

**BSS** Division Council

Thursday, April 18, 2024

# Attendance

### Members:

Dean: Christina Gold Classified Staff: Beverly Knapp Anthropology: Angela Mannen Art History: Ali Ahmadpour Childhood Educ: Michelle Moen **Communication Studies: Mark Crossman** Economics: Tanja Carter Ethnic Studies: Xocoyotzin Herrera History: Jamahl Melton Human Dev't: Kristie Daniel Di-Gregorio (Excused) Philosophy: Felipe Leon Political Science: David Reed Psychology: Michael Wynne Sociology: Stacey Allen **Guests:** Associate Dean: Irena Zugic ASO: Linus Yeh ASO: Tala Ashkar Counseling: Cheryl Kroll

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## **Reports and Announcements**

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## **Business and Reminders**

- Evaluations
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- Academic AwardsPlanning Comprehensive Integrated Plan and Annual Planning
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#### Counseling Updates for Department Meetings: Spring 2024

### Transfer Center Events:

https://www.elcamino.edu/academics/transfer-center/events-and-workshops/index.aspx.

The Transfer Center is hosting a number of in person visits this semester, including USC on Tuesdays from 1-3 until the end of April. These are held on the first floor of the Student Services Center. A full list of university visits can be found on the TC website, including those with virtual options.

For UCLA bound students, the Transfer Center is hosting its annual tour/STOMP Transfer Conference on Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup>. Students can sign up in the Transfer Center with a \$5 refundable deposit.

#### **Career Center Events**

#### www.elcamino.edu/support/careers

- Blueprint Job Fair for Youth and Young Adults April 25<sup>th</sup> from 10-2 in the Student Services Plaza (but our students can come too!)
- "Let's Write Your Resume Workshop" on the following dates: 4/23; 4/24; 5/20 and 5/30 in Comms 207. Students sign up on the Career Center's website.
- "Undecided Majors Workshops" on the following dates: 4/18; 4/22; 5/6; and 5/9. Students sign up on the Career Center's website.

#### Scheduling Counseling Appointments:

Please encourage students to book NOW for summer/fall planning. Students are able to book appointments via this link: <u>https://www.elcamino.edu/support/counseling/appointments.aspx</u>.

Meta Major Drop Ins (Counseling Division): Tuesdays from 12-1 for BSS, HCW, STEM, Creative Arts, and LCJ; Tuesdays from 1-2 for Business; Tuesdays from 2-3 for ITEC; and Wednesdays from 4-5 for HCW and STEM again.

### Meta Major Outreach for Spring 2024

- Our BSS meta major newsletter (please share with your students on Canvas)
- Chat With a Counselor on April 23<sup>rd</sup> and May 7<sup>th</sup> (BSSB indoor Promenade)
- A virtual social work program Transfer University Panel on 4/25
- A BSS meta major transfer university panel in Fall 2024
- Continued work on our social media pages and outreach to African American Students

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Behavioral and Social Sciences		
FACULTY EVALUATIONS – SPRING 2024 Instructions and Timeline		
EVALUATOR INSTRUCTIONS	TIMELINE	EVALUATEE INSTRUCTIONS
<ul> <li>If the evaluatee is teaching in a variety of modalities, use your professional judgment to select one modality to observe (either online, on campus, or hybrid – you may only pick one modality).</li> <li>For on campus evaluations, contact the contract and schedule at least 30 minutes for an observation.</li> <li>For online observations, you will have access to the evaluatee's Canvas class(es) during the observation time frames listed in the column to the right. You may choose to contact the evaluatee to schedule a Canvas site tour anytime before the due date for all observations.</li> <li>As per the contract, enter your observation report information into the peer evaluation form in Trakstar Perform before you review the student survey results.</li> </ul>	OBSERVATIONSCanvas access will be granted for observation of online and hybrid classes during these time frames: 16-week classes: March 25-April 6 1st 8-week classes: March 11-16 2nd 8-week classes: May 13-18All observations must be completed by 	<ul> <li>The evaluator will contact you to schedule the observation(s) if you are teaching in person. Please consult the contract for situations where an unannounced visit may occur.</li> <li>If you are being evaluated online, the evaluator(s) may request you give them a tour through your Canvas site, and they will have access to your Canvas site(s) during the time frames listed in the column to the left.</li> <li>The Dean will conduct observations for probationary, full-time temporary, and some other faculty in certain situations.</li> <li>As per the contract, evaluators may only evaluate you in one modality (either on</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Student surveys for all modalities (on campus, hybrid and online) will be administered online through Canvas.</li> <li>If survey results are not received by the dates listed here, please proceed with the evaluation process without them. If the evaluation results are not received by the evaluatee by the due date, the evaluatee does not need to include them in the self-evaluation. This should be noted in the self-evaluation and the conference report.</li> <li>You may not assign an Unsatisfactory or Needs Improvement based solely on student survey results.</li> </ul>	STUDENT SURVEYS Administered: 16-week classes: Mar. 25-April 6 1 <sup>st</sup> 8-week classes – Mar. 11-16 2 <sup>nd</sup> 8-week classes – May 13-18 <u>Results:</u> 16 & 1 <sup>st</sup> 8-week classes – May 3 2 <sup>nd</sup> 8-week classes - asap	<ul> <li>campus or online).</li> <li>Student surveys for all modalities (on campus, hybrid and online) will be administered online through Canvas. Automatic messages in Canvas will remind students to complete the survey.</li> <li>If student survey results are not received by you by the due date, please proceed with completing the self-evaluation and note that you have not received your survey results.</li> <li>An evaluator may not assign you an Unsatisfactory or Needs Improvement based solely on student survey results.</li> </ul>

- One week before the conference, the evaluatee should email you the self-evaluation, syllabus and up to four instructional materials you may have requested or they may choose to share. If you do not receive the email, please reach out to the evaluatee and remind them to send it.
- Schedule the evaluation conference at a time convenient to you and the evaluatee [the Dean will schedule conferences for probationary faculty, including a pre-conference meeting with just the evaluator(s)].
- Evaluation conferences are not required for part-time faculty if they earn a satisfactory, however either the evaluator or the evaluatee may request it and it is good practice. A conference is required for part-time faculty who earn a needs improvement or unsatisfactory.
- Review the evaluatees' materials in preparation for the conference, including the self-evaluation report, student survey results, syllabus, and any other instructional materials the evaluatee may have chosen to share or you may have requested.
- At the conference, discuss all the materials listed above in addition to the SLOs.
- If the <u>evaluatee</u> earned an overall Needs Improvement or Unsatisfactory, carefully read and abide by the relevant portions of the contract (Article 20) and promptly consult with the Dean prior to your evaluation conference.
- At the conference please explain that the conference was conducted in accordance with Article 20 of the faculty contract. Please put this in the conference notes (Article 20 sections 1h2 and 2e6.1)

### **SELF-EVALUATION**

16 & 1<sup>st</sup> 8-week classes – May 10 2<sup>nd</sup> 8-week classes- May 24

### EVALUATION CONFERENCE

<u>Tenured/Probationary/ FT</u> <u>Temporary Faculty</u>: 16 & 1<sup>st</sup> 8-week classes – May 24 2<sup>nd</sup> 8-week classes – May 31

- Complete and submit the self-evaluation in Trakstar Perform by the due dates listed in column to the left. Once you submit your self-evaluation, you will no longer be able to edit it.
- In preparation for the conference, email the following to your evaluator at least one week before the conference: self-evaluation, syllabus, and up to four samples of course materials (sample materials are only included if your evaluator requests them or if you choose to submit them).
- Your evaluator or the Dean will contact you to schedule the conference.
- The conference includes discussion of the student surveys, peer evaluation, self-evaluation, SLOs, and any other required or voluntarily submitted materials.



Fall Scheduling and Three Days on Campus

# Planning

<u>Comprehensive Integrated Plan</u> – first draft of program description and goals has been submitted. First round of revisions need to make the goals broader, 10 year goals. Many of them read like annual goals. Want Dean to do first round edits and send out?

### Annual Plan – Program Leads – Thank you!

- ANTH Angela Mannen
- AHIS Karen Whitney
- CDEV Cynthia Cervantes
- COMS Mark Crossman
- ECON Tanja Carter
- ESTU Xocoyotzin Herrera
- HIST Orion Teal/John Baranski
- HDEV Kristie Daniel-DiGregorio
- PHIL Felipe Leon
- POLI Laurie Houske
- PSYC Angela Simon
- SOCI Stacey Allen

## **Annual Plan Ranking Requests**

### **Childhood Education**

- Practicum Live Scans \$8,000
- Mentor Teacher Funding \$25,000
- Child Development Lab School \$4,000,000

### Art History

- Learning Facilitator/Instructional Mentorship -\$15,000
- Three Smartboards \$10,000

## Anthropology

- Museum Clerk \$50,000
- Storage Cabinets \$13,500
- Signage \$5,000
- Faculty Special Assignment for Museum \$22,003
- (removed software and museum equipment)

# Academic Awards

### **Academic Awards**

Votes are due tomorrow to Ana Celis. Some departments did not have applicants.

**Presidential Awards** 

Votes are due next Friday to Cecelia Mataalii.

