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CTA Offers Conferences: CTA and MTA Offer Grants and Scholarships

The California Teachers Association (CTA) offers Statewide Conferences each year. Our local Association offers up to six scholarships for up to \$500 each to attend one of the CTA Conferences.

Information regarding each conference is on montebelloteachers.org. If you are a member of the Montebello Teachers Association and wish to apply for a scholarship email your intent to MTA@montebelloteachers.org. Include your name, site, and contact telephone number

no later than Friday, October 31.

The CTA Board of Directors will award Minority Incentive Grants for each conference in order to encourage new minority leadership and participation within the Association. CTA members are encouraged to apply for these grants. More information is available at CTA.org/conferences.

GLBT Conference - November 14-16 Marriott Mission Valley in San Diego

Issues Conference - January 16-18 Rio All-Suite Hotel in Las Vegas

Equity and Human Rights Conference - March 6-8 Hyatt Regency San Francisco Airport

Good Teaching Conference South - March 20-22 Sheraton Hotel & Marina in San Diego

Voter Registration Deadline Is Monday, October 20

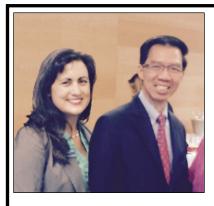
You can register to vote online at LA-Vote.net. You can also:

- View Your Sample Ballot
- Find Your polling place
- Download a map to the polls

You may apply to **Vote By Mail**October 6 through October 28 also by visiting **LAVote.net**.

The polls are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. **Tuesday, November 4.**

For more information on how to create your own Voter's Guide, see the reverse side of this *Contact* or go to www.cta.org/campaign.



President Lorraine Richards and Assembly Member Ed Chau (AD 49) celebrate the California Career Pathways Grant awarded to the District by Superintendent of Schools Tom Torlakson Friday, September 29 at the ATC.

In a first of its kind effort, the District, in partnership with East Los Angeles College, has been awarded a \$6 million grant in order to coordinate regional resources to develop Linked Learning pathways to college, universities, and high-skilled industries.



Our Bargaining Team Continues to Work Toward Settlement

The Bargaining Teams have been meeting since the beginning of June. Our team has offered a comprehensive Wage Proposal and thus far received no response from the District. The two teams have discussed both the Article XIV. Health and Welfare Benefits and Article XVI. Leave Policy. The teams met Monday, September 22 and are scheduled to meet again Wednesday, October 8.

Administrator to Notify if Employee
Is Not Selected for a Voluntary Transfer

In the event that a qualified Bargaining Unit member is not granted a voluntary transfer, the appropriate administrator is to notify the applicant in writing prior to interviewing other applicants. (Article XIII. Section D.1.d.4.)

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Just visit www.cta.yourvoterguide.com and type in your address.

With the click of a button your personalized voter guide will be created.

And you can learn more about CTA-recommended candidates and initiative positions at **www.cta.org/campaign**. This election, make sure you vote for friends of public education—like Tom Torlakson for Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Then make sure your friends and family know who shares your values about public education.

Working and voting together, we can make a difference in the lives of our students, the resources for our schools, and the strength of our communities.



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