

## **Minutes from Honors Committee Meeting on 2/23/26**

### **Attendees:**

1. Darcy Weiwall
2. David Adams
3. Elinda Parkinson
4. Pavinee Villaapando
5. Matthew Jaffe
6. Jedidiah Lobos
7. Kaitlin Bessinger
8. Jacqueline Seekamp
9. Dietra Jackson
10. Carla Carona
11. Greg Langner
12. John Vento

### **Call to Order**

2:37

### **Opening Comments**

None

### **Approval of Agenda—**

Motion by Elinda,

2<sup>nd</sup> by Carla

Approved

### **Current TAP Certifications**

Darcy mentioned that currently there are 27 UCLA and 14 UCI certifications.

### **Conferences to Present Student Research**

Darcy mentioned two different upcoming conferences to possibly register that provides a forum for students to present undergraduate research and to contact Darcy if interested in attending:

1. Honors Transfer Council of California

University of California, Riverside—March 28<sup>th</sup>

2. Western Regional Honors Council

Las Vegas—April 9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>

### **Honors Option Contract Workshop Dates**

Darcy noted that we need to have some workshops to assist Honors Faculty in revising their Honors Contracts. It would be helpful if Committee members would assist by participating in workshops. It was determined that the next workshop could be held next Monday (3/2/26).

### **Honors Convocation**

There is no need to review the Graduation List to nominate for Subject Area Awards.

Please encourage your divisions/departments to nominate qualified students ASAP.

### **Honors Mixer**

A proposed date of April 29<sup>th</sup> was suggested for an upcoming Honors Mixer.

### **Honors Handbook**

At some point, the Honors Handbook needs to be updated. We can utilize Handbooks from other California Community Colleges as a reference.

### **Meeting Adjournment**

Motion by Elinda,

2<sup>nd</sup> by Greg

Approved—Meeting adjourned at 3:59.