groups and the college as a whole
- Diversity of our students, staff, faculty and programs
- Creativity and excellence in teaching, learning and service
- Collaboration and partnerships
- Shared governance and communication
- Sustainable practices in construction, curriculum and campus culture
- Quality, flexibility, and innovation

Vision

- Student learning and success will be the focus of all we do.
- San Diego Miramar College will develop as a college that identifies student access, learning and success as the touchstone to guide planning, set priorities and measure effectiveness.
- Miramar College will have an inviting and accessible campus that attracts students.
- Miramar College will be a hub of education, diversity, recreation and services to the community.

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2009-2010 College-Wide Priorities • Fully develop, implement and link college-wide planning, program review, and student learning outcome processes • Increase efficiency of institutional structure, course offerings, and services • Focus resources on promoting student success while planning for future programs • Strengthen/expand community partnerships, marketing and outreach • Maintain current levels of professional development • Maintain involvement in and focus on facilities planning and utilization

Sustainability Initiative -- Promising Practices

Miramar's Advanced Transportation Technology and Energy Center (ATTE) activities are cited within the American Association of Community Colleges (AACC) "Promising Practices," an online resource center of programs and curriculum designed to encourage the "green job" sector and a new literacy of sustainability across curriculum in community colleges nationwide. ATTE is responsive to the local labor market, trains workers, partners with industry and seeks funding opportunities to benefit regional communities.



College Achievements

Preparing for Accreditation

Following extensive involvement by all constituent campus groups, the *Institutional Self-Study for the Reaffirmation of Accreditation* was completed, reviewed and approved. The publication is available online at www.sdmiramar.edu. Print copies are available in the library, President's Conference Room/A-102, and mailroom.

College Celebrates 40 Years

A 40th anniversary graphic, designed by contest winner, local graphic artist Nancy Miljas, was featured throughout 2009-2010, including a commemorative lapel pin and website historical timeline.

New Online Degrees

The *Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges* officially approved online associate degrees and certificates in 13 program areas.

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May I Help You?

In addition to long-established volunteer information tents, a new MAT (Mobile Assistance Team) now assists students around campus during the first week of classes.

Student Rally for Education

With an overall attendance of 600 from SDCCD colleges and Continuing Education at a student advocacy rally in September at City College, Miramar's more than 100 students was impressive. Miramar student leaders rallied the crowd with chants against further budget cuts to community colleges.



Student Centered

Successful Launch

160 new students attended the annual Jets Jump Start orientation, up from 100 the prior year.

Preventing H1N1

A comprehensive communications campaign promoted H1N1 awareness and prevention; 540 Miramar students received free vaccinations.

Student Art Showcased

Sixteen first and second place awards were conferred to 11 Miramar art students at the San Diego County Fair *Student Showcase Painting Exhibit*, including a *Best in Class* and *Best of Show*.

High Scores

90% of Miramar emergency medical technology (EMT) students who completed the EMGM 105 course passed the National Registry exam compared to the national average of 71%.

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Home At Last

The first-ever Miramar College men's basketball home game tipped off in the new Hourglass Park field house. After double overtime, the Miramar Jets fell in a heartbreaking two-point loss to San Diego City College.

Spectacular Season

With a 16-3-1 overall season record and 2nd place conference standing, women's soccer qualified for state playoffs. Five lady Jets were named *First Team All Pacific Coast Conference (PCC)*; Nicole Petracca was named *PCC Player of the Year*; Kelsey Warner was named *PCC Goal Keeper of the Year*; and Sean Bowers received *PCC Women's Soccer Co-Coach of the Year*.



Jets News

Playoff Bound

Congratulations to the men's basketball team for heading to the playoffs for the second consecutive year. Three Miramar Jets were named to the *2010 All Pacific Coast Conference Men's Basketball Team*.

Water Polo

The women's and the men's water polo Jets ended 2009 campaigns with strong 5th place standings in the Pacific Coast Conference (PCC). Lady Jet goalie Kelsey Granquist was named *First Team All Conference* and Lisa Kurth was voted *2nd Team All Conference*. Men's water polo freshman goalkeeper Christian Carrillo recorded 241 saves, leading the PCC.

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Globetrotters

Four Brazilian community college educators attended the *4th Annual Life Science Summer Institute (LSSI)*, coordinated by the Southern California Biotechnology Center (SCBC) at Miramar College. Their participation was an outcome of the *U.S. Brazil Partnership Initiative* with Miramar College, funded by American Association of Community Colleges, U.S. Agency for International Development, U.S. Department of State, and Higher Education for Development Office of the American Council on Education.

Community Connections

30 students represented Miramar College in the Mira Mesa July 4 parade; 50 faculty, staff and family members boarded a college fire engine to participate in the January Martin Luther King Jr. Parade downtown.



Connections

A Season of Giving

Through the months of November and December, various college departments and individuals led annual charitable campaigns – United Way, Holiday Toy Drive, Keep a Senior Warm, AniMeals and San Diego Food Bank.

Science Fun Yields New Fans

In March, more than 120 children and adults participated in the *2nd Annual Science Fun for Kids 9 to 99*, sponsored by the college Natural Science Department during Science Month.

Reputation Drives Visit

Based on the college's T-TEN training program's outstanding reputation, facility and faculty, Toyota's highest-ranking officials for technical training in the world toured Miramar's auto technology facility in early fall.

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Rain Bird Tests New Product On Campus

A 4,000 square foot area located just north of the Business Office was selected as one of ten sites within the United States by Rain Bird Corporation to test application of a new drip irrigation system for turf, prior to marketing for mass production.

Infrastructure Project Phase One Completed

Following 1,000,000 SF demolition and grading, the campus saw completion of new walkways, parking with lighting, landscaping and irrigation. New and improved parking lots opened in west lot #1 and lot #2 and a new temporary parking lot with 115 student spaces was created.

• *Wimmer, Yamada & Caughey Architects.*



Excitement is Building

LLRC Breaks Ground

Construction began on a three-story, 100,000 square foot Library/Learning Resource Center. Located between new classroom buildings currently under construction, the \$37.4 million LLRC will anchor a campus quad. • *Zagrodnik + Thomas Architects*

Classroom Projects Mark Mid-Way

The ceremonial "topping off" of a \$34.1 million dual classroom project -- Arts & Humanities and Business & Math -- marked the point when the structure's highest element is hoisted into place. • *NTD Architecture*

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Rally for Education

On March 4, more than 80 Miramar faculty and staff participated in a "Teach Out" campus rally that preceded a kick-off *March for Education* at Balboa Park.

Faculty Development Program Recognized.

IREC, Interstate Renewable Energy Council, a non-profit organization dedicated to clean and renewable energy resources, presented Miramar's Advanced Transportation Technology and Energy (ATTE) "PV, Solar Thermal and Energy Efficiency Faculty Professional Development Program" the *IREC Annual Innovation Award*.



Faculty / Staff Achievements

Hall of Famer

Rod Porter, Fitness Specialist Program Director, was named to the University of California Berkeley *Men's Volleyball Hall of Fame*, one of only seven individuals to ever receive the honor.

Recycle

The Environmental Stewardship Taskforce announced campus participation in *Call2Recycle*, a rechargeable battery recycling program.

Kudos

145 Miramar faculty/staff received *President's Achievement Awards* at the annual spring recognition ceremony and reception.

In Memoriam

For more than 30 years, Diesel Technology Professor Jim Lewis touched the lives of staff and students in the SDCCD.

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Contract Awarded by SD Workforce Partnership

Under a newly funded \$400,000 *American Recovery and Reinvestment Act* (ARRA) grant, the college expanded classroom capacity in the applied biotechnology program. The project is designed to span three semesters for two cohorts of 50 students each and includes three technical courses, basic skills, workplace readiness, and academic support. Successful completion leads to a *Certificate of Completion Applied Biotechnology – Molecular Biology Track*.



Focus on Funding

Fire Engine Donation

The Port of Los Angeles donated a 1988 fire engine to the Public Safety Regional Training Center for use in the fire technology instructional program. The apparatus, which logged just over 100,000 miles, was maintained for the last two years by the United States Marine Corps at El Toro for military use before it's transfer to the college.

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Addressing Critical Needs

Responding to the critical shortage of medical laboratory technicians (MLT) nationwide – and especially in California, the college received a \$400,000 federal grant (American Recovery and Reinvestment Act) to establish a medical laboratory technician program.

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Commencement Showcases Student Success

585 graduates received a record-setting 944 associate degrees and certificates at the 34th Annual Commencement Exercises at the Torrey Pines Hilton. Miramar Alumna Cheryl Schwarzman Goodman, VP Marketing, Qualcomm MEMS Division, addressed the graduating class.

5th District Public Safety Honors

Fire protection technology graduate Fred Daunis was named the *2010 City of San Diego 5th District Public Safety Honor Graduate* and presented a certificate by Councilman Carl Demaio at commencement. Daunis's son, Shane, also received his associate degree in fire protection technology.



Student Centered

2010 Distinguished Alumna

Shannon Rupert, a biology professor at Dine College, Navajo Nation, New Mexico, was named *Miramar College 2010 Distinguished Alumna*. Shannon received a bachelor's degree from UCSD, master's in biology/plant ecology from CSU San Marcos, and will receive a doctorate shortly from the University of New Mexico. A prolific author and frequent speaker, she has served as a NASA Spaceward Bound scientist, steering committee member with the Mars Society, and director on the Mars Expedition Research Council.

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June

Garden Sprouts

The Environmental Stewardship Taskforce hosted an Organic Garden Open House to showcase the generosity of donors and hard work of participant gardeners.

Donors: Miramar College Foundation; Wimmer, Yamada and Caughey; Hawthorne Bros Tool Shed Equipment Rental; ASC; Child Development Professionals Club; and Rain Bird Irrigation.

Garden Stewards: TC's, Miramar Café, Instructional Computing Support, Associated Students Food and Culture Club, Associated Students Child Development Professionals Club, Robert Benton, Biology Department, Anthropology Department.



Excitement is Building

Award Winning Design

The Miramar Site and Infrastructure Development Project received *Outstanding Engineering Feasibility Project* by the American Society of Civil Engineers San Diego Chapter 2010.

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Auto Tech Expansion

Construction began on the Advanced Transportation Technology expansion of 6,500 square feet.
• *Zagrodnik+Thomas Architects*

Parking Structure/ Police Substation

The first Platinum LEED certified facility in the SDCCD broke ground in July. With its green roof and vertical living wall, the \$17.8 million project will improve public safety and provide 816 parking spaces on four-levels. *Architects: Harley Ellis Devereaux, International Parking Design*

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New Instructional Program.

A new Medical Laboratory Technology Training (MLTT) associate degree and certificate program was approved by the State Chancellor's Office in the spring and is anticipating accreditation by the California Department of Public Health/Laboratory Field Services in early fall 2010. The Miramar MLTT program, which provides practical training in a clinical setting and studies that prepare students for state certification examinations, will be one of only four such accredited community college programs in the state.



College Achievements

New Agreement Added to the List




Ashford University formed a new articulation agreement with Miramar College, enabling Miramar students to transfer up to 99 credits into one of Ashford's online and campus bachelor's degree programs. Miramar articulation agreements currently total 49 universities, 30 high schools, and the U.S. Navy.

Military Friendly

Listed as a *Military Friendly School for 2010* in *G.I. Jobs* magazine, Miramar College ranked among top 15% of all colleges, universities and trade schools nationwide.

Serving Asian Americans

Miramar College placed #60 in Associate Degrees: All Disciplines – Asian Americans in *Community College Week's Top 100 Associate Degree Producers*.

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Advocacy Assistance

Five Miramar students were selected to participate in a filming effort of the San Diego and Imperial Counties Community Colleges Association (SDICCCA) Board Alliance for legislative advocacy.

Anatomy Lab Gains International Spotlight

College faculty from around the nation and Canada attended a full-day *Human Anatomy and Physiology Society* (HAPS) workshop in Miramar's anatomy lab. The cadaver-based thoracic and abdominal course, conducted by Miramar professor Kevin Petti, was partly sponsored by a grant from the American Association of Anatomists. Miramar Biology students assisted.



Connections

Green Chemistry

Miramar's science department hosted a *Green Chemistry Workshop* to train local high school and community college teachers how to "green" their labs and classroom methods.

Serving Those Who Serve

More than 100 attended the first-ever Vets 2 Jets "Resource Fair and Tribute to Veterans." The college joined with community groups, four-year colleges and government organizations to provide a wide variety of information and to pay tribute to veterans and active duty military for their service. Participants included the Dept. of Veterans Administration, V.A. Health, SDSU Veterans Center, UCSD, VETWORKS, Employment Development Department, and Veterans Village of San Diego
 Courage to Call.

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Combo Celebration

The spring *2nd Annual Earth Fair and World Music Festival* featured activities to promote eco-awareness and provided diverse performances supported by the Center for World Music, including *Los Soneros de San Diego*, *Odissi Dance* from India, Chinese traditional music, and *Sene Africa*.

Honorable Mention





In November, 31 students were inducted into the college's honor society, *Phi Theta Kappa Beta Iota Lambda Chapter*. In March at the state capitol, recognizing academic achievements and community service, Miramar Honors students Sandra Coronilla and Heather Paulson were named to the *All-California Academic 2nd Team*.



Student Centered

Associated Students
Activities

September No More Cuts
Student Rally • September
11th Memorial • ASGA
Conference • Community
College Capitol Days • 4th
of July Parade • Veterans
Day • Toys for Tots •
American Breast Cancer
Walk • Father Joe's Village
Thanksgiving Day Run •
Food For Families • Big City
Clean Up • Fall Fest • Jets
Basketball Home Opener
• MLK Parade • Welcome
Back • Spring Fest/Club
Rush • March In March •
Student Senate Spring
Assembly • ASC Elections
• Grad Fair/Grad Picnic •
Race for Autism • Student
Leadership Awards • Kidney
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Persons of the Year

Anthropology professor Laura Gonzalez was named *Teacher of the Year* by the *Society for the Anthropology in Community Colleges*. Mark Manasse, English professor and BSI Coordinator, was named *Continuing Education Person of the Year* by the *Association of Community and Continuing Education*.

New Faces

The 2009-2010 academic year welcomed two new administrators: Dr. Kathleen Werle, *Vice President of Instruction* and Brett Bell, *Vice President of Administrative Services*



Faculty / Staff Achievements

International Relations

College President Patricia Hsieh, wearing several hats, traveled to Russia in the spring as an American Association of Community Colleges (AACC) board member, as a Fulbright Scholar grantee, and as a representative of the San Diego North Chamber of Commerce. Hsieh's 14-day trip was funded by the William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board through a grant appropriated by the U.S. Congress. Hsieh visited 25 educational institutions in whirlwind fashion, including ten secondary institutes that focused on vocational training.

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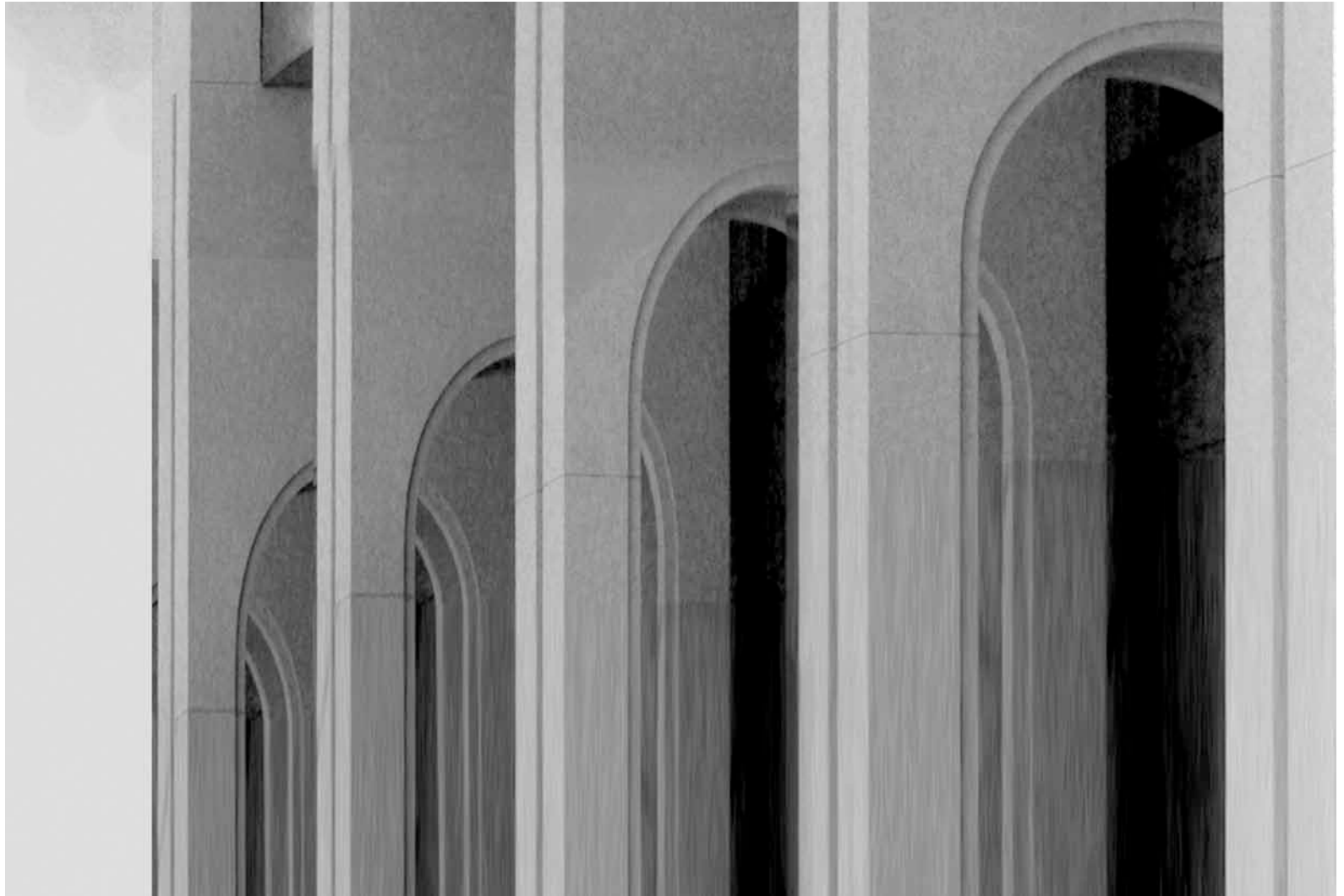
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Bike to Work

Approximately 50 cyclists stopped by the college pit-stop for refreshments, t-shirts and giveaways during *Bike to Work Day* on May 21, a nationwide event that promotes awareness of the benefits of cycling to work.

Expanding Partnerships

A delegation of Russian university educators visited the campus under the auspices of the Department of State's *International Visitor Leadership Program* over the summer. Attendees were provided an overview of the college and the California community college system, as well as a campus tour.



Connections

Counting Residents

The U.S. Census Bureau presented a certificate of appreciation to Miramar College for participation and support of the 2010 Census Scan. More than 2,000 registrations occurred on campus.

Outreach -- Taking It To The Streets

106 activities, including Mira Mesa Street Fair • Carmel Mountain Street Fair • Rancho Penasquitos Street Fair • Poway Fall and Spring Festivals • Martin Luther King, Jr. Parade and Multicultural Festival • Rancho Bernardo 4S Ranch Street Fair • Rancho Bernardo Street Fair • Poway Days • Poway Business Expo • Science Alliance High Tech Fair • San Diego North Chamber Business Expo • Miramar Air Show • Cash for College • Del Mar Fair

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Partnership Focused on Life Sciences Industry

San Diego State University, BLOCOM, San Diego Workforce Partnership and Miramar College were awarded a three-year, \$4.95 million grant from U.S. Department of Labor to develop the *Biotechnology Readiness, Immersion, Certification and Degrees for Gainful Employment* (BRIDGE) project which will provide education, training and placement services for more than 1,000 veterans, incumbent workers, dislocated and unemployed workers within the San Diego region.

A Helping Hand

As of July 31, 2010, \$10,380,641 in financial aid has been paid to 4740 Miramar College students.



Focus on Funding

Stem Cell Research Collaborative

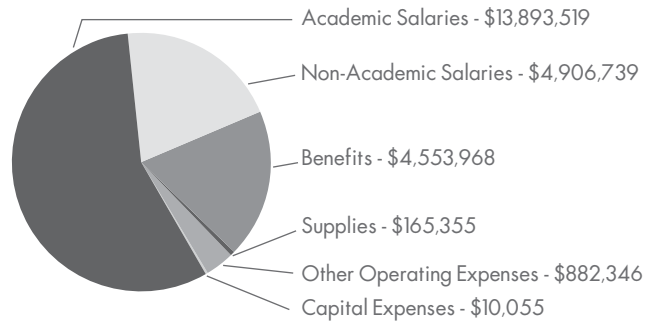
Miramar joined California State University San Marcos and MiraCosta College under a \$1.7 million grant to train 30 students in stem cell research at the Burnham Institute for Medical Research, the Scripps Research Institute and the Salk Institute. Those selected for the program receive \$2,500 a month and have their tuition paid up to \$5,000. The grant, awarded by the California Institute for Regenerative Medicine, also provides 30 one-year paid internships for three years for students of the three academic partners.

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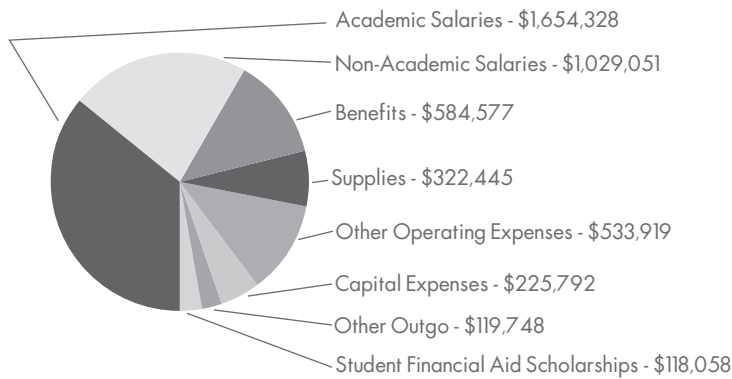
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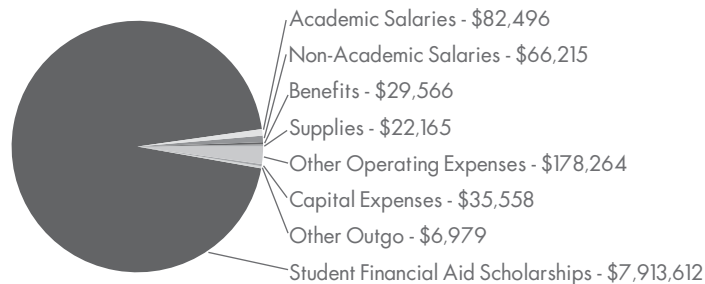
General Fund Unrestricted - \$24,411,982



General Fund Restricted - \$4,587,917



Special Fund, Financial Aid, Fiduciary, Trust - \$8,334,854



FISCAL RESOURCES

Campus Transformation

Thanks to the passage of facilities bond measures benefitting the SDCCD in 2002 and 2006, more than \$350 million is funding 24 projects at Miramar College, transforming the 40 year-old campus into a college of the future with state-of-the-art classroom buildings, library learning resource center, ample parking, and more. Each project is designed to receive high-level LEED certification, energy efficiency building standards.

Proposition "S"

Expenditures, \$8,373,399

Proposition "N"

Expenditures, \$62,453,312

HUMAN RESOURCES

Total Number of Employees: 731

Full-time contract, 30%

Hourly/Adjunct, 70%

Gender

Female, 47%

Male, 53%

Ethnicity

African American, 4%

American Indian, 1%

Asian/Pacific Islander, 13%

Filipino, 2%

Latino, 10%

White, 61%

Unreported, 9%

STUDENT INFORMATION

Total Enrollment 2009-2010: 22,593

Headcount by end of term:

Summer 2009: 6,720

Fall 2009: 12,030

Spring 2010: 12,464

Gender

Female, 45%

Male, 55%

Ethnicity

African American, 5%

American Indian, 1%

Asian/Pacific Islander, 15%

Filipino, 9%

Latino, 16%

White, 40%

Other/Unreported, 13%

Age

Under 18, 1% 30-39, 18%

18-24, 47% 40-49, 10%

25-29, 19% 50 & older, 5%

Employment Status

Employed < 40 hours, 49%

Employed > 40 hours, 30%

Not working, 21%

Student Course Load

Full-time (12 or more credits), 16%

Part-time (less than 12 credits), 84%

Top Five Majors

Associate Degree

Transfer

Business Administration

Administration of Justice

Fire Protection Technology

2009-2010 At a Glance

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Scholar Fest Celebrates Student Achievements and Foundation Donors

31 scholarships, valued at nearly \$25,000 were awarded to 45 recipients during Scholar Fest on April 27 at a festive outdoor event held in Hourglass Plaza. Attendees enjoyed a student art exhibit, Classified Senate silent auction/drawing, refreshments, and music provided by San Diego Chinese Music Ensemble. Generous donations from Event and Scholar sponsors enable the Miramar College Foundation to fund the annual celebration. Donors who contributed to Miramar College Foundation activities in 2009 were recognized in a pre-event VIP reception.

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Pack Your Bags

Vacation packages to Washington D.C., Ireland, and Imperial Cities were offered by the Foundation in 2009-2010. Coordinated by Collette Vacations, ten percent of the cost of every trip purchased is donated to the Miramar College Foundation to support student scholarships.

Foundation Treasurer's Report for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 2010

Temporarily Restricted Funds: \$165,103.51

Department Program Trust Funds: \$154,862.20

Scholarship Fund Accounts: \$10,261.31

Unrestricted Fund Account: \$215,050.15

Total Fund Balance: \$380,153.66

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