

# Guided Pathways Coordinating Committee Minutes

Tuesday, October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Zoom -

<https://avc.zoom.us/j/99765591374?pwd=NHAzMmVaTkREVStGQWkvUVluZlJlTz09>

1:00pm – 2:00pm

**Type of Meeting:** *Guided Pathways*

**Note Taker:** *(Name)*

**Please Review/Bring:**

- Guided\_Pathways\_Committee\_Minutes\_(09\_14\_21).pdf
- Guided\_Pathways\_Committee\_Agenda\_(10\_12\_21).docx
- GuidedPathways\_AreasofStudy(10\_06\_21).pdf

**Committee Members:**

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Items	Person	Action
I. Approval of Agenda	All	<p><b>Issues Discussed:</b> Approved</p> <p><b>Action Taken:</b></p> <p><b>Follow Up Items:</b></p>

II.	Approval of Previous Minutes	All	<b>Issues Discussed:</b> Approved <b>Action Taken:</b> <b>Follow Up Items:</b>
III.	Opening Comments from Co-chairs.	Isabelle Saber & Nate Dillon	<b>Issues Discussed:</b> <b>Action Taken:</b> <b>Follow Up Items:</b>
IV.	Open Comments from the Public	All	<b>Issues Discussed:</b> <b>Action Taken:</b> <b>Follow Up Items:</b>
V.	Areas of Study Work	Isabelle Saber	<b>Issues Discussed:</b> List approved to move forward as GP recommendation for campus with a few minor adjustments and additional clarifications. <b>Action Taken:</b> <b>Follow Up Items:</b> Isabelle and Nate will present the updated Areas of Study list to the Academic Senate on October 21 <sup>st</sup> and request their feedback/approval by the next Academic Senate meeting.
VI.	Guided Pathways Committee Term Limits	Nate Dillon	<b>Issues Discussed:</b> Tabled <b>Action Taken:</b> <b>Follow Up Items:</b> Committee members will consider which positions should be given term limits and this item will be added to the next agenda for discussion and voting. Nate will send out the previously CCC approved structure and term limits (or lack of term limits) list.
VII.	Open Discussion	All	<b>Issues Discussed:</b> <b>Action Taken:</b> <b>Follow Up Items:</b>
VIII.	Adjourn		1:47pm
<b>NEXT MEETING DATE: 11/09/2021</b>			

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Tuesday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
Zoom -  
<https://avc.zoom.us/j/99765591374?pwd=NHAzMmVaTkREVStGQWkvUVVluZlJTZz09>  
1:00pm – 2:00pm

**Type of Meeting:** *Guided Pathways*  
**Note Taker:** *(Nate Dillon)*  
**Please Review/Bring:** 04-13-2021 Minutes

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Items	Person	Action
I. Approval of Agenda	All	<b>Issues Discussed:</b> Approved <b>Action Taken:</b> Kenya Johnson added to member list on Agenda and GP Website. <b>Follow Up Items:</b> N/A
II. Approval of Previous Minutes	All	<b>Issues Discussed:</b> Approved <b>Action Taken:</b> N/A <b>Follow Up Items:</b> N/A
III. Opening Comments from Co-chairs.	Isabelle Saber & Nate Dillon	<b>Issues Discussed:</b> Introduction of new regional rep, Dr. Natalie Nagthall. Introduction of new co-chair, Isabelle

		<p>Saber, VP of Academic Affairs. Introduction of new ASO Student Representative Cory Barnes.</p> <p><b>Action Taken:</b> N/A</p> <p><b>Follow Up Items:</b> N/A</p>
IV. Open Comments from the Public	All	<p><b>Issues Discussed:</b> N/A</p> <p><b>Action Taken:</b> N/A</p> <p><b>Follow Up Items:</b> N/A</p>
V. Areas of Study Work	Isabelle Saber	<p><b>Issues Discussed:</b> Areas of Study work will continue, now incorporating ideas of organizational structure continuity.</p> <p><b>Action Taken:</b></p> <p><b>Follow Up Items:</b> New Areas of Study Workgroup will make alterations to the current proposed plan and report back to GP Committee.</p>
VI. Open Discussion	All	<p><b>Issues Discussed:</b></p> <p><b>Action Taken:</b></p> <p><b>Follow Up Items:</b></p>
VII. Adjourn		1:58pm
<b>NEXT MEETING DATE: 10/12/2021</b>		



# Guided Pathways - Areas of Study

The following lists are suggested meta major groupings for the AVC campus. It is the result of collaborations with the Guided Pathways Committee's Meta Major Workgroup and campus stakeholders ranging from students, faculty and staff. After student surveys, we have decided to use the term Areas of Study on our campus when referring to meta majors. The Guided Pathways Committee is presenting this document as a further way to elicit feedback and communication from different stakeholder groups on campus. We are attempting to improve and clarify our groupings to allow students to better choose their plans of study at AVC. By grouping similar programs together, we hope to minimize the impact on a student's progress if they decide to stay within an Area of Study.

In this planning, it is important to make certain distinctions so that students may take the least number of units prior to transferring or receiving their certificate or degree, so clarification is essential. For example, under **Accounting**, the AA degree that a student would receive is **Professional Bookkeeping**. This is not the appropriate course of study for students wishing to earn a bachelor's degree in **Accounting** (a student taking this course of study will take **30** additional units before transferring to a university). Another example is, under Education, the degree the student will receive is an **AA in Instructional Aide**. Students may unknowingly take this course of study in pursuit of a teaching credential (a student taking this course of study will take **20** additional units before transferring to a university). An **Instructional Aide AA** is not required for a credentialed teaching career.

Please help the Guided Pathways Committee in clarifying these distinctions and with any other feedback you may have regarding the groupings of programs within these suggested Areas of Study.

## AREAS OF STUDY

### Aerospace Technology:

- Advanced Manufacturing – CTE
- Aeronautical & Aviation Technology – CTE
- Aircraft Fabrication and Assembly – CTE
- Airframe Manufacturing Technology ( B.S.) – CTE
- Electronics Technology – CTE\*\*

### Applied Technology:

- Air Conditioning, Refrigeration & Ventilation – CTE
- Auto Body – CTE
- Automotive Technology – CTE
- Electronics Technology – CTE \*\*
- Electrical Technology – CTE
- Welding – CTE

### Arts:

- Art – A&H
- Dance – A&H
- Digital Media – A&H\*\*
- Film & Television – A&H
- Music – A&H
- Music – Commercial – A&H
- Photography & Commercial Photography – A&H
- Theatre Arts – A&H

### Business/Computer

### Applications/Economics:

- Accounting – SBS
- Business – SBS
- Business Information Professional/Office Technology – SBS
- Computer Applications – SBS
- Economics – SBS
- Management – SBS
- Real Estate – SBS

### Computer Technology:

- Computer Applications – SBS\*\*
- Computer Science – MSE\*\*
- Digital Media – A&H
- Data Science, *Program to be developed\*\**
- Geographic Information Systems – MSE

### Education and Counseling:

- Alcohol and Other Drug Studies – SBS
- Child & Family Education – SBS
- Education – SBS\*
- Teacher Education, *Program to be developed*
- Psychology – SBS\*\*

### Health Sciences:

- Kinesiology – AKIN\*\*
- Medical Office Assisting – SBS
- Radiologic Technology – HSS
- Registered Nursing – HSS
- Respiratory Care – HSS
- Licensed Vocational Nursing – HSS
- Biological Sciences – MSE\*\*

### Math/Science/Engineering/ Computer Science:

- Advanced Manufacturing – CTE
- Biological Sciences – MSE\*\*
- Computer Science – MSE
- Chemistry – MSE
- Engineering – MSE
- Geography – MSE
- Geology – MSE
- Mathematics – MSE
- Physics – MSE
- Data Science, *Program to be developed\*\**

### Public Services:

- Administration of Justice – SBS
- Fire Technology – HSS
- EMT – HSS\*
- Police Academy, *Program to be developed*

### Social & Behavioral Sciences:

- Anthropology – SBS
- History – SBS
- Political Science – SBS
- Psychology – SBS\*\*
- Sociology – SBS
- Philosophy – A&H
- Communication Studies – R&L

### Water Treatment/Agriculture:

- Agriculture/Park and Landscape Management, *Program may be discontinued – MSE \**

### World Languages:

- Spanish – A&H
- Other Foreign Languages – A&H\*
  - Chinese\*
  - French\*
  - German\*
  - Latin\*
- English as a Second Language – R&L\*
- English – R&L
- Deaf Studies – A&H

Key	
*	Not a program
**	Duplicate discipline