Improving Online CTE Pathways
Grant Webinar

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Agenda & Reminders

- *Introductions*
- *Overview of Grant*
- *Q&A Session*

NOTE: This webinar will be recorded and posted to the Improving Online CTE Pathways website.

If you have a question, please type it into the chat.

Augmentation Grant

- The Budget Act of 2018 (SB840) and trailer bill (SB843) allocated $35M in one-time funds

- Three-Year Spending Period (July 2018 – June 2021)
  - *One-Year College/District Spending Period (July 2019 – June 2020)*

- Funding to support existing California Community Colleges in accelerating innovative online learning opportunities leading to increased employ-ability and upward mobility for working Californians.

Augmentation Grant Goals

Award grants to help colleges and/or districts complete short-term projects that align with one or both of the two goals described in the budget language.

- Develop online programs and courses that lead to to short-term, industry-valued credentials

    or

- Enable a student in a pathway developed by the California Online Community College to continue his or her education in a career pathway offered by an existing community college.

Augmentation Grant Focus Areas

- Three primary focus areas (or tracks):

  1. Improve access to quality online CTE-oriented programs or credentials

  2. Filling gaps in online or potentially online programs that meet workforce demands

  3. Enhancing support structures for students, faculty and colleges in taking/delivering these programs

- Project Name: *Improving Online CTE Pathways*

Two-Phased Grant Approach

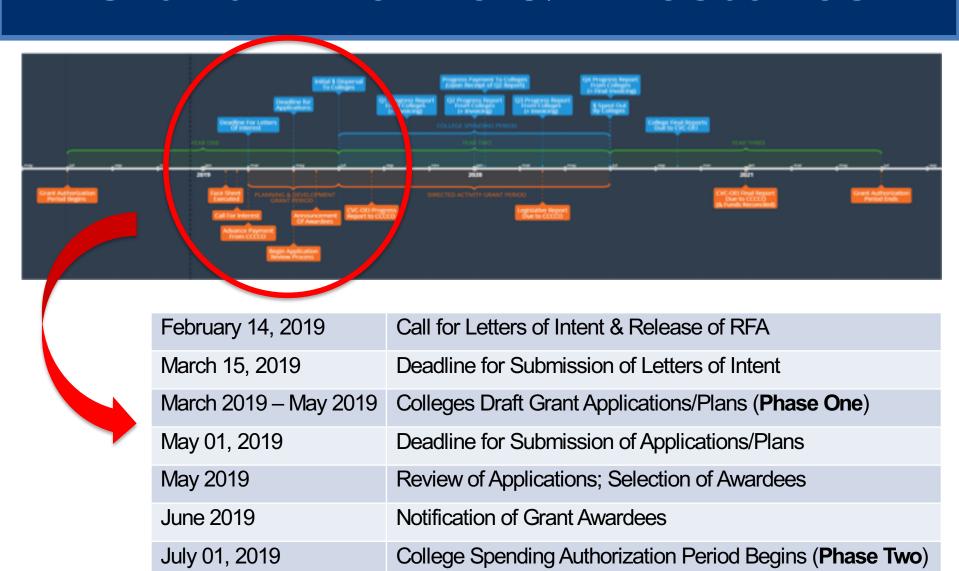- Phase One: Grant Planning & Development
  - College and/or districts form local planning teams
  - Includes up to $15,000 cost reimbursement
  - Planning Period: Feb 14, 2019 – May 01, 2019

  (May commence upon acceptance of Letter of Interest, due no later than Mar 15)

- Phase Two: Grant Implementation
  - Grant Awards *(based on local college plans submitted)*
  - Awards up to $500,000 *(depending on quantity / quality)*
  - Review & Notification Period: May 01, 2019 – May 31, 2019
  - Awardee Authorization Period: Jul 01, 2019 – Jun 30, 2020

Grant Timeline & Milestones

February 14, 2019	Call for Letters of Intent & Release of RFA
March 15, 2019	Deadline for Submission of Letters of Intent
March 2019 – May 2019	Colleges Draft Grant Applications/Plans (**Phase One**)
May 01, 2019	Deadline for Submission of Applications/Plans
May 2019	Review of Applications; Selection of Awardees
June 2019	Notification of Grant Awardees
July 01, 2019	College Spending Authorization Period Begins (**Phase Two**)

Grant Website

https://cvc.edu/pathwaysgrant/

Additional Guidance & Information

- Expenditure Guidelines

    Please Check https://cvc.edu/pathwaysgrant/updates-faqs/

- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

    Please Check https://cvc.edu/pathwaysgrant/updates-faqs/

- Fillable PDF Letter of Intent

    Please Check: https://cvc.edu/pathwaysgrant/letter-of-intent/

Upcoming Events

- Grant Office Hours

    Drop In – Ask a Question!

    Thursday, March 07, 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
    Monday, March 11, 03:00 PM - 04:00 PM

    Please Check
    https://cvc.edu/pathwaysgrant/upcoming-events-2/

- RFA & Technical Webinars

    Coming Soon!

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Questions? Concerns?

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