

## College of the Canyons Academic Senate Special Resolution February 14, 2019

Whereas, Guido Santi, has been teaching cinema at College of the Canyons for seventeen years; first as an adjunct faculty member in 2002 and then as full-time instructor in December 2016; and

Whereas, Guido Santi, was instrumental in securing a donation of 500 horror films from Dr. Khaled Abou El Fadl, a world-renowned scholar and the Omar and Azmeralda Alfi Distinguished Professor in Islamic Law at the UCLA School of Law, enabling College of the Canyons to have possibly the largest horror film collection among California community colleges; and

Whereas, Guido Santi was an example of someone, when choosing from all the things they could be, he chose to be kind; and

Whereas, Guido Santi was an exceptional colleague, who believed that cinema had the power to inspire and change lives and he loved to share his passion for film with his students, colleagues, and community.

**Resolved** That College of the Canyons express our appreciation, gratitude, admiration, and love for **Guido Santi** and do hereby recognize his contributions made to the betterment of the students, the faculty, the College, and our community as extraordinary and exceptionally significant; and

**Resolved** That the College of Canyons Academic Senate bestow **Honorary Faculty Emeritus** status to **Guido Santi** as a recognition for his outstanding commitment to working collegially with college faculty as well as a long and successful history of dedication to student success.