

## Resource Center for Community Engaged Scholarship



### What is ReCCES?

A resource center which helps community members connect with UC Merced students, faculty, and staff to work together toward common research goals. The goal is to increase the effectiveness of higher education and address important community concerns.

### How can I benefit?

- Improve your skills in research and grantwriting through university partnerships
- Grow your network with faculty, students, and community decision makers through “mutually beneficial” research projects facilitating relationship building
- Support your organization’s mission and goals with evidenced based research
- Learn how to promote the value of research within your organization
- Possess evidence suggesting the effectiveness and efficiency of your organization’s programs and services allowing increased opportunities for funding

### What resources are provided?

- One-on-one or group consultation for your interests and ideas
- Matchmaking with faculty, community members, and students to support your interests
- Access to advisors, training/reference materials, assistance with grant and publication preparation
- Opportunities for social and professional networking events

### CONTACT FOR MORE INFO

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### What is CES?

**Community Engaged Scholarship is an approach to education, research, and service that supports rigorous academic goals and produces community benefit.**