

Project Rebound at Fresno State

Who Are We?

Project Rebound is a program designed to help formerly incarcerated individuals successfully reintegrate into society via higher education. Our students are serious about higher learning and motivated to move their lives in this challenging new direction and our staff is ready to help them do so. If you are interested in furthering your education, we welcome you to apply for California State University, Fresno's Project Rebound.

Project Rebound was started at San Francisco State University in 1967 by the late Dr. John Irwin who was also a former parolee. He earned his Doctorate and taught at San Francisco State in the Department of Sociology. This wonderful program has enabled many current and former parolees to better their chances in a very competitive market. We are now providing this program in Fresno!

What do we offer?

Project Rebound prepares serious students for a University mindset. Project Rebound assists in helping fill out the many forms that are essential for enrollment. We also offer mentorship, academic advising, guidance in the everyday challenges of college, and a safe encouraging space to assist students. We are here to help you every step of the way to make the transitions from where you are at now to where you want to be as smooth and comfortable as possible.

Why do we do it?

We know that the load of forms, a new environment, and course work can be overwhelming and our goal is to walk you through these critical steps, familiarize you with campus resources, and provide an academic and personal support network to help you succeed. Our job is to encourage, mentor, and support you towards a successful graduation because we believe that you have a lot to offer.

How do I apply?

If you are ready for this next big step in your life, just give us a call, send a letter or email via the contacts listed below. We look forward to hearing from you!

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