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**TO:** California Community Colleges/Districts  
California Community Colleges Professional Organizations/Associations

**FROM:** Theresa Tena, Vice Chancellor  
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**SUBJECT:** Applications for Leadership Development Funding

The 2015-16 state budget provided funds for system-wide leadership development to community college personnel. In April of 2016, IEPI convened California Community Colleges representatives and professional leadership development providers from across the state to identify system wide leadership development needs. One outcome was the need for coordinated leadership development that brings faculty, classified and administration leadership together. As a result, IEPI is pleased to announce the availability of funding for coordinated leadership development. Funding is available for California community colleges/districts to provide leadership development to their individual leadership teams and for California Community Colleges professional organizations and associations that currently offer leadership development to build upon, enhance and/or create new programs that cross silos.

Attached are applications for funding, as well as the scoring rubric. Interested applicants should review all materials and submit applications by September 30, 2016. We are excited to see the types of applications we will receive!

Please contact Jeff Spano at (916) 327-7252 if you have any questions.

THANK YOU!