

San Diego Continuing Education Faculty Hiring Priorities Committee Minutes

Monday, October 25, 2021 3 p.m. – 4 p.m., Zoom

	Committee	Members/Guests
	Michelle Fischthal, Co-Chair	Andrei Lucas
ATTENDEES/	Rachel Rose, Co-Chair	Steve Major
PROXIES/		Jacqueline Hester
GUESTS	John Bromma	Edith Quintero
GUESIS	Lisa Cork	Timothy Pawlak- Absent
	Lorie Crosby Howell	Sam Phu
	Brad Dorschel- Absent	Shirley Pierson
	Marquest Glover- Absent	Cat Prindle - Absent
	Michelle Gray	Bob Pyle- Absent
	Veleka Iwuaba/Sean Caruana	Zac Ruvalcaba- Absent
	Jan Jarrell	Cassandra Storey
	Neill Kovrig	Claudia Tornsaufer
	Carolyn McGavock	
	Megan Leppert	

Agenda Item A:

Call to Order/Approval of Meeting

DISCUSSION	The meeting was called to order by M. Fischthal at 3:03 pm.
	Approval of Agenda was M/S/C by Shirley and Rachel as is. No Discussion
	Opposed: None Abstentions: None

ACTION ITEMS	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
None	• N/A	• N/A

Agenda Item B:	Approval of Minutes
DISCUSSION	The April 26, 2021 Approval of Minutes was M/S/C Discussion: None
	Opposed: None Abstentions: None

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE

	None	• N/A	• N/A
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Agenda Item C:	Old Business
DISCUSSION	Voting Models Discussion has been postponed.

Agenda I	tem D:	New Business
	1.	President Presents Priorities – Kay Faulconer Boger
DISCUS- SION		a. Part of this decision will look at faculty about where we want this organization
		to go – need to look forward and ahead otherwise we won't get there. What
		opportunities will we offer our students when they get here?
		b. Focus on the future and see what kinds of positions could be utilized to move us
		into the next decade.
		c. Some we need to service, but others should be about new opportunities and
		new programs.
		d. Look at information from the workforce partnerships and the priority sectors in
		San Diego – leading to living wage (or higher wage) jobs:
		https://workforce.org/my-next-
		move/prioritysectors/?utm content=buffer9989a&utm medium=social&utm s
		ource=linkedin.com&utm_campaign=buffer
		i. Look down the road of parts that can add to the 35 million renovation, such
		as Clothing & Textiles.
		ii. Sustainability is a factor in many of our programs.
		iii. Biotechnology is one of the largest careers in San Diego – BIO-com. Students
		can get a start and then continue their education.
		iv. In addition to partnerships with credit colleges, ?
		v. Make one of them new and exciting – take advantage while we have the
		opportunity!
	2.	Four Positions
		a. There are currently four positions out for hire due to retirements: ESL, Emeritus
		(on priority list from last year), HVAC and DSPS.
		b. We have four positions from the state.
		i. HSD/HSEP: The Spanish-speaking community has a huge need for HSD/HSEP
		courses in Spanish. Currently, seven adjuncts teach in the program, with no
		contracts. There is a frozen replacement position for HSD/HSEP, and the
		thought is to use one of the four positions for Spanish HDS/HSEP. If there are
		two outstanding candidates for the ESL currently in hire, then likely two will
		be hired.
		1. The thought is to hold the remaining two for a few months to have a
		better understanding of where the demand is. The reality is that we have
		lost over 50% of our students and are not offering as many sections in our
		programs. This fall, every program is below 2019 enrollment levels. The
		only programs ticking significantly upward are ESL (with an increase of 400
		students) and HSD/HSEP. This uptick may be due to Hyflex.
		i. There are new programs being developed through SWP RFA's, including sales
		and advanced manufacturing.
		c. Emeritus: Only 13% of Emeritus faculty is contract. Thirty instructors total

	 (including contracts and adjunct) have been lost. Despite the loss of instructors and the lack of in-person classes, fill rates continue to rise, and course offerings have been increased. Tornsaufer stated that due to Pat's retirement, brain fitness students are being pushed onto a long waitlist. i. Emeritus is hoping to have a role in the re-opening at ECC because they are offering valuable, popular courses. Seniors are living longer and need workforce development specifically designed for the younger senior population, aged 55 and up. d. ESL – An influx in refugee/migrant populations in San Diego shows the need for ESL courses. ESL has lost four full-time contracts and many adjuncts. e. Counseling: Quintero stated the need to look into counseling.
	3. FPHC Committee Function
	a. Review additional criteria (seeking feedback)
	i. Add: more student demand than faculty for course/program
	ii. Add: Industry advisory committees/local employers are indicating need and
	demand
	Add: does Federal and state policy support growth
	iv. Add: % faculty attrition in prior year
	v. Add: % student attrition
	vi. Add: % student growth
	vii. Add: population growth in your student population
	viii. Add: planned program growth in pathway
	ix. Add: plan program growth in new communities
	x. Add: productivity and enrollment
	 xi. Add: Consideration of interdisciplinary programming for innovation readiness
	b. Reference <u>Consultation in Hiring Process</u>
	c. 2021-2022 Meeting Schedule (Bi-Annually: December and May)
	1. Review Resource allocation list in December and discuss further.
	 Hold a January meeting for further discussion on changing process.
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None	• N/A	• N/A

Agenda Item E: Roundtable

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DISCUSSION None
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None	• N/A	• N/A

Agenda Item F:	Next Meeting
DISCUSSION	Dec 13, 2021, 3:00 pm, Zoom

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
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None	• N/A	• N/A

Agenda Item G: Adjournment

DISCUSSION The meeting was adjourned by R. Rose at 4:02 p.m.
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Submitted by River Shaw, Administrative Secretary, VP Instructional Services Approved on: $\underline{12/13/21}$