## 2017 Educators Rising California Conferences

We are excited to announce that this year's conference season was a great success. With a total of over 700+ student attendees, and over 35 workshops offered. This year's conference data indicates that our conferences bring STEM knowledge, career inspiration and pathway information to attendees.

Each conference was a full-day interactive event for students who are interested in careers in education. The day included an opening Keynote or panel, breakout sessions, college fair and more!

Here are some conference highlights!

## San Diego Region Conference

With 250 students in attendance, the first San Diego Region Conference was held at San Diego State University in San Diego, California on February 3<sup>rd</sup>.

- Keynote Speaker: David J. Johnson
- Workshops included:
  - Benefits of Project Based Learning
  - Special Education: A Career Beyond Paperwork
  - Teacher Talk Teaching Panel
  - School Counseling-The Next Generation
  - Building Community: Beyond the Four Walls of Classrooms
- Colleges and Universities included:
  - University of California, San Diego
  - Azusa Pacific University
  - San Diego City College
  - National University
  - California State University, San Marcos and many more...



"The conference was very interesting and informative, as well as interactive. Overall, today was a great experience for me." -Student

Learn more about the San Diego conference here.

## **Central Region Conference**

With over 145 students from Clovis, Fresno, Madera and Sanger, unified school districts in attendance, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Central Region Conference was held at Clovis Community College in Clovis, California on March 24<sup>th</sup>.

- Opening Panel:
  - o Fresno State's "Every Day is STEMulationg when You're a Math Science Teacher!"
- Workshops titles included:
  - CCC Child Development Center Tours
  - o California Teaching Fellows

- Women in Mathematics
- o It's Not Magic, It's Science!
- Formative APPsessments and many more...
- College Fair included partnerships from:
  - CSU Bakersfield
  - Cal State Stanislaus
  - UC Merced
  - o Fresno State
  - National University and many more...



"It was helpful because it encouraged me to pursue a math major in education"-Student

Learn more about the Central Region conference here.

## **Southern Region Conference: Tomorrow's Teachers Conference**

With more than 315 students in attendance, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Tomorrow's Teachers Conference at Santiago Canyon Community College in Orange, California on April 21<sup>st</sup>.

- Keynote Speaker: *Aric Bostick*
- Workshops included:
  - o NASA in the Classroom: JPL's Education Resource
  - Using Technology to Engage Your Students
  - o S.T.E.M. Teaching
  - o Experience the Passion and Purpose of Special Education
  - Second Tenaissance-3D printing in the classroom

and many more...

- Colleges and Universities included:
  - Azusa Pacific University
  - o California State University, Fullerton
  - Grand Canyon University
  - University of LaVerne
  - Cal Baptist University and many more...



"I recommend this conference for every person that is interested in becoming a teacher!" -Student

Learn more about the Tomorrow's Teachers Conference here.