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California Community Colleges Banner Group, Foothill-De Anza Community College District, North Orange County Community College District and SunGard Higher Education CCC Solution Center welcome you to the 2009 3CBG Conference!

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The C3SC works with client institutions to analyze the impact of changes to administrative, business and reporting processes and to produce localized versions of SunGard Higher Education products to support them.

Today, more than ever, higher education needs people like you. People who understand that, at its heart, higher education is about more than surviving. It’s about building a better future.

SunGard Higher Education wants to help you find a path to that future. Because making a difference today is all about what you can do to build a better tomorrow.

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN SURVIVING AND THRIVING?
YOU.
General Session
Thursday, October 8
9:30—10:30 a.m.
California Ballroom

Welcome and Introductions
Jeannine Methe
Chair, 3CBG
Chief Technology Officer
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Keynote Speakers
Mike Reid
Director, CCC Solution Center
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Jaimie Chambron
General Manager, Systems Integration Consulting Services,
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Breakout Sessions
Session Group A - 10:45—11:45 a.m.
Luncheon - 12 noon
Session Group B - 1:15—2:15 p.m.
Session Group C - 2:30—3:30 p.m.
Session Group D - 3:45—4:45 p.m.

3CBG Annual Conferences
2000 - Yorba Linda
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2005 - Bakersfield
2006 - San Diego
2007 - Newark
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Breakout Sessions

Session Group A - 10:45—11:45 a.m.

4  Financial Aid  10:45 a.m.  Sacramento
Making the Switch—FFELP Loans to Direct Loans
Carol Linsley, Senior Functional Financial Aid Consultant, SunGardHE
Will the switch to Direct Loan be mandated? The answer is still unknown. This session provides a look at Direct Loan processing and discusses the differences between managing FFELP (Federal Family Education Loan Program) and Direct Loan in Banner.

13  HR/Payroll, Student  10:45 a.m.  Ballroom E/F
Considerations for Implementing Faculty Load and Compensation
Julie Monfette, Principal HR Consultant, HR and Finance Team Manager, SunGardHE
Antonio Trepesowsky, Senior Consultant, SunGardHE
Considerations for implementing the new Faculty Load and Compensation module will provide you with the questions and task types you will need to consider. After a brief overview of the functionality, the presenters will discuss the changes in practice and reporting that may result from using this module.

15  Luminis, Student  10:45 a.m.  Santa Rosa
Luminis for Students Implementation
Bill Pearce, Senior Consultant, Strata Information Group
VCCCD recently began the migration from Self Service Banner to Luminis (MyVCCCD) for Students. Our goal was to make the transition as seamless as possible for the students, and to keep the support calls to a minimum. This presentation will discuss the techniques we developed to meet those goals for the migration. We will also discuss tools that were developed to assist with access to MyVCCCD for newly admitted and re-admitted students in the future.

17  MIS, Student  10:45 a.m.  San José
CCFS-320 Reporting
TJ Baugus, Principal Functional Consultant, Banner Student, SunGardHE
Understanding the setups and data that affect your funding reports. Review of the settings in Banner that impact the CCFS-320 report (CALB extract SVRCALX and related reports). This includes covering settings in STVRSTS, SVAACYR, SVAAPIZ, STVTERM, SFAROVR, etc. SSASECT and registration data will also be highlighted. Lastly, matching the SVRCALS results to the SVRCALC and SVRCALD results will be discussed.
Breakout Sessions

Session Group A - 10:45—11:45 a.m. (continued)

21 Technical 10:45 a.m. Ballroom D
Unified Digital Campus Technical Directions
Ward Maddux, Technical Consultant, SunGardHE
Jaimie Chambron, General Manager, Systems Integration Consulting Services, SunGardHE

SungardHE is advancing in many important technical areas from more consistent, rich interfaces to services-oriented architecture. We will discuss the roadmap for the Unified Digital Campus. Areas covered will include Adobe Flex, UTF8, conversion to Banner 8 and others.

Session Group B - 1:15—2:15 p.m.

3 Finance, Student 1:15 p.m. Sacramento
Banner 8 Student Accounts Receivable
Antonio Trepesowsky, Senior Consultant, SunGardHE

This presentation explains how the Banner Accounts Receivable Application of Payments and Unapplication of Payments work. The presenter will explain the importance of both processes, the hierarchy used by Banner when determining which charges are paid by various payments, and give best practices recommendations about when the processes should be run.

7 General Interest 1:15 p.m. Santa Rosa
Duplicate PIDM Panel Discussion
Bill Pearce, Senior Consultant, Strata Information Group
Lori McLain, System Administrator/Operator, Cuesta College

Panel discussion of solutions for merging duplicate PIDMs.

11 HR/Payroll, Finance 1:15 p.m. San José
Banner 8 Labor Distribution
Julie Monfette, Principal HR Consultant, HR and Finance Team Manager, SunGardHE

This session will cover Banner 8 Labor Distribution, including a description of how it has been implemented for the California Community Colleges.

14 Luminis, Technical 1:15 p.m. Ballroom D
Luminis 5 Technical
Ward Maddux, Technical Consultant, SunGardHE

In addition to delivering enhanced portal, business application, and web services delivery technology, Luminis Platform 5.0 will focus on new content and applications that further support and align with higher education departmental needs and the overall business functions that make schools more efficient and more competitive. This presentation will discuss the technical elements and significance of Luminis 5.
Breakout Sessions

Session Group B - 1:15—2:15 p.m. (continued)

20 Student 1:15 p.m.  Ballroom E/F
Degree Works Overview
Christine McCormick, GM Student and FA Consulting, SunGardHE
Steven Bundy, Counselor, Chabot - Las Positas CCD
Stacey Followill, Senior Programmer Analyst I, Chabot Las Positas CCD
DegreeWorks provides a comprehensive set of web-based academic advising, degree audit, and transfer articulation tools to help students and their advisors negotiate your institution’s curriculum requirements. DegreeWorks—available as an integrated add-on to Banner Student or as a stand-alone application—helps students spend less time deciphering degree requirements and more time pursuing their academic goals. Robust academic planning tools and real-time counseling capabilities help advisors provide consistent and meaningful direction to students.

Session Group C - 2:30—3:30 p.m.

5 Financial Aid, Student 2:30 p.m.  Ballroom D
BOG Waiver Processing & Financial Aid
Carol Linsley, Senior Functional Financial Aid Consultant, SunGardHE
This session presents multiple ways to process BOGW in Banner using the new BOGW module developed by the California Solution Center. The presenter will demonstrate and discuss how to use the built in flexibility in the BOGW module to pay student fees using Rate Codes, Attributes or Exemptions

8 General Interest 2:30 p.m.  Ballroom E/F
ODS / EDW Reporting
Chris Eby, Higher Education Consultant, SunGardHE
Kern CCD is leveraging Banner ODS (Operational Data Store) to deliver reports (enrollment management, budget management and HR/Payroll related reports) that managers need to make data-driven decisions. Empowering management and staff with the ability to create their own reports is one of the most valuable aspects of any reporting solution. Non-technical users encounter unanticipated questions almost every day and certainly every week. Pre-programmed reports created by a vendor will not answer those questions. If your reporting tools are too complex for management and staff; if technical help is required every time a basic report is needed—what is the cost then? Empower your management and staff. Free the data ... and then let your IT groups, power users and analysts concentrate on the “hard stuff.”
Breakout Sessions

Session Group C - 2:30—3:30 p.m. (continued)

10 General Interest 2:30 p.m.  Santa Rosa
Workflow Panel Discussion
Bill Pearce, Senior Consultant, Strata Information Group
Ward Maddux, Technical Consultant, SunGardHE
Present and discuss Workflow solutions that have been developed, including integration with Luminis via Workflow channels, and techniques presented at SunGardHE Summit.

16 MIS Reporting 2:30 p.m.  Sacramento
MIS Reporting: 2009 Changes
Mike Reid, Director, C3SC, SunGardHE Solution Center
TJ Baugus, Principal Functional Consultant, Banner Student, SunGardHE
Overview of the MIS Summer 2009 changes implemented in CALB releases 7.7 and 8.1 for reports SB, SV, SX, XB, XF, and XE. Setups for ethnicity reporting in new element SB29 (and CALBHR MIS EB report EB14). General CALB MIS Q&A as time permits.

18 Student 2:30 p.m.  Ballroom ABC
What's New in Banner 8 Student - Part A - Registration Enhancements
Brent Johnson, Senior Consultant, SunGardHE
Antonio Trepesowsky, Senior Consultant, SunGardHE
A review of what is new in Banner 8 Student. Significant enhancements were delivered in the Registration Module and include an automated waitlist prioritization and notification component when a seat becomes available. Additional functionality such as mass updates, reserved seating, error messages, etc. will be discussed as time permits.

Session Group D - 3:45—4:45 p.m.

2 Finance 3:45 p.m.  Ballroom D
Multi-Year Encumbrances
Jon Langlois, Senior Finance Functional Consultant, SunGardHE
Julie Monfette, Principal HR Consultant, HR and Finance Team Manager, SunGardHE
Currently, Banner Human Resources and Position Control support encumbering labor and fringe distributions for the current active fiscal year. This new encumbering functionality has been extended to cover multiple years, and in the process, provide a more effective method to track labor and fringe benefit encumbrances associated with grants and “grant-like” projects. We invite folks from HR and Finance for this brief overview of the new functionality.
Breakout Sessions

Session Group D - 3:45—4:45 p.m. (continued)

6 General Interest 3:45 p.m.  Ballroom E/F
Cost Savings by Implementing Imaging
Jaimie Chambron, General Manager, Systems Integration Consulting Services, SunGardHE

How successful has your school been in going green, saving money or becoming more efficient with document management on campus? Come to this session to learn about success stories of schools who have implemented the Banner Document Management Suite (formerly xTender) to reap tangible benefits for the institution, along with tips on how you can build a business case to show the value of implementing document management improvements via imaging and related technologies.

9 General Interest 3:45 p.m.  Santa Rosa
User Provisioning (Luminis, GMAIL, Workflow, AD, Email, etc.)
Bill Pearce, Senior Consultant, Strata Information Group
Eric Stricklen, Senior Programmer Analyst II, Chabot-Las Positas CCD
Robin Ying, Dean of Technology / CTO, Imperial Valley College
Omar Ramos, WebMaster, Imperial Valley College

Ventura CCCD has developed a process to assist in provisioning users, which includes creating Oracle user accounts, workflow roles and users, and email/gmail accounts for employees and students. It also notifies IT about new employees and organization changes, and notifies user departments of employee changes. Chabot-Las Positas will present their work on the integration of Luminis and GMail. Imperial Valley will present their work on a student portal using the open source LAMP Joomla platform.

12 HR/Payroll, MIS Reporting 3:45 p.m.  Sacramento
STRS / PERS Reporting Panel Discussion
Jan Wilder, Principal Consultant, SunGardHE
Kyle Judson, Senior Programmer Analyst I, Chabot - Las Positas CCD
Barbara Dedo, Senior Programmer, San Mateo CCCD

Join our Panel Discussion for current and future STRS/PERS reporting needs and issues, including a review of the latest Banner CALBHR release that includes the new STRS F496 reporting elements.

19 Student 3:45 p.m.  Ballroom ABC
What's New in Banner 8 Student - Part B - Non-Registration Enhancements
Brent Johnson, Senior Consultant, SunGardHE
Antonio Trepesowsky, Senior Consultant, SunGardHE

Continuation of the review of what is new in Banner 8 Student. Enhancements include athletic eligibility tracking, automated incomplete grade processing, online graduation application, and catalog extract and load for transfer articulation.
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