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### COLLEGE FAIR BRINGS SCHOOLS AND SCHOLARSHIPS TO FUSD STUDENTS

FONTANA, CA – On October 7, the John D. Piazza Center was filled with proud families and friends, as students from FUSD high schools were recognized for receiving acceptance and scholarships to Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU), such as Howard, Paine, Benedict, Alabama State, Grambling State and Virginia State Universities.

For the past two years, Rialto and Fontana Unified School Districts have collaborated to hold the UCAN Go to College Fair. This year, it was Fontana's turn to host and the event was held at A.B. Miller High School, where students were able to learn about and apply to dozens of HBCUs. Each high school bused 200 students to the event, with outstanding results: 322 FUSD students received on the spot admissions and \$3,604,450 in scholarships.

"The UCAN Go to College Fair was a great opportunity for our students," said Superintendent Dr. Leslie Boozer. "It gave our students exposure to some excellent colleges and universities from all over the country."

Board President Barbara Chavez agrees. "It's so exciting to realize that in the span of just one day, 322 Fontana students have secured scholarships and, as a result, will be going to college next year."

Scholarship recipients were invited to the FUSD Board of Education Meeting on October 7 to be recognized for their accomplishments.

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