

Presidents Update #8

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Transition Fair a Success

Imperial Valley College hosted its annual Transition Fair on February 17 in the lobby of the 2700 building (the “science building”) on the IVC main campus. IVC joined the Imperial County SELPA and the San Diego Regional Center to provide opportunities for students with special needs and their families to obtain information about adult programs . Thank you to all who helped coordinate this very successful event.

<http://www.ivpressonline.com/news/ivp-news-hundreds-of-students-attended-transition-fair-20120218,0,6176341.story>

Sundance

Nearly 100 people attended a film workshop at the Sundance Institute which focused on different perspectives on nonfiction filmmaking. The workshop and the Imperial County Film Commission's screening of a film titled "Reportero" will serve as a prelude to an even larger event, Film Forward, in May. That event will feature Sundance documentaries and local filmmakers. The Valley Film Commission, in partnership with Film Forward, is the primary sponsor, with assistance from the Imperial County Film Commission assisting in the sponsorship.

<http://www.ivpressonline.com/2012/05/01/workshop-draws-local-attention>

Around Campus

1. FIRST STEP: February 23rd through April 17th will mark the initial outreach efforts of the college's early access program, 1ST STEP, with the offering of Assessment/Placement testing to all local high school seniors.
2. CAL GRANTS: