



AGENDA

Oversight Hearing of the

**Assembly Committee on Higher Education
Assembly Member José Medina, Chair**

Preparing Teachers for the K-12 Ethnic Studies Requirement

Wednesday, 11 May 2022

1:30 PM

State Capitol, Room 447

I. Opening Remarks 1:30 pm – 1:40pm

- Chairs José Medina
- Committee Members

II. Current Ethnic Studies Teacher Workforce 1:45 pm –2:15 pm

- California Department of Education – Dr. Mike Torres, Director of the Curriculum Frameworks and Instructional Resources Division.
- Commission on Teacher Credentialing – Erin Skubal, Director of the Certification Division.
- Commission on Teacher Credentialing – David DeGuire, Director of the Professional Services Division.

III. Programs Currently Available to Help Prepare the K-12 Workforce 2:20 pm –3:00 pm

- California State University – Dr. Ernest Black, the Systemwide Director for CalState TEACH.
- University of California – Claudia Martinez, Executive Director of Educator Programs at University of California Office of the President.
- Association of Independent California Colleges and Universities – Dr. Jerrell Hill, Dean of the School of Education at Pacific Oaks College.

IV. Faculty Perspective on Preparing the Future Ethnic Studies Teacher Workforce 3:05 pm – 3:45 pm

- University of California – Dr. Louie Rodríguez, Interim Dean for the School of Education at UC Riverside.
- California State University, Sacramento – Dr. Margarita Berta-Ávila, Professor of Education at CSU, Sacramento.
- California State University, Northridge – Dr. Theresa Montañó, Professor in Chicana/Chicano Studies Program at CSU Northridge and a member leader of the CSU Ethnic Studies Council.

V. Public Comment 3:50 pm – 4:20 pm

VI. Closing Remarks 4:25 pm – 4:45 pm