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Industry & Technology Division

Fashion Design Department

Program Review

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I. Overview

A. Description of Program

The fashion program prepares students for employment in the field of fashion design and production or fashion merchandising and provides upgrade opportunities for currently employed personnel. Upon completing the degree or certificate requirements, students gain proficiency in clothing construction, fashion illustration, pattern making, draping, computer-aided fashion design and manufacturing. Students completing the requirements for the merchandising option will also gain proficiency in presentation techniques, planning, promotion, fashion coordination, advertising and sales. Competencies are assessed by portfolios and exhibitions of original apparel design and garments. Students may expect to enter the industry as a design assistant, costume technician, fashion consultant, stylist, entry-level pattern maker, quality control assistant, assistant merchandiser, or sales associate.

Two options for the Associate in Science Degree are offered in the fashion design department:

- (1) The Fashion Design and Production Option are geared toward students whose are interested in the design and production area of fashion.
- (2) The Fashion Merchandising Option is for students who are interested in the buying and retailing area of fashion stylist.

Several Certificates of Achievement options are offered: Computer Pattern Making Technician; Costume Technician; Fashion Design and Production; Fashion Merchandising; and Fashion Stylist.

B. Status of Previous Recommendations

No recent previous recommendations are available.

II. Program Statistics

A. Demand: FTES by Course/Program

Instructions: Analyze the **/Program** using 1st census data and answer the following questions. At a minimum, your analysis must include a 3-year cycle comparing like semesters.

| Course | Year 1 (Fall 2005) | Year 2 (Fall 2006) | Year 3 (Fall 2007) | Year 4* (Fall 2008) | Trends Noted |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Fashion 10AB (2 sections) | 9.45 | 11.37 | 9.8 | 10.87 | Highest FTES Seems to be the most popular class |
| Fashion 11AB | | 2.45 | 1.75 | 5.47 | *FTES increasing after decline |
| Fashion 15AB | 2.67 | 2.81 | 2.95 | 4.33 | FTES increasing |
| Fashion 24ABC | | 2.10 | 2.97 | 4.45 | FTES increasing |
| Fashion 26A | 1.57 | 3.15 | 2.97 | 5.47 | FTES increasing |
| Fashion 27 | 3.5 | 3.19 | 1.91 | 3.37 | FTES fluctuates* |
| Fashion 31 | | | 1.59 | 3.72 | Not enough data |
| Fashion 29AB | 1.92 | 2.10 | | | Not enough data |
| Fashion 35 | 2.95 | 4.08 | 2.11 | 5.05 | FTES increasing |
| Fashion 41 | 3.82 | 3.19 | 3.29 | 3.19 | Lowest FTES Consistent |
| Fashion 95ABCD | | | | 00 | |
| Fashion 99ABC | | | | 00 | |
| Fashion 23 | | | | No data | |

*For fall 2009, 100% FTES weekly census data was used

- 1. Given the data, can you recognize any trends in course demand in any of the Program's courses? (See 6th column above for observations)
- 2. What are you doing to respond to trends?

Fashion 11AB-Clothing Construction: A survey was submitted to the Institution board for production. This survey will be configured to have students bubble their chosen responses. Distribution is planned for around May 15th and will be distributed to the 2 sections of 10AB (day and evening classes). 10AB is a prerequisite for the 11AB class. Surveys will ask if students plan to enroll in the next level (11AB) class. If they don't plan to, they are asked the reason why. Their responses may help to explain the FTES for 11AB are about half the FTES of 10AB.

<u>Fashion 27-Fashion Merchandising:</u> This course is required for both the Associate of Science Degree and the Certificate of Competence & Completion. The FTES dropped sharply in 2007 and then rose significantly in fall of 2008.

<u>Fashion 35-Color Theory:</u> This course is required for both the Fashion Design and Fashion Marketing Degree and Certificates of Competence. A new instructor taught the fall 2008course which had much higher FTES.

With the exception of Fashion 41, all courses researched had the highest FTES in fall 2008 than in previous years. In the fall of 2008, a full time instructor was named to the department. It is possible that students may have more confidence in signing up for classes than when the full time position had been unfilled. It will be important to keep an eye on the numbers for that course to see what trend is developing.

3. Should a recommendation be written addressing the data? ___ Yes X No

(If yes, list.)

Distribute Surveys about taking Fashion 11AB should be distributed in the two 10AB classrooms (day and evening class). Distribution is planned for the middle of May.

B. Offerings: Fill Rate*

Instructions: Review and analyze the **fill rate data** (including the fill rate per course for both day and evening), provided by Institutional Research for this program for a three year cycle and answer the following questions:

Average fill rate of courses in program: How does this program compare to:

| Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Fall 2008 |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| (Fall 2005) | (Fall 2006) | (Fall 2007) | |
| | | | |

| Day classes | 77.4% | 74.9% | 51.5% | No data was |
|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|-----------------------------------|
| Evening classes | 70.0% | 70.0% | 60.0% | obtained for fall 2008 fill rates |

Given the data, is the program in a growth mode? _____ Yes
 __X___ No

It appears that the fill rate for the day classes from 2005 to 2006 dropped only 2.5% but from 2006 to 2007, it dropped significantly, almost 23.4%

For the evening classes in the years of 2005 and 2006, fill rate data is the same: 70.0%. From 2006 to 2007, the rate decrease is 10%.

With higher FTES in fall 2009, it is possible that fill rate data would be higher indicating a growth mode. Without the fill rate data for fall 2009, it is not possible to show the amount of class/program growth.

In research entitled "Total Annual Program Participation (4 year trend)", the following trend is noted:

Annual Seat Count:

| | 2004-05 | 2005- 06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 |
|-------------------|---------|-------------|---------|---------|
| Annual Seat Count | 582 | 537 | 652 | 565 |

This shows a decrease of 87 students from 2006/07 to 2007/08

In the research: "Course, Section, Seat Counts", the following is noted:

| | 2004-5 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 |
|--------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Sections | 32 | 28 | 35 | 31 |
| Seats | 582 | 537 | 652 | 565 |
| Unduplicated | 286 | 279 | 310 | 335 |
| Students | | | | |
| | | | | |

According to this data, in the 2007/2008 school year, the number of student has increased, up 25 students from the previous year. This data would show that the program is growing in numbers.

2. What adjustments are indicated?

In any case, we need to make sure that our classes are filled. The Dean and Vera Bruce have discussed fill rates on classes in spring 2009 and have made adjustments accordingly. These adjustments include offering certain classes once a year. It might be helpful information to observe the percentage of students who registered for each class and compare that number to those who never showed up or dropped the class prior to the first census date. It was observed on one occasion, that $\frac{1}{2}$ of students who had registered and signed up for a particular class, did not show up on the first day of class.

3. Should a recommendation be written that addresses the data? _X____Yes ____No

(If yes, list.)

The Institutional Research Office should keep a record of students who are listed as registered on the first attendance sheet but don't show up the first day along with a record kept of students who are dropped by the time of the first census. It will be requested of that office if it is possible to make that information available.

C. Scheduling: Student Satisfaction with Scheduling

Instructions: Complete the chart below. Indicate the time when sections of courses in the program are currently scheduled to start. Analyze the data provided by Institutional Research on student satisfaction with scheduling in the program and answer the questions.

| | | | | | | | | 1 |
|--------|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Course | During the early | During the late am/early pm 10am –1:55 | During the late afternoon 2 pm -4:25 | During the evening 4:30 & later | During the weekend | During the summer | Via Telecourse | Via Online |
| Fash 1 | | | Х | | | Х | | |
| Fash 2 | | | | Х | | | | |
| Fash 3 | | | | Х | | | | |
| Fash | | | | Х | | | | |
| 4ab | | | | | | | | |
| Fash | | Х | | Х | | Х | | |
| 10ab | | | | | | | | |
| Fash | | | Х | | | | | |
| 11ab | | | | | | | | |
| Fash | Х | | | | | | | |
| 14 | | | | | | | | |
| Fash | Х | | | | | | | |
| 15 | | | | | | | | |
| Fash | | Х | | | | | | |
| 16ab | | | | | | | | |
| Fash | | | | Х | | | | |

No data on this area was disseminated for fall 2009 from the institutional review board

| 17ab | | | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|------|------|
| Fash | Х | | | | | |
| 20 | | | | | | |
| Fash | | | | Х | | |
| 23 | | | | | | |
| Fas | | | | X | | |
| 24abc | | | | | | |
| Fash | | | | | | |
| 26a | | | | | | |
| Fash | Х | | | | | |
| 26b | ^ | | | | | |
| Fash | | | X | | | |
| 27 | | | ~ | | | |
| Fash | | | | X | | |
| 28 | | | | ^ | | |
| Fash | | | | | | |
| 29ab | | | | | | |
| Fash | Х | | | | | |
| 31 | ^ | | | | | |
| Fash | | | X | | | |
| 35 | | | ^ | | | |
| Fash | | Х | | | | |
| | | ^ | | | | |
| 36 500b | | | | | | |
| Fash | | | | | | |
| 37 N/A | | V | | | | |
| Fash | | Х | | | | |
| 41 500b | | | | | | |
| Fash | | | Х | | | |
| 42 | | | | | | |
| Fash | | | | | | |
| 50-N/A | | | | | | |
| Fash | | | | | | |
| 95abc | | | | | | |
| N/A | | | | | | |
| Fash | | | | | | |
| 99abc | | | | | | |
| N/A | | | | | | |
| Fash1 | | | | | | |
| 00- | | | | | | |
| Non | | | | | | |
| credit | | | | | | |
| N/A | | | | | | |

1. What (if anything) is indicated by the student satisfaction with scheduling?

- Are there time periods of high student demand which are not being addressed? ____ Yes ___ No How could such demand be addressed?
- 3. Should a recommendation be written addressing this area? _____ Yes
- _X___No

(If yes, list.)

D. Retention and Success

1. Retention

Instructions: Review and analyze the data on **retention (course completion with a grade other than W)** over a three-year cycle comparing day to evening classes, term to term (e.g. fall to spring, spring to summer, etc.), and course levels.

| | - | JUAIA | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| Course (% of all course | Spring 2005 | | Spring 20 | 06 | Spring 200 | 7 | Spring 20 No data y | 008 vet collected |
| grades | | | | | | | | |
| J | Success | Retention | Success | Retention | Success | Retention | | |
| Fash 1 | 59.1% | 81.5% | 86.4% | 91.3% | 45.5% | 95.5% | | |
| Fash 10a | 81.3% | 60.4% | 95.3% | 70% | 41.7% | 68.3% | | |
| Fash 11a | | | 84.2% | 76.2% | 78.9% | 84.2% | | |
| Fash 14 | 0% | 0% | | | 100% | 100% | | |
| Fash 17a | 93.3% | 88.2% | 100% | 100% | 76.9% | 84.6% | | |
| Fash 2 | 84.2% | 95.0% | 68.2% | 78.6% | 76.5% | 88.2% | | |
| Fash 20 | 92.6% | 87.1% | 75.0% | 86.7% | 80% | 94.3% | | |
| Fash 23 | | | 84.2% | 95.0% | 86.7% | 86.7% | | |
| Fash 26b | 100% | 92.3% | 91.7% | 84.6% | 89.5% | 89.5% | | |
| Fash 28 | 81.8% | 78.6% | 78.6% | 81.3% | 56.5% | 87.0% | | |
| Fash 3 | 92.3% | 92.9% | 100% | 88.9% | 94.7% | 94.7% | | |
| Fash 31 | 92.3% | 68.4% | | | 42.9% | 50% | | |
| Fash 36 | 100% | 100% | 100% | 80.0% | 100% | 100% | | |
| Fash 42 | 100% | 81.8% | 94.1% | 72.7% | 88.9% | 88.9% | | |
| Fash 4 | 100% | 94.7% | 90.0% | 75.0% | 100% | 100% | | |
| Fash 95 | 100% | 100% | | | 33.3% | 77.8% | | |
| Fash 99a | | | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | | |
| Fash 16a | 100% | 77.8% | | | | | | |
| Fash 24a | 90.9% | 83.3% | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| Source: Ins | titutional Rese | arch "W" ex | cluded from | above rates | | | | |
| D | | | | | | | | |
| | Percentage of | | | | | | | |
| Success: P | ercentage of s | tudents who | succeed in a | course and e | arn grade A, | B, C, or CR. | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | <u> </u> | | | |
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FALL DATA

| Course (% of all course | fall 2006 | | Fall 2007 | | Fall 2008 | | Observations/Trends |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------------|
| grades | | | | | | | |
| | Success | Retention | Success | Retention | Success | Retention | |
| Fash 1 | 35.7 | 93.3 | 44.4 | 80 | 52 | 77 | Success rate is rising; |

| | | | | | | | Retention rate fluctuates |
|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------------------------|
| Fash 10a | 71.2 | 76.5 | 37.3 | 82.1 | 31.3 | 84.7 | Success rate is |
| | | | | | | | dropping* |
| | | | | | | | Retention rate is rising |
| Fash 11a | 83.3 | 80. | 75 | 100 | 81.8 | 95.5 | No data |
| Fash 14 | No data | No major findings |
| Fash 15A | 87.5 | 80 | 81.8 | 86.4 | No data | No data | No data |
| Fash 17a | No data |
| Fash 2 | No data |
| Fash 20 | No data |
| Fash 24 | 91.7 | 100 | 82.2 | 94.1 | 63.6 | 72.7 | Success rate is |
| | | | | | | | dropping* |
| | | | | | | | Retention rate dropping |
| Fash 26a | 82.4 | 94.4 | No data | No data | No data | No data | Not enough data |
| Fash 26b | No data | No data | 100 | 100 | 93.3 | 100 | Steady rates |
| Fash 27 | 57.1 | 90.3 | 68.8 | 73.3 | No data | No data | Success rates rising, |
| | | | | | | | Retention rates |
| | | | | | | | dropping |
| Fash 28 | | | No data |
| Fash 29 | 100 | 72.7 | No data | No data | No data | No data | Not enough data |
| Fash 3 | No data | No data | 85.7 | 92.3 | 20 | 80 | Success rates dropping |
| | | | | | | | Retention rate dropping |
| Fash 31 | No data | No data | 42.1 | 80.0 | 33.3 | 81.8 | Less than 50% success |
| | | | | | | | rate |
| | | | | | | | Steady retention rate |
| Fash 35 | 95.2 | 72.4 | 60.0 | 86.7 | No data | No data | Not enough data |
| Fash 41 | 87.5 | 77.4 | 72.7 | 90.3 | No data | No data | Not enough data |
| Fash 36 | No data |
| Fash 42 | No data |
| Fash 4 | No data | No data | 88.9 | 100 | No data | No data | Not enough data |
| Fash 95 | 33.3 | 100 | No data | No data | 50 | 100 | Not enough data |
| Fash 99a | No data | No data | 100 | 100 | No data | No data | Not enough data |
| Fash 16a | No data |

Looking at the same variables for the last three years during the fall semesters, the trends are noted (above, next to data):

1. Given the data, what trends are observed? See chart.

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| 0. | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | Succe ss | Retention 2005 | Succes s | Retention 2006 | Succes s | Retention 2007 | Success Trend | Retention Trend |
| | 2005 | | 2006 | | 2007 | | | Trona |
| Fash 1 | 59.1% | 81.5% | 86.4% | 91.3% | 45.5% | 95.5% | Lower | good |
| Fash 10a | 81.3% | 60.4% | 95.3% | 70% | 41.7% | 68.3% | Sharp decline in 2007 | Slightly over half retention |
| Fash 11a | No data | No data | 84.2% | 76.2% | 78.9% | 84.2% | About 80% successful | Moderate retention |
| Fash 14 | 0% | 0% | No data | No data | 100% | 100% | Not enough information | Not enough information |
| Fash 17a | 93.3% | 88.2% | 100% | 100% | 76.9% | 84.6% | Fluctuating | Good |
| Fash 2 | 84.2% | 95.0% | 68.2% | 78.6% | 76.5% | 88.2% | Downward trend | Moderate retention trend |
| Fash 20 | 92.6% | 87.1% | 75.0% | 86.7% | 80% | 94.3% | Fluctuating | Good trend |

| Fash 23 | No data | No data | 84.2% | 95.0% | 86.7% | 86.7% | Good trend | Excellent retention | |
|-------------|------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Fash 26b | 100% | 92.3% | 91.7% | 84.6% | 89.5% | 89.5% | Slight drop in success | Good retention | |
| Fash 28 | 81.8% | 78.6% | 78.6% | 81.3% | 56.5% | 87.0% | Severe drop in success | Retention rates raised | |
| Fash 3 | 92.3% | 92.9% | 100% | 88.9% | 94.7% | 94.7% | Excellent success rate | Excellent retention rate | |
| Fash 31 | 92.3% | 68.4% | No data | No data | 42.9% | 50% | Severe drop in success rate | Lowering retention rate | |
| Fash 36 | 100% | 100% | 100% | 80.0% | 100% | 100% | Good success | Good retention | |
| Fash 42 | 100% | 81.8% | 94.1% | 72.7% | 88.9% | 88.9% | Good success rate | Retention rate is rising | |
| Fash 4 | 100% | 94.7% | 90.0% | 75.0% | 100% | 100% | Good success rates | Retention rate is rising | |
| Fash 95 | 100% | 100% | No data | No data | 33.3% | 77.8% | Not enough o compare | lata to | |
| Fash 99a | No data | No data | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | compare | Not enough data to | |
| Fash 16a | 100% | 77.8% | No data | No data | No data | No data | Not enough o compare | | |
| Fash 24a | 90.9% | 83.3% | No data | No data | No data | No data | Not enough o compare | lata to | |

Retention

Most classes had good to moderate retention rates. (See above for how these rates relate to the success rates.)

____ No (If yes, list.)

Department Chairs should have access to the grading justification (course assignments) of each course. When there is data that suggests trends that may affect success rates, the data can be looked at more carefully to see if there is any correlation to certain assignments.

2. Success Rate

Instructions: Review and analyze the data on **success rate (students who earned a grade of A,B,C, or Credit)** over a three-year cycle comparing day to evening classes, term to term (e.g. fall to spring, spring to summer, etc.), and course levels and answer the following questions:

^{2.} Should a recommendation be written addressing the data? ____X__ Yes

1. What trends are observed?

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Over the three years, generally the retention rates are higher than the success rates.

Fashion 31 had the least positive trend occurring in 2007. Although data from spring 2006 is not included, the numbers show a negative trend for the success and retention.

In spring 2007, Fashion 10 had the sharpest decline in retention rates. Only 41.7% pass the class successfully. This course (or combinations of different sections) must have been especially challenging for the students. It might be good to talk with the instructors of the classes to find out what was different than other semesters. Fash 28 also had a severe drop in grade success rates. Again, maybe the instructor can explain why grades have dropped severely. This is interesting because retention rates have gone up at the same time. There is no immediately known reason why this trend/ direction has occurred.

Should a recommendation be written addressing the data? _X____ Yes
 ____ No

(If yes, list.)

Supplying explanations for the data gathered from the Institutional Research Dept. is difficult without having "feedback" in particular about the instructors' explanation and assessment of the grades earned in her class. A recommendation would be to have each instructor, at the end of the term, when grades are calculated, write a brief explanation if her grades do not follow the "bell curve". The instructor's insight might be valuable in adjusting curriculum to give students an opportunity to be more successful. There might be other recommendations that you can add, especially since you want to justify the health and continuation of your program.

FALL DATA COMMENTS

For fall data, for fashion 10AB the Success rate dropped yet the retention rate rose. It would be helpful to see the grade sheet of the individual instructor(s) to see if a certain assignment earned a low score among most of the students.

For Fashion 24, Success rate dropped and the Retention dropped. This is the tailoring class. The instructor was believed to be the same person. Again, it would be good to see the grade distribution and graded assignments to discover any trend on particular assignments

III. Curriculum

A. Course and Content

1. Courses Not Offered

Instructions: Indicate the total number of courses in the program and list all courses in the program which are in the catalog but have not been offered in the last three years. Refer to this list to answer the following questions:

There are 28 courses listed in the 2007-2008 catalogue Courses not offered in the last 3 years are:

| Fash 50 | Special Topics in Fashion |
|----------|--------------------------------|
| Fash 37 | Design for Apparel Manufacture |
| Fash 100 | Fashion Studio |

1. Given the data, are there courses that should be inactivated? ___X___ Yes ____No

Fash 100 Fashion Studio

2. If there are courses not offered in the last three years that you do not wish to inactivate,

What reasons are there to keep them active?

- Fash 50 Special Topics in Fashion-This class is not offered as a regular class. Students take this class either as a substitute for one class or as a special interest. After speaking to one of the adjunct instructors, it was decided to leave that class open and start bringing various courses that are specialized relevant and current to the industry. Most ECC students would take it as an elective.
- Should a recommendation be written addressing the data? ____X Yes No

(If yes, list.)

We need to inactivate Fashion 37 and replace it with another course. Fashion 101 had been suggested by the previous full time instructor (Ms. McFarland). This new class would cover the technical aspect s of fashion design: Creating specifications, understanding garment construction methods, etc. Its content was recommended by current industry representatives. The anticipated timeline for this new class introduction is fall 2009. What is your timeline on this? When will you be inactivating Fashion 37? We will need to have some specifics regarding when this will happen. When will you be coming forward (if at all) with the new course?

Fash 100 (Fashion Studio) has not been offered within the last 3 years. This course needs to be assessed as to how it has been used in the past. This information will give guidance as to whether it should remain in the catalogue.

For Fashion 50, a list of potential topics for classes should be generated and a list of possible instructor should be sought. The first class should be taught in spring 2010.

Low reported success rates occur because students do not always officially withdraw from a course so that at the end of the semester, their names are still on the roster and therefore they have to get a grade which is usually an F since no work had been submitted since the "unofficially" dropped the course. Instructors need to continue to explain to students that they must officially withdraw from courses if necessary.

2. Course Revisions and Additions-

Instructions: Utilize the Course Review Chart from the Curriculum Office to answer the following:

1. Are there course outlines that should be revised? _____Yes ____No

Currently, all courses below are scheduled for review/revision /update.

Yes. According to curriculum office document, 11 courses have not been reviewed in ten to thirteen years. They are:

| Course | Anticipated time for curriculum committee review in division office (2009) Completion by dates below: |
|---------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Fashion 1 | August, 2009 |
| Fashion 2 | August, 2009 |
| Fashion 3 | August, 2009 |
| Fashion 10ab | August, 2009 |
| Fashion 11AB | August, 2009 |
| Fashion 14 | August, 2009 |
| Fashion 15ab- | August, 2009 |

| Fashion 16ab | August, 2009 |
|----------------|--------------|
| Fashion 23 | August, 2009 |
| Fashion 95abcd | August, 2009 |

Are there courses inconsistent with current practice in the field? ____ Yes ___X_No

Explain.

All of the courses are relevant. Fashion 100 is a studio course of 0 units. This "course" has not been taught in over 3 years and may not be necessary to retain.

3. Should new courses to be added to the program? ____X Yes ____ No **Explain.**

Fashion 101 had been suggested by the previous full time instructor (Ms. McFarland). This new class would cover the technical aspects of fashion design: Creating specifications, understanding garment construction methods, etc. Its content was recommended by current industry representatives. An instructor should be sought for this class after changes/additions are approved by curriculum department.

4. Are adjustments necessary to the conditions of enrollment (Prerequisite, Co requisite, Recommended Preparation, and Enrollment Limitations) for a specific course to increase student success?

__X__Yes ____No ____Uncertain

For the Fashion Sketching Course, a prerequisite has been listed to help insure that the students are educationally prepared for the new material. With the same course, a co-requisite will also be recommended.

Other courses will be reviewed to ascertain if prerequisites are needed.

5. If the program offers a degree and/or certificate, list them and indicate when the requirements were last reviewed? (If not applicable, skip to Question 7.) The program offers:

AS Degree

Fashion Design & Production Fashion Merchandising

Last Year, the certificates were reduced in number. Currently the certificates are called

Certificates of Achievement. The offered options include: Computer Pattern Making Technician; Costume Technician; Fashion Design and Production; Fashion Merchandising; and Fashion Stylist.

6. Are these degree and/or certificate requirements inconsistent with current practice? _X__ Yes ___ No

Both the degrees and the certificates are consistent with current practice.

Is there a need to create or delete a degree and/or certificate? _X__ Yes
 ___ No

A grant proposal (Perkins Grant) was submitted in April 2009. This proposal asked for funds to help create a new short term certificate. In this project, the Digital Art, Fashion, and Business program faculty will work together to research and develop a new short-term certificate that will enhance student training and employment opportunities. The core indicators that will be addressed include: technical skill attainment, certificate or degree attainment, retention or transfer, increased student placement, and non-traditional participation and completion. *Fashion Graphics* is the name of the proposed new certificate of achievement and is a collaboration between the Digital Art (Graphic Design and Illustration options), and Fashion. Courses will train students in the design and printing of fashion related graphics such as T-shirts and fabric, as well as advertising and merchandising materials.

Should any recommendations be written that address the above responses?
 Yes X No

(If yes, list.)

B. Articulation

Instructions: Using the California Articulation Number (CAN) Guide, answer the following questions:

1. Should any of your courses not currently included in the CAN Guide be articulated?

No.

In checking the Assist.org website for a listing of articulated fashion courses transferable to the CSU campus, only two of the 28 courses listed in the catalog are not included. They are: Fashion 50 (Special topics in Fashion) which has no fixed number of units assigned and Fashion 100 which has 0 units. Fashion 50 is a class where students explore topics more specifically than what is covered in the general course curriculum. Fashion 100 is a minimum one hour lab "class" that is for non-credit.

The two courses mentioned above do not have consistent content that can be matched with a CSU course.

2. What problems, if any, are there in articulating courses?

Articulation has been rarely utilized in the fashion department. Two high schools have agreements with ECC Fashion Department but in the past year there have not been occasion to explain or implement the articulation agreements. The current agreements that need to be updated and more schools should be added.

A seminar/project sponsored by the Academic Senate for California Community Colleges entitled *Statewide Career Pathways: Creating School to College Articulation* will provide an opportunity for high school and college faculty to meet, collaborate and develop articulation agreements. Agreements that result will vary by discipline and may include alignment of course skills, concepts and sequences, advanced placement possibilities and credit by examination options. This project will address needs, problems and concerns experienced by community colleges and high school.

Should a recommendation be written addressing above responses? ____X___
 Yes ____ No

(If yes, list.)

After the seminar, a plan to implement the discoveries and findings exposed in the seminar will be developed and executed in regard to those things that would benefit ECC articulation agreements.

C. Instruction and Assessment

1. Learning Methods

1. What learning methods are incorporated inside and outside the classroom in the program to promote student success?

Learning methods include field trips, lecture, group activity, student presentation, internship-(on the job training), demonstrations, lab projects, exams, projects

2. Should a recommendation be written addressing above response? _____
Yes __X___ No (If yes, list.)

2. Assessment

- 1. How do you evaluate the extent to which the learning objectives, skills, and competencies are being met?
 - A) Courses-Through course exams, projects, portfolios
 - B) Program-Program Plan documents and Program Review documents-Advisory Board members' comments
 - 2. How do you use the results of the above evaluation to improve student learning and the quality of the program?

Results obtained from the above assessments can be used as a catalyst to change course content, curriculum foci, the level and pace of the courses.

Should a recommendation be written addressing this area? ____X___
 Yes ____No
 (If yes, list.)

IV. Program Requirements

A. Instructional Support

1. Identify key instructional support areas used by the program.

Libraries & Programs:

| Х | Library | Special Resource | Basic | Library |
|---|---------|------------------|--------|------------|
| | | Center | Skills | Orientatio |

| | | | | | Study Center | n |
|---|--------------------------------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Music Library | | Puente Program | | Honors Transfer Program | Other (Please list.) |
| | Learning Resource Center Media Materials Collection | | Assessment/Testin g Office | Х | Counselin g | |
| X | EOP&S/CalWORK S | Х | Transfer Center | | First Year Experienc e | |
| | Learning Communities | | Project Success | | Honors Transfer Program | |

Computer Labs & Tutoring:

| Х | LMTC Computer | SRC High Technology | Other Computer Lab: | Writing Center |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| | Commons CAI MAC Lab | Center Writing Lab | Please list. | LRC Tutorial |
| | | | | Program |
| | CAI Windows Lab | Math & Science Lab | | Math Tutoring |
| | TOP Lab | Keyboarding Center | | SRC Tutorial Program |
| | Hawthorne BTC | | | EOP&S Tutoring |
| | Inglewood Center | | | |

Faculty Support Services:

| | Graphic Arts | Х | Copy Center | | Distance | Other |
|---|--------------|---|---------------|---|-----------------|----------------|
| | | | | | Education | (Please list.) |
| Х | Media | Х | Tech | | Teleconferences | |
| | Services AV | | Services | | | |
| | Production | | Help Desk | | | |
| Х | Media | Х | Support Staff | | Webconferences | |
| | Services AV | | | | | |
| | Equipment | | | | | |
| | Distribution | | | | | |
| | ECC Vehicles | | ECC hosted | Х | Staff | |
| | | | Websites | | Development | |
| Х | ECC E-mail | | | | | |

2. Do you have some instructional support needs that are not being met? ___X___Yes _____No

. We use roomTA-257 for some courses. There is a television in the classroom but it does not work properly to support VCR or other technology.

Should a recommendation be written to address your needs? _X___ Yes ____ No (If yes, list.)

The television in room TA 257 should be repaired or replaced. This has been addressed through a grant proposal to make that particular room a smart classroom. If the proposal is accepted and funded, room TA 257 will be a smart classroom and thus updating the means by which learning takes place.

B. Facilities and Equipment

1. Does the program make effective use of its facilities and equipment? **Explain.**

Yes, very much so. We maximize use of the facilities

Are adequate facilities, equipment and supplies available for the program?
 X____ Yes ____ No

Explain.

Yes, the program has the facilities it needs. Inside work is needed on carpeted floors or replacement is encouraged. More storage space would allow the department to take in local fabric donations.

Are the facilities and equipment adequately maintained? ___X__ Yes _____
 No

Explain.

1) Some of the chairs in the classroom TA 212 were broken and need replacing. Grant money has been allocated to replace 35 new stools. They are presently in the classroom

2) Room 257 should have a white board instead of a chalkboard.

3) Currently, room TA 212 (Clothing construction classroom) has carpet as its flooring. This should be changed to a smooth surface so that when pins drop from the table, a hazardous situation is not created. Pins can potentially stick up from the carpet and injure a student.

4. Should a recommendation be written addressing the data? ____X___Yes ____No

(If yes, list.)

- 1) Replace chalkboard in room 257 with a white board.
- 2) Change carpet to flooring in room TA 212
- 3)

C. Staffing

Instructions: Analyze the data on **FTEF**, **adjunct FTEF**, **and the FT/PT ratio** for the most recent fall semester and answer the following questions: No 2009 data has been made available.

FTEF (full-time equivalent faculty): # ____0____

Number of full-time FTEF: #___0____ Number of adjunct FTEF: # ____2.85_____

FT/PT load ratio: ____0/100_____

 How do the program numbers compare to a like semester (Fall to Fall) three years ago or the previous program review?
 No, in the fall of 2006 and 2007, we had 1 full time faculty member.

| | Fall 2005 | Fall 2006 | Fall 2007 (and 2008?) |
|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------------|
| Full time faculty | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Part time faculty | 8 | 5 | 4 |
| Total faculty | 8 | 6 | 5 |
| Full time FTEF | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Part time FTEF | 2.85 | 1.60 | 1.15 |
| Total FTEF | 2.85 | 2.60 | 2.15 |
| Percentage ratio: FT to PT FTEF | 0/100 | 39/61 | 46/54 |

2. What do the program data indicate? Comment on any trends or unusual data.

The state standard is 75% to 25%. According to data, this is not what is evident in the fall 2007 term. We currently (2009) have more instructors than from fall 2005, 2006 and 2007. For the school year, we have 11 part time instructors.

3. How does the FT/PT ratio benefit or harm the program? A lack of the proper ratio gives the program a lack of balance. The majority of instructors have responsibilities at other schools; they may not have time for office hours or to be available for students' needs beyond the classroom time. This can cause a strain on the demands of the full time instructor. As the program grows in number, another full time person might be necessary.

- Do you have a faculty mentoring program? _____ Yes ____X__ No Describe.
- 5. How does faculty maintain currency in their field?

One faculty member is an educational doctoral student and speaks in professional workshops in the discipline's annual international conferences. Another faculty member regularly attends trade shows in the discipline. Faculty members read the discipline's trade newspaper.

| Name | Reassigned time (how much in %) | Currently on leave (check) | Retired in last 2 years (check) | FT hired last 3 years (check) | Anticipated to retire in next 3 years (check) |
|-------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| Full Time | | | | | |
| V. Bruce | 0 | | | X Hired fall 2008 | |
| Part Time | 0 | | | | |
| B. Stott | 0 | | | | |
| A. Owens | 0 | | | | |
| D. Floral | 0 | | | | |
| L. Strobel | 0 | | | | |
| S. Warren | 0 | | | | |
| B. Goodwin | 0 | | | | |
| P. Ratcliff | 0 | | | | |
| G. Bazier | 0 | | | | |
| M. Jackson | 0 | | | | |
| M. Brooks | 0 | | | | |
| V. Kopecky | 0 | | | | |

6. Fill in the faculty status data below and answer the questions that follow.

6a. How does this data impact the program?

6b. Will this data affect the program in the future?

No

From this information, can you identify present and future staffing needs?
 __X_ Yes ____ No
 Explain.

Vera Bruce is the full time instructor who teaches a full load and is also responsible for administrative and department chair duties which include writing plan builders, program reviews, sponsoring community events, staffing, interaction with students as an administrator, supervising over 10 part-time instructors per year, putting on the yearly fashion shows, etc. Performing a full time teaching load and the additional administrative responsibilities cannot be performed adequately without an assistant. For several years working under the supervision of the full time instructor, Joyce Joaquin has worked in the capacity as the assistant to the full time instructor. Currently her salary is paid through a grant that was secured and will be nonexistent during this fall term. It is important to have the knowledge that funding is available to pay her for her valuable service. For following semesters, no salary funding arrangement are in place. Joyce is vital to the smooth running of the department. Joyce Joaquin has delegated administrative duties, organizational skills, computer knowledge (expertise with Macintosh Computers and software), and invaluable graphic art skills which have been used to promote our annual fashion shows and other departmental events.

She also works in the capacity of our webmaster. Following is a list of her duties as an instructional aide:

1. Operates and upkeeps equipment or instructional materials used for the department

- 2. Assists with the supervision of students during special school events
- 3. Works with the students, staff, faculty and community in promotion of the department and events
- 4. Prepares various correspondence with the school and community in terms of initiating letters, email and phone calls
- 5. Assists in compiling program review documentation
- 6. Writes our annual newsletter
- 7. Acts as liaison between our department and various school services (copy center, printing center)
- 8. Interacts with outside resources, graphic artists, suppliers on behalf of the department
- 9. Develops and updates and our department website
- 10. Attends and assists in activities of our Tailor Made department student club both on and off campus
- 11. Assists in paperwork, correspondence, advice, fundraisers and other duties for our annual fashion show
- 12. Graphically develops media kits and invitations from student drafts. Physically produces media kits and invitations. Delegates students in assembling mail correspondence for our fashion show guest list.
- 13. Acts as liaison between community media outlets and our department
- 14. Acts as liaison between Fashion Design alumni and the department
- 15. Attends and develops correspondence to our advisory board
- 16. Performs other duties as assigned.

8. What is the department doing to address any future staffing needs? Salary funding should be sought to insure that Joyce will be working with the department.

9. Should a recommendation be written addressing the data? _____Yes _____No

(If yes, list.)

Salary funding should be sought to insure that Joyce will be working with the department.

D. Planning

1. Do the program faculty and other personnel have a clear idea of what is happening in the program, where it is headed, what external changes are affecting it, and what changes need to be made in order to enable the program to adapt and continue to be successful?

Explain.

A faculty meeting was held in the fall which apprised attendees to what was happening in the department. A copy of the notes taken in the meeting could inform those who were not present. Currently, the absent instructors were given a copy of the agenda and were asked if they wanted anything in particular to be discussed in the meeting.

3. What data, not currently provided, would be needed in order to improve planning for the development of the program?

Explain.

Enrollment data and other information about the program should be made known to the part time staff also. It may be difficult to gather full participation in helping to increase the program to an individual who only teachers one class at ECC and more classes at another school.

4. What major external changes or trends do you expect to be of particular relevance to your discipline in the next five years?

Major globalization is the trend in the fashion industry. More business is handled overseas, more technology is being used. Communication via internet videoconferencing should be used as a teaching modality.

5. What will the implications of these changes or trends be for the program and how will the program need to respond?

The program will need to address the trends by preparing students to be made aware of and be competent in the technology that supports these trends. Classes on globalization that affects the apparel industry may be warranted. This will inform changes in curriculum? Funding will have to be made available for instructor training. The department will have to keep current with globalization and technology changes including software and hardware updates and training opportunities.

Professional development is vital to the program. Professional development in the area of technology and software updates training, training to teach the proposed classes will be necessary to be funded. Completion of a Grant writing workshop may facilitate the process of proposing and maintain grants.

6. Based upon the information above, how would you like the program to evolve within the next five years?

I would like to see classes that attract those even in the industry that will teach the students about globalization and how it affects their discipline. I would also like to have the program work in projects with industry partners since this is more hands-on. I would like to see technology used in the classroom more consistently.

7. Should a recommendation be written addressing the data? _____Yes _____No

(If yes, list.)

- 1. Create a list of new technologies used in the apparel industry and find industry partners that will work with the department to help create a curriculum (course) that will address those competencies.
- 2. Develop more industry partnerships
- 3. Beginning of the term faculty meeting to apprise the faculty of departmental trends and goals

V. Conclusion

Most importantly, the department needs more students. There is a need for improved marketing of the program, to strengthen relationships with feeders schools to recruit more students and to develop industry partnerships and projects. This can be accomplished though planning marketing projects, revitalizing the articulation with high schools and looking for industry partnerships.

Prioritized Recommendations

- 1. Distribute Surveys about taking Fashion 11AB should be distributed in the two 10AB classrooms (day and evening class). Distribution is planned for the middle of May.
- 2. The Institutional Research Office should keep a record of students who are listed as registered on the first attendance sheet but don't show up the first day along with a record kept of students who are dropped by the time of the first census. It will be requested of that office if it is possible to make that information available.
- 3. Department Chairs should have access to the grading justification (course assignments) of each course. When there is data that suggests trends that may affect success rates, the data can be looked at more carefully to see if there is any correlation to certain assignments.
- 4. Supplying explanations for the data gathered from the Institutional Research Dept. is difficult without having "feedback" in particular about the instructors' explanation and assessment of the grades earned in her class. A recommendation would be to have each instructor, at the end of the term, when grades are calculated, write a brief explanation if her grades do not follow the "bell curve". The instructor's insight might be valuable in adjusting curriculum to give students an opportunity to be more successful. There might be other recommendations that you can add, especially since you want to justify the health and continuation of your program.

5. We need to inactivate Fashion 37 and replace it with another course. Fashion 101 had been suggested by the previous full time instructor (Ms. McFarland). This new class would cover the technical aspect s of fashion design: Creating specifications, understanding garment construction methods, etc. Its content was recommended by current industry representatives. The anticipated timeline for this new class introduction is fall 2009.

Fash 100 (Fashion Studio) has not been offered within the last 3 years. This course needs to be assessed as to how it has been used in the past. This information will give guidance as to whether it should remain in the catalogue.

For Fashion 50, a list of potential topics for classes should be generated and a list of possible instructor should be sought. The first class should be taught in spring 2010.

- 6. After the seminar, a plan to implement the discoveries and findings exposed in the seminar will be developed and executed in regard to those things that would benefit ECC articulation agreements.
- 7. The television in room TA 257 should be repaired or replaced. This has been addressed through a grant proposal to make that particular room a smart classroom. If the proposal is accepted and funded, room TA 257 will be a smart classroom and thus updating the means by which learning takes place.
- 8. Replace chalkboard in room 257 with a white board. (Budgetary amount

\$500.00)

9. Salary funding should be sought to insure that Joyce will be working with the department. (\$ 5,000 per year)

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- a. Create a list of new technologies used in the apparel industry and find industry partners that will work with the department to help create a curriculum (course) that will address those competencies.
- b. Develop more industry partnerships
- c. Beginning of the term faculty meeting to apprise the faculty of departmental trends and goals.
- 2. Major Needs

1. Develop an orientation packet or program for newly hired staff

2. Department or person dedicated to helping students find jobs after graduation.

3. Securing Joyce a position of assistant to the full time instructor.

4. Change the flooring in the classroom (TA 212) to a smooth hard surface. (Cost is approx \$3,000.00)
5. Having a person designated as a dept chair is recommended. I am the full time instructor who has the full duties and responsibilities of what most schools designate as a department chair. Our counterpart, the Compton Center has department chairs. I do not have the title or the salary of a department chair even though I am carrying out all the duties of such including 9 to 10 part time instructors. Compensation in either salary and/or release time to perform those duties would be sufficient.

- 3. Strategies
 - i. Lynn Strobel, part-time instructor wants to implement an online class (History of Costume). She is currently organizing appropriate material
 - ii. Bi-annual meeting with Dean, full time instructor and part time instructors to apprise all involved with departmental information. Record the meeting for instructors who cannot attend. Good idea
 - iii. Develop partnerships with local industry.
 - D. Additionally, there is a desire to work more closely with the Compton center. We already have the fashion instructor, Ms Ratcliff teaching a course at the Torrance Campus. Ms. Ratcliff's strength is public relations and procurement. Those skills should be made available to both campuses. Currently, Ms Ratcliff includes Torrance students to assist her at the Compton Campus when she is promotion or having an event.

The fashion design department offers the following: <u>Associate in Science Degrees:</u> Fashion Design and Production Option Fashion Merchandising Option <u>Certificates of Achievement:</u> Computer Pattern Making Technician Option Costume Technician Option Fashion Design and Production Option Fashion Merchandising Option

Fashion Department Program Student Learning Objectives

By the completion of fashion design department coursework, the student will be able to design and construct an apparel items at a quality level to be shown in a fashion show.

By the completion of fashion design department coursework, the student will be able to analyze a garment design in terms of the basic elements and principles of design.

By the completion of fashion design department coursework, a student in the fashion design program will know how to develop a resume and how seek fashion design employment.

The following student learning objectives are for the individual certificates and AS degrees

| Program, Degree, or Certificate of A | <u>r Certificate Name:</u> Achievement: Fashi | Division or Unit: Industry & Technology | |
|-------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Merchandising | g Option | | |
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| leadership team) | | | |

Program SLO #1:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe the relationships among suppliers, producers, retailers and consumers. |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Associated Core Competencies | I. Content knowledge |

| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion Fashion 27 – Fashion Merchandising |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion-Fall Fashion 27 –Fashion Merchandising-Fall |

Program SLO #2:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe the importance and considerations of visual merchandising. |
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| Associated Core | I. Content knowledge |
| Competencies | II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| | |
| | III. Communication and comprehension |
| Proposed Assessment | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken |
| Instrument or Mechanism | from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target | Fashion 28-Visual merchandising |
| for assessment (leave blank | 5 |
| if assessment will not take place in courses) | |
| Target assessment date or | Fachier 00 Missiel march and isian Onnian |
| semester | Fashion 28-Visual merchandising-Spring |

Program SLO #3:

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| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to develop a mock-up of a retail store. |
| Associated Core | I. Content knowledge |
| Competencies | II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| | II. Communication and Comprehension |
| | IV. Professional and personal growth |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken |
| Instrument or Mechanism | from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target | Fashion 27 – Fashion Merchandising |
| for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 28-Visual merchandising |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 27 – Fashion Merchandising-Fall |
| Serriester | Fashion 28-Visual merchandising-Spring |

Program SLO #4:

| Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe the fashion industry's |
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| manufacturing process. |

| Associated Core | I. Content knowledge |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| Competencies | III. Professional and personal growth |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken |
| | from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank | Fashion 27 – Fashion Merchandising |
| if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 27 – Fashion Merchandising-Fall |
| | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion-Spring |

| Program, Degree, or Certificate Name: Associate in Science in Fashion Design- Fashion Merchandising Option | | | Division or Unit: Industry & Technology |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|-------------|-----------------------------------------|
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| Compton Faculty member should be a | | | |
| member should be a member of the leadership team) | | | |
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Program SLO #1:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe the relationships among suppliers, producers, retailers and consumers. |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Associated Core Competencies | III. Content knowledge |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion Fashion 27 –Fashion Merchandising |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion-Spring Fashion 27 –Fashion Merchandising-Fall |

Program SLO #2:

| tł | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe the importance and considerations of visual merchandising. |
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| Associated Core | I. Content knowledge |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| Competencies | II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| | III. Communication and comprehension |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken |
| | from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 28-Visual merchandising |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 28-Visual merchandising-Spring |

Program SLO #3:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to develop a mock-up of a retail store. | | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Associated Core Competencies | II. Critical, IV. Comm | unication and | analytical thinking Comprehension rsonal growth | |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of studen | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set | | |
| Relevant Courses to targe for assessment (leave bla if assessment will not take place in courses) | $\frac{t}{nk}$ Fashion 27 – Fasl | nion Merchan | 0 | |
| Target assessment date o semester | 1 43111011 21 -1 431 | Fashion 27 –Fashion Merchandising-Fall Fashion 28-Visual merchandising-Spring | | |
| Program, Degree, or Certificate Name: Associate in Science in Fashion Design- Production Option | | Division or Unit: Industry & Technology | | |
| Leadership Team | <u>Names</u> : Vera Bruce | Extensions: 3346 | Email Addresses: vbruce@elcamino.edu | |
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Program SLO #1:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe career paths in the fashion industry. | |
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| Associated Core Competencies | V. Content knowledge | |
| | VI. Critical, creative and analytical thinking | |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken | |

| | from this discipline set |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion-Spring |

Program SLO #2:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to select appropriate fabrics, notions, etc. suitable to a garment design. |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Associated Core Competencies | I. Content knowledge II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set. |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 10ab-Clothing Construction Fashion 11ab-Clothing Construction |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 10ab-Clothing Construction-Fall Fashion 11ab-Clothing Construction-Spring |

Program SLO #3:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to design, pattern and construct a garment suitable for a retail or private customer. |
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| Associated Core | I. Content knowledge |
| Competencies | II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target | Fashion 26A-Basic Design and Patternmaking |
| for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 26B-Basic Design Through Draping Process |
| Target assessment date or | Fashion 26A-Basic Design and Patternmaking-Fall |
| semester | Fashion 26B-Basic Design Through Draping Process-Spring |

Program SLO #4:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this disciplin the student will be able to describe the fashion industry's manufacturing process. | |
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| Associated Core Competencies | I. Content knowledge | | |
| Competencies | VII. Professional and Personal Growth | | |
| | Review of student grades and projects among course | | |
| | from this discipline set | | |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion | | |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion-Fall | | |
| Program, Degree, or Certificate Name: Certificate of Achievement: Computer Pattern Technician Option | | Making | <u>Division or Unit:</u> Industry & Technology |
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| leadership team) | | | |

Program SLO #1:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to construct a garment that suitable for mass market. |
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| Associated Core Competencies | I. Content knowledge II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 10ab-Clothing Construction Fashion 11ab-Clothing Construction |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 10ab-Clothing Construction-Fall Fashion 11ab-Clothing Construction-Spring |

Program SLO #2:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe the process of grading (expanding and reducing sizes) a garment. |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Associated Core Competencies | I. Content knowledge |
| Competencies | II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken |
| Instrument or Mechanism | from this discipline set |

| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 14-Pattern Grading |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 14-Pattern Grading-Spring |

Program SLO #3:

| Proposed SLO Statement | the student will | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to use computer technology to draw or "sketch" garment designs. | | |
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| Associated Core Competencies | | I. Content knowledge II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking | | |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set | | |
| Relevant Courses to targe for assessment (leave bla if assessment will not take place in courses) | ink | Fashion 15ab-Fashion Sketching | | |
| Target assessment date o semester | Fashion 15ab-F | Fashion 15ab-Fashion Sketching-Fall | | |
| | | | Division or Unit: Industry & Technology | |
| Leadership Team | Names: | Extensions: | Email Addresses: | |
| (first name should be the contact person) (wherever possible, a | Vera Bruce | 3346 | vbruce@elcamino.edu | |
| Compton Faculty member should be a member of the leadership team) | | | | |

Program SLO #1:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to construct a garment that suitable for mass market. |
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| Associated Core Competencies | I. Content knowledge II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 10ab-Clothing Construction Fashion 11ab-Clothing Construction |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 10ab-Clothing Construction-Fall Fashion 11ab-Clothing Construction-Spring |

Program SLO #2:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to explain and create various types of surface textile design. |
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| Associated Core Competencies | I. Content knowledge II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 35-Color Theory Fashion 2- Decorative Textiles |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 35-Color Theory-Fall Fashion 2- Decorative Textiles-Fall |

Program SLO #3:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to explain the history of costume. |
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| Associated Core | I. Content knowledge |
| Competencies | II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| Proposed Assessment | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken |
| Instrument or Mechanism | from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank | Fashion 31-History of Costume |
| if assessment will not take place in courses) | |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 31-History of Costume-Fall |

Program SLO #4:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to explain the theory of color. | | |
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| Associated Core Competencies | I. Content knowledge | | |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set | | |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 35-Color Theory | | |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 35-Color Theory-Fall | | |
| Program, Degree, or Certificate Name: Certificate of Achievement: Fashion Merchandising Option | | <u>Division or Unit:</u> Industry & Technology | |

| Leadership Team | Names: | Extensions: | Email Addresses: |
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Program SLO #1:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe the relationships among suppliers, producers, retailers and consumers. |
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| Associated Core Competencies | VIII. Content knowledge |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion Fashion 27 –Fashion Merchandising |
| place in courses) Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 1-Career Opportunities in Fashion-Fall Fashion 27 –Fashion Merchandising-Fall |

Program SLO #2:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe the importance and considerations of visual merchandising. |
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| Associated Core Competencies | I. Content knowledge II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking III. Communication and comprehension |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 28-Visual Merchandising |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 28-Visual Merchandising-Fall |

Program SLO #3:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to develop a mock-up of a retail store. |
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| Associated Core | I. Content knowledge |
| Competencies | II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |

| | III. Communication and comprehension IV. Professional and Personal growth |
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| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 27 – Fashion Merchandising Fashion 28-Visual Merchandising |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 27 –Fashion Merchandising-Fall Fashion 28-Visual Merchandising-Spring |

Program SLO #4:

| Proposed SLO Statemen | t Upon successfu | be able to desc | f the courses in this discipline, cribe the fashion industry's |
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| Associated Core Competencies | | ent knowledge onal and persor | nal growth |
| | Review of stude from this discip | - | projects among courses taken |
| Relevant Courses to targu for assessment (leave bla if assessment will not take place in courses) | ank Tustilon Tustilon | er Opportunitie | es in Fashion |
| Target assessment date of semester | Fashion 1-Care | er Opportunitie | es in Fashion-Fall |
| Program, Degree, or Certificate Name: Certificate of Achievement: Fashion Stylist Op | | Stylist Option | Division or Unit: Industry & Technology |
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Program SLO #1:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe fitting considerations and relationship of the body to garments. |
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| Associated Core Competencies | IX. Content knowledge |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 23-Fitting & Alterations |

| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 23-Fitting & Alterations-Fall |
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Program SLO #2:

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| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to describe how clothing, body types and image are related. |
| Associated Core | I. Content knowledge |
| Competencies | 5 |
| | II. Critical, creative and analytical thinking |
| Proposed Assessment | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken |
| Instrument or Mechanism | from this discipline set |
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| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank | Fashion 42-Apparel Analysis & Selection |
| if assessment will not take | |
| place in courses) | |
| Target assessment date or | Fashion 42-Apparel Analysis & Selection-Fall |
| semester | |
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Program SLO #3:

| Proposed SLO Statement | Upon successful completion of the courses in this discipline, the student will be able to explain the history of costume. |
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| Associated Core Competencies | V. Content knowledge |
| Proposed Assessment Instrument or Mechanism | Review of student grades and projects among courses taken from this discipline set. |
| Relevant Courses to target for assessment (leave blank if assessment will not take place in courses) | Fashion 31-History of Costume |
| Target assessment date or semester | Fashion 31-History of Costume-Fall |

Some SLOs are repeated (within the same subject matter) because we offer a full AS degree in fashion design and also a certificate in fashion design. The AS degree includes the necessity of completing general education requirements, whereas, the certificates do not. The fashion design coursework for both areas include some of the same classes.

SLO's have not been developed for each course. Along with the department's course offering reviews on over half the courses, new SLO's will be developed in conjunction with revising the course outline and syllabi via the curriculum committee (division office level). These outlines have a completion date of August, 2009. Instructors will be given an previous course outline and asked to submit revisions based on their course syllabus thereby updating the course outlines for course that have not been revised in over 10 years. After courses have been reviewed, SLO statements will be put in the worksheet and further

developed and assessed during the fall term for courses taught at that time. Likewise the same will occur in the spring for those courses.

The End.