



SANTA MONICA COLLEGE
ACADEMIC
SENATE

AGENDA

Tuesday, March 12, 2019

11:15am-12:35pm, Business Building Room 144

I. **Call to Order and Approval of Agenda**

Motion: M. Trujillo

Second: B. Antrim

Passed unanimously at 11:20am

II. **Public Comments** (*Individuals wishing to speak should limit their comments to 2 minutes*)

H. Vishwanadha asked the Senate to reconsider the class cancellation policy in favor of smarter policies that will help students and enrollment. He also proposed a better system for contacting students.

III. **OER Report (J. Darwiche)**

For a OER grant, SMC needed 50 sections using OER materials, but had over 75. There was an OpenStax workshop at FLEX day. J. Darwiche is the SMC OER Liaison with the ASCCC, which is holding OER workshops. More info on the workshops can be found on the SMC OER website.

IV. **Consent Agenda** (*Any items pulled from the consent agenda will be discussed as the last major item.*)

Approval of 12/11/2018 Minutes

Approved with agenda.

V. **Major Items of Business**

A. **Curriculum (B. Antrim)**

Non-substantial changes were made to COSM classes for the barbering program. New courses Math 3C and Math 4C were unanimously approved at 11:38am. Photo 39 was unanimously approved as DE at 11:39am.

New Certificate in Digital Publishing was unanimously approved at 11:41am.

G. Del Piccolo and M. Muñoz discussed pathways. Meta-majors will be called Area of Interest, of which there will be seven. These areas and the name were decided upon after sorting day, focus groups with students, surveys, and counselor input. Under the Areas of Interest will be Academic and Career Paths.

About 50 programs have been mapped and there will be one more mapping day on March 29. After that, any remaining programs will be mapped in smaller groups.

It is intended for Curriculum to revisit/reaffirm the groupings in a year.

Areas of Interest and Academic and Career Paths approved at 12:28pm. A. Espinosa abstained.

B. AR 5075 and AR 4230 (B. Magallon)

Second Read AR 4230

Motion: E. Meyer

Second: J. Hernandez

Passed unanimously at 12:30pm

Second Read AR 5075

Motion: B. Antrim

Second: P. Morse

Passed unanimously at 11:32pm

C. Global Citizenship (A. Tower)

Not discussed

VI. President's Report/Information Items

A. Student Equity Forum Report

Not discussed

B. Other News

Not discussed

VII. Adjournment

Motion: B. Antrim

Second: B. Magallon
Passed unanimously at 12:33pm
