



Teachers, Administrators and  
Community Leaders Invited

## Civic Education Dialogue

Smittcamp Alumni House, Fresno State  
Thursday, April 12, 5pm – 8:30pm



Students must engage in inquiry-based learning, organized around questions of significance, developing their own interpretations, which are informed by relevant evidence... The development of a knowledgeable and engaged citizenry is the goal.  
*California History–Social Science Framework (Adopted in 2016)*

**Welcome:** Superintendent of Schools Jim Yovino

### The Civic Mission of Schools

Keynote: Dr. Michelle Herczog, HSS Consultant, LA County Office of Ed.

### Dinner

#### Panel: Local Civic Education Innovations

Teachers from CART, Baird MS, Sutter MS and Quail Lake Charter  
Table Dialogues: What classroom changes would improve civic education?

### Dessert

#### Panel: Civic Education Policy and Community Partnerships

CART CEO, FUSD H/SS Coordinator, FowlerUSD Superintendent & Dr. Herczog  
Table Dialogues: How can the community support enhanced civic education?

### Challenges and Opportunities: John Minkler

**Cost:** \$25

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*“The California Democracy School Project is designed to prepare ALL students for college, career, and citizenship in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. The project strengthens the existing initiatives including CCSS, C3 Framework for Social Sciences, Partnership for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning & the new California H/SS Framework.”* Dr. Michelle Herczog

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