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# WOW Case Study: How Technology Is Transforming Access and Completion

September 24, 2025

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#### Today's Agenda



- Introductions
- 2 Course Sharing Overview & the CVC Story
- **3** The Institutional Perspective
- 4 Delivering a Unified Student Experience
- **5** Getting Started Q&A



#### Meet Today's Presenters





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#### The Impact of Course Availability on the Learner Experience



#### Preliminary findings from an upcoming Instructure whitepaper:

85%
were impacted by course availability due to capacity or scheduling conflicts

53%
took courses at another institution to stay on track

72%
said limited course availability likely increased time and cost of degree

#### What Do We Mean By "Course Sharing"?



**Definition:** when two or more institutions collaborate to make their courses available to each other's students to count for credit at their home institution

Typical Enrollment	Course Sharing or Cross-Enrollment
Lengthy application	No additional application
Provisioning or "Studentization"	No additional logins, provisioning, emails, ids
Required counseling or orientation	No additional matriculation processes
Wait time/lag time	Instant enrollment into new course

#### Why Pursue Course Sharing?



#### **Benefit to Students**

- Access to a larger portfolio of (online) courses for enrollment
- Flexibility and student-centered approach
- More completions, more quickly
- Unified experience across enrollments

#### **Benefit to Institutions**

- More enrollments and fewer canceled classes
- More completions: colleges don't have to be "everything to everyone"
- Creation of fully online pathways/degrees/certificates
- Data and reporting for enrollment management





The Impact of Course Sharing With CVC

#### California Virtual Campus Quick History



2013: Online Education Initiative (OEI) established

2015: OEI provided colleges with ability to adopt common LMS under centralized

funding/contract

2016-2017: Creation of Online Student Success Ecosystem

2017: AB 637 authorized cross-enrollment in online education, under certain circumstances.

2018: Five-Year Grant to for California Virtual Campus

2020: Course Sharing via CVC Exchange begins in current iteration

2021: Will this thing ever work well?

2025: (Nearly) full system adoption

Vision 2030: Part of Systemwide Vision 2030: goal of 200,000 enrollments

#### California Community Colleges & California Virtual Campus



- 116 Community Colleges, 2.2 million students
- CVC Consortium
  - Opt in (114 colleges have opted in)
  - o Course Sharing (includes transcripts, financial aid, data sharing, etc.)
  - Support for Canvas and other Ed Technologies
  - Professional Development & Course Quality Support
  - Open Ed Resources
  - Thought Leadership

#### California Community Colleges Course Sharing Adoption



#### **Adoption Growth**

	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
Home Colleges	73	98	109	109
Teaching Colleges	16	39	69	78
Enrollments	1,523	6,586	17,156	33,263

#### **Quick Facts**

- More than 100,000 online course sections available this past year!
- 75%+ badged for course quality and/or
   Zero Textbook Cost

- Most cross-enrollments of any district:
  - 4,034 Rancho Santiago CC
  - 3,602 SOCCCD
- Most cross-enrollments from a college:
  - 3,460 Saddleback College





The Institutional Perspective - Saddleback College



# Preparation

Online course exchange benefits can outweigh any perceived or real costs, but preparation is key

- Personnel
- Implementation Team
- Training

#### The Institutional Perspective



## Preparation

#### **Personnel**

- I. Who are the key players?
  - a. Vocal Senate
  - b. Faculty Association
  - c. Politically connected

#### Implementation team

- 1. Online Ed- Coordinator/Dean
- 2. Financial Aid
- 3. Admissions and Records

**Training -** Does/can your College invest in the following training and professional development for faculty and staff:

- Peer Online Course Review- (POCR)
- 2. Zero Textbook Cost- (ZTC)
- 3. Americans with Disabilities Act- (ADA)
- 4. Online Tutoring

#### The Institutional Perspective



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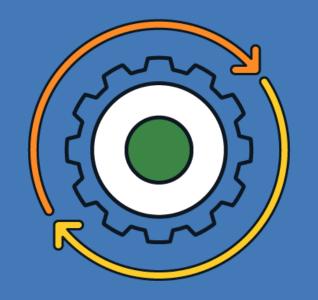
#### **Highest number of enrollments:**

- Ethnic Studies, 71
- 2. Critical Thinking and Writing, 29
- 3. Academic Reading and Writing, 24
- 4. Political Science, 24
- 5. Child Development (overall), 23

#### Most impactful enrollments:

- 1. Languages:
  - a. German 1, 5
  - b. Italian 1, 4
  - c. Spanish 1, 6
  - d. Chinese 1, 4
- 2. Sociology
  - a. Death and Dying, 6
  - b. Sociology 10, 5
- 3. Psychology
  - a. Biological psychology



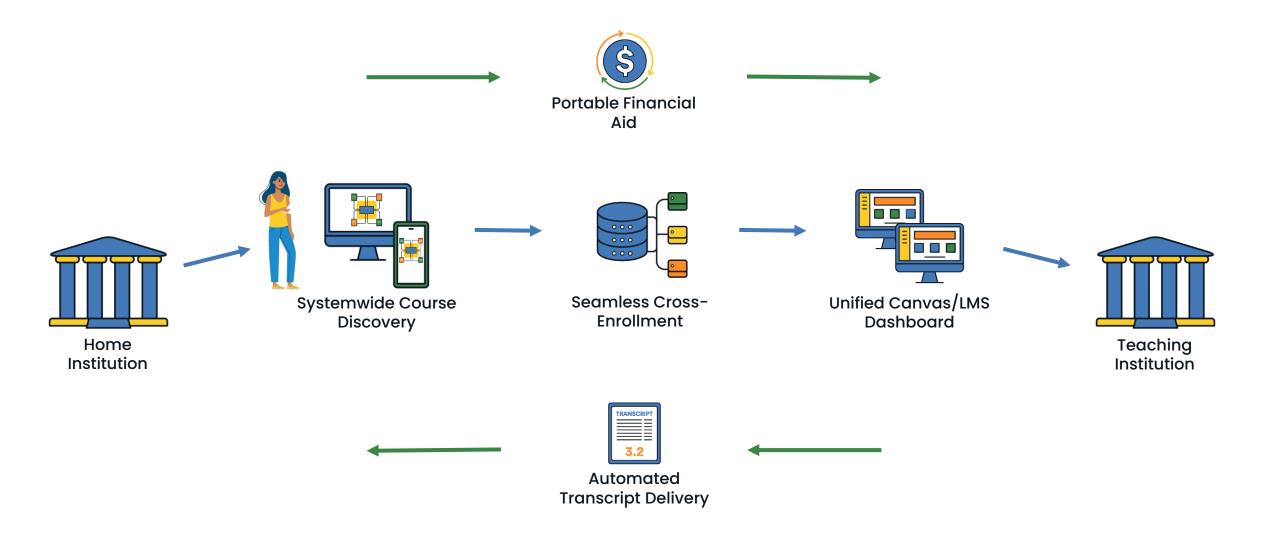




California Virtual Campus Leveraging Technology to Deliver a Unified Experience

## Delivering a Unified Experience Across CCCS-CVC





#### Course Sharing - Unified Course Discovery and Cross-Enrollment



## How It Works ·

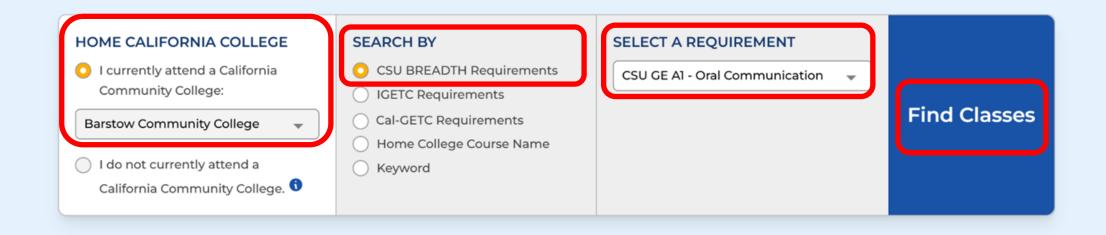
Search for online courses

offered at other California

Community Colleges when you can't find what you need at your own college.

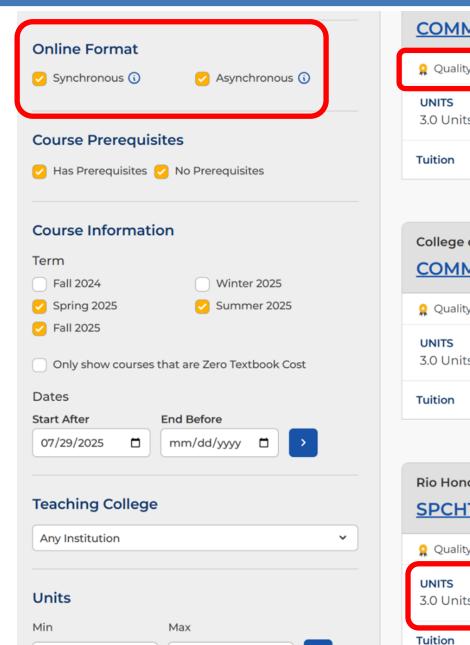
Add the class you're looking for without filling out a new application.

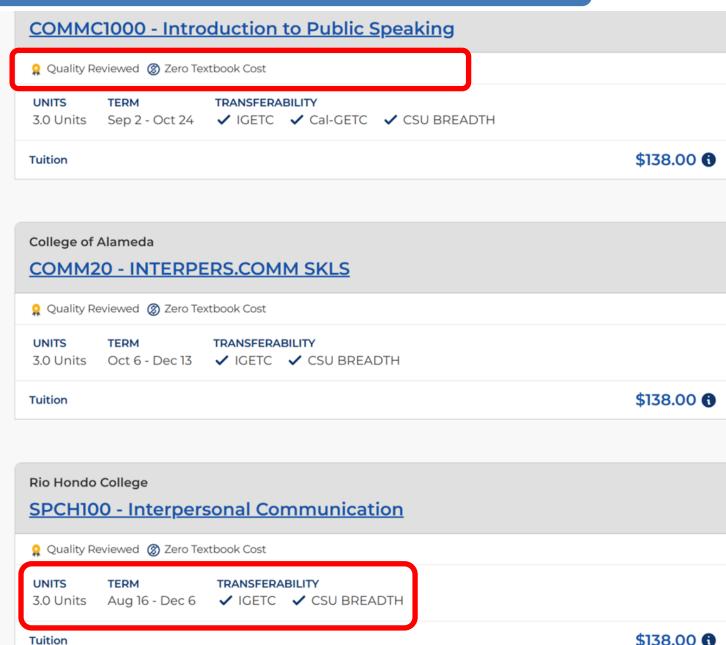
If eligible, your registration will be confirmed within minutes!



#### Unified Course Discovery and Cross-Enrollment - Search Results







#### Unified Course Discovery and Cross-Enrollment - Transfer Information



Santa Ana College



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#### CMST101 - Introduction to Interpersonal Communication

C-ID: COMM130 ()

#### **Course Description**

Introduction to communication theory, rhetoric, listening, perception, language usage, nonverbal communication, and conflict management. Students participate in oral and written exercises and simulations; these activities are designed to enhance communicative awareness and skills in interpersonal contexts. It is designed to assist students in improving their own interpersonal and oral communication skills. Prerequisites:

#### Transfer Information

CMST101 - Introduction to Interpersonal Communication from Santa Ana College.

- Counts For CSU GE A1 Oral Communication At Barstow Community College
- Equivalent To SPCH3 Interpersonal Communication At Barstow Community College (C-ID: COMM130)
- Equivalent To COMM3 Interpersonal Communications (Formerly SPCH 3) At Barstow Community College (C-ID: COMM130)

#### **TUITION & FEES**

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Tuition and mandatory fees only. Financial aid may apply. Please contact your local Financial Aid Office for details.

Transferable Credit

#### LOCATION

Online

#### UNITS

3.0 semester units

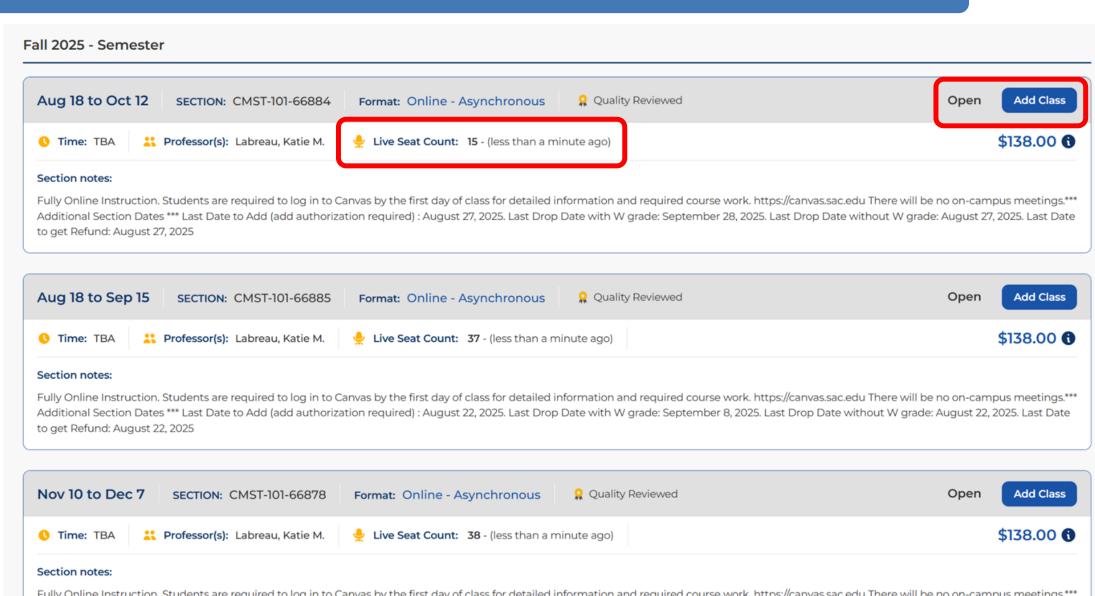
#### BADGES



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#### Unified Course Discovery and Cross-Enrollment - Section Selection





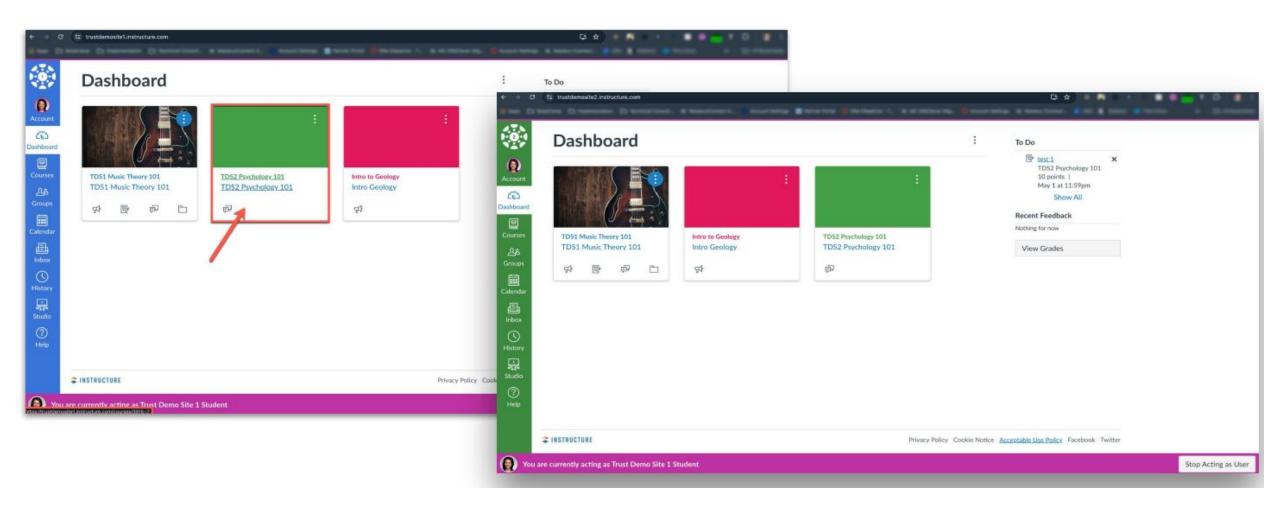
Fully Online Instruction. Students are required to log in to Canvas by the first day of class for detailed information and required course work. https://canvas.sac.edu There will be no on-campus meetings.\*\*\*

Additional Section Dates \*\*\* Last Date to Add (add authorization required): November 14, 2025. Last Drop Date with W grade: November 30, 2025. Last Drop Date without W grade: November 14, 2025.

Last Date to get Refund: November 14, 2025

### Unified Canvas / LMS Experience





## **Tips for Getting Started**



#### Taking Action: Tips and Insights From CCCS-CVC



- 1. Determine your North Star
- 2. Explore options to remove barriers for your students
- 3. Identify opportunities to combine low-enrollment programs
- 4. Support, improve, & grow digital learning catalog
- 5. Be proactive about academic planning/enrollment management
- 6. Use data and analytics to confront myths & fears
- 7. Engage with policymakers and share information

## Q&A



## A New Paradigm for Online Education



Traditional Model (Paternalistic)	Student-Centered Model (The Future)
Students start and stay 100% of their journey in the same institution	Students have a "home college," but their journey may take them to multiple locations
Colleges "own" student journeys – they're "our students"	Students own their own journeys and options are centered around their needs first
Colleges provide (and control) everything that students need in that time	Colleges do some things well and lean on partner colleges to fill in the gaps
Students accept what the colleges offer, the good and bad	Students have options for start dates, instructor choice, course quality, textbook costs and modalities

#### Thank You to Our Presenters!





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