Santa Monica College Academic Senate

Meeting Minutes

March 16, 2021 11:15AM – 12:35PM Online Session

I. Call to Order/ Approval of Agenda

M/S: D. Nasser/B. Antrim

Passed: 11:17AM

II. Public Comments

None

III. Approval of 3/2/21 Minutes

M/S: B. Magallon/D. Nasser

Passed: 11:21AM

IV. Action Items

a. Curriculum (D. Nasser) - S. Cordova appointed committee chair as of Fall 2021

i. New Courses (BUS, CIS, CS)

Approved as a bloc: 11:23AM

ii. New Course (TH ART 48)

Approved: 11:24AM

iii. Substantial Changes (AHIS 71)

Approved: 11:24AM

iv. Distance Education (AHIS, BUS, CIS, CS, SST)

Approved as a bloc: 11:25AM

v. Global Citizenship (AHIS)

Approved as a bloc: 11:25AM

vi. New Programs (Data Science Cert. of Achievement)

Approved: 11:27AM



vii. Program Revisions (Computer Business Applications AS/Cert. of Achievement, Early Intervention/Special Education Assistant AS/Cert. of Achievement, Social Media Assistant Cert. of Achievement)

Approved as a bloc: 11:27AM

viii. Changes to Degrees and Certificates (BUS, CIS, CS, TH ART)

Approved as a bloc: 11:28AM

- b. AR 5400 Associated Students 1st Read (B. Magallon)
 - B. Magallon reviews changes to this regulation since its previous incarnation as AR 5425. Taken together, these changes will allow more students to participate in student government.

M/S: A. Villalpando/L. Hald

Passed: 12:01PM

V. Information Items

- a. Global Citizenship Symposium
 - D. Broccard thanks senate for sponsoring the Global Citizenship Symposium and asks that instructors encourage their students to submit their work.
- b. New Faculty Committee/Ranking Process Committee/Accreditation Committee

Motion to approve vote on New Faculty Committee

M/S: D. Broccard/F. Faridian

Passed: 12:10PM

- c. FLEX Day Preview pushed for time
- d. COVID-19 Impact Report *pushed for time*

VI. Adjournment

M/S: D. Nasser/C. Matheson

Adjourned: 12:40PM

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Next scheduled meeting: March 30th 11:15AM – 12:35PM Online Session

