



Academic Council
Minutes for October 27, 2022

12:50 - 1:50pm

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Meeting Participants

Quinton Bemiller, Peggy Campo, Zina Chacon, Araceli Covarrubias, Ashley Etchison, Patricia Gil (Co-Chair), Monica Gutierrez, Ryan Hitch, Daren Koch, Damon Nance, Jason Parks (Co-Chair), Martha Ramirez, Alexander Tucker, Sigrid Williams (Co-Chair), Patty Worsham

Committee Members Present

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Guest(s)

Jody Tyler, Brittnee Quintanar

Recorder

Claudia Figueroa

1. Call to Order

- 12:50 pm

2. Action Items

2.1 Approval of Agenda (Worsham, Campo)

- Approved unanimously

2.2 Approval of Minutes (Campo, Williams; 1 abstention)

- Approved

2.3 Equity Audit Rankings (Worsham, Covarrubias)

- Approved

3. Information Items

3.1 Program Review Rankings

- Rankings pending for some departments.
- Will finalize at next meeting.

- 3.2 New Faculty Rankings
 - New faculty ranking forms were distributed late by APC so this has been postponed until November.
- 3.3 MESA Grant
 - Norco College has been awarded the MESA Grant; \$280k annually for STEM.
 - Requires Admin/Director Position and a minimum of 125 students to achieve STEM degrees.
 - Requires 500 sqft dedicated space which is being established in STEM 100.
- 3.4 Program Update
 - 15 Unit Certificates for Python Program.
 - Data Analytics & Data Science certificate and degrees in progress
 - New Suite is mini-certificates
 - Essential Solidworks, Essential Fusion 360, Essential CAD, Essential 3D Tour
 - Working on the possibility of a Bachelor's Degrees for Game Development.
- 4. **Good of the Order**
- 5. **Adjournment**
 - Time 1:50 pm

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