

District Curriculum Committee Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, March 5, 2024

4:00-5:00pm

CAADO 209/Zoom

Committee Members	Guests
<input type="checkbox"/> Ann Pfeifle (Chair, HIS, MOV)	<input type="checkbox"/> Lijuan Zhai (AVC Ed Services and Institutional Effectiveness, RCCD)
<input type="checkbox"/> Susan Mills (Co-Chair, VC Ed. Services)	<input type="checkbox"/> Steven Schmidt (MUS, RCC)
<input type="checkbox"/> Brian Johnson (MAT, NOR)	<input type="checkbox"/> Nick Sinigaglia (PHI, MOV)
<input type="checkbox"/> Kelly Douglass (ENG, RIV)	<input type="checkbox"/> Bryan Medina (Staff, RCCD)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Ellen Brown-Drinkwater (AO, RCC)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Nick Franco (AO, NOR)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Jeanne Howard (AO, MVC)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Sabina Fernandez (Staff, MVC)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Casandra Greene (Staff, RCC)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Nicole Brown (Staff, NOR)
Additional Guests:	

Zoom Information

<https://rccd-edu.zoom.us/j/86555446612?pwd=R0dDakVkJzZm1TTIYvQT09>

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Call to Order:

Agenda and Minutes

1. Approval of Agenda
The agenda will be reviewed, discussed, and considered for approval.
2. Approval of Minutes – February 20, 2023
The minutes will be reviewed, discussed, and considered for approval.

Reports from Colleges

1. Moreno Valley
2. Norco
3. Riverside

Action Items

1. Curriculum Proposals
Curriculum proposals will be reviewed, discussed, and considered for forwarding to the Board of Trustees for approval.

Discussion Items and Public Comment

1. Credit for Prior Learning and Pass/No Pass Grading
2. Open Forum
3. Public Comment for all items on or not otherwise on the agenda.

Adjournment:

District Curriculum Committee

Proposals for Review for Meeting: 03/05/2024

Courses

Course Deletions

		M	N	R	Discussion
MAT 136	Corequisite Support for MAT-36	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	With MAT 9 and MAT 109, RCCD will no longer be offering MAT 136				
MOV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
MAT 136DX	Corequisite Support for MAT-36	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	With MAT 9 and MAT 109, RCCD will no longer be offering MAT 136				
MOV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
MAT 35	Intermediate Algebra	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	Due to AB 705, MAT 35 is no longer offered at RCCD.				
MOV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
MAT 35DE	Intermediate Algebra	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	Due to AB 705, MAT 35 is no longer offered at RCCD				
MOV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
MAT 52	Elementary Algebra	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	Due to AB 705, MAT 52 is no longer offered in RCCD				
MOV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
MAT 52DE	Elementary Algebra	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	Due to AB 705, MAT 52 is no longer offered in RCCD				
MOV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
MAT 53	College Geometry	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	Due to AB 705, MAT 53 is no longer offered at RCCD.				
MOV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
MAT 53DX	College Geometry	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	Due to AB 705, MAT 53 is no longer offered at RCCD.				
MOV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
MAT 98DX	Academic Excellence Seminar	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	MAT 98 was deleted in May 2021. This is an Emergency Distance Education proposal for MAT 98. Since MAT 98 is deleted, MAT 98DX must also be deleted as this course is no longer recognized.				
MOV:	Info Item, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Info Item, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
SPA 3N	Spanish for Spanish Speakers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	Spanish 3N has not been offered at RCC for quite some time. Since the course is currently only offered at RCC, the best course of action is to launch a course deletion.				
MOV:	Info Item, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Info Item, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Hold, 2/27/2024				Holding for ECE/EDU degree/cert.

Course Inclusions

		M	N	R	Discussion
ADJ 21	Control & Supervision in Corrections	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Rationale:	This course is required in the Corrections Certificate that will be offered at Norco College. We have three state prisons in our region, and this course along with the certificate will help those looking to pursue a career in or continue their career in this component of our criminal justice system. This career opportunity affords growth and a livable wage meeting the college's strategic plan.				
MOV:	Info Item, 2/27/2024				
NOR:	Approved, 2/27/2024				
RIV:	Info Item, 2/27/2024				

Courses

Course Inclusions

M N R Discussion

ADJ 22 [Legal Aspects of Corrections](#)

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MOV: Info Item, 2/27/2024 **NOR:** **Approved, 2/27/2024** **RIV:** Info Item, 2/27/2024

ADJ 25 [Introduction to Probation and Parole](#)

Rationale: This course is required in the Corrections Certificate that will be offered at Norco College. We have three state prisons in our region, and this course along with the certificate will help those looking to pursue a career in or continue their career in this component of our criminal justice system. This career opportunity affords growth and a livable wage meeting the college's strategic plan.

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Course Major Modifications

M N R Discussion

PSY 48 [Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences](#)

Rationale: PSY/SOC-48 is modified to be a 4-credit instead of a 3-credit hour course. UCs (e.g., UCR) and CSUs (e.g., CSUSB) devote more credit hours for their behavioral science statistics courses than their other (non-methods) psychology/sociology courses. The content of the PSY/SOC-48 COR was originally designed, in part, to reflect the behavioral science statistics courses offered in UCs and CSUs. The course is more likely to be transferable to these schools if it is increased from 3 to 4 units. Course materials and advisories have also been updated.

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SOC 48 [Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences](#)

Rationale: PSY/SOC-48 is modified to be a 4-credit instead of a 3-credit hour course. UCs (e.g., UCR) and CSUs (e.g., CSUSB) devote more credit hours for their behavioral science statistics courses than their other (non-methods) psychology/sociology courses. The content of the PSY/SOC-48 COR was originally designed, in part, to reflect the behavioral science statistics courses offered in UCs and CSUs. The course is more likely to be transferable to these schools if it is increased from 3 to 4 units. Course materials and advisories have also been updated.

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Course Minor Modifications

M N R Discussion

ARA 11 [Arabic Culture and Civilization](#)

Rationale: Updating course materials.

MOV: Info Item, 2/27/2024 **NOR:** Info Item, 2/27/2024 **RIV:** Info Item, 2/27/2024

ARA 11H [Honors Arabic Culture and Civilization](#)

Rationale: Updating course materials.

MOV: Info Item, 2/27/2024 **NOR:** Info Item, 2/27/2024 **RIV:** Info Item, 2/27/2024

ARA 3 [Arabic 3](#)

Rationale: Updating course materials.

MOV: Info Item, 2/27/2024 **NOR:** Info Item, 2/27/2024 **RIV:** Info Item, 2/27/2024

ASL 3 [American Sign Language 3](#)

Rationale: Performed periodic review; no changes.

MOV: **Approved, 2/27/2024** **NOR:** Info Item, 2/27/2024 **RIV:** Info Item, 2/27/2024

ETS 13 [Survey of Black Thought](#)

Rationale: Update to Course Materials.

MOV: **Approved, 2/27/2024** **NOR:** Info Item, 2/27/2024 **RIV:** Info Item, 2/27/2024

MAT 32 [Introduction to Symbolic Logic](#)

Rationale: Updating course materials per curriculum requirements. Other COR elements reviewed by discipline and left unchanged/approved.

MOV: **Approved, 2/27/2024** **NOR:** **Approved, 2/27/2024** **RIV:** Info Item, 2/27/2024

Courses

Course Minor Modifications

M N R Discussion

PDS 804 [Motivating Yourself and Others](#)

Rationale: Two year CTE review. No changes needed.

MOV: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

PHI 10 [Introduction to Philosophy](#)

Rationale: Updating course materials per curriculum requirements. Other COR elements reviewed by discipline and left unchanged/approved.

MOV: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

PHI 10H [Honors Introduction to Philosophy](#)

Rationale: Updating course materials per curriculum requirements. Other COR elements reviewed by discipline and left unchanged/approved.

MOV: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

PHI 14 [Survey of Black Thought](#)

Rationale: Update to Course Materials.

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NOR: Info Item, 2/27/2024

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

PHI 19 [Native American Thought](#)

Rationale: Update to course materials.

MOV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

PHI 22 [Philosophy of Science](#)

Rationale: Updating course materials per curriculum requirements. Other COR elements reviewed by discipline and left unchanged/approved.

MOV: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

PHI 32 [Introduction to Symbolic Logic](#)

Rationale: Updating course materials per curriculum requirements. Other COR elements reviewed by discipline and left unchanged/approved.

MOV: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

PHI 33 [Introduction to Social and Political Philosophy](#)

Rationale: Update to Course Materials list.

MOV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

PHI 34 [Philosophical Survey of Sex, Gender, and Sexuality](#)

Rationale: Discipline reviewed the course outline of record and had no updates at this time.

MOV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

PHI 35 [Philosophy of Religion](#)

Rationale: Updating course materials per curriculum requirements. Other COR elements reviewed by discipline and left unchanged/approved.

MOV: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

PHI 36 [Asian Philosophy](#)

Rationale: Update to Course Materials.

MOV: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

Distance Education

M N R Discussion

ENG 66DE [Queer Voices: A Survey of LGBTQIA2+ Literature](#)

Rationale:

MOV: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

NOR: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

RIV: [Approved, 2/27/2024](#)

Programs

New Programs

M N R Discussion

Degree

ENP [Entrepreneurship](#)

Rationale: Presently, students are able to earn three stackable certificates in Entrepreneurship but they are unable to earn an associate degree. This program would allow students to complete an Associate Degree of Science in Entrepreneurship. The entrepreneurship program provides students broad, intellectual, practical skills that demonstrate the ability to apply knowledge and concepts related to identifying business opportunities, evaluating ideas, assessing the markets, and exploring risks and rewards. Additionally, students will develop a business model canvas and pitch their business idea. Through a series of courses that include hands-on and experiential learning, students develop knowledge and skills that serve as a springboard to start, run, and grow their own business.

MOV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

NOR: **Approved, 2/27/2024**

RIV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

Program Modifications

M N R Discussion

ADT

SPA [Spanish](#)

Rationale: To align Associate in Arts in Spanish for Transfer degree with curriculum modifications – new courses and course deletions.

MOV: Info Item, 2/27/2024

NOR: Info Item, 2/27/2024

RIV: **Hold, 2/27/2024**
