



# Semillas de Crecimiento: Student HSI Leadership, Advocacy, and Activism

## Inaugural Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) Summit

An event for Ventura College & Ventura College East Campus Students

Friday, September 22, 2023

8:30 AM-12:00 PM

Applied Science Center



Sponsored by Project Servingness: Aspiration, Identity, and Learning (S:AIL) in STEM and Associated Students VC (ASVC)

Students are invited to be at the center of Ventura College’s HSI identity, leading a holistic, collaborative, and strategic approach to our campus wide effort to become an intentional HSI. This inaugural event will develop and empower students to feel a sense of ownership in curating VC’s HSI identity and initiatives and will increase their knowledge of servingness. As central members of the VC community, students will contribute to the development of VC’s capacity to better serve its students, particularly those from Latine/a/o and historically marginalized backgrounds.



### Keynote: Monique Limón, Senator, 19th District

Senator Limón has worked continuously to serve her community as an educator, leader, and an advocate for causes advancing the quality of life in her community. For Senator Limón, education and women’s issues has always been a priority. A graduate of UC Berkeley and Columbia University, the Senator served 6 years on the Santa Barbara Unified School Board and as Assistant Director for the McNair Scholars Program at UCSB prior to serving in the California State Legislature.



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Pre-registered participants will receive breakfast, lunch, HSI swag, and copies of [Gina A. Garcia Ph.D.'s, Becoming HSIs: Opportunities for Colleges and Universities and/or Transforming HSIs for Equity and Justice at check-in!](#)

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