

# **Academic Senate Minutes**

Wednesday, May 17, 2023 - 12:30 pm - 1:20pm

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Berkeley City College's mission is to promote student success, to provide our diverse community with educational opportunities, and to transform lives. The college achieves its mission through instruction, student support and learning resources which enable its enrolled students to earn associate degrees and certificates, and to attain college competency, careers, transfer, and skills for lifelong success.

Required Membership: (Attended = marked with "X", Partial Attendance "P"). NOTE: 9 Needed for Quorum

☐ Gabriel Martinez, Vice President Academic Senate	
	☑ Anne McCormick, Senator Modern Languages
□ Pete DuBois, Senator Business/CIS	
☐ Osa Kauffman, Senator ESOL	☑ Randy Yang, Senator Sciences

Guests: Cora Leighton (DE Coordinator), Claudia Abadia (Chair of Chairs), Carolyn Martin, Zahra Mojtahedi, Christina Taing, Vanessa Phillips (Interpreter), Tim Rose, Chris Bernard, Kuni Hay (VPI), Thomas Kies,

Agenda Item	Discussion	Follo	Decisions (Shared Agreement/Resolved or Unresolved?)
		w-up	
		Actio	
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Meeting called to order			
1. Approval of Agenda	a. Motion to		Moved by: Joseph B.
	Approve		Seconded by: Jenny Y.
	Agenda (2		
	mins)		Yes: 13
	,		No: 0
			Abstain:0
2. Approval of Minutes	a. Motion to		Moved by: Anne M.
	Approve		Seconded by: Gabriel M.
	Minutes May		, and the second
	3 (3 mins)		two R's in notes.
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			Yes: 10
			No:
			Abstain:3

3. Action Items	a. Resolution Honoring the Life of David Powell (8 mins) b. Resolution to support Faculty Training for DE (8 mins)	a. Resolution Honoring the Life of David Powell (8 mins)  Link to Resolution: Approved by Acclamation  https://www.berkeleycitycollege.edu/senate/files/2023/05/230517Resolution_honoring_DavidPowell.pdf  b. Resolution to support Faculty Training for DE (8 mins)  Link to DE Resolution: https://www.berkeleycitycollege.edu/senate/files/2023/09/230517_DistanceED_Title-V-Resolution.pdf  We will miss Chris B. next year as he goes off on sabbatical.  Our Local DE committee approved this resolution on May 4, 2023.  DE thanks the Academic Senate for their support. Administration has been very supportive as well, particularly in moving forward as a teaching college.  BCC, unlike the other Peralta colleges, has found funds to support two POCR reviewer positions.  If we reach teaching college status by the Fall term, any student can enroll in a badged course with a single click. We still need math and science courses to go through the POCR process.  Moved by: Pete D. Seconded by: Joya C.  Yes: 14 No: 0 Abstain: 0

4. Discussion and/or	a. News from	a. News from ASCCC (10 mins)
Information	ASCCC (10	Gabriel Martinez represented BCC at the ASCCC Spring Plenary session.
mins)	mins)	At this event we discussed resolutions that will guide the CA community colleges.
		There are tons of resources available on the ASCCC.org site. Hiring processes, student learning outcomes assessment, guided pathways, etc.
		You can find adopted resolutions on the site as well.
		There is a Plenary website under events. Fall plenary will be in the south, and the Spring Plenary will be in San Jose. You can find the various presentation materials.
		CalGETC came out of an Assembly Bill. This is unified General Ed pathway for CSU and UCs. The UCs the way they are set up do not directly report to Sacramento, so progress is a bit slow in formalizing recommendations.
		AB 928 Cal-GETC Area 1 in discussion (CCC, CSU, UC) - prerequisite for Communications studies and English as well as courses to remain in this area.
		Updates are from Per Dr. LaTonya Parker, VP, ASCCC . Minimum qualifications changes for Ethnic studies are also recommended by ethnic studies faculty state-wide, more to come on this update.
		Some courses, particularly counseling courses, which may be affected by the categorizatioon of general education courses.
		There was a resolution to include logic courses within the Critical Thiinking category.
		Karen Chow is a very strong Area B leader. BCC is part of Area B.
		Link to Adopted Resolutions:  https://asccc.org/sites/default/files/Adopted%20Resolutions%20Spring%202023_final%200_42823_2.docx_
		Proposed CalGETC Pathway: https://asccc.org/sites/default/files/2022-08/Screen%20Shot%202022-08-09%20at%204.07.52%20PM.png
5. Standing Items	a. Standing	Affordable Textbook Costs:
a. Assessment	Committee Announceme	We passed a resolution identifying a low cost text book be \$50.
Committee Report	nts (10 mins)	We are trying to identify at the district IT and Academic Affaris level to make it easier to convey to students what costs are associated with a course. We are hoping to get a low
b. Curriculum		cost icon in the online schedule.
Committee		Professional Development:
Report		Lisa Cralle will be joining the PD committee as a voting member.

c. Chairs Council Report

d. ProfessionalDevelopmentCommittee

Report

e. Distance
Education
Committee
Report

f. CE

Committee

Report

g. Affordable

Education

Materials

Report

h. FASTT

i. Integrated

Planning

Committee

Report

j. IPAR Report

k. Facilities

Committee

Report

1. Technology

Committee

Report

m. Teaching and

Learning

Center Report

n. Accreditation

Report/Updat

e

o. District

Academic

Senate Report

p. Senate Equity Working

Group

## **Academic Senate:**

Carolyn Martin will serve as a proxy Senator in the Fall for ACS.

### **Assessment Committee:**

Please participate in the Critical Thinking ILO assessment.

We are starting a three-semester ILO Review in the fall.

Assessment will participate in the Participatory Governance retreat on May 30th.

#### FASTT:

Please remember to submit a review of your tutor and report your hours with embedded tutors so they can be certified. You can find this information iin the Canvas shell online.

#### DF

summer ABCD's course! Sign up and get paid!

https://forms.gle/r1qMac81RpYCqz38A

q. Senate BUG Task Force r. OPUS Award: Faculty Honors & Acknowledge ment		
6. Public Comment/Announce ments	OPEN (5 mins)	Please participate in Graduation, May 24, 2023 11am - 1pm at Zellerbach. Yay, it's back in person this year!  Thank you everybody!!!  Have a GREAT summer break! Thank you everybody!!!  Have a GREAT summer break!
Meeting adjourned		·
Next Meeting:	Sept. 6, 2023	