

COLLEGIAL CONSULTATION COMMITTEES & OPERATIONAL TEAMS

2024-25 FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Collegial Consultation Committees are a reflection of the spirit and requirement outlined in Assembly Bill 1725 (1988):

"The right to participate effectively in district and college governance, and the opportunity to express their opinions at the campus level and to ensure that these opinions are given every reasonable consideration, and the right of academic senates to assume primary responsibility for making recommendations in the areas of curriculum and academic standards."

These committees draw their membership from all employee groups and may include student or community representation. They are charged with examining issues relevant to their particular area of focus, fostering dialog on possible solutions, and ultimately making recommendations for moving forward.

ACCREDITATION TASKFORCE

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Dr. Thea Alvarado	Interim Assistant Superintendent/Vice President of Instruction
Faculty Appointments	
Peter Hepburn	Learning Resources
Jason Burgdorfer	Geology/Mathematics, Sciences & Engineering/COCFA President

ADVOCACY TEAM

The College of the Canyons Advocacy Committee meets regularly to discuss legislative issues and plan advocacy strategies.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Eric Harnish	Vice President of Public Information
Faculty Appointments	
Jesse Vera	Student Services
John Varga	History/Social & Behavioral Sciences
Wendy Brill-Wynkoop	Photography/Visual and Performing Arts/COCFA

CAMPUS SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The College of the Canyons Advocacy Committee meets regularly to discuss legislative issues and plan advocacy strategies.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Dr. Jim Temple	Vice President Public Information
Faculty Appointments	
David Pevsner	Physical Therapy Assistant Director/Public Health
Jessica Crowley	Emergency Medical Technologies/Public Health
Andrew Jones-Cathcart	Philosophy/Humanities

CHANCELLOR'S TASKFORCE ON WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Communicate and share information with departments where there is an overlap in function and delivery options. Identify best practices and collaborations we want to pursue, both internal and external; Leverage efforts across departments and divisions for maximum results. Develop advocacy priorities for future regulation changes that need to occur. Create a network of interrelated services and programs that enable us to serve new targets and populations in a flexible, timely, and current manner. Reframe a "brand" for working with businesses and industries and the training of the workforce.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Meeting Times: TBD

Administrator Chair	
VACANT	Vice President, Economic Development
Faculty Appointments	
Gary Quire	Business/Career Education Liaison

COLLEGE POLICY COUNCIL (CPC)

Responding to proposed changes in district policy, the CPC meets on an as-needed basis to review policy changes and new district policies proposed by the Academic Senate, Student Senate, and Administration.

CPC is comprised of representatives from the faculty, classified, administration and student leadership. CPC review of proposed policy is the last stop prior to approval by the Chancellor and presentation to the Board of Trustees. Such reviews consider consistency with existing policy, compliance with education code, Title 5, and applicable laws. Additionally, CPC considers the appropriateness of the proposed policies, or modifications, in relation to established District goals and objectives.

Meeting Times: TBD

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
David Andrus	President

Dr. Miranda Zamudio	Executive Director, Human Resources
Faculty Appointments	
Erica Seubert	Biology/Mathematics, Science & Engineering
Jason Burgdorfer	Geology/Mathematics, Science & Engineering/COCFA President
Lisa Hooper	Academic Senate President
Nicole Faudree (FA 24)	Paralegal Studies/Business
Gary Collis (SP 25)	Business/Business

COLLEGE PLANNING TEAM (CPT)

Meeting Dates: 9/18; 10/16; 11/20; 12/4. Meeting Times: 3:00pm – 3:30pm

Location TBD

The College Planning Team is the campus body that oversees the planning efforts of the college, evaluates the college's effectiveness, works to integrate college data into planning processes across the campus, ensures (via pro-gram review, data analysis and self-study) that those efforts are tied to the college's strategic plan and vision for the future, and initiates redesign efforts on campus. A committee within CPT is the Performance Indicators Committee. This committee sets targets for performance indicators, monitors progress to achieving targets, and analyzes strategies for achieving targets across the college.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Dr. Daylene Meuschke	Vice President, Institutional Research, Planning and Institutional Effectiveness
Committee Faculty Chair	
VACANT	
Faculty Appointments	
Lisa Hooper	Academic Senate President
VACANT	Sociology/Social & Behavioral Sciences
Peter Hepburn	Learning Resources
Teresa Ciardi	Astronomy/Mathematics, Science & Engineering

CULTURAL DIVERSITY ADVANCEMENT TEAM

A cross-functional team of representatives from the various employee groups on campus that plan diversity related events and programs. This team was established to help raise awareness, coordinate offerings, and plan celebratory/educational events related to diversity for both campuses. Diversity continues to be a very important topic for our campuses and this group was established to infuse diversity topics/issues into various areas of our campus practices.

Meeting Dates/Times: Meets on the 3rd Wednesday of every month

Location: Zoom

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Brandon Ashford	Director of Diversity and Inclusion
Faculty Appointments	
Julie Johnson	History/Social & Behavioral Sciences
Michael Felix	History/Social & Behavioral Sciences
Pamela Williams-Paez	Sociology/Social & Behavioral Sciences
Shannon Doronio	Graphic Design/VAPA

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
David Andrus	President
Faculty Appointments	
Claudia Acosta	Modern Language/Humanities

ED TECH COMMITTEE

The Educational Technology Committee is a sub-committee of the Technology Committee, focused on excellence in teaching and learning. The Educational Technology Committee's mission is to introduce, evaluate, and integrate educational technologies in support of excellence in teaching and learning in all delivery formats.

Meeting Times: Committee meets every 1st Wednesday of the month from 2:15pm – 3:15pm.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

*Additional Committee appointments in **bold** to be confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/19/2024*

Administrator Chair	
Joy Shoemate	Educational Administrator, Interim Director of Online Education
Committee Faculty Chair	
Andrew Jones-Cathcart	Philosophy/Humanities
Faculty Appointments	
Ambika Silva	Mathematics/Mathematics, Science & Engineering/COCFA
Ana Palmer	Mathematics/Mathematics, Science & Engineering
VACANT	Technologies/COCFA

Diane Sionko	Business & Management/Business
Dustin Silva	Mathematics/Mathematics, Science & Engineering
Jennifer Thompson	Librarian/Learning Resources
Lauren Yeh	Student Services
Mark Daybell	VAPA
Michelle LaBrie	Social & Behavioral Sciences
Sab Matsumoto	MSE
Violeta Kovacev-Nikolic	MSE

ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT

College of the Canyons' enrollment management planning, procedures, and strategies have a primary focus on sustaining long-term student success. This is done in a manner that implements mission-focused college plans in a cost-effective and sustainable manner. The Enrollment Management Team ensures that ongoing college-wide dialogue plays a central role in the coordination, implementation, and philosophical approaches relating to the management of student enrollment at College of the Canyons. The Enrollment Management Plan is designed to help frame annual discussion, guide planning decisions, and ensure the integration of enrollment planning processes with college-wide planning.

Meets: TBD

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Dr. Thea Alvarado	Interim Assistant Superintendent/Vice President of Instruction
Faculty Appointments	
Ben Riveira	Computer Science
Deanna Riveira	Social & Behavioral Sciences/COCFA Rep.
Erika Torgeson (FA 24)	Student Services
Garrett Rieck	Non-Credit
Jason Burgdorfer	MSE/COCFA President
Marlene Demerjian	MSE
Michael Sherry	MSE/COCFA Rep.
Nicole Faudree	Business
VACANT	Social & Behavioral Sciences/Academic Senate President
VACANT	VAPA
Violeta Kovacev-Nikolic	MSE
Other Members	
Daylene Meuschke	Dean, Inst Research, Planning & Inst. Effectiveness
Jason Hinkle	VP Business Services

FACILITIES PLANNING COMMITTEE

This committee has three main objectives: To review progress toward the completion of the college's Master Plan for

facility development; to identify off-campus sites for educational delivery; and to identify projects for funding in the area of capital outlay.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
David Andrus	President
Faculty Appointments	
Dilek Sanver-Wang	MSE/COCFA
Graciela Martinez	Student Services
Jason Burgdorfer	MSE/COCFA President
Jason Oliver	Applied Tech.
Jeannie Chari	MSE
Lisa Hooper	Academic Senate President

GUIDED PATHWAYS STEERING COMMITTEE

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Clinton Slaughter	Dean of Counseling
Faculty Appointments	
Gary Quire	Business/Career Ed Liaison
Susan Ling	St/ Student Services Guided Pathways liaison

INFORMATION SECURITY COMMITTEE

The purpose of the committee is to evaluate and recommend plans and processes to improve our informations security posture.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Mike Gunther	Classified Systems Security Administrator
Faculty Appointments	
Benjamin Riveira	MSE
VACANT	MSE

INSTITUTIONAL EFFECTIVENESS AND INCLUSIVE EXCELLENCE (IE) ²

Meeting Dates for Fall 2024: Tuesday, September 10, 2024, October 8, 2024, November 12, 2024, February 11,

2025, March 11, 2025, Tuesday, April 8, 2025, May 13, 2025

Meeting Time: 3:15 pm – 5:00pm

Meeting Location: Zoom

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chairs	
VACANT	VP Academic Affairs
Dr. Jasmine Ruys	VP Student Services
Daylene Meuschke	Associate VP, Institutional Research, Planning & Institutional Effectiveness.
Faculty Member (full and part-time)	Position/School
Albert Loaiza	Student Services
Alene Terzian-Zeitounian	Humanities
Alexa Dimakos	Humanities
Ali Naddafpour	Business
Collette Gibson	MSE
Erin Delaney	Humanities
Heaven Warner	Business
Pamela Williams-Paez	SBS
VACANT	SBS
Robert Wonser	SBS

PRESIDENT'S ADVISORY COUNCIL-BUDGET (PAC-B)

The President's Advisory Council-Budget (PAC-B) is designed to provide oversight of the development of the budget, encourage understanding of the budget on an ongoing basis and work to ensure that the budget allocation process is driven by campus-wide planning and strategic priorities.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Jason Hinkle	Assistant Superintendent/VP Bus Services
Committee Faculty Chair	
Lisa Hooper	Academic Senate President
Faculty Appointments	
Ali Naddafpour	Business
Charlie Johnson	MSE
Dilek Sanver-Wang	MSE/COCFA
Garrett Hooper	Student Services/COCFA
VACANT	MSE
VACANT	VAPA

SAFETY COMMITTEE

The Safety Committee's primary focus is to bring employees and administration together to provide and maintain a safe workplace, and to ensure the safety and welfare of employees and students. Issues of safety are referred to this team for discussion, action or policy recommendation. The Safety Committee serves to facilitate and encourage employee knowledge about safe work practices and accident prevention.

Meets: Meeting times will vary by semester.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Miranda Zamudio	Executive Director, Human Resources
Erin Tague	VP Facilities Planning Operations & Construction
Faculty Appointments	
Dave Thrasher (<i>Fall 24</i>)	Applied Tech
Keith Kawamoto	Health Professions
Pamela Williams-Paez	Social & Behavioral Sciences
Tina Rorick	Health Professions

SABBATICAL COMMITTEE

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Faculty Appointments	
Lucia Pozo	Humanities (COCFA Rep)
Samuel Lee	Business (COCFA Rep)
Nadia Monosov	Psychology (COCFA Rep)

TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

Promotes, evaluates, and recommends new technology for the District. Conducts discussion on upcoming trends in technology. Creates and executes the Technology Master Plan for the District.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Jim Temple	VP of Technology
Committee Faculty Chair	
Benjamin Riveira	MSE/Faculty Co-Chair
Faculty Appointments	
Adam Kempler	Humanities
Anh Vo	Health Professions/COCFA
Anne Marengo	SBS

VACANT	MSE/COCFA
Diane Sionko	Business
Jon Amador	VAPA
Kelly Aceves	MSE
VACANT	VAPA

WEB COMMITTEE

The Web Committee evaluates the College's web presence, develops policies and procedures recommendations for web related topics, and make recommendations for design updates to the College's website. The committee is comprised of members of the IT staff, Public Information Office, and faculty interested and knowledgeable in web design and development. The agendas for the meetings, along with minutes from previous meeting and supporting documentation, are posted on the committee's website. The director of Enterprise Systems co-chairs the Web Committee and provides regular reports to the Technology Committee. The voting membership of the committee is comprised of 3 Administrators, 3 Classified, and 3 Faculty positions.

List confirmed by the Academic Senate on 9/5/2024

Administrator Chair	
Hsiawen Hull	Assistant Superintend/VP Information Tech.
Committee Faculty Chair	
VACANT	Social & Behavioral Sciences
Faculty Appointments	
Rick Howe	Social & Behavioral Sciences
Anne Marenco	Social & Behavioral Sciences