



**OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT OF INSTRUCTION
CURRICULUM AND GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

Minutes of the Curriculum and General Education Committee Meeting
February 18, 2021, 12:10pm-2:00pm., via Zoom.

Present: M. Bishop, K. Bandy, K. Carlson, J. Chaidez, J. Grimes, V. Jacobi, M. Jiles, M. Mayfield, L. Minor, R. Murillo, T. Payne, J. Rangel-Escobedo, D. Rodenhauser, B. Young, and D. Vohnout

Absent: S. Balason, N. Lopez

Recorder: D. Vohnout

MINUTES

I. PUBLIC COMMENTARY

None; Meeting called to order at 12:10pm.

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: From the January 12, 2020 Curriculum & General Education meeting
The minutes were approved by consensus.

III. CONSENT:

A. Course Revision – Social Science

ADMJ 1510 Ethical Reasoning and Practice for Public Service

B. Program Revision – Applied Tech/Allied Health

Item B – Program Revision Applied Tech/Allied Health was not in the packet. This item was not voted on. On a motion by K. Bandy, seconded by M. Mayfield, and unanimously carried by all, ADMJ 1510 was approved.

IV. NEW BUSINESS:

A. New Program:

Law, Public Policy, and Society Associate in Arts for Transfer

On a motion by M. Jiles, seconded by K. Bandy, and unanimously carried by all, the Law, Public Policy, and Society ADT was approved.

IV. Discussion Items:

A. Awarding multiple degrees – Process

Discussion was held regarding the current language of the process of awarding students multiple degrees. Financial aid implications, the value of students earning multiple degrees, as well as barriers for students were discussed. Vicki will bring this item to the next Curriculum & General Education meeting as an action item for the committee to vote on and finalize.

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B. Diversity

Vicki shared with the committee language from the Taft College taskforce that states, "The Curriculum & General Education Committee will include an evaluation and discussion of all courses' diversity of representation and culturally responsive content as part of regular curriculum review." The committee discussed what would this process look like. This item needs action taken. The group was asked to bring back examples of what other schools are doing. Please send those examples to Norberto who will distribute to the group. During the March Curriculum & General Education Meeting, the group will look at those examples, and in April, the group will create guidelines.

C. Program clean-up/work

This item was not discussed.