

# Program Proposal

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# **Imperial County**

- Incarcerated Population:
  - Imperial County Jail 480 +/-
  - Calipatria State Prison 3,623 +/-
  - Centinela State Prison 3,044 +/-
- Annual Cost: \$60,000/prison inmate
- Average Education: 10<sup>th</sup> grade



# **Education Options for Incarcerated Students**

- Correspondence Courses
  - Palo Verde Community College
  - Coastline Community College
- Online and videoconferencing
- Inside/Out Programs





### **INSIDE/OUT PROGRAM**

Social Change through Transformative Education

The Inside-Out Program creates avenues for social change through education and civic engagement. By generating opportunities for incarcerated and college students to come together and learn in the same classroom, Inside-Out opens the door for people to gain an education that emphasizes collaborative learning and problem-solving.





# **Legislative Action**

#### AB109/AB117

- 2011 Public Safety Realignment
- Reduce overcrowding, costs, and recidivism

#### AB86

- Adult Education initiative
- To better serve the educational needs of adults

#### AB1271

- Introduced by Assemblyman Bonta
- Would allow community colleges to offer educational courses at state prisons

### **IVC Mission Statement**

The mission of Imperial Valley College is to foster excellence in education that challenges students of every background to develop their intellect, character, and abilities; to assist students in achieving their educational and career goals; and to be responsive to the greater community.



### **IVC Core Values**

#### The Core Values of IVC are:

All people should have the opportunity to reach their full educational potential

An educated citizenry is the basis for democracy

A college should **embrace diversity** in all its forms

A college should strive for innovation and creativity

All people have the right to access quality higher education

All people should have access to lifelong learning

Source: IVC Educational Master Plan for 2013-14



- One college course Fall and Spring.
  - Fall 2014: ADS 178 Life Skills (1 Unit)
  - Spring 2015: TBD
    - ADS 101 Alcoholism: Intervention, Treatment, and Recovery (3 units)
    - AJ 100 Intro to Administration of Justice (3 units)
    - Other
- Discussion
  - Require traditional course on campus



#### Location

- Imperial County Day Reporting Center (DRC)
  - MOU with County Probation Department
  - MOU with ICSO

#### Discussion

- DRC Classrooms & Cost(?)
- Days/Times and Hours (1- vs. 3-hour classes)
- Student Access
  - Outside student clearance requirements



### Inside Student Registration Issues

- Gaylla at DRC
- BOG Fee Waiver
- Financial Aid (must have HS Diploma/GED)
- Textbooks

### Outside Student Registration Issues

- Registration Pop-up Box
- Blackboard Site / Webpage
- Discussion



### IVC Open Access Issues

- Cap 35 (Life Skills Course)
- ½ inside, ½ outside
- Registration blocks

#### Discussion

- Method to insure mix of students
- Inside/Outside Recruitment
- Cap limit of 30 students



### Faculty Training

- The Inside-Out Center
- May 18-24 (Sunday to Saturday) Michigan
- Jun 16-22 (Monday to Sunday) Oregon
- June 30-July 6 (Monday to Sunday) Philadelphia
- NOTE: IVC Priority Registration starts July 7, 2014
- Discussion



### **Next Steps**

- IVC approval for Pilot Program 2014-15
- Course placement on Fall Schedule
- Program Development with PLO's and Evaluation Plan
- MOU's between IVC/County
- Student Recruitment Inside/Out
- Faculty Training
- Inside/Out Task Force?



### **Inside/Out Program Coordinator**

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