



Prepárate™:

Educating Latinos for the Future of America

A Dream Deferred™

The Future of African American Education

Online College Planning Resources: A Systemic Approach to Engage Students and Families

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College Board Online Tools and Resources

The College Board and The Education Conservancy teamed up to create better online resources to guide all students to college.

As part of its commitment to improving college access and success, the College Board offers a comprehensive set of online college planning tools and resources - to guide all students to college

- These are **free** resources-
- which incorporate insight and input from **counselors, educators, students and families**,
- they empower all students to aspire to college, explore who they are, and find and succeed in a **college that fits** them,
- and have a special focus on the needs of **underserved students**



- Inspiration
- Simple guidance
- Practical Support
- Great Place to Start
- Simple, short college plan



- Step-by-step guide to college
- Comprehensive guidance
- Many ways to get started
- Many ways to search for college
- Customizable college plans



**The College Board Educational
Opportunity Center (EOC)**

Gisela Ariza
Educational Counselor,
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The College Board's Education Opportunity Center

In 1975, the College Board Educational Opportunity Center (EOC) launches as the first of two federally funded programs providing direct support for students in Washington, D.C.

EOC is a free program committed to providing young adult and adult District of Columbia residents with quality information, guidance, and counseling.

The mission is to encourage and connect individuals who want to begin or continue a program of postsecondary education and to help them reach their education and career goals.



THE EDUCATION CONSERVANCY

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The Education Conservancy

Mission Statement

The Education Conservancy helps students, colleges and high schools overcome commercial interference in college admissions. By affirming educational values, EC works to reestablish educational authority, equity and access as college admission precepts.

It unites educational principles with admission practices. It returns control of college admissions to those who are directly involved in education: students, colleges, parents and high schools. It calms the frenzy and hype that plague contemporary college admissions.



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Kappa Alpha Psi

Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity Inc. is a college fraternity, now comprised of functioning Undergraduate and Alumni Chapters on major campuses and in cities throughout the country.

The Kappa Alpha Psi Foundation exists as the philanthropic arm of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Incorporated. The Fraternity was founded in 1911 with the motto of "Achievement In Every Field Of Human Endeavor."

The Foundation was established in 1981 as a non-profit, tax exempt, publicly supported organization. Its purpose is to assist the community service efforts of the more than 600 active undergraduate and alumni chapters of Kappa Alpha Psi. The Foundation currently supports scholarships, after-school programs and national projects such as Habitat for Humanity.



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