

TVHOC Receives Lawrence Livermore National Security 2013 Community Gift Program Award *November 4, 2013*

On Monday, November 4th 2013, CCCF's David Muellenhoff was delighted to accept the Lawrence Livermore National Security 2013 Community Gift Program Award on behalf of Tri-Valley Housing Opportunity Center (TVHOC), for which he is the Vice-Chair. Mr. Muellenhoff is pictured above with TVHOC Executive Director Annika Olson and Acting President of Lawrence Livermore National Security Bret E. Knapp.



The LLNS Community Gift Program awarded a total of \$100,000 in grant funds to local organizations that make positive contributions to the Tri Valley and San Joaquin County communities. TVHOC was one of only 24 applicants selected to receive funds, and was chosen for its work teaming with CCCF and other established community partners to provide financial literacy education to at-risk young adults in the Tri-Valley.

TVHOC and CCCF currently provide a series of free College Planning Meetings for first-generation and low income Latino College students, providing professional-level college counseling at no cost, as well as education on relevant topics in financial education, including budgeting for college, post-college financial preparation, applying to college, setting and achieving educational goals, and much more. Dr. Dominguez stays after each class for free one-on-one counseling with any of the students, and all classes and counseling are completely free of charge to the general public.