



## Drafting Technology Industry Advisory Meeting Minutes

**Meeting Date and Time:** Mar. 17, 2023 (9:00AM-11:00AM)

**Meeting Location:** Norco College, ATEC 109

### Attendees:

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*This is a summary of an Advisory Meeting held with the purpose of gaining industry insight and advice on the drafting programs proposed by Norco College. Each meeting is unique and the conversation flows in different directions due to the expertise of those present. What follows are the highlights of the meeting.*

1. Welcome and Introductions-Start time 9:10am
2. Norco College's Drafting Updates
  - a. Course offerings, upcoming classes, credit/non-credit options, apprenticeship opportunities
    - i. Hybrid, online, non-credit now available
3. Programs used in industry
  - a. Fusion360, Revit, AutoCad, Simple 3d
4. Concepts/Skills that industry would like to be seen in new applicants
  - a. Ability to apply drafting concepts to solve complex, real world problems; sketching freehand skills; ability to use differing metrics and measurements between differing companies; cost estimates; proper use of scales (real vs. drawing); need for more practical skills; drone pilot's licensed by the FAA for surveys
5. What soft skills would you like to see?
  - a. Ability to work as a team
6. Conclude meeting, group taken on tour of Drafting Lab, Machining Lab and Automation Lab