



MEMORANDUM

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TO: Chief Executive Officers
Chief Instructional Officers
Chief Student Service Officers
Curriculum Chairs
Academic Senate Presidents

FROM: Dr. Aisha N. Lowe, Executive Vice Chancellor
Office of Equitable Student Learning, Experience, and Impact

RE: Baccalaureate Degree Program (BDP) Application Open

The Chancellor's Office is pleased to announce that we are now accepting baccalaureate degree applications to be reviewed in the fall of 2023. All California community colleges interested in submitting a BDP may apply through this [link to the Baccalaureate Degree Program Application – Cycle 3](#). These fall 2023 applications are due September 5, 2023. It is strongly recommended that colleges print a pdf of the application with all instructions and review before submission. A pdf of the full application can be found on the [Baccalaureate Degree webpage](#).

The Chancellor's Office is committed to providing additional guidance to support districts and colleges in their ongoing efforts to introduce new baccalaureate degree programs. Weekly office hours with a BDP Specialist have been scheduled on Tuesdays, from 2:00-3:00 p.m. via this [zoom link](#). For additional updates on BDP implementation, please see [memorandum ESS 22-300-13](#) disseminated August 5, 2022.

Please direct questions regarding this memorandum or the application process to BDP@cccco.edu.

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