American Graduation Initiative: 5 million additional community college graduates by 2020

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American Graduation Initiative

• A $12 billion program for:
  – Community College Challenge Fund
  – College Access and Completion Fund
  – Facilities Construction/Renovation
  – National Online Skills Laboratory
Key Points of the Legislation

• Competitive grants for innovation and reform
• Expected partnerships with business and workforce development systems
• Improve remedial and adult education
• Offer students comprehensive, personalized services to plan their careers
Initiative Will Also Fund

• A new research center to:
  – develop and implement new community college success measures
  – publicize the results of the measures
Current Status of Legislation

• Legislation is approved by the House and awaits Senate action