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Accreditation Committee

March 21, 2022
12:30pm – 1:30pm

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AGENDA

Members Present: Christopher Howerton (chair), Carrie Roberson (2ⁿᵈ), Laura Adams, Jeff Lamb (CIO Rep.), Jamar London, Alicia Lopez, Robert Steinberg, Van Rider, Kevin Bontenbal (ACCJC)

Members Absent:

Guests:

1. **Committee Procedural Items:**
   - Approval of Agenda
   - Minutes taken by Carrie Roberson
   - Approval of minutes –done via email

2. **ACCJC and CIO Liaisons Check-In**

3. **Debrief from the Accreditation Institute**
   - Participant Survey Results for Discussion

4. **Announcements – Information/Discussion**
   - Area meetings held 3/18 & 3/19
   - Next ASCCC Executive Committee Meeting, April 6
- Spring Plenary Session 2022, April 7-9, 2022 (Hybrid)
- Career and Noncredit Education Institute 2022, May 12-14 (Hybrid)
- Faculty Leadership Institute 2022, June 16-18 (Hybrid)
   - possible pre-session on June 15
- Special <u>Rostrum</u> Call for Articles:
   - The Academic Senate for California Community Colleges (ASCCC) embraces diversity and strives to deliberately create a safe and inclusive environment valuing social justice and honoring diverse voices (Inclusivity Statement). In 2020, standing in solidarity with our Black colleagues, ASCCC published a special summer edition of the Rostrum featuring the voices of Black community college faculty. In honor of the California Community Colleges systemwide Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Awareness month (April) and as a follow up to the 2020 summer Rostrum edition, the ASCCC Equity and Diversity Action Committee (EDAC) invites you to submit articles written in the theme of ***Answering the Call to Action: Racial Equity, Reckoning, and Academic Accountability Since the Murder of George Floyd.***

   - Please consider submitting an article for publication to rostrum@asccc.org by Monday, April 18, 2022. Articles may be 1,500 words maximum and address topics of educational accountability, social justice, and racial equity in California Community Colleges and how colleges have actualized, operationalized, and worked toward becoming anti-racist institutions. Articles may share how colleges have engaged in topics such as the following: faculty perspectives and stories on racial injustice and anti-racism, culturally responsive curriculum and student services, student programs (such as Umoja and Black Student Unions), or any other topic of interest to community college faculty following the theme noted above.

5. **Committee Meetings (Spring 20222): - All meetings from 12:30pm-1:30pm**
   - ~~January 24, 2022~~
   - ~~February 14, 2022~~
   - ~~March 21, 2022~~
   - April 18, 2022
   - May 16, 2022

6. **Committee Next Steps and Adjournment**
   - Draft end-of-the-year report

Status of Previous Action Items

A. In Progress –
    a. Draft end-of-the year report and recommendations

B. Completed –
    a. Crafting Accreditation Institute Marketing Blurb
    b. First draft Institute Program presented to ASCCC Exec Nov. 3
    c. Theme and structure for institute approved
    d. Second draft Institute Program presented to ASCCC Exec Dec. 4
    e. Third and final daft of Institute Program presented and approved by ASCCC Exec. Jan. 7
    f. Secured keynote speaker and partnership presenters
    g. AI Program uploaded with Welcome Message
    h. Presenters' registration and template information sent
    i. 2022 Accreditation Institute Completed, survey administered and returned