



### **Career Education (CE) Committee**

Tuesday, May 6, 2025

HSS 261

1:00 - 2:15pm

**In Peron:** Rebecca Agonafir, Ruth Casillas, Sheila Cordova, Gary Huff, Maria Leon-Vazquez, Dana Nasser, Debbie Perret, Salvador Santana, Steven Sedky, Redelia Shaw, Howard Stahl, Josh Withers.

**Zoom:** AJ Adelman, Leigh Allen, Tracy Beidleman, Javier Cambron, Sheila Cordova, Drew Davis, Mario Franco, Amanda Garcia, Jenna Gausman, David Hall, Corinne A Haynes, Jenny Landa, Ann Marie Leahy, Marissa Osato Morena, Hannah Nelson, Sharyn Obsatz, Perviz Sawoski, Mark Tomasic.

**Call to order** 1:02pm

#### **Public Comments:**

Center for Media & Design will be having their annual CMD Student Showcase “Prism Flow” on Thursday June 12<sup>th</sup> 2025, 5 – 9pm. Please visit the website for more details:

<https://www.smc.edu/about/campuses/cmd/showcase/>

#### **Approval of Minutes:** *March 18, April 1, and April 4, 2025*

Dana Nasser motioned to approve, Gary Huff second. All are in favor, no abstentions, no oppositions.

#### **Reports**

##### *Chair Debbie Perret*

Debbie informed the committee that the CE retreat will be June 3, 2025, from 12:30pm – 3:00pm at the EPICenter, M104.

##### *Vice Chair Steven Sedky*

Steven acknowledged the hard work of all departments in submitting Grant funding requests. Unlike the past two years, where available funding met total requests, this year requires prioritization due to a \$100,000 receiving less funds than expected. Key considerations for funding decisions include Perkins guidelines around size, scope, and quality—specifically the number of students served, alignment with student completions, and support for special populations. Only for-credit programs are eligible, with a focus on equity and mission-critical needs. Three funding streams were reviewed: Perkins, Strong Workforce, and Lottery. The team worked with Sasha King to identify items eligible for Lottery funds and consulted with the Vice President of Academic Affairs to confirm approvals and adjustments. Next steps include a review of each proposal, followed by final adjustments to meet the budget allocation. A summary sheet of all requests and funding sources was shared to guide the decision-making process.



## Informational and Discussion Items

Perkins & SWP Allocation Deliberation for reference [Perkins Applications 25-26](#).

The following shows the original proposed amount (first column) and the final reduced amounts (2<sup>nd</sup> column) for each CE program.

<a href="#">Accounting TOP 0502</a>	\$32,928	\$32,928
<a href="#">Applied Photography 1012</a>	\$23,049	\$11,395
<a href="#">Aquaculture TOP 0115.20</a>	\$54,679	\$51,181
<a href="#">Architecture TOP 0201</a>	\$33,504	\$0
<a href="#">Biotech TOP 0430</a>	\$138,007	\$59,668
<a href="#">Chem Tech TOP 0955</a>	\$90,385	\$0
<a href="#">Cosmetology 3007</a>	\$106,643	\$83,216
<a href="#">CIS 0701</a>	\$43,175	\$3,900
<a href="#">CSIS 0707</a>	\$78,165	\$0
<a href="#">DSPS</a>	\$33,431	\$13,140
<a href="#">ECE 1305</a>	\$124,493	\$76,895
<a href="#">Film Production 061220</a>	\$54,454	\$44,372
<a href="#">Interaction Design (IxD) 1099</a>	\$70,250	\$46,330
<a href="#">Journalism 0602</a>	\$51,269	\$40,072
<a href="#">Nursing 1230</a>	\$51,974	\$0
<a href="#">Promo Pathway 050910</a>	\$27,909	\$27,909
<a href="#">Radio and Television</a>	\$23,858	\$23,858
<a href="#">Respiratory Care 1210</a>	\$382,137	\$84,410
<a href="#">Sustainable Tech - Credit and Noncredit 0303</a>	\$59,571	\$31,418
<a href="#">Technical Theatre</a>	\$63,948	\$46,983
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,543,830</b>	<b>\$677,675</b>

## Action Items

### *Perkins & SWP Allocation Vote*

Gary Huff motions to move forward with the current Perkins and SWP requests (2<sup>nd</sup> column from table above). Motion was second by Howard Stahl. All approved.

**Adjournment** 1:44pm

**Next scheduled meeting:** Tuesday, May 20, 2025, 1:00-2:15. Location HSS 261 and Zoom.

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