



Dear CAPPS Members and Sector Friends,

It is time to renew your CAPPS Membership and keep our Association strong and, in the fight, to protect and nurture our Sector of Higher Education in California.

2025 turned out to be as impactful as we thought it would be when we asked for your support last year. We have seen Trump 2.0 and the US Department of Education bring changes to our federal laws and regulations. California State regulatory and legislative actions have our threat vectors on high alert and ready to respond rapidly. State Agencies, such as the Department of Financial Protection and Innovation (DFPI), are seeking to impose burdens and costs on us that are legally questionable. The resolution of many of these issues will play out in 2026. That is why we need your support more than ever!

2026 will be a year of contrasts. Our sector will continue to be the focus of increased media and political scrutiny as more people choose to pursue career training in our sector. This is welcome news, not only good for our members but also for our State. At the same time, our traditional foes are always seeking ways to create roadblocks and challenges to us because they do not like our sector's success.

As an Association, we understand the issues and ensure your interests are represented at every stage. Please do not delay and renew your membership as soon as possible. Make sure you get your early renewal discount when you do renew.

2026 will be a memorable year, and we hope you will join us as we rise up to meet the challenges.

Sincerely,
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