

MINUTES

Teaching & Learning Committee (TLC)
September 26, 2023
12:50pm-1:50pm in person in IT 110
(also hyflex via Zoom)
Zoom Link:

https://rccd-edu.zoom.us/j/87041012533?pwd=xWcXHy9HDrDwAIIsmQM0kn1osOU9hm.1

Meeting Passcode: 860224 Meeting ID: 870 4101 2533

Present: Jose Sentmanat (CHL); Lisa Hernandez (CHL); Margarita Shirinian (CHL); Tim Russell (SBS); Patty Worsham (SBS); Bibiana Lopez (Math); Kevin Baccari (Math); Kara Zamiska (SBS); Jessiah Ruiz (MECSGD); Stephany Kyriakos (SBS); Aldo Yanez (SBS); Starlene Justice (SCI & KIN); Dan Reade (CHL); Weining Cui (SCI&KIN); Melissa Wilson (SBS); Adriana Moreno (Counseling); Lindsay Owens (SCI & KIN); Mitzi Sloniger (CHL); Bani Ghosh (CHEM); Zander Allport (CHL); Andy Robles (Math); Nancy Quinones (SBS).

Absent: Mark Lewis (CHL)

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Agenda
 - a. Motion: Andy Robles. Seconded: Starlene Justice
- III. Approval of Minutes (5/23/2023)
 - a. Motion: Andy Robles. Seconded: Tim Russell

Information Items:

- I. Report on FLEX event (regarding TLC Brown Bag #3)
 - a. Went well
 - b. Still working on trying to disseminate information on the various programs available to students.
- II. Brown Bag #1 Report
 - a. IT 125. Canvas show and tell.
 - Suggestions: Have the owners sit next to their Canvas sites. More focused (page layout, etc.). It was nice having the owners' emails. Liked the variety of Canvas sites.
 - ii. We will forward an email concerning the new required training connected to Canvas
- III. Brown Bag #2 Information (Hy-Flex)
- IV. Al Work group update (Kara Zamiska)
 - a. Good attendance at the Al Subcommittee meeting
 - b. Kara created a notebook in Outlook. Al Subcommittee.
 - c. Took the model from Mt.SAC and added more to it.
 - d. There are tabs, and information is being added to it
 - e. Next meeting is to be held next Thursday (10/5)?
 - f. The FLEX that was put on was very helpful
 - g. Kara will be presenting for Brown Bag #3; the subtopic will announced soonish.

h. "Quiz Log" in Canvas will track in live-time the quiz taking place. Email Kara concerning how to do this

Action Items:

I. None

Discussion Items:

- I. Recruit a Senate reporter
 - a. Will attend academic senate meetings and report to TLC. Dan Reade has volunteered.
- II. Recruit a FPDC reporter
 - a. Will attend FPDC meetings and report to TLC. Jessiah Ruiz has volunteered.
- III. Equity Brown Bag, an issue?
 - a. Last year, TLC did equity Brown Bags in the fall and the spring. So far TLC does not have any equity Brown Bags for the fall; thinking ahead to the spring, what would we like to do?
 - b. It would seem that it is desirable for the spring Brown Bags to be equity based.
 - c. What equity brown bag training would YOU like to see?
- IV. Movie nights for morale boost?
 - a. Brewery inside
 - b. Hiking event?
 - c. Sauced in Anahiam
 - d. During the day.
 - e. Bring your spouses

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Next Business Meeting: Tuesday, October 24, 2023, 12:50-1:50, location IT 110.

The Teaching and Learning Committee (TLC) is a Standing Committee of the Academic Senate, comprised of Faculty representatives from all academic departments. The Teaching and Learning Committee fosters a culture of cross-disciplinary communication to support genuine exchange of successful pedagogy and scholarly research. It vows to protect respectful collaboration amongst faculty to ensure student success.