



CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGES

BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMS

Steering Committee Meeting Agenda

October 20, 2021

10:00a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Roll Call: ASCCC, CCCCCO, Antelope Valley, Bakersfield, Cypress, Feather River, Foothill, MiraCosta, Modesto, San Diego Mesa, Santa Ana, Santa Monica, Shasta, Skyline, West Los Angeles

Absent: CCCCIO, CCCEO, Rio Hondo, Solano,

1. Review of minutes: September

Holly Jagielinski, San Diego Mesa College, move to approve the minutes

Anthony Cordova, Bakersfield College, seconded the motion.

2. ASCCC Update (Cheryl Aschenbach)

Cheryl Aschenbach shared ASCCC is excited about the passing of AB 927. "Resolution 9.02 F21 Update Baccalaureate Degree Handbook" will be on the agenda for approval at the ASCCC Fall Plenary.

3. CEO Update (Jim Limbaugh)

No report

4. CCCCCO Update (Njeri Griffin/Candice Brooks)

Njeri Griffin reported the following on behalf of Dr. Candice Brook, the new dean overseeing BDP:

- Kevin Lovelace is no longer with CCCCCO;
- Dr. Brooks met with the BDP Committee and Dr. Bridget Herrin to review the BDP research plan. She will review the documentation and make a decision; and
- A follow up meeting will be scheduled to discuss recommendations and the implementation plan for BDPs.

5. CCCCIO Update (Billie Jo Rice)

No report

6. Legislative Update (Tina Recalde)

Tina Recalde shared the news that AB 927 passed. The BDP steering committee met with Dr. Brooks and had a conversation about what is going on with the research project and plans for implementation of new BDPs. Dr. Brooks is getting up to speed; she is ensuring data collection is accurate as we move forward. The discussion continued regarding updating the BDP handbook; the application process; timeline for the first call for applications, and issues regarding the lower division GE pattern.

Russell Reid, Feather River College shared his thoughts regarding the task ahead to implement 30 new BDPs statewide per year. He expressed concerns that this is falling on the shoulders of one person and requested additional assistance. Njeri shared the CCCCCO is in the process of hiring another person. Russell also requested the CCCCCO vision regarding baccalaureate degrees.

It was noted further clarification is needed regarding labor market information, workforce development boards, if additional funds will be provided, resource requirements, curriculum development, approval processes, and available library resources.

7. CCCCCO Funds Update (Mike Slavich)

No Report

8. Building the Pipeline (Estella Narrie)

Estella Narrie reported other campuses have reached out to her. Discussion continued regarding upper division general education requirements. The handbook states 6 units, but ACCJC documentation requires 9 units of upper division general education.

9. BDP Research Update (Hai Hoang)—Entry Survey

Hai Hoang shared highlight of his conversation with Dr. Brooks including: the background of the research he has guided, key players, development of surveys; and ideas for next steps to sustain the research

Hai also reviewed progress on the exit survey: he has been collecting data for 5 months. He recommends ending the data collection and moving forward with the evaluation plan that was approved. collecting data; may need to end the collection; evaluation plan that was approved;

Hai presented 2 options for the Entry Survey:

- Option 1: Wait for further direction and from the CCCCCO to begin collecting data; and
- Option 2: Send out the survey now for students who entered a BDP program.

The type of data that will be collected includes: student characteristics; employment information; and whether students anticipate challenges finishing program within 2 years. Once the data is collected it will need to be analyzed.

Bonnie Hunt, Modesto Junior College, moved to start the process to collect data

Rocio Heasley, Antelope Valley College, seconded the motion.

The motion passed to begin data collection now. Hai will update the CCCCCO and send out the surveys before the end of the week.

10. Other

Future meetings: Third Wednesday at 10:00 am

November 17, 2021

December 15, 2021

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