

Re: Data Inquiry on Published Research: College Promise for All

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Mon 1/29/2024 3:58 PM  
To:Andrew Martin <amartin462@ucmerced.edu>

Thanks for reaching out Andrew. It has been a while since we wrote that. My former grad student led that effort and he graduated. If I remember correctly all data came from CCC Data mart system. I suggest you start there and then you can reach out again if you need additional help.

Take care,

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On Jan 29, 2024, at 3:55 PM, Andrew Martin <amartin462@ucmerced.edu> wrote:

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Hello Dr. Rios-Aguilar,

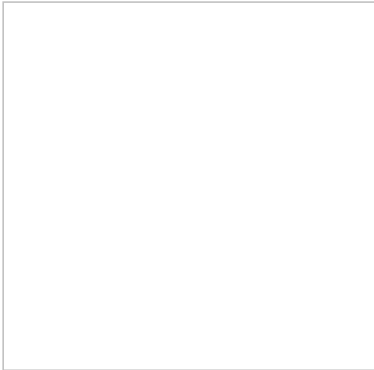
My name is Andrew Martin and I am a sociology graduate student with UC Merced. I am making data inquiries into research that examines the California College Promise Program.

I am beginning my statistical review of data sources to explore trends and patterns in California higher education regarding first generation students and the California College Promise Program.

I have reviewed some of your work and was curious if there is source data and analysis code that are publicly available?

The specific article, and associated data I'm inquiring about is

- [The California College Promise Program: A Promise to What, for Whom, and Where?](#)
- Data: Information provided by colleges on how they spent the funds, allowing for policy evaluation studies (you make reference to this at the end of the article and I was curious if this was something that is publicly accessible and if so where.
- Data: I also found the following comment on the data you used for the work
  - o "data was obtained through the CCC Data Mart system, which shows awarded financial aid to students from various sources, including California College Promise Grants (e.g., former BOG Fee Waivers); other grants (e.g., Cal Grant B); loans; work study; and scholarships. Financial aid from AB 19 funds is reported under broad categories of "California College Promise Grant" programs or "Other grant" sources" (p. 11)



### PACE - The California College Promise

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Thanks for any clarification you can provide and your time,

Andrew Martin