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Santa Ana College Hosts Student Leadership Institute April 8-9

WHAT:

Since 1999, the Student Leadership Institute (SLI), sponsored by Santa Ana College and California State University, Fullerton (CSUF), has brought together students and professionals for two days of training focused on honing leadership skills in a select group of 70 college students.

SLI is non-credit, certificate-bearing leadership program that consists of nine oneand two-hour workshops. Topics covered include: communications skills, the diverse community, effective leadership, public speaking, marketing your leadership abilities, time management, creating networks, ethical decision-making, and teamwork.

WHERE: Santa Ana College: R126 (Friday seminars) and R124 (Saturday seminars)

1530 W. 17th St., Santa Ana, CA 92706

WHEN: Friday, April 8 and Saturday, April 9

8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

WHO: 70 Santa Ana College students have been selected as participants.

Presenters include:

- Keynote Speakers Alicia Maciel, Director of Strategic Initiatives, THINK Together and Dr. America Bracho, President and CEO, Latino Health Access
- Roman Reyna, Santa Ana Unified School District Board Member, Time Management
- Frank Dominguez, Leadership Consultant and Trainer, Effective Leadership
- Tom Serafin, Santa Ana Police Department, Creating Networks
- Rancho Santiago Community College District (RSCCD) Chancellor Raúl Rodríguez, Ph.D., Closing Ceremony

WHY: The SLI helps students acquire solid leadership skills and benefit from experienced

professionals and community leaders who take the time to share their expertise and

real-world experiences.

HOW: For more information, contact Daniel Marquez at (714) 564-6214. An SLI Alumni

Advisory Board that includes Frank Luna, SLI Class of 2010; Berizohar Padilla, SLI Class of 2010; Oscar Pilotzi, SLI Class of 2010; Victoria Rivera, SLI Class of 2010, and Kaylee Tran, SLI Class of 2010; provides support and ideas to the institute.

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