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# Preconference: In N' Out Reaching OUT to the community from withIN our student body

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## Agenda

- 1. Definitions of community engagement
- 2. How to measure up: community needs & academic libraries
- 3. Library resources to support community engagement
- 4. Big idea to workable concept

## Outcomes

Identify opportunities for librarians to provide direct and indirect support to local communities;

Compare and contrast the different resources that support local communities; and

Demonstrate the usefulness of resources such as census data, geographic information systems (GIS), and subscription-based databases to local communities.

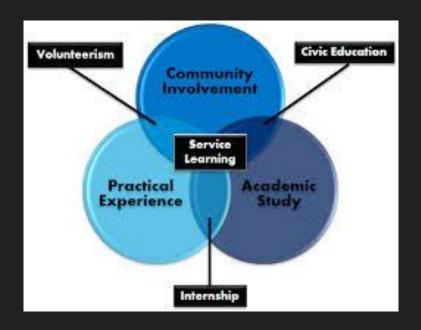
Definitions of Community Engagement

## Service Learning

Service learning defined

Differentiated from other forms of experiential learning

Endgame for student, university and community



## Service Learning

Accounting class, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance

Bill is at SDSU Library.

Bill had his taxes prepared for free.

Bill is smart.

Be like Bill.

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance

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## Internships

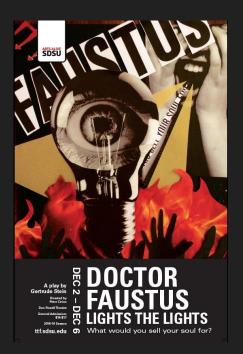
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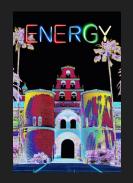
One Book, One San Diego



Common Experience: Energy, Movement









Community Engaged Course Required as part of GE

**Community Based Social Marketing** 

#### MKT 3950 - Community Based Social Marketing

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Prerequisite: Completion of GE blocks A and B4, an additional course from block B, and at least one course each from blocks C and D. Applies the marketing process to building, and developing community based programs in the surrounding Cal State LA community. Considers the role of local business, non-profits and government utilization of marketing to engage and shape community behaviors for collective good.

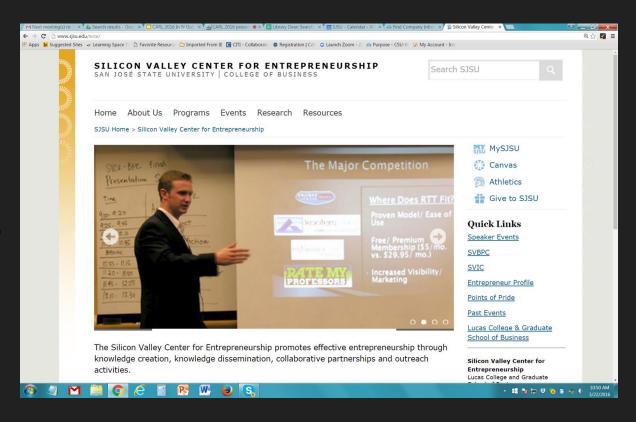
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Engaged University: Campus-wide Business Plan

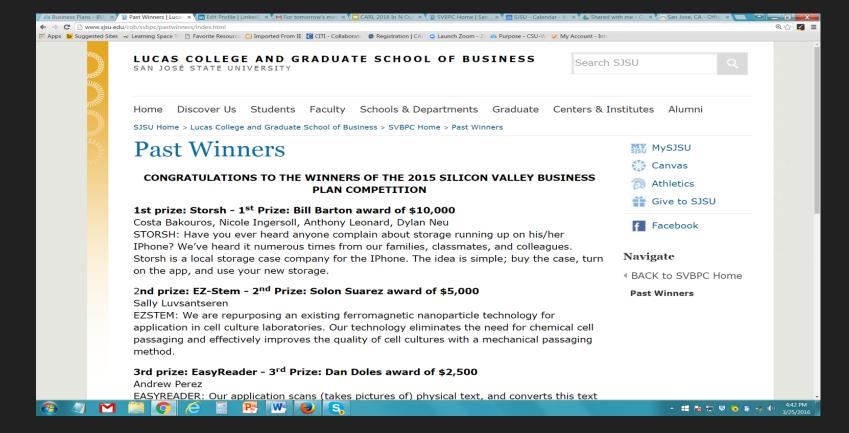
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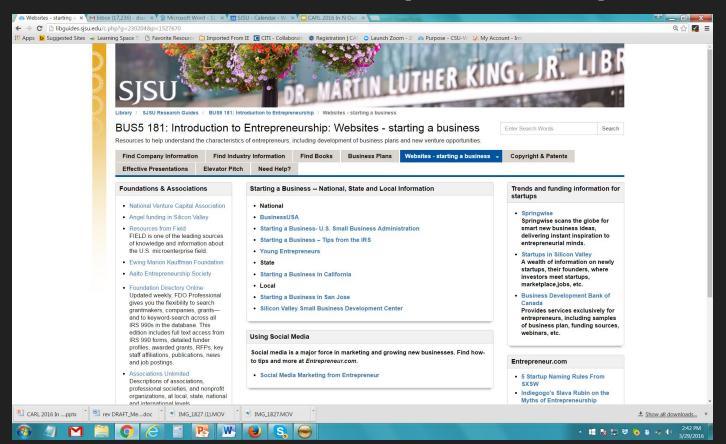
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Past winners: http://www.sjsu.edu/cob/svbpc/pastwinners/index.html

LibGuide for "Introduction to Entrepreneurship" at SJSU <a href="http://libguides.sjsu.edu/entrepreneurship">http://libguides.sjsu.edu/entrepreneurship</a>

## LibGuide for Entrepreneurship



Cal Poly Pomona
Marketing and
Agribusiness
classes working with
community business
partners



Cal State San Marcos
College of Business
Senior Experience

Real World
Consulting Projects



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Community Engagement

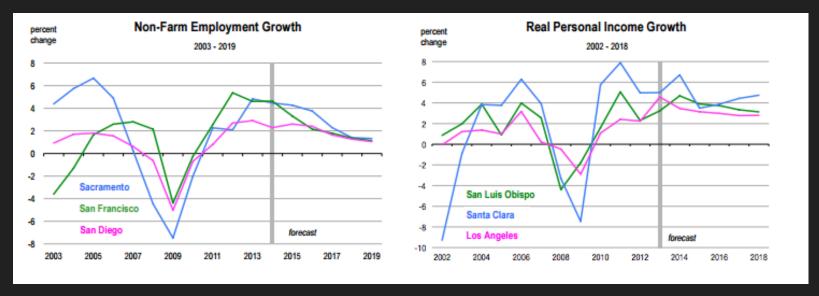


## 5 MINUTE BREAK



# How to Measure Up: Community Needs & Academic Libraries

CA county level economic forecast



## Small Business Centers and Academic Library Engagement

#### **BENEFITS**

Research assistance
Training
Access to databases
Classroom space

#### **CHALLENGES**

Parking
License restrictions
Time of Academic Librarian
Presentation skills
Unmet expectations for summary
and analysis
Lack of time and interest of
business to research

L. Feldmann (2015). Small business development centers and libraries: a survey. RSR 43(3) 369-378

## Collaboration Opportunities In N' Out

- 1. Build awareness, informal collaboration and referral include public libraries
- 2. Workshops -- Careful planning and joint presentations
- 3. Location -- Not on college campuses
- Develop referral and interest of business to community engaged courses and programs

## Survey of Business & Community Needs

Business age, revenue

Professional service needs --

Participation in networking groups

Financial

Competitor data

Industry and market trends

Customer data

What can't you find

Where do you look for info?

Legal

Tax / Accounting

Human Resources

## Your Turn: Case Studies of Community Engagement

Marketing project for San Diego County Casino

Sales for Social Impact

Marketing plan and advertising budget branching into home improvement market

Community based social marketing GE class analyze local community

#### Your Turn!

## Case studies of community engagement

1. What questions would you ask in this scenario to get more information?

2. What are some reference sources that would be useful in this scenario?

3. What special considerations do we as librarians have when working with real world scenarios like this?

## 5 MINUTE BREAK



Library Resources to Support

**Community Engagement** 

## Library Databases and Free Websites You Can Use

Google is a marketing tool

Search marketing impacts researcher experience



## Library Databases and Free Websites You Can Use

Free and fee-based mapping, demographic and lifestyles tools

Google Maps

Esri

ArcGIS (free public account)

**Community Analyst** 

SimplyMap

Business data sets

## Library Databases and Free Websites You Can Use

Small Business Administration: www.sba.gov

Silicon Valley Angel Investors: https://angel.co/silicon-valley/investors

National Venture Capital Association: nvca.org

<u>Chamber of Commerce</u> - find your local Chamber

Office of Economic Development:

https://www.sanjoseca.gov/index.aspx?NID=194

Silicon Valley Angels, American Association of Venture Capitalist, Chamber of Commerce, Business

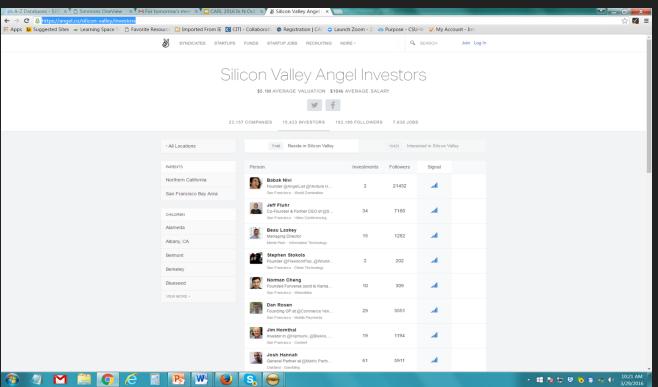
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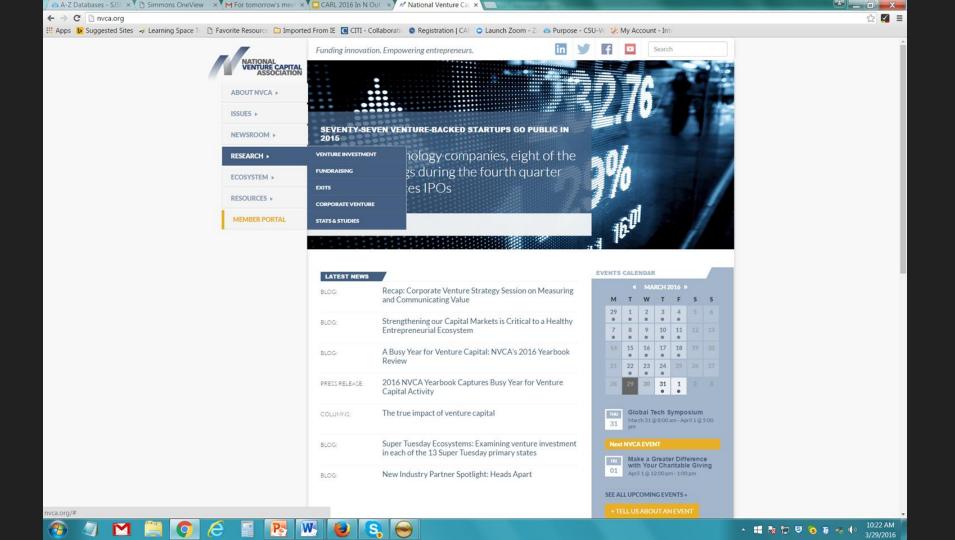
## **Small Business Administration: www.sba.gov**

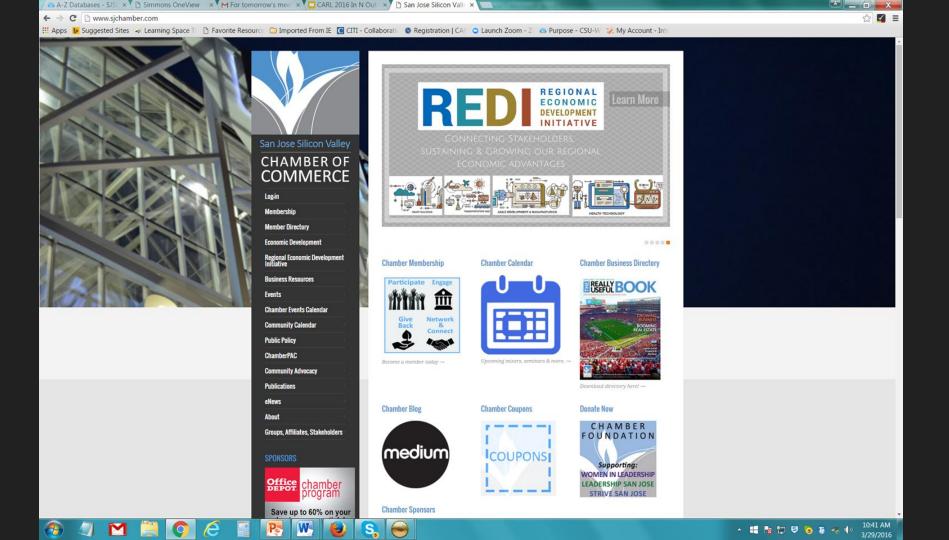
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## Silicon Valley Angel Investors: https://angel.co/silicon-

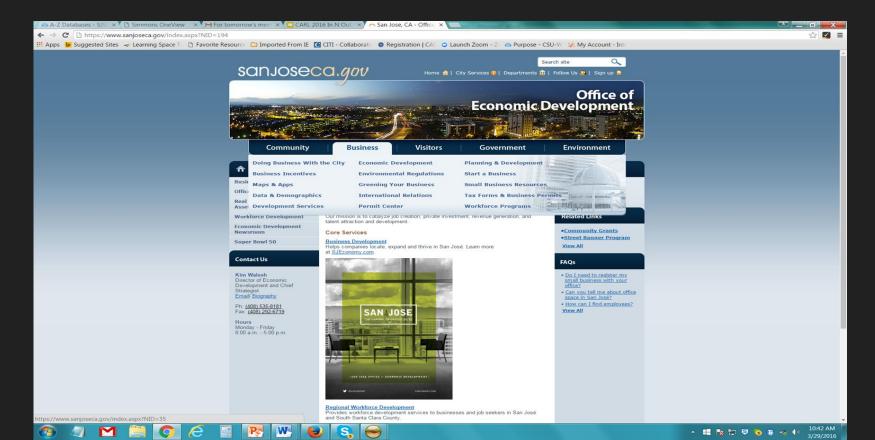
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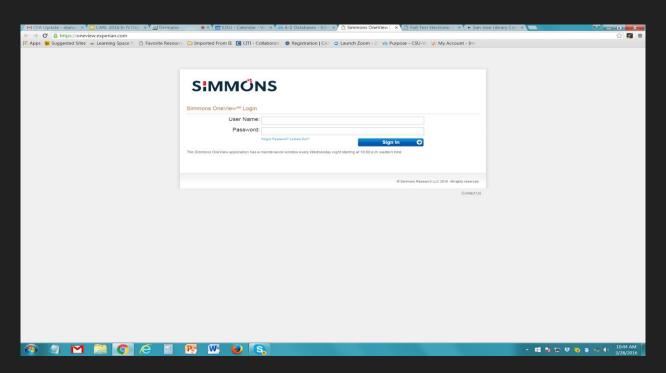
## Office of Economic Development, City of San Jose



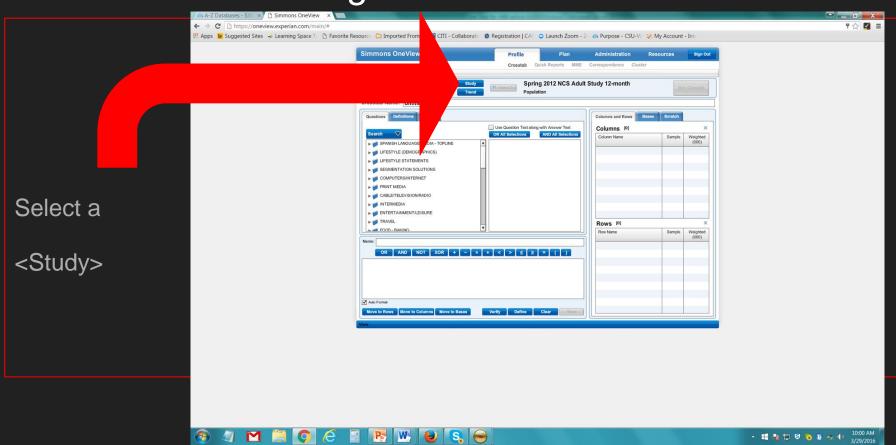
# Library Database Licensing Restrictions



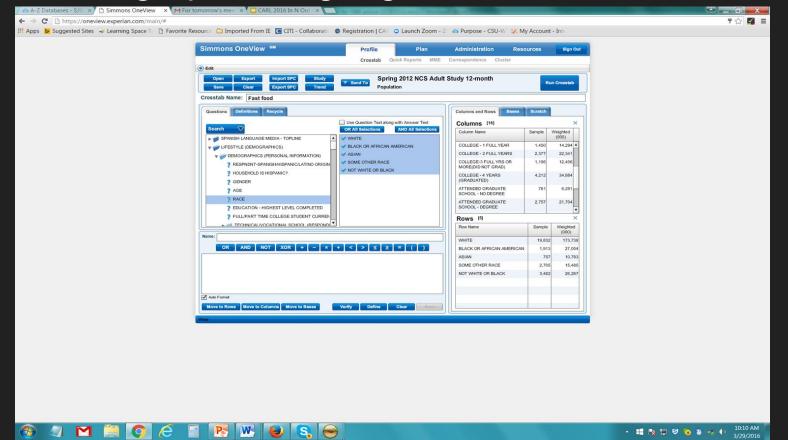
## Simmon's One View



## Searching Simmon's OneView



## Choose demographics: age, gender, education, etc.



## Challenges

Keeping up with new trends in local industry

Entrepreneurship a growing trend

Cross discipline projects

Varied emphasis on business information literacy across campuses (AACSB accreditation does not include information literacy)

## Your Turn!

What library resources do you use for community engagement?

What works well?

What challenges do you have?

Recommendations to meet challenges?

## Big Idea to Workable Concept

Rubric for engaging a community

Marketing problem more than a librarian or researcher one

Community engagement must put community first

PESTLE provides a roadmap



## Your Turn

Please evaluate this session!

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