****California Council of the Blind

2021 Virtual Conference **&** Convention

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**“BUILDING OUR FUTURE,**

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April 5 - 21, 2021

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