

College Council Meeting Minutes

October 18, 2019

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College Council Members Present: Sonya Christian, Zav Dadabhoy, Billie Jo Rice, Mike Giacomini, Jennifer Achan, Justin Bell, Steven Holmes, Kimberly Bligh, Kendall Moya, Krista Moreland, Cynthia Quintanilla, Jason Stratton, Chris Glaser

Guests/Substitutes: Marisa Marquez, Mark Osea, Bill Potter, Paul Beckworth, Tommy Tunson, Amber Hroch, Mary Webb, Jonathan Maddon

Phone/Zoom:

Next meeting: November 1, 2019

Welcome and Overview of Agenda

Christian recognized and welcomed substitutes, guests and presenters. Maddon, BCSGA Legislative Affairs, reminded the Council about the Rudy Salas PowerLunch on Monday, October 21st.

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Maddon and seconded by Holmes to approve the minutes as presented.

- [October 4, 2019](#)

President's Report

Christian directed the Council to the posted report and highlighted the following:

Intersegmental Education Symposium – November 15, 2019

- Symposium will run 8:00am – 3:00pm with a series of six panels with high-level intersegmental topics.
- Eloy Oakley, Chancellor of the CA Community College system, Lande Ajose, Governor Newsom's appointee to higher education and Tony Thurmond, CA Superintendent of Public

Distinguished Speaker Series, Paula Green - October 22-24, 2019

- BC has always valued collegial engagement, tackling difficult conversations while maintaining collegiality
- Calling on leadership not to be passive when discussions occur that do not align with this value, to engage with a boldness and walk away shaking hands
- College leadership will set aside the time of October 23rd, 9:30-11:30am and October 24th, 8:00-10:00am in the Levan Center to engage discussion with Paula Green
- The community is invited to join Paula's talk on October 23rd, 5:30-6:30pm

AIQ Report

Wojtysiak reported that the 2019 KCCD Climate Survey will be distributed this fall which will open last week of October and will close on November 30. Council members were asked to commit to completing the survey, and to encourage participation across campus, and to let participants know it will take 25-30 minutes to complete.

Results will first be reviewed by AIQ and then will come to College Council for review and analysis.

Veterans Resource Center

Beckworth and Potter directed the Council to the posted material, noting the Vernon Valenzuela Veterans Resource Center is the first project completed with Measure J funding. The ribbon cutting for the building will be held on December 10th. College Council is invited to attend the event. Vernon Valenzuela is an Army veteran and former BC Student. Vernon was actively involved at BC and served as the Student Government Association.

The space will be 4715 square feet, improving student areas, computer labs, counseling, lounge and other services for student veterans. Much thought was put into the aesthetic of the building both inside and out to create a calm, soothing color palette and design as well as acoustics. Focused efforts on hiring veteran tutors and providing credit for prior learning.

UC Transfer Pathways

Marquez and Osea directed the Council to the posted materials and highlighted the following:

- Top four transfer degrees to UC are STEM degrees: Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics and Computer Science
- BC has 31 ADTs and has an effective pipeline into the UC system for the top 20 UC degrees
- Similar to the ADTs developed for the CSU system, a UCTP guaranteed admission is to the UC system, not one individual campus.
- The student that earns a UCTP degree:
 - Complete lower division preparation in the major of Chemistry or Physics
 - Guaranteed admission to the UC system with a minimum 3.5 GPA
 - Able to graduate within two years of attending a UC at full time status
- Students who obtain the UCTP will also meet same discipline ADT requirements (IGETC) to receive a guaranteed admission to one CSU.
- Students may earn this degree whether they meet the 3.5 GPA or not.
- Students who do not meet with GPA requirement are still eligible to apply to the UC system, but they will not be covered under the transfer guarantee.
- Students will still be competitive at a number of UC campuses with a GPA below the 3.5 threshold.

Annual Review of College Mission

Bakersfield College Mission

Bakersfield College provides opportunities for students from diverse economic, cultural, and educational backgrounds to attain Associate and Baccalaureate degrees and certificates, workplace skills, and preparation for transfer. Our rigorous and supportive learning environment *promotes equity and* fosters students' abilities to think critically, communicate effectively, and demonstrate competencies and skills in order to engage productively in their communities and the world.

A motion was made by Holmes and Tunson to approve the revised mission as presented.

Annual Review of College Decision Making Document

Wojtysiak directed the Council to the posted document and reminded the Council that BC received a commendation in the 2018 Accreditation report that recognized the various constituency groups being involved in the decision making process. This document illustrates this process that is so embedded in the work of BC.

A motion was made Holmes and seconded by Maddon to reaffirm the College Decision Making Process document as presented.

Committee Charge Revisions

Holmes directed the Council to the posted materials, and noted the Academic Senate approval dates.

BCSW

A motion was made by Rice and seconded by Ono to approve the charge revision as presented. The revision was approved unanimously

Enrollment Management

A motion was made by Rice and seconded by Stratton to approve the charge revision as presented. The revision was approved unanimously.

Committee charge revisions for the [Curriculum](#) and [ISIT](#) Committee were provided as a first read and will be slated for action at the November 1st meeting.

District Consultation Council

No report at this time. The next District Consultation Council meeting will be held on October 22, 2019.