

## S 4247

### University Centers for Growth, Development, and Prosperity Act of 2022

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Commerce

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remarks on measure: CR S2588) (May 18, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/4247>

#### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Padilla, Alex [D-CA]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** Senate

#### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		May 18, 2022
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		May 18, 2022

#### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Environment and Public Works Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 18, 2022

#### Subjects & Policy Tags

##### Policy Area:

Commerce

#### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 7572	Related bill	Apr 27, 2022: Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings, and Emergency Management.

#### Summary (as of May 18, 2022)

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This bill requires the Economic Development Administration (EDA) to establish in each state a university center at an institution of higher education that must, to the extent possible, collaborate with economic development districts, provide technical assistance and business development services to area businesses, and conduct research and analysis relating to economic development. In selecting such centers, the EDA must prioritize Historically Black Colleges and Universities, Tribal Colleges and Universities, Hispanic-Serving Institutions, and other minority-serving institutions.

## **Actions Timeline**

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