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### California Community Colleges Chancellor Brice W. Harris and San Francisco Mayor Edwin M. Lee to Hold Media Call on the Status of City College of San Francisco's Accreditation

- ❖ **Who/What:** California Community Colleges Chancellor [Brice W. Harris](#), San Francisco Mayor [Edwin M. Lee](#) and Dr. Thelma Scott-Skillman, interim chancellor of City College of San Francisco, will hold a teleconference this afternoon to discuss the expected announcement of a decision by the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC) on the accreditation status of City College.
- ❖ **When/Where:** **Wednesday, July 3, 2013 at 3 p.m.**
  - Teleconference call for credentialed media only
  - Phone: (888)-329-8893 Passcode: 9070789
  - Event Title: City College of San Francisco Accreditation

**Reporters are asked to RSVP for media teleconference to [communications@cccco.edu](mailto:communications@cccco.edu)**

- ❖ **Why:** City College of San Francisco is the state's largest community college, serving more than 85,000 students. The [Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges](#) is expected today to update City College on its accreditation status. In July 2012, City College was placed on the most severe sanction and ordered to "show cause" as to why it should not lose its accreditation, citing a range of fiscal, management and other concerns.

*The [California Community Colleges](#) is the largest system of higher education in the nation. It is composed of 72 districts and 112 colleges serving 2.4 million students per year. Community colleges supply workforce training, basic skills courses in English and math, and prepare students for transfer to four-year colleges and universities. The Chancellor's Office provides leadership, advocacy and support under the direction of the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges.*

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