



Division of Behavioral and Social Sciences
ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT
Wednesday, February 6, 2:30 pm

MINUTES

- Members:**
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dean: Chris Gold | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brett Marschall |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tanja Carter (Sabbatical) | <input type="checkbox"/> Gerardo Nebbia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Michael Fradkin | <input type="checkbox"/> Farshid Tahernia |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minehiro Inouye | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Counselor: Cheryl Kroll |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Meric Keskinel | |
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Scheduling and Enrollment

- The department reviewed its Spring, 2019 enrollment.
- Fill rates are very high, around 101% in the face-to-face classes.
- A second 8-week online ECON 2 class was added to help meet the demand. It filled quickly.

Adjunct Hiring

- Professor Inouye is going on sabbatical in Fall, 2019, and we will need to hire 1-2 new adjuncts to cover the classes.

Guided Pathways

- The department discussed Guided Pathways and reviewed the draft model prepared by Jason Suarez in consultation with Cheryl Kroll. Students who complete this pathway will receive the ADT and will have fulfilled the IGETC, CSU GE, and UC transfer pathway requirements. This allows for maximum flexibility for student transfer upon completion.
- The department would like to review the revisions to the math curriculum resulting from AB 705 and will consider moving the math class to the second semester.
- The Human Development requirement will include an option between 110 and 115. The Economics faculty would like to consider include a personal finance class in lieu of Human Development, if it meets the CSU GE Area E.
- The department faculty will meet with Cheryl Kroll to discuss and finalize any changes to the Economics pathway.

Department Activities

- Brett Marschall is the advisor for the Business Society Club, which included Economics students. They have elected officers and are planning fundraisers.

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