Just leave us alone already! ADTs and SB 440: Will the fun ever end?

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Overview

- Quick Update
- SB 440 Basics
  - The mandates
  - Proposed AoEs
- When are we "done"?
- Descriptor and TMC Review
- On-going Challenges

Temperature check

Quick Updates

- New acronyms
  - ISMC = Intersegmental MC
  - CCCMC = Intrasegmental MC
- Timeline for CCCCO Templates
  - September 1, February 1
- TMCs expected soon:
  - Nutrition/dietetics
  - Child and Adolescent Development
- Interim Dean in Academic Affairs at CCCCO!

SB 440 (Padilla, 2013)

- New mandates for CCCs
  - BoG degree ADT development goals – Spring 2014
  - SB 440 mandates – Spring 2015
- ADT = Associate Degree for Transfer
- AOE = Area of Emphasis
  - Like a major, but broader.

SB 440 (Padilla, 2013)

- Beginning fall 2013:
  - Every CCC shall create an ADT in every major/AOE for which there is a TMC AND THEY HAVE A DEGREE IN THAT DISCIPLINE within 18 months of the "approval" of the TMC.
- Before the end of spring 2015:
  - Every CCC shall create an ADT in every major/~~AOE~~ for which there is a TMC finalized prior to fall 2013 AND THEY HAVE A DEGREE IN THAT DISCIPLINE.
  - Two TMCs in AOEs will be developed.

BoG AND 440

- Each college has committed to the BoG that they will develop X degrees by the end of spring 2014
- 440 adds a mandate for the development of additional degrees by the end of spring 2015
  - For all disciplines for which there was a TMC in place prior to fall 2013 – if you have a degree in the discipline, you will create an ADT
  - BoG goals allowed for "pollution credits"
  - SB 440 does not!

ICW Working Definition

- An AoE is an interdisciplinary TMC that is developed to serve multiple majors at the CSU.

- Originating department at CCC may be unclear.

- Exploring:
  - Allied Health/Health Science
  - Ethnic Studies
  - STEM/General Science
  - Global studies/international relations

Issues with mandate…

- Workload
- Interference with local control of curriculum
- Unable to develop some ADTs due to:
    - Inability to develop and/or offer a course(s)
        - low enrollment, expensive to offer
        - lack faculty expertise
    - Unit limits – student must be able to complete degree in 60 units

Potential CCC response to ADT mandates?

- Drop existing degrees?
- Rename existing degrees?
- Develop new or (re-purpose old) mechanisms to enable colleges to offer degrees?
  - CVC
  - Re-purpose/rename "conjoint programs" to Collaborative Programs
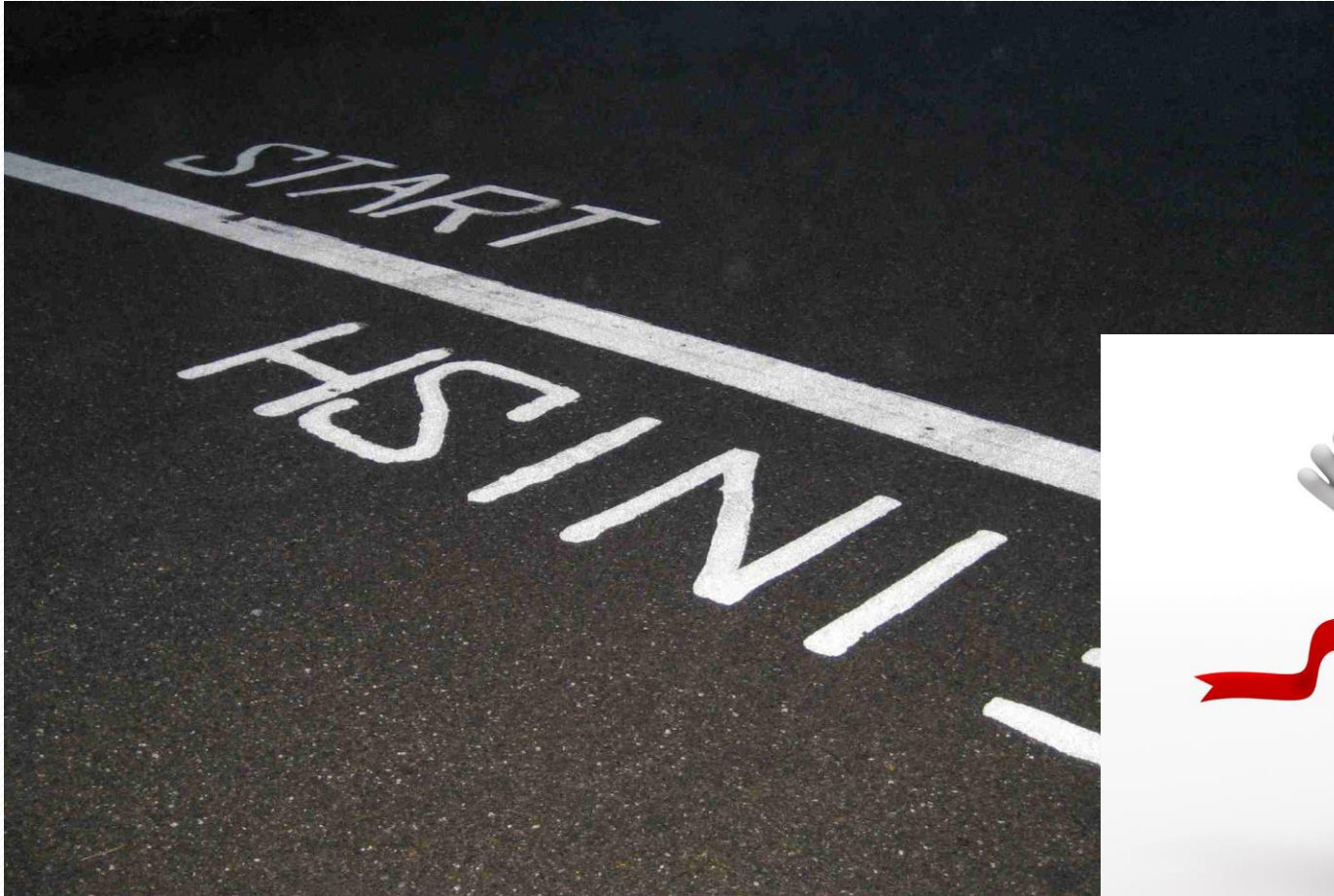
"Collaborative Programs"

- TMCs establish the shared curriculum required for "conjoint programs"

- Between colleges – intra or inter districts

- Survey coming from the CO

- Policy statement and guidelines forthcoming

AoE TMCs

- Establish listservs to recruit faculty and/or use existing appropriate distribution lists
- Convene Discipline Input Group
- Convene Faculty Discipline Review group
- Vet products
  - TOP Code must be indicated during vetting
- AoE Criteria
  - Minimum number of CSU majors deeming TMC similar?
  - Minimum number of students served?

When are we "done"?

"Done" criteria?

- Ensuring that all disciplines that have ≥ 200 transfer students have been addressed.
  - Must be some element of consistency across CSU campuses.
  - Minimum number of CSUs with major
- Should the goal be to have an ADT pathway for all students?

Descriptor and TMC Review

- 5-year review process for descriptors already developed
  - Initiate process year 4
  - Invite comment
  - CORs MAY need to be submitted
- TMC review – process to be developed

Scheduled 2014-2015

Discipline	TMC Date Approved	Proposed TMC Review Initiation	Proposed Descriptor Review Initiation	Combined TMC and Descriptor Proposed Schedule*
Communication Studies	Spring 2011	Fall 2015	Fall 2014	Fall 2014**
Psychology	Spring 2011	Fall 2015	Fall 2015	Fall 2014**
Sociology	Spring 2011	Fall 2015	Fall 2014	Fall 2014**

Ongoing challenges

- TMCs
  - Unit issues
  - Lack of clarity regarding BoG mandates
- C-ID
  - Lack of CSU reviewers

Questions or Comments?