

SESSION 4
1:10 p.m. - 1:50 p.m.



Girls Level Up!
*MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUNG LADIES

- 📍 Satellite Student Union
- 👤 Carmella Johnson, M.A., Carmella Johnson Consulting
- 👤 *Les Brown Unlimited Team

In this session, young ladies will be engaged to identify their unique gifts and qualities and discover the importance of mind-set that can propel them to ARISE to the greatness that that have within.

STUDENT ATHLETES: A CANDID DISCUSSION

- 📍 East Engineering 191
- 👤 Ronald Jenkins, Retired; Former Fresno State Football Player

In this session, hear facilitated discussion of student/athlete life of current Fresno State male and female athletes competing at the Division I level.

FOSTER YOUTH RESOURCES AND ADVOCACY

- 📍 Peters Building 131
- 👤 Adriana Vasquez, Academic Counselor for Fresno State Renaissance Scholars Program targeting Foster Youth

Current and Former foster youth (middle school, high school, and college age) can benefit from finding out what Renaissance Scholars has to offer you here at Fresno State

LOUIS STOKES ALLIANCE FOR MINORITY PARTICIPATION (CSU-LSAMP) PROGRAM

- 📍 Peters Building Room 32
- 👤 Lilia De La Cerda, Fresno State Health Careers and Occupational Program (HCOP) and LSAMP Director

Students and Parents can come learn about student support programs that target students interested in pursuing careers in medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, physician assistant, optometry, podiatry, public health, veterinary medicine, clinical lab science and other allied careers.

SMITTCAMP HONORS COLLEGE

- 📍 Peters Building Room 103
- 👤 Dr. Saeed Attar, Smittcamp Honor College Faculty Director

Learn about this prestigious scholarship for exceptional students coming out of high school. Come hear about the application process and other learning opportunities that comes along with this scholarship opportunity.

BOYS II MEN *MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUNG MEN

- 📍 McLane Hall 121
- 👤 Rodney Murphy, M.S.; Counselor/Coordinator and Professor of Counseling & Education at Fresno City College

In this session, attendees will be engaged about trends and challenges facing men of color, focusing on African American boys in education.

“I WANT TO SERVE!” FRESNO STATE ARMY RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING PROGRAM (ROTC) OVERVIEW

- 📍 Peters Building Room 13
- 👤 Felix Quintero, Scholarship and Enrollment Counselor Fresno State Army ROTC Program

Session Attendees can come listen to the Fresno State Army ROTC cadre present information on the program, educational scholarships, and career options as a potential Army cadet who wishes to become an Army Officer in the United States Army while pursuing a college degree!

SPOTLIGHT ON MAJORS: COMMUNICATION DISORDERS/SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETING (DEAF STUDIES)

- 📍 Peters Building 12
- 👤 Dr. Serena Johnson, Fresno State Sign Language Interpreting Professor

By the end of the session students will have more awareness of the role of a sign language interpreter, possible job opportunities, and what they need to do in order to become a sign language interpreter.

STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES: TRANSITIONS TO COLLEGE

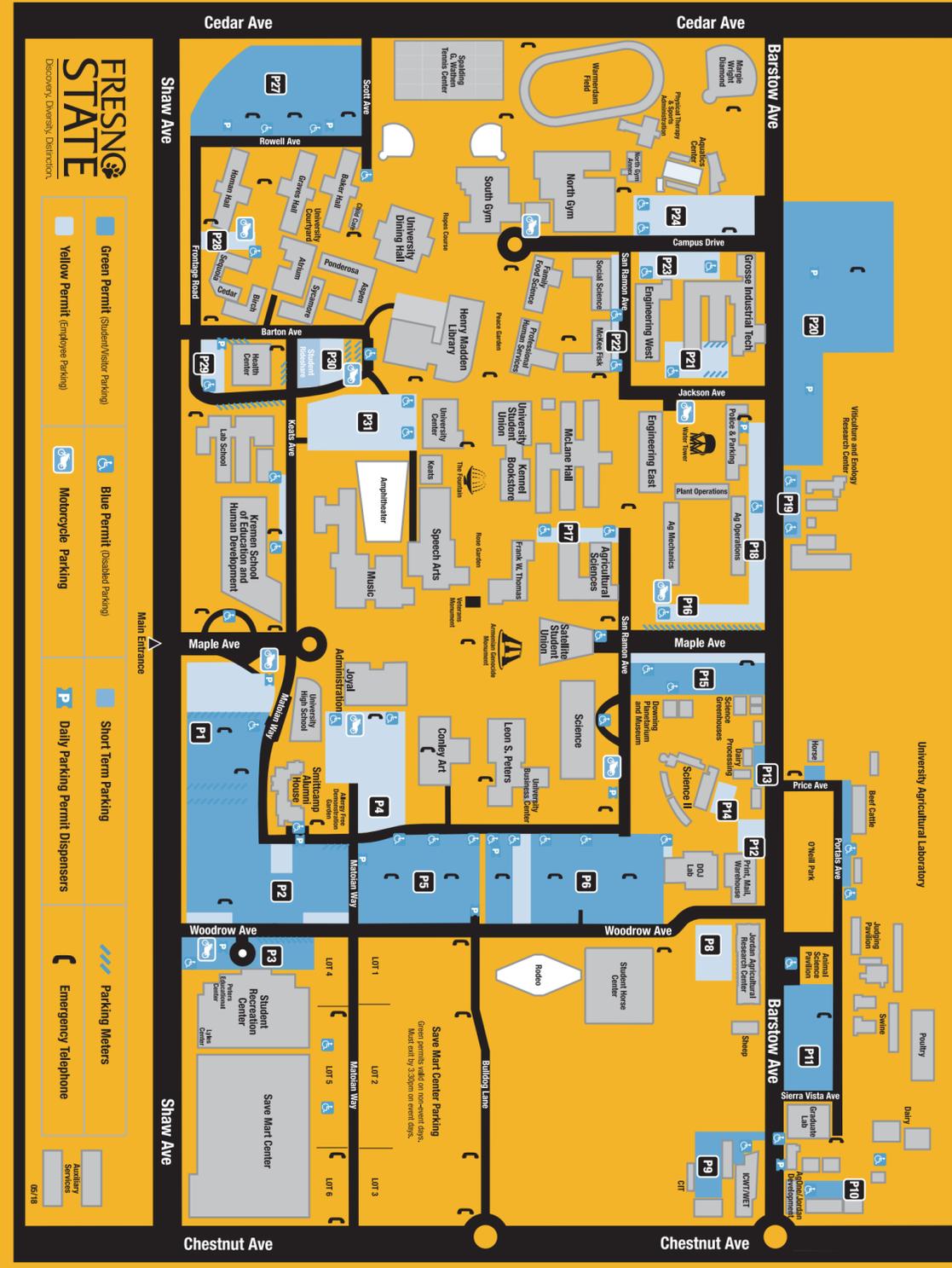
- 📍 Peters Building Room 33
- 👤 Troy Polnitz, M.S. Rehabilitation Counseling Fresno State Students with Disabilities Office

Students and parents can come learn about disability resources at the post-secondary level. Attendees will also leave with knowledge and awareness of disability issues and how to advocate for yourself leading up to college and beyond.

INTERESTED IN BEING A ENGINEERING MAJOR?

- 📍 Peters Building 11
- 👤 Hernan Maldonado, Fresno State Lyles College of Engineering

The session's intent is to expose African American students to the various types of engineering disciplines so that they can consider engineering as a career option.



FRESNO STATE

Fresno State African American College and Career Summit



Jeremiah 29:11 New International Version (NIV)
“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”



WELCOME

FROM WENDY NELSON
AFRICAN AMERICAN INITIATIVE COORDINATOR

On behalf of the faculty, staff, students, and black alumni of California State University, Fresno, welcome to our 2018 Fresno State Super Saturday African American College and Career Summit. We are pleased to have you join us on campus this Homecoming week-end and trust you will find the day to be informative, inspiring and fun!

If this is your first introduction to the CSU African American Initiative (AAI), I want to take this time to provide information about this faith based initiative that involves early outreach to the community via participating area African American churches, community centers, and non-profits organizations. AAI's mission is to conduct early outreach and Super Saturday is the kick-off of the year round engagement within the community to help promote access and exposure to the Fresno State campus. Super Saturday's intent is to increase the number of prospective African American students who apply to our campus and assist them as they pursue their degree objective.

During the course of your day, it is my hope that you take full advantage of both the on campus and off campus resources that have been asked to be here to provide you valuable information for you as a prospective student. You have the full attention of all the folks with the ASK ME t-shirts who are here to answer questions about our Fresno State campus, student services resources, and more. Please engage them as they will be engaging you!

Thank you for being part of this year's Super Saturday event. I look forward to meeting you in person and welcome you to our campus community. Sincerely,

Wendy Nelson, Coordinator/Summit Chair
Fresno State African American Initiative
Outreach and Special Programs

SPECIAL THANKS TO THE AAI SUPPORTERS WHO HELPED MAKE THIS SUMMIT POSSIBLE

President Joseph I. Castro and First Lady Mary Castro
Fresno County Office of Education
Division of Student Affairs and Enrollment Management
Fresno State Admissions and Recruitment Office
CSU Chancellors Office
AAI Campus Partners
AAI Collaborative Partners
Dean Delritta Hornbuckle of the Henry Madden Library
Black Faculty and Staff Association
Fresno State Black Alumni Association
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Black Students United
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Session Presenters
Student and Community Volunteers
DJ Kay Rich
Fresno State Super Sunday Church Partners
Bethesda Churches
E's Sol Food
Rita's Custard
Southern Belle Sweet Tea
Dance Empowerment
Revive Dance Company
Kenneth Paige

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AGENDA					
7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Check-In /Continental Breakfast Individuals, Schools, Community Groups	Satellite Student Union	12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	FRESNO STATE MONEY MANAGEMENT CENTER OPEN HOUSE	Thomas Administration Building Room 104
8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	SESSION 1 - GENERAL SESSION ■ Welcome and Introductions Wendy Nelson (Fresno State African American Initiative Coordinator) ■ President Joseph I. Castro ■ Dr. Frank Lamas, Vice President for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management		1:10 p.m. - 1:50 p.m.	SESSION 4 - SPECIALTY SESSIONS	
9:00 a.m. - 9:10 a.m.	Introduction to the African American Initiative			■ Girls Level UP! *middle school students recommended	■ Boys 2 Men! *middle school students recommended
9:10 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	FRESNO STATE STUDENT SERVICES AND AAI COMMUNITY PARTNERS FAIR			■ Student Athletes: A candid discussion	■ Spotlight on Major: Communication Disorders/Sign Language Interpreting (Deaf Studies)
9:10 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.	CAL STATE APPLY DROP-IN WORKSHOP CSU ELIGIBLE HS SENIORS AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE TRANSFER STUDENTS	Ag Science 101		■ Renaissance Scholars Program: Resources and services for current/former foster youth and unaccompanied homeless youth	■ ROTC Programs: "I want to serve and get my education at the same time"
10:10 a.m. - 10:20 a.m.	Passing Time	10:20 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	SESSION 2 - BREAKOUT SESSIONS	1:50 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	DISMISSAL / CAMPUS TOURS *UPON REQUEST
11:00 a.m. - 11:10 a.m.	Passing Time	11:10 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.	SESSION 3 - BREAKOUT SESSIONS	2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	FREE TIME (ON YOUR OWN) MOVE VEHICLES/BUSES FOR TAILGATE
11:50 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	LUNCH/ENTERTAINMENT *Food vendors available and Fresno State Food court open for lunch purchase	Satellite Student Union (Outside)		4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	SUPER SATURDAY TAILGATE *Optional
					Softball field Concourse

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MIDDLE SCHOOL TRACK

HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES CONNECT

Peters Building Room 12
Dr. Gloria Ponce-Rodriguez, Fresno Unified School District College and Career Readiness Manager II, Former Associate Director of Admissions at Norfolk State University & Board member, Trainer and Consultant for the Black College EXPO

This session will provide a rich history and contributions of HBCU's and will provide the student and parent information on the different types of academic programs, scholarship options, transfer agreements, and more!

INTRODUCTION TO THE CSU EARLY START PROGRAM

McLane Hall 121
Ricardo Andrade, Fresno State Early Start Program

This session will provide high school juniors and seniors information on how Fresno State plans to process the Early Start requirements for Fall 2019 admitted students. Students can also learn about general CSU readiness procedures.

INTERESTED IN A TEACHING CAREER?

Peters Building Room 13
Carlanda Williams and Traci Taylor, Fresno Unified School District Teacher Development

The presentation is to inform High School Students, College Transfers and the community about the supports that are offered through Fresno Unified and provide an opportunity to recruit candidates into the appropriate pipeline pathway.

A-G AND ME!

Peters Building 11
Clarke-Lauren Richard, M.S., Transfer Counselor at Fresno City College

Getting on the "Good Foot" with my academic plan. Educating OUR youth about the importance of their education and the process. In this session students will begin to understand the WHY about understanding A-G requirements, campus resources and more!

FIRST IN MY FAMILY

Engineering East Room 191
Brittany Alicia Watters, M.S., Program Manager for the Office of African American Acceleration with Fresno Unified School District

An upfront and personal account of what it is like to be the first in your family to navigate getting into college and the challenges before, during, and after the degree objective.

HIGH SCHOOL TRACK AND COLLEGE TRACK

*Middle School students are welcome to attend

PARENT WORKSHOPS

THE CAMPUS CAREER CENTER: AN UNDERRATED OPPORTUNITY

Conley Art 101
Stephen Davis, Fresno State Employee Relations Specialist

The purpose of this session is to get students to see the value of career centers and why they should take advantage of this free service while in college.

CA COMMUNITY COLLEGE ASSOCIATE DEGREE FOR TRANSFER (ADT)

Science 145
Angelita Zaragoza, Fresno City College Transfer Counselor

This session will cover the transfer route through the Community College. Topics include: Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADT), Traditional Transfer, and programs designed to help transfer students.

AN ACADEMIC PLAN FOR THE BLACK FAMILY

University Student Union Room 308
Pastor Tobaise Brookins, Vice-Principal of Fort Miller Middle School/Sr. Pastor of Bethesda Churches and the CHAMPION Center

Overview of the current state assessment scores of African American students and strategies developed by the community to help close the achievement gap between AA students and other groups.

HOW TO BE THE BEST PARENT ADVOCATE FOR MY STUDENT

University Student Union 309
Sonja Wilson-Lawrence, M.S./PPS, Counselor at Clovis High School, Parent Advocate

The goal of this session is to empower and help parents understand that they are the most important part of the educational puzzle. Learn strategies for how to advocate for your student at home as well as how to navigate the educational system.

CAL STATE APPLY APPLICATION WORKSHOP

Agriculture Science Room 101
Paige Getty, Recruitment Counselor, Fresno State Admissions and Recruitment Office

Location
Presenter(s)