



CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGES

BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMS

Steering Committee Meeting Notes

March 16, 2022

10:15 a.m.-11:15 a.m.

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

1. Review of minutes: February

Anthony Cordova, Bakersfield College, moved to approve the motion
Beatrice, Skyline College seconded the motion

2. ASCCC Update (Cheryl Aschenbach)

Cheryl Aschenbach shared highlights from the ASCCC legislative visit. A total of six teams canvassed the capital all virtually meeting with a number of legislators and their staff really talking about three primary things:

- Encouraging them to continue to support resource requests that are geared towards an equitable access.
- technology, not just for students, especially for students, but also for faculty and staff and ensuring that we have we're possible that we have system support so that we can all have access to the same technologies, especially as we finish with some of the pandemics; and
- Promoted the work being done with open education resources initiative (OERI) grants. The grant team has done an incredible job pulling folks together across disciplines to develop and identify areas where there's need for more resources.

[Click](#) to access OERI documents, some of the subjects I think are related to our baccalaureate programs and so they'll continue doing that work.

Cheryl also shared the Senate has its plenary coming up April 7-9. The topic is strengthening teaching leading and learning through racial justice and academic freedom. They recognize the need to continue our work around racial justice and also recognize that there are ongoing threats probably more so nationally, but, including California to academic freedom and so will, this will be our central discussions during our three day conference.

3. CCBA Conference Reports

Jim DeKloe (Solano College) shared he and Mike Fino (MiraCosta College) gave a presentation on biomanufacturing completing the pathway from high school through graduate school, Ph.D. There were 18 participants. Additionally MiraCosta gave a student success completion presentation; student speaker Esther Nair won 5 scholarships. Bonnie Hunt (Modesto Junior College) said it was great presentation. The MiraCosta student shared the importance of the programs, she just bought a house and how the program helped another student who was homeless and had substance abuse, the program turn her life around.

Arizona new legislation for degree

Carmen Dones (West LA), was invited to participate on an advisory board promising practices from the current programs in place, surveys, Debra Bragg,

Dr. Francisco C. Rodriguez, Chancellor, Los Angeles Community College District, was one of the keynote speakers. He discussed the importance and success of the California Community College's baccalaureate degrees including their ability to increase access to bachelor's degrees among California's students.

4. CCCCCO Update (Candice Brooks/Sean Madden)

a. Welcome Sean Madden

Sean Madden instructional design and delivery team, first day was March 1, will support transfer and articulation and the BDP

Kimberly Cortijo is still out of the office; Leslie LeBlanc may be sending emails

Candice Brooks shared the CCCCCO has finalized the BDP workgroup charter:

update the PCAH, update the BDP handbook, vet a new funding model, and review programs

She invited three members from the BDP to serve on the workgroup charter; membership needs to be confirmed by the end of March.

BOG is March 21, agenda item 5.3 Proposed revisions to BDP approval

Present a new standing order, board president authorization to approve

<https://go.boarddocs.com/ca/cccchan/Board.nsf/goto?open&id=CAJPSC65E5BA>

[https://go.boarddocs.com/ca/cccchan/Board.nsf/files/CBYTR4788FB1/\\$file/proposed-so-re-bdp-delegation-\(notice-version-2-14-2022\)-a11y.pdf](https://go.boarddocs.com/ca/cccchan/Board.nsf/files/CBYTR4788FB1/$file/proposed-so-re-bdp-delegation-(notice-version-2-14-2022)-a11y.pdf)

<https://www.newamerica.org/center-education-labor/events/community-college-bachelors-degrees-cultivating-career-opportunities-with-local-roots/>

A question was asked regarding ACCJC preapproval per Ed Code 78042, shall seek approval; Candice said she is meeting with De Anza to discuss the current process.

Candice reported the Intersegmental consultation process is underway, all segments send CCCCCO issues before April 5, will convene meetings April 5-May 17,

May 31 is the decision day for approved programs

There is a webinar at the end of February by New America, CCB programs in a variety of other states, evaluation and assessment, structure, etc.

Programs being considered

- Baccalaureate of Science Degree Program in Respiratory Care
- Bachelor of Science in Ecosystem Restoration and Applied Fire
- Bachelor of Science in Automotive Technology Management
- Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Care
- Baccalaureate Degree Program in Research Laboratory Technology
- Bachelor of Science Degree in Respiratory Therapy
- Bachelor of Science in Histotechnology Program
- Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Care
- Bachelor of Science in Cyber Defense and Analysis
- Bachelor of Science in Biomanufacturing Degree Program

5. CCCCIO Update (Billie Jo Rice)

No report

6. Articulation Update (Estella Narrie)

The AOs a few weeks ago and discussed the development of a CCC lower division general education pattern. They will look a little closer to IGETC, once fully implemented will CCC baccalaureate

CSU and UC have a philosophy, what will our philosophy be

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe_COtV9mcEbZdRtD24oNLMIWPFUd3kUQRjJUpCrOFjGsrGmg/viewform

Cheryl shared 928 pathways under development, had a subcommittee meeting, they have a draft, will be able to share what it will look like;

Helpful to have a resolution in spring plenary; Elizabeth agreed, will probably get ASCCC support

Discussion continued regarding general education and ACCJC requirements

7. BDP Research Update (Hai Hoang)

Employment Survey sent out last week; Hai is still having some issues with emails

8. Baccalaureate Degree Handbook Update (Cheryl Aschenbach/Candice Brooks)

February 11 submissions; summary report and additional comments received

9. Baccalaureate Degree Expansion (Application Dates and Ground Rules to Invite Others)

Vote next meeting to add Tim McGrath as the CEO representative. Tim provided leadership and support during the development of the BDP programs.

10. Latin Honors

Shelly will send out an email survey to determine if colleges are doing it and if they have regalia or distinction.

11. June Elections (Chair and Lead Researcher)

12. Other

Researchers okay, process,

Future meetings: Third Wednesday at 10:00 am
May 18, 2022, June 15, 2022

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