June 23, 2016 3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. L-201

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- 3. OPEN COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC
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- 6. DISCUSSION ITEMS
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 - Ornamental Horticulture
 - Philosophy
 - Commercial Music
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	FPDC - Kathryn Mitchell				
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1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

The Academic Senate meeting of June 23, 2016 was called to order at 3:00 p.m. by Dr. Ed Beyer, Academic Senate President.

- 2. OPENING COMMENTS FROM THE SENATE PRESIDENT
- 3. OPEN COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC
- 4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. June 2, 2016 Academic Senate Meeting (attachment)

A motion was made by Dr. Irit Gat and seconded by Van Rider to approve the minutes of the June 2, 2016 Academic Senate meeting.

Motion carried with one (1) correction.

Motion carried unanimously.

All action taken will be ratified at the September 1, 2016 Academic Senate meeting.

- 5. REPORTS (5 minutes maximum)
- 6. DISCUSSION ITEMS
- 7. ACTION ITEMS
 - a. Senate Representation

Dr. Beyer distributed handout with new breakout of the new division orgizational representation - see attachment.

A motion was made by Van Rider and seconded by Dr. Irit Gat to recognize Student Services as an <u>area</u> for the purposes of senate reprentation.

Motion carried unanimously.

On Opening Day Student Services will vote on their three (3) representatives; however, the appointments will be ratified as the an action item at the September 1, 2016 Academic Senate meeting. The new Student Services Representatives will not be able to vote on the ratification. If the item passes they can vote from that time forward.

Adjunct terms do not end until June 2017. From that point a call will go out for a 1-year and a 2-year position.

A motion was made by Dr. Irit Gat and seconded by Kristine Oliveira to adopt the representative structure for the senate.

Motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Beyer will notify the deans as to what happens on Opening Day.

b. Non-Traditional Credit (attachment)

A motion was made by Dr. Irit Gat and seconded by Van Rider to approve the Non-Traditional Credit Guidelines.

Motion carried unanimously.

8. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

- a. Academic Ranking
 - Jeff M. Stephens
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11. ADJOURNMENT

The Academic Senate meeting of June 23, 2016 was adjourned at 3:20 p.m. by Dr. Ed Beyer, Academic Senate President.

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ATTENDANCE June 23, 2016 Senate Meeting

Senate Meeting: June 23, 2016

Senate Meeting: June 23	, 2010		1		47	- 5	<i>co</i>
				4a 6/2/16 Minutes	7a Student Service	7b Senate Represe	7A Non-Traditions
Representative	Present	Proxy	Present				
Beyer, Dr. Ed	X			Y	Y	Y	Y
Bohler, Dr. Liette		Kathryn Mitchell					
Burrell, Carolyn		Dr. Scott Lee					
Flores-Kagan, Diane		Magdelena Caproiu					
Fuller, Rosa		Dr. Lee Grishman					
Ginosian, Dezdemona		Genie Trow					
Gat, Dr. Irit	X			1/Y	1Y	1/Y	1/Y
Haller, Dr. Glenn		Lisa Karlstein					
Halliday, Jack		Ty Mettler					
Harper, Dr. Jessica		Jason Bowen					
Knapp, Susan		Carol Eastin					
Leighton, Jonet		Lisa Karlstein					
Lubick, Karen		Harish Rao					
Nisani, Dr. Zia		Mike Pesses					
Oliveira, Kristine	X				2/Y	2/Y	Y
Overdorf, Cathy		Matthew Jaffe					
Rezek, Terry		Lisa Karlstein					
Rider, Van	X			2/Y			2/Y
Shafer, Dr. Ken		Dr. Matthew Jaffe					
Snyder, Susan		Denise Walker					
Sundberg, Elizabeth		Bonnie Curry					
Christopher, Violet		John Kokoska					
Veres, Larry		John Kokoska					
Roderick Mendoza (ASO)		Hanna Spellmeyer					

Guests/Ex-Officio: Dr. Glenn Haller, Jack Halliday Violet

Y=Yes, N=No, A=Abstain, NP=Not Present, 1=Motion, 2=Second

SEAT	Senator	End Term
Senate President	Dr. Irit Gat	August 2017
Vice President	Dr. Susan Lowry	August 2017
1 st Executive Officer	Van Rider	August 2017
2nd Executive Officer	Dr. Jessica Harper	August 2017
Career Technical Education	Jack Halliday	August 2018
Career Technical Education	Rick Motawakel	August 2017
Health & Safety Science	Dr. Glenn Haller	August 2018
Health & Safety Science	Rona Brynin	August 2018
Health & Safety Science	Susan Synder	August 2017
Rhetoric & Literacy	Harish Rao	August 2017
Rhetoric & Literacy	Kathryn Mitchell	August 2018
Rhetoric & Literacy	Diane Flores-Kagan	August 2018
Library	Carolyn Burrell	August 2018
Math/Science/Engineering		August 2018
Math/Science/Engineering	Dr. Jason Bowen	August 2018
Math/Science/Engineering	Dezdemona Ginosian	August 2017
Arts & Humanities	Lisa Karlstein	August 2018
Arts & Humanities	Terry Rezek	August 2018
Arts & Humanities	Jonet Leighton	August 2018
Social & Behavioral Sciences	Dr. Ken Shaffer	August 2017
Social & Behavioral Sciences	Dr. Matthew Jaffe	August 2018
Student Services	Susan Knapp	August 2018
Student Services	Rosa Fuller	August 2017
Student Services	Tamira Palmetto-Desdain	August 2018
Adjunct	Larry Veres	August 2017
Adjunct	Violete Christopher	August 2017
Legislative Liaison	Glenn Haller	Standing
Ex Officio	Dr. Ed Beyer	August 2017
7 Divisions & 1 Area (library)		

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GUIDELINES FOR THE ACCE	PTANCE O	F NON-TR	ADITIONAL & TEST	CREDIT		
			Percentile, Score			
		Credit	or Minimum Grade	Maximum Credit		
		Accepted	Required	Granted		
Sources of Nontraditional Credit		•				
Military Programs and Experience						
a. Community College of the Air Force		Yes	Passing Grade	No Maximum		
b. DANTES Subject Standardized Tests		Yes	ACE recommendation	48 units		
c. Military Service Schools-(<i>Including</i>		Yes	ACE recommendation	48 units		
4 units for Basic Training) See Appendix 4		165	ACE recommendation	40 UIIIIS		
d. Military Occupation		No				
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2. Law Enforcement Training						
a. California "POST" Academies (see Note below)		Yes	Official Document	16 units		
b. California Highway Patrol		Yes	Official Document	17.5 units		
c. L.A. Police Department Academy		Yes	Official Document	15 units		
Note: Law Enforcement training is accomplished at a						
academies. For non-traditional credit purposes, the t						
validates a particular academy as legitimate. "POST		r				
on the certificate of completion and the transcript to b						
For the AVC Administration of Justice major, credit w						
be granted for AJ 101 and 205. Students must take A						
and 103. Remaining units may be counted toward el						
the major for the degree. Any POST certified agency	with official					
documentation is accepted by AVC.						

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3. Registered Nursing - LVN Advanced Placem	ent	Yes	See Note Below	16 units		
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Note: A LVN admitted to the 2nd year of the ADN	program can					
elect to receive 16 units of credit for his/her LVN c	ourse work.					
This credit will be posted after successful completi	on of all 3rd					
semester nursing science courses and is the equi	vilent to					
first year nursing science courses in the ADN prog	ram.					
4. Non-Regionally Accredited Institutions		Conditional		48 Units		
Transfer credits from non-regionally accredited ins	titutions or oth	er professional	/vocational institutions wil	I be considered if:		
A. The institution from which the credits were earn	ed was author	ized as a degre	ee granting institution by the	he state in which		
it resided at the time the credits were earned AND)					
B . The institution generated a transcript of student	performance	that listed cours	se titles and units of credi	t in either semester		
or quarter units AND						
C. The course description of record/syllabus is de	termined to be	equivalent to the	he course description of r	ecord of a similar		
course at Antelope Valley College or as a course t	itting the Gene	ral Education p	pattern of CSU Breadth or	· IGETC.		
			Percentile, Score			
		Credit	or Minimum	Maximum Credit		
Sources of Nontraditional Credit		Accepted	Grade Required	Granted		
(Cont'd)						
5. Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)						
a. FAA Academy - Airway Systems Specialist (Se			n)			
b. ASE Auto Body/Automotive Certification (See L	ean of Techni	cal Education)				
c. Airframe and Powerplant License*		Yes	FAA License	48 units		
d. SpaceTEC Aerospace Technology Certification	**	Yes	Passing Grade	24 units		
*Note: Course credit for the A&P FAA License wi	ll he aiven for					
AERO 120, 121, 230, 231, 240 & 241.	9 011 101					
**Note: Course credit for the SpaceTEC Aerospac	e Technology					
License will be given for AFAB 110, 115, 13		tive units.				
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6. Cal State University English						
Equivalency Exam (ENGL 101-102 credit)		Yes	Passing Grade	6 units		
7. Corporate Training Programs		Yes	ACE Recommendation	48 units		
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8. Foreign Colleges or Universities		Yes	Passing Grade	48 units		1
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Note: Evaluation must be completed by an approve	d foreign					
credentials evaluation service - the list of approved	agencies					
is available in the Counseling Office. A syllabus mι	st be provided	1				
for each course in order to grant appropriate credit.						
9. Advanced Placement Exams of the		Yes	See Appendix 1	48 units		
College Entrance Examination Board (AP)						
See Appendix 1 for course equivalencies						
10. College-Level Examination Program (CLEP)		Yes	See Appendix 2	48 units		
See Appendix 2 for course equivalencies				2 2 12		
11. International Baccalaureate (IB)		Yes	See Appendix 3	48 units		
See Appendix 3 for credit granted		162	See Appendix 3	40 units		
Gee Appendix 9 for Great granted						
12. Basic Military Training		Yes	See Appendix 4	4 units		
See Appendix 4 for credit granted		100	осо пропаж т	Tarito		
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List of References used for Evaluation:						
American Council on Education Accredited Instituti	ons of Postsec	condary Educa	tion			
American Council on Education Guide to the Evalu	ation of Educa	tional Experier	nce in the Armed Forces			
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American Council on Education National Guide to	College Credit	for Workforce	Training			
American Council on Education Handbook of Trade	and Lechnica	al Careers and	<u> I raining</u>			
State Approved Schools of Nursing - L.P.N./L.V.N.						
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State Approved Schools of Nursing - R.N.						
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	*Advanced	Placement	Exams (AP)		 I	1
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Score	Credit Granted*	<u>Equivalent</u>		
2.4.5	2/2	ADT 101 / 102		
3, 4, 5	3/3	ART 101 / 102		
3, 4, 5	See Note	N/A		
	See Note	N/A		
3, 4, 5	See Note	N/A		
3, 4, 5	4	BIOL 101/L		
2.4.5	E / E	CUEM 110 / CUEM 120		
3, 4, 5	5/5	CHEWI 1107 CHEWI 120		
3, 4, 5	5/5	CHIN 101 / 102		
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3, 4, 5	3/3	CIS 111 / 113		
3, 4, 5	3	ECON 101		
3, 4, 5	3	ECON 102		
3. 4. 5	3	ENGL 101		
3, 4, 5	3/3	ENGL 101/102		
2.4.5	2	PIOL 104		
3, 4, 3		DIOL 104		
3, 4, 5	5/5	FREN 101 / 102		
3, 4, 5	5/5	FREN 201 / 202		
3. 4. 5	5/5	GER 101 / 102		
3, 4, 5	3/3	GER 201 / 202		
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Government & Politics:				
Comparative Government & Politics	3, 4, 5	3	POLS 103	
United States Government & Politics*****	3, 4, 5	3	POLS 101	
History:				
United States*****	3, 4, 5	3/3	HIST 107 / 108	
European History	3, 4, 5	3/3	HIST 101 / 102	
World History	3, 4, 5	3/3	HIST 104 / 105	
Human Geography	3, 4, 5	3	GEOG 105	
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Latin #	3, 4, 5	5/5	LATN 101 / 102	
		APPENDIX 1		
	*Advanced I	Placement Exams (AP)		
		(Cont'd)		
			AVC Course	
<u>Examination</u>	<u>Score</u>	Credit Grante	<u>d</u> * <u>Equivalent</u>	
Nash anastina				
Mathematics:	2.4.5		MATIL 450	
Calculus AB	3, 4, 5	5	MATH 150	
Calculus BC (AB subscore may be used)	3, 4, 5	5/4	MATH 150 / 160	
Statistics	3, 4, 5	4	MATH 115	
Music Theory	3, 4, 5	3/3	MUS 151 / 251A	
indusic Theory	3, 4, 3	373	W03 1317 231A	
Physics:				
Physics 1	3, 4, 5	4	PHYS 101	
Physics 2	3, 4, 5	4	PHYS 102	
Physics C%	, ,			
(Mechanics)	3, 4, 5	4	PHYS 110	
Physics C%%	, ,			
(Élect. & Mag.)	3, 4, 5	4	PHYS 120	
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Psychology	3, 4, 5	3	PSY 101	
Spanish:				
Spanish Language #	3, 4, 5	5/5	SPAN 101 / 102	

Spanish Literature ##	3, 4, 5		5/5	SPAN 201 / 202		
*AP exams can be used to satisfy AVC General Ed	lucation require	ements. AP ex	xams can be used to satis	fy CSU General Education	on	
Certification and IGETC requirements except "Criti	cal Thinking."	Consult the CS	SU Systemwide Credit for	External Examinations		
document for specific CSU GE credit granting of B	readth categori	es or the IGET	TC Standards document for	or specific credit granting	g of	
IGETC categories.						
**No more than 3 total elective units may be grante	ed for any/or all	Studio Art cou	urses combined.			
***AVC: Three (3) units of ENGL 101 credit will be	granted for a s	core of 3, 4 or	5.			
CSU: Can be used to certify GE Breadth Area A	-2: 3 units Area	A-2, 3 units fo	or elective credit for a tota	l of 6 units		
IGETC: Can be used to certify Area 1A for a total	of 3 units.					
****AVC: Three (3) units of elective credit will be gr	anted for a sco	re of 3. Three	(3) units of ENGL 101 cre	edit and three (3) units		
of ENGL 102 credit will be granted for a s	core of 3, 4 or	5.				
CSU: Can be used to certiify GE Breadth Areas	A-2 & C-2 for	a total of 6 uni	its.			
IGETC: Can be used to certify Area 1A or 3B for	or a total of 3 ui	nits.				
*****CSU: Can be used to certify GE Breadth Area			3 units.			
IGETC: Can be used to certify Areas 4H & US-	2 (AI) for a tota	l of 3 units.				
******CSU: Can be used to certify GE Breadth Area	as D & US-1 (A	I) for a total of	3 units.			
IGETC: Can be used to certify Areas 4F & US	G-1 (AI) for a tot	al of 3 units.				
#CSU: Can be used to certify GE Breadth Area C-:	2 (3 units) and	receive electiv	ve credit (3 units) for a total	al of 6 units		
IGETC: Can be used to certify Area 3B and 6A						
##CSU: Can be used to to certify GE Breadth Area	C-2 for a total	of 6 units				
IGETC: Can be used to certify Area 3B and 6A						
###CSU: Not listed on the "Systemwide Credit for			ment			
IGETC: Not listed on "Use of AP Examinations"	for IGETC Cert	ification"				
%AVC: Four (4) units of elective credit will be gran	ted for a score	of 3. Four (4)	units of PHYS 110 credit v	will be granted		
for a socre of 4 or 5.						
%%AVC: Four (4) units of elective credit will be gra	anted for a sco	e of 3. Four (4	4) units of PHYS 120 credi	it will be granted		
for a socre of 4 or 5.						
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	MINIMUM					
	SCORE FOR		CREDITS AWARDED	AVC/CSU Course/GE		
	CREDIT		(SEMESTER)	Equivalency**		

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SUBJECT EXAMINATIONS					
Accounting, Introductory	50	4	ACCT 201		
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American Government	50	3	POLS 101 - CSU/D		
Business Law, Introductory	50	3	BUS 201		
Calculus	50	5	MATH 150 - CSU/B4		
Chemistry	50	5/5	CHE110/120-CSU/B1/3		
College Algebra	50	3	MATH 128 - CSU/B4		
College French, Levels 1 & 2					
Level 1, Second Semester	50	5/5	FREN 101/102-CSU/C2		
Level 2, Fourth Semester	62	5/5	FREN 201/202-CSU/C2		
College German, Levels 1 & 2					
Level 1, Second Semester	50	5/5	GER 101/102-CSU/C2		
Level 2, Fourth Semester	63	4/4	GER 201/202-CSU/C2		
College Spanish, Levels 1 & 2					
Level 1, Second Semester	50	5/5	SPAN 101/102-CSU/C2		
Level 2, Fourth Semester	66	5/5	SPAN 201/202-CSU/C2		
College Composition Modular (Not applicable	50	3	ENGL 101		
for CSU GE Breadth)					
Information Systems & Computer Applications	50	3	CIS 141		
General Biology	50	4	BIOL 101/L-CSU/B2		
History of the United States I: To 1877	50	3	HIST 107-CSU/D/AI		
History of the United States II: 1865 to Present	50	3	HIST 108-CSU/D/AI		
Human Growth Development	50	3	PSY 235 - CSU/E		
Macroeconomics, Principles of	50	3	ECON 101 - CSU/D		

Microeconomics, Principles of	50	3	ECON 102 - CSU/D	
Management, Principles of	50	3	MGT 101	
Marketing, Introductory	50	3	MKTG 101	
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	**College Level Exam	ination Program (CLEP))	
	(Co	nt'd)		
	MINIMUM			
	SCORE FOR	CREDITS AWARDED	AVC/CSU COURSE/GE	
SUBJECT EXAMINATIONS	CREDIT	(SEMESTER)	Equivalency	
Psychology, Introductory	50	3	PSY 101 - CSU/D	
Sociology, Introductory	50	3	SOC 101 - CSU/D	
Western Civilization I:	50	3	HIST 101 - CSU/D	
Western Civilization II:	50	3	HIST 102 - CSU/D	
	MINIMUM SCORE FOR	CREDITS AWARDED	<u>.</u>	
GENERAL EXAMINATIONS	CREDIT	(SEMESTER)	AVC/CSU GE Equivalency	
Mathematics	50	6	AVC/D2	
Natural Sciences	50	6	AVC/A - CSU/B1 or B2	
Biological	50	4	AV ELECTIVE-CSU/B2	
Humanities	50	6	AVC/C - CSU/C2	

Analyzing and Interpreting Literature	50	6	AVC/C - CSU/C2		
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Social Sciences & History	50	6	AVC/B		
**The UC does not grant credit for any CLE					
for approved CSU G.E. areas. Refer to th	e CSU Systemwide External I	Examinations reference sheet in	the online Counselors'		
Procedures Manual. The application of CL	EP credit to major requirement	nts can vary from campus to can	npus.		
Check the appropriate catalog.					
	APPE	NDIX 3			
	INTERNATIONAL BAC	CCALAUREATE (IB)			
	MINIMUM 2007 TO T				
	SCORE FOR	CREDITS AWARDED	AVC/CSU GE		
	CREDIT	(SEMESTER)	<u>Equivalency</u>		
IB EXAMINATIONS (Higher Level only)					
Dialogue (LIII.)			AVC/A CCLI/D0		
Biology (HL)	5	3	AVC/A - CSU/B2		
Chamiata (III)	-		AV/C/A CCLL/D4		
Chemistry (HL)	5	3	AVC/A - CSU/B1		

Economics (HL)	5	3	AVC/B - CSU/D		
Geography (HL)	5	3	AVC/B - CSU/D		
History Any Region (HL)	5	3	AVC/B - CSU/D or C2		
Language A1 (HL) Other than English	5	3	AVC/C - CSU/C2		
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Physics (HL)	5	3	AVC/A - CSU/B1		
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2 semester hours in marksmanship, and					
1 semester hour in orienteering/outdoor skills					
Updated and Revised by L. Grishman 06/15/2016					

Law Scholars Committee -- Process and Timeline toward becoming a committee.

2013-2014 School year.

Spring 2014- Application submitted by AVC to have Law Scholar's program. Faculty members brought together to help. MOU signing at Chabot College in May and attended by three faculty members, AVC President and Vice President.

2014-2015 School year.

Fall 2014- Law Scholar Committee forms and meets for the first time. First Orientation for students is offered.

Meetings continue on a regular basis throughout school year.

May 2015- First Law Scholar Day. Four law schools attend. Debate portion planned, but not fulfilled.

Discussions by committee members about becoming a Senate Committee.

June 2, 2015- Memorandum drafted for AVC College Coordinating Council and input sought from Senate Executive. (email attached.)

2015-2016 School year.

9/29/15 Communication with Senate about becoming a Senate Committee. Ask to be put on agenda but there is confusion about whether request should go to Coordinating Council.

10/6/15 Email communications with Committee members about memo being drafting for Coordinating Council and request for input. (email attached)

10/8/16 Law Scholar agenda topic about follow up with Senate about becoming a Committee. All agree with draft of memo and that it should be submitted.

10/26/15 Memo submitted to AVC College Coordinating Council submitted by Rosa Fuller/Chair after consultation with Committee members and Dr. Vines.

No response received from AVC CC.

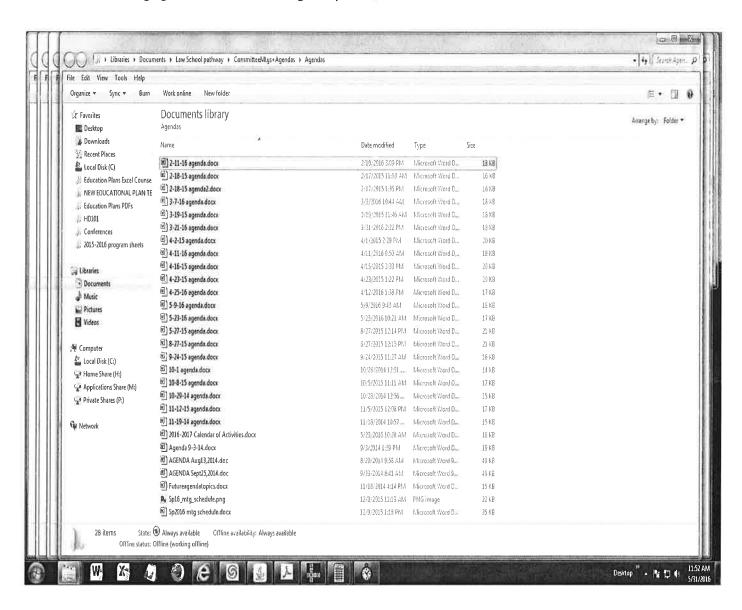
3/7/16 and 3/21/16 Bring up topic again at Law Scholar Committee and agree to ask to get on Senate agenda.

4/11/16 Law Scholar agenda item. Tim Lynskey agrees to coordinate and represent the committee.

4/18/16 Tim Lynskey contacts Senate to be put on agenda. Rosa Fuller seconds request.

5/19/16 Law Scholars committee addresses Senate. Doesn't make it to June agenda, so it will be set as Action Item at next available meeting. To be scheduled in Summer or Fall for Executive Leadership. Request for additional information submitted, but more pending.

Law Scholar Meeting agendas Fall 2014 through May 2016.



POTENTIAL 2016-2017 Law Program Activities

Sept.

Month	Activity	
September 14, 2016	Orientation + Social event for new students	
October 2016	LSAC Law Forum downtown	
Fall 2016- TBD	USC trip	
TBD	The New Jim Crow, Ms. Alexander, JD sponsored by Sociology and Pre-law clubs	
TBD	Defamation- courtroom drama funded by Equity	
January or Feb 2017?	CLEO all-day workshop on Law School Admissions "Road to Law School"	_
March/April 2017	Law Enforcement Day	
May 2017	Law Day Summit in No. CA	
May 2017	Graduation Ceremony	
To be added	Any law club events.	

BACK-UP DOCUMENTATION SHOWING DISCUSSIONS AMONG LAW COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABOUT BECOMING SENATE COMMITTEE FROM MAY 2015-JUNE 2016.

5-23-16

2:30-3:30pm

LC 114

- 1) Calendar of Activities 2016-2017 (Rosa Fuller)
- 2) Develop budget with activities- TBD
- 3) Senate presentation (Tim Lynskey/lead)

4) ACTION ITEMS:

- a. Graduation Ceremony 5/25 at 3:15pm
- b. UCI trip to undergrad and law school
- c. Fall 2016 orientation date 9/14/16 at 5pm with social afterwards.
- d. AVC Senate presentation follow-up on 6/2/16
- e. Defining Service Learning component effective 2016-2017 TBD

Fall 2016 meeting schedule:

 2^{nd} and 4^{th} Mondays of the month at 2:30-3:30. Sept 12 and 26

5-9-16

2:30-3:30pm

LC 114

- 1) Introduction: Julie Lewis/Law Club
- 2) Graduation ceremony/dinner plans finalization (All)
- 3) Defining Service Learning component effective 2016-2017 (Rosa Fuller)
- 4) Calendar of Activities 2016-2017 (Rosa Fuller)
- 5) Law Club and Federal Law Enforcement day (Dexter Cummins)
- 6) Senate presentation (Tim Lynskey/lead)

7) ACTION ITEMS:

- a. Fall 2016 orientation date 9/14/16 at 5pm with social afterwards.
- b. AVC Senate presentation on 5/19/2016
- c. Law Club activity (and future leadership) Summer meeting?

Spring 2016 meeting schedule:

5/9

5/23

4-25-16

2:30-3:30pm

LC 114

- 1) Graduation ceremony/dinner plans tbd
- 2) UCI Law School field trip TC
- 3) Defining Service Learning component effective 2016-2017

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- b. AVC Senate presentation date ? TL and NB. Contact Ed Beyer/N Masters
- c. Law Club activity (and future leadership)

Spring 2016 meeting schedule:

5/9

5/23

4-11-16

2:30-3:30pm

LC 114

- 1) AVC Senate standing committees -RF
- 2) Graduation ceremony/dinner update -TF
- 3) Certificate and AS/AA degree program 4-1-16 update
- 4) Law Club updates DC
- 5) Prelaw workshops -RF
 - a. 5/6/16 workshop on LSAT?
 - b. 3/30/16 held workshop on possible summer internship opportunities and highlighted discoverlaw.org and forums
 - c. Chaffey Summit conference 4/18-10/16 RF attending

6) ACTION ITEMS:

- a. Fall 2016 orientation date: See below.
- b. AVC Senate presentation- DC and NB? Contact Ed Beyer/N Masters
- c. Law Club activity (and future leadership)
- d. Service Learning course?? (link with teen court, CASA or?)

Spring 2016 meeting schedule:

4/25

5/9

5/23

FALL ORIENTATION

9/14 Wednesday at 5pm? (Labor day is 9/5/16) and/or Wed 8/17 at 10 am. Meeting beforehand?

3-21-16

2:30-3:30pm

LC 114

- 1) AVC Senate standing committees -RF
- 2) AVC Resource Fair on april 5, 6, 7 from 10:45-11:15 pm
- 3) Graduation ceremony/dinner update -TF
- 4) Chaffey Summit conference 4/18-10/16 RF attending
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 - c. Students interested in summer programs travel etc.

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- b. Certificate/Degree program conference 4/1/16
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- 9) Follow-up/feedback on visit from HHS law academy visit.

Spring 2016 meeting schedule:

3/21

4/11

4/25

5/9

5/23

3-7-16

2:30-4pm

LC 114

- 1) Revised meeting schedule for Spring. See bottom.
- 2) Graduation ceremony/dinner?
- 3) Pathway to Law Summit updates. Chaffey conference 4/18-10/16
- 4) Prelaw workshop in March
 - b. workshop on LSAT, or social, or possible summer internship opportunities.
 - c. Trips/forums/ law school partnerships
 - d. Explore discoverlaw.org

5) ACTION ITEMS:

- a. Law Club activity (and future leadership)
- b. Service Learning course?? (link with teen court, CASA or?)
- c. Committee expansion-send notice through Senate.
- 6) Follow-up/feedback on visit from HHS law academy visit.

Spring 2016 meeting schedule:

3/21

4/11

4/25

5/9

5/23

Events:

Chaffey College Law Program

2-11-16

LC 114

- 1) Meeting schedule for Spring. See attached. Request to meet at earlier time by D.Walker
- 2) Visit from HHS law academy students on 2/25/16.
- 3) Pre-law advising ideas.
- 4) Program rules: GPA requirement and service learning or club participation

Spring semester activities--

- a. Speaker- Richard Loa or ??
- b. workshop on LSAT, or social, or possible summer internship opportunities.
- c. Trips/forums/ law school partnerships
- d. Explore discoverlaw.org
- 5) Law Club and identifying possible leadership
- 6) LawGroup on MyAVC who wants to update/manage?
- 7) Law Scholars curriculum
- 8) Certifying Law Scholars at AVC—process?
- 9) Expanding committee commit to contacting one person

Next meeting: February 25 or earlier?

Events:

UC Davis Law Day: Feb 20, 2016- see forwarded email HHS law and government academy visit on 2/25/16

11-12-15

LC 113

- 1) Law Club update and assistance
- 2) Curriculum and Comm 115 course
- 3) Certifying Law Scholars at AVC—process?
- 4) UC Davis law day—trip request. Need confirmations for budget request.
- 5) Expanding committee commit to contacting one person
- 6) Request submitted to Coordinating Council in October. Update if available. Need Senate rep.
- 7) Visit from HHS law academy students on 2/25/16

Next meeting: February 25 or earlier?

UC Davis Law Day: Feb 20, 2016- see forwarded email

If staying overnight on 2/19/16 will need to call to make reservations:

Hyatt Place UC Davis 173 Old Davis Road Extension Davis, California, USA, 95616 Tel: +1 530 756 9500 \$165 law scholar rate

Corporate or Group Code: G-UC10

10-8-15

LC 113

Meghan Sikes from National Universit	will join us to go	over their paralegal	l program.
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- 1) LSAC trip details- meet at____location by _____time
- 2) Calendar of Activities- follow-up with Law Club and Tim Lynskey (or designee) Loyola tour?
- 3) UC Davis law day—trip request
- 4) Expanding committee commit to contacting one person
- 5) Request to become committee. Need Senate rep.

Next meeting: 10/22

UC Davis Law Day: Feb 20, 2015

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memo on law scholar

3 messages

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To: Rosa Fuller <rosafuller@gmail.com>, Nancy Bednar <nbednar@avc.edu>, Timothy Lynskey <tlynskey@avc.edu>, Dexter Cummins <dcummins@avc.edu>

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Rosa Fuller, MS Counselor/Associate Professor (661) 722-6300, ext. 6290



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Timothy Lynskey <tlynskey@avc.edu> To: Rosa Fuller <rfuller@avc.edu>

Tue, Oct 6, 2015 at 12:19 PM

Great work Rosa. As always, you are the leader.

Tim

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Tue, Oct 6, 2015 at 12:48 PM

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Looks great.

Nancy

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Rosa Fuller, MS Counselor/Associate Professor (661) 722-6300, ext. 6290 To: AVC College Coordinating Council

From: Law Scholar's Committee / Rosa Fuller, Chair

Date: October 26, 2015

Re: Request to create formal Participatory Governance Committee

Background/Justification

On May 1, 2014, AVC entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with 23 other community colleges and six participating California Law Schools. The Memorandum of Understanding was created by the California Community College Chancellor's office and outlined the creation of the Law Scholars Program on campus. The program helps students develop analytical thinking skills, receive specialized counseling and exposure to the field of law. Students prepare to transfer to a four year university while understanding the law school admission process. At AVC they have opportunities for mentoring and meeting professionals in the field, while hearing about internships and volunteer opportunities. The program started in fall 2014 with a committee of five faculty members, an administrator, a student and a representative from the Antelope Valley Union High School District. There are approximately 55 students in the program.

This inter-disciplinary Law Scholars Committee is formed by the following members.

Coordinator - Chair/ Rosa Fuller
Law Program Designated Counselor / Rosa Fuller
Political Science Professor/ Dr. Nancy Bednar
Administration of Justice Professor / Dexter Cummins
Administration of Justice Instructor / Timothy Lynskey (Senate representative)
General Education Instructor (Communications, History, English, etc) / Vacant
Vice President / Dr. Erin Vines
Antelope Valley Union High School District/ Diane Walker, JD
Antelope Valley Union High School District Counselor/ Debbe Penny
Student Representative/ Law Club President/ Jacqueline Adams last year (Bryant Hobbs 2015)
Administrative Support/ Clerical 3/ Deja Brown

Governance Structure

The term of office is for 3 years, with the exception of student representatives who serve on a yearly basis. Committee members elect the chair. All are voting members. One faculty member will be the Senate representative and give an annual report to the Senate. The committee has been meeting twice a month since last year. Meetings are currently held on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month.

Faculty Chair

The Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) states the following about the coordination of the program.

"Instructional Faculty Champion. Each community college will designate one "Faculty Champion" to lead the Initiative at its college and within its district. While some of the tasks of the Faculty Champion may be delegated to other faculty members or administrative staff at the college, it is important that there be a single member of the Faculty to act as a liaison to the Initiative and the Statewide Coordinator. That individual may change as the needs of each community college dictate, but it is expected that Faculty Champions will serve in that role for a minimum of three years

The Faculty Champion must:

i. Be a full-time, tenured or tenure-track faculty member at the community college. If an adjunct faculty is better suited for the role, an exception shall be requested from the Statewide Coordinator; ..." (Section II, point" F" on Page 8 and 9 of the MOU)

During the 2014-2015 academic year the interim faculty champion (Rosa Fuller/counselor and associate professor) administered the program using a combination of program development and counseling hours. However future leaders may not have this flexibility and for that reason this memorandum requests that the Law Scholars Chair receive formal LHE for their service. This will allow other faculty members to participate and take on leadership of the committee.

Designated duties of the Law Scholars Committee Chair

It is expected that the Chair of the Law Scholars Committee take on these duties

- Oversee overall implementation of program at AVC
- Chair and hold regular Law Scholar Executive Committee meetings and follow-up on tasks
- Recruit students and seek out special student populations
- Work with counseling faculty and student leaders in facilitating campus events to create a prelaw culture and promote the success of this Initiative
- Prepare and update informational materials such as brochures and flyers to promote program
- Manage and maintain Law Scholars website and email group
- Maintain list of students who complete the program and forward to Statewide Coordinator
- Attend annual law conference/summit of the parties
- Manage a basic Law Scholars budget
- Develop calendar of law related information and activities for students in conjunction with Executive Committee, Statewide Coordinator and Law Club. (i.e.: law day conf or debate)
- Review required curriculum annually for statewide requirements, currency and effectiveness
- Liaison with community agencies/organizations, including local judiciary and bar organizations
- Develop opportunities for students to experience service learning/civic engagement exposure to the legal profession, and provide information about extracurricular opportunities
- Respond to program inquiries and presentation requests from AVC administration, faculty partners, students, community stakeholders and supporters
- Develop community advisory council and chair periodic meetings
- Liaison with and help guide the Law Scholars Club

Request for time to coordinate program. Coordinator will need 6 LHE (40%) time per semester for three-year term. This can be reassigned time, release time, or overload time.

Designated Counselor Duties

The MOU also requires the program to have a designated counselor. The counselor duties include, but are not limited to:

- Prepare and deliver annual orientations to students and community on the Community Colleges Pathway to Law School Initiative
- Manage program application and communicate with potential student applicants
- Maintain roster of new and current students and track compliance with program requirements
- Prepare individualized educational plan(s) according to academic goals and transfer institution while ensuring the seven specific Law Scholar courses are taken
- Interface with Admissions and Records Dean to designate select students as Law Scholars
- Serve as pre-law advisor on campus and participate in pre-law advisor conferences.
- Attend annual law conference day.
- Disseminate information to students about internships and volunteer opportunities
- Help schedule college visits and disseminate transfer information to students
- Help organize campus activities that expose students to the field of law and communicate with students
- Develop flyers and marketing materials to promote special law related events
- Promote communication and partnership with 4-year undergraduate institutions and law schools
- Seek out professional development opportunities to stay current with transfer requirements, especially to the six undergraduate campuses affiliated with the Law School Initiative.
- Offer career advising and limited financial aid guidance
- Write letters of recommendation for programs and scholarships

Request to reassign counseling time toward this program.

In order to fulfill the above duties the designated counselor will need 6 LHE. It can be reassigned from general counseling time and also taken from program development time. No release or overload time is needed.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

During the 2014-2015 academic year, AVC faculty from four disciplines, along with student representatives and the Vice President of Student Services, and the Antelope Valley Unified High School district developed the program on campus. Materials were created, the program was marketed to students and the community, the law club was developed and student leaders mentored. Speakers on the law were brought to campus and four law school admission representatives participated in the first annual Law Conference. Connections have been made with partner institutions and opportunities for AVC students to get exposure to the law field are expanding.

Approximately 55 students are enrolled in the program. Students are required to complete select coursework to develop critical thinking skills, maintain a satisfactory GPA, complete transfer requirements and successfully transfer to a four year baccalaureate program, in preparation for law school admissions. Students receive specialized counseling from a designated counselor, as specified in the MOU. They are required to attend activities developed by the committee; participate in the Law Club and seek out extracurricular activities.

The AVC Law Scholars program has flourished in the midst of limited funds, structure and guidance. The committee members have embraced the vision of helping to diversify the field of law and provide information and mentorship opportunities to AVC students so that they can become attorneys. The AVC program has been lauded statewide and held as an example for others to follow. This has been done at the expense of faculty effort and commitment. However, in order for the program to survive and develop, new leadership and enhanced faculty participation is needed at the institutional level.

The Law Scholars Committee respectfully requests that AVC formalize this participatory governance committee and support the Initiative. It is inter-disciplinary; student focused, promotes transfer and diversity, and meets campus ILOs.

9-24-15

LC 113

Dr. Randy Schultz from CSUB will be there at 2pm to go over the CSUB program and explore how it might tie to the AVC program.

- 1) Debrief orientation
- 2) Calendar of Activities- follow-up with Law Club and Tim Lynskey (or designee)
- 3) Update on pre-law programs
- 4) Funding needs
- 5) Expanding committee

Next meeting: 10/8 Presentation by National University: Meghan Sikes (Note: Email requests were sent to Thuy asking for Law school materials for Law Club and referring Ken Lee consultation.)

8-27-15 at 2pm

LC 113

- 1. Updates (Rosa and +)
 - a. Application updates (online)
 - b.LSAC in June overview
 - c. Conference call with Ruthe and Thuy
- 2. Activities for year.
 - a. Developing calendar of activities
 - b. Meeting with CSUB
- 3. Trip to LSAC
 - a. Coordination needed
- 4. Law Club update Law club leadership
- 5. Orientation on 9/10/15 at 5pm. Need PPT developed, and planning.
- 6. Fall meeting dates: 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 2pm in LC 113
- 7. Coordination of Law Scholar's committee and establishing it as Campus committee.
- 8. Miscellaneous



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Formalizing Law Committee

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Tue, Jun 2, 2015 at 12:00 PM

To: Dexter Cummins mcummins@avc.edu, Timothy Lynskey tlynskey@avc.edu, Nancy Bednar nbednar@avc.edu, Rosa Fuller rfuller@avc.edu

Dear colleagues-

I drafted this memo on behalf of all of us, to start the process of formalizing the Law Scholar Committee.

It is for the College Coordinating Council, which includes the Presidents of the College and the Senate. It will probably have to go to the Senate too.

It probably won't go before the Senate until next academic year.

Please provide any input and/or comments.

Thanks.

Rosa Fuller, MS Counselor/Associate Professor (661) 722-6300, ext. 6290

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To: AVC College Coordinating Council

From: Law Scholar's Committee (faculty members)

Rosa Fuller, coordinator and counselor Dr. Nancy Bednar, Political Science Professor Dexter Cummins, Administration of Justice Professor Timothy Lynskey, Administration of Justice Instructor

Re: Request to formalize Law Scholar Program (COAF) Committee

On May 1, 2014, AVC signed a Memorandum of Understanding to create the COAF Scholars Program and create a special partnership agreement among six participating California Schools of Law and twenty-four selected community colleges in California. The initiative was established under the auspices of the State Bar of California's Council on Access and Fairness (COAF). (See attachment #1).

The purpose of the agreement is to create a pathway to law school for students whose post-secondary education begins at the community college. It aspires to diversify the field of law, whose make-up has lagged behind every other profession in the country. There are many reasons why the field of law would benefit from diversification, one of which reads in the MOU. "Studies among court users show that diversity in the legal profession and judiciary is a priority for public trust and confident in the legal system and the appearance of fairness in the courts."

During the 2014-2015 academic year, AVC faculty from four disciplines, along with student representatives and the Vice President of Student Services, formed a committee to implement the program on campus. The interdisciplinary committee members promote the program to AVC students, mentor the newly established Law Club leadership, and plan activities on campus to expose students to the field of law and demystify the application process. The Committee coordinator handles internal administrative issues, such as marketing, materials, and communications with students, faculty and community. The entire committee also participates in statewide coordination and training efforts. It meets bi-weekly.

Eighty-eight (88) students enrolled in the program. Students are required to complete select coursework to develop critical thinking skills, maintain a good GPA, complete transfer requirements and successfully transfer to a four year baccalaureate program, prior to applying to one of the six partner law schools. They receive specialized counseling from a designated counselor, as specified in the MOU. They are also required to attend activities developed by the committee; and encouraged to participate in the Law Club and seek out extracurricular activities.

The Committee planned activities included hosting a prominent attorney to speak in the fall, and a student law conference in the spring. The May conference featured local attorneys and representatives from four law schools. Over 100 AVC students attended the law conference.

The Committee requests that AVC formalize this committee on campus. It is inter-disciplinary, student focused, promotes transfer and diversity, and meets campus ILOs.

5-27-15 at 2pm

LC 113

- 1. Debate/Conference debrief all
- 2. 2+2+3 meeting in LA + future plans for Law Scholars- Dr. Vines
- 3. Brochure follow-up Rosa
- 4. Law Club update Law club leadership
 - a. requiring club participation
 - b. Social events throughout the year
 - c. Pre Law club Bylaw template
- 5. Fall dates for calendar:
 - a. Orientation dates: Monday 8/17@2pm and Tues 8/18 @10am +/or Wed 8/19 at 2pm? Additional orientation on 9/16 Wed at 2pm?
 - i. Note: Welcome back days on 8/20 (Palmdale) and 8/21 in Lancaster.
 - b. Fall meeting dates: Wednesdays or Thursdays at 2pm? Optional: First and Third Thursdays at 4:30 pm?
 - c. Marie Calendar meeting Wednesday 8/19 at noon? (note:possible orientation at 2pm?)
 - d. Developing calendar of activities
- 6. Coordination of Law Scholar's committee next year and establishing it as Campus committee.
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11-12-15

LC 114

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