

STUDENT LIFE COMMITTEE September 2, 2021

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1:00 PM

AGENDA

1. Welcome: Introductions & Roll Call

| Member Role | 21-22 Member | |
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| Dean of Student Services | Elizabeth Miller | |
| VP of Student Services | Dilcie Perez | |
| Faculty Coord. of Student Conduct | Cynthia Lavariere | |
| Student Activities Coordinator | Amna Jara | |
| ACCME rep 1 | Maria Castro | |
| ACCME rep 2 | Debra Ward | |
| Faculty rep 1 (instructional) | Brooke Hanniff | |
| Faculty rep 2 (student services) | Nellie Hernandez-Garcia | |
| CSEA rep 1 | Nikki Jones | |
| CSEA rep 2 | Maria Isai | |
| Confidential rep | Edith Finney | |
| ASCC Director of Student Services | | |
| ASCC student representative | Thamir Kazwini | |

| Ex-Officio Members | 21-22 Member |
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| Bookstore Manager | Brianne Freeman |
| Associate Dean of Student Health | Hillary Mennella |
| Dean of SAWS, or designee | Liz Page |
| Chief of Campus Police | Don Mueller |
| Facilities representative | Carlos Serna |
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| Quorum: Fall - 6; Spring - 9 | |

2. Discussion & Action: 2021-2022 Goals

- The committee will finalize and vote on adoption of the 2021-2022 committee goals:
 - i. Complete a review of the Commencement experience to explore the most meaningful experiences for students. (Goal A: Strengthening the culture of completion)
 - **ii.** Initiate a review of AP5530 Student Rights & Responsibilities, focusing on updating the general grievance section. (Goal F: Enhancing organizational effectiveness)
 - **iii.** Finalize review and implementation of revisions to AP5520 Student Discipline Procedures. (Goal A: Strengthening the culture of completion)

3. Information & Discussion: 2022 Commencement

- 21-22 Graduation & Commencement Dates:
 - i. October 21st Deadline to submit Fall 2021 Petition to Graduate
 - ii. March 24, 2022 Deadline to submit Spring 2022 Petition to Graduate
 - Deadline to submit Summer 2022 Petition to Graduate and be included in Spring Commencement Ceremony.
 - iii. April 27 & 28th (tent.) Grad Fair
 - iv. May 20, 2022 Commencement (currently in-person)
 - v. July 22, 2022 Deadline to submit Summer 2022 Petition to Graduate
- Commencement Experience Initial review
 - i. The committee will discuss the commencement student experience.

4. Discussion: Revisions to AP5520 Student Discipline Procedures

The committee will receive an update on the revision process for AP5520.

5. Cerritos College Food Court, Vending, & Bookstore Services

• The committee will receive updates on this agenda topic.

6. Announcements

- The members of the Student Life Committee will share updates from their respective areas
- Next Student Life Committee Meeting is Thursday, October 7, 2021 at 1:00 PM.

7. Adjourn – 2:00 p.m.



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Minutes

1. Welcome: Introductions & Roll Call

| Member Role (*denotes Ex-Officio Member) | 20-21 Member | Present - P; Absent - A; Vacant - V |
|---|-------------------------|--|
| Dean of Student Services | Elizabeth Miller | Р |
| VP of Student Services | Dilcie Perez | Α |
| Coord. of Student Conduct | Cynthia Lavariere | Р |
| Student Activities Coordinator | Amna Jara | Р |
| ACCME rep 1 | Maria Castro | Р |
| ACCME rep 2 | Debra Ward | Р |
| Faculty rep 1 (instructional) | Brooke Hanniff | Р |
| Faculty rep 2 (student services) | Nellie Hernandez-Garcia | Р |
| Confidential Rep | Edith Finney | Α |
| CSEA rep 1 | Nikki Jones | Р |
| CSEA rep 2 | Maria Isai | Р |
| ASCC Director of Student Services | vacant | - |
| ASCC student representative | Thamir Kazwini | Р |
| Bookstore Manager* | Brianne Freeman | Р |
| Associate Dean of Student Health* | Hillary Mennella | Р |
| Dean of SAS, or designee* | Elizabeth Page | Р |
| Chief of Campus Police* | Don Mueller | Α |
| Facilities representative* | Juan Carlos Serna | Α |
| Quorum: Fall - 6; Spring - 9 | ATTENDANCE | 12 |

2. Discussion & Action: 2021-2022 Goals

- The committee reviewed and voted to adopt the 2021-2022 committee goals:
 - i. Complete a review of the Commencement experience to explore the most meaningful experiences for students. (Goal A: Strengthening the culture of completion)
 - **ii.** Initiate a review of AP5530 Student Rights & Responsibilities, focusing on updating the general grievance section. (Goal F: Enhancing organizational effectiveness) Last revised 2019. This process will include more faculty input
 - **iii.** Finalize review and implementation of revisions to AP5520 Student Discipline Procedures. (Goal A: Strengthening the culture of completion). This goal started last year, in progress. legal will re-review it.
- Committee reviewed the Share Governance website and booklet. Reviewed the purpose and goals of the Student Life Committee.

3. Information & Discussion: 2022 Commencement

• 21-22 Graduation & Commencement Dates:

(Dates established with A&R input)

- i. October 21st Deadline to submit Fall 2021 Petition to Graduate
- ii. March 24, 2022 Deadline to submit Spring 2022 Petition to Graduate
 - Deadline to submit Summer 2022 Petition to Graduate and be included in Spring Commencement Ceremony.
 - a. Summer before Fall & Spring included in Commencement (ex. Summer 2021, Fall 2021, Soring 22 can participate in Commencement 2022)
- iii. April 27 & 28th (tent.) Grad Fair
- iv. May 20, 2022 Commencement (currently in-person) depending on state and local guidelines. In-person ceremony may mean limited guests permitted or a possibility of 2 different ceremonies.
- v. July 22, 2022 Deadline to submit Summer 2022 Petition to Graduate
- Commencement Experience Initial review
 - i. The committee discussed the commencement student experience.
 - 1. Emphasis on forward thinking, the future and what is possible, next steps, etc.
 - 2. If different grad ceremonies, focus on the degrees/fields that students will go into.
 - 3. Faculty involvement, connecting with instructors. Seeing faculty cheer on/recognize grad accomplishments.
 - 4. Include/involve family having their support, cheering them on
 - 5. Having spectators/supporters present.
 - a. In 2021 how can we support this, with any guest limitations (due to distancing)
 - 6. Involvement of Franco Falcon, to take pictures with
 - 7. Commencement ceremonial/speaking parts limit it, so we can focus on the students.
 - a. With CARmencement the speaking/ceremony was separate from procession, students were the center of entire event
 - 8. Hybrid ceremony personal parts in person, but ceremonial as recording
 - ii. Consider surveying 2021 grads
 - 1. Favorite part
 - 2. Downsides/barriers
 - 3. If given option between traditional and 2021 option, which would they prefer

4. Discussion: Revisions to AP5520 Student Discipline Procedures

- The committee received an update on the revision process for AP5520.
 - Continuing where we left off. Legal team is review in, before being forwarded to other groups for input.

5. Cerritos College Food Court, Vending, & Bookstore Services

- The committee received updates on this agenda topic.
- Bookstore and Vending locations-very low traffic
 - i. Bookstore is closed on Fridays
 - ii. Open vendor locations on the website:
 https://www.cerritos.edu/activities/vendingservices.htm

6. Announcements

- The members of the Student Life Committee will share updates from their respective areas
 - i. Student Life:
 - 1. Launch eSports program. 1st tournament last week. Next one is Sept 9th. Please let students know. Webpage being developed and will be housed on the Student Activities webpage.
 - 2. Lawn Chairs for use! Can be checked out at Student Activities.
 - ii. SAS:

- 1. SAS Chat: 1 hours every couple of weeks. Hosted by SAS staff. Opportunity for students to connect. Next one is 9/14 at 10:00 am on Zoom. More details on the SAS webpage.
- Next Student Life Committee Meeting is Thursday, October 7, 2021 at 1:00 PM.
- 7. Adjourn 1:47 p.m.