

November 21, 2024, Consultation Council Meeting Minutes

“Digest” means an item has been through internal review by the Chancellor’s Office and the review entities. The item now has form and substance and is officially “entered into Consultation.” The Consultation Council reviews the item and provides advice to the Chancellor.

Deputy Chancellor Tomaneng called the meeting to order at 9:33 a.m.

The following Consultation Council (Council) members were present:

Kyle Hyland for Willy Duncan (ACCCA), Julianna Mosier (ACHRO/EEO), Stephanie Curry for Cheryl Aschenbach (ASCCC), LaTonya Parker (ASCCC), Eric Kaljumägi (CCA/CTA), Jim Mahler (CCC/CFT), Robert Cabral (CCCAOE), Omar Torres (CCCCIO), K. Frindell Teuscher (CCCI), Pamela Ford (CCE/CFT), Manuel Payan (CSEA), Christopher Sweeten (CSSO), Wendy Brill-Wynkoop (FACCC), Ivan Hernandez (SSCCC), Annie Koruga (SSCCC)

CONSULTATION COUNCIL ACRONYMS AND INITIALISMS

ACBO	Association of Chief Business Officers
ACCCA	Association of California Community College Administrators
ACHRO/EEO	Association of Chief Human Resources Officers/Equal Employment Officers
ASCCC	Academic Senate for the California Community Colleges
CCA/CTA	Community College Association/California Teachers Association
CCC/CFT	Community College Council/California Federation of Teachers
CCCAOE	California Community College Association for Occupational Education
CCCCIO	California Community Colleges Chief Instructional Officers
CCCI	California Community College Independents
CCCT	California Community College Trustees
CCE/CFT	Council of Classified Employees/California Federation of Teachers
CCLC	Community College League of California
CEOCCC	Chief Executive Officers of the California Community Colleges
CSEA	California School Employees Association
CSSO	Chief Student Services Officers
FACCC	Faculty Association of the California Community Colleges
SSCCC	Student Senate for California Community Colleges

AGENDA DIGEST ITEMS

Digest Item 1.2: Chancellor's Office Update

(Chancellor Christian)

The Chancellor’s Office (CO) presented updates on relevant developments and time-sensitive changes since the previous Consultation Council meeting, as well as digest items previously presented that may require additional consultation.

Discussion Summary:

- FACCC commended the work on this digest item.
- SSCCC expressed concerns with student protections and climate.
- CCA/CTA expressed concerns with potential drop-out rates of immigrant students.
- CSEA inquired about the federal election impact.

Digest Item 1.3: Student Senate Update

(SSCCC President Hernandez and VPLA Koruga)

This digest item presented updates on the SSCCC current initiatives, legislative stances, system participation, and the status of the SSCCC Board of Directors.

Discussion Summary:

- ASCCC inquired about partnership response and support for students.

Digest Item 1.4: Vision-Aligned Reporting Overview

(Vice Chancellor Cooper and Assistant Vice Chancellor Browne)

This digest item presented the Vision-Aligned Reporting as a new process for California Community Colleges to collect and report data that focuses only on information that offers direct visibility to drive cross-functional conversations about how programs can work together to better leverage resources, address equity gaps, and increase equitable student outcomes.

Discussion Summary:

- SSCCC commended the work on this digest item and inquired about data collection processes.

Digest Item 1.5: AB 705 Success Stories: Empowering Students Through Equitable Access to Higher Education

(Vice Chancellors Stanskas and Cooper)

This digest item underscored the impact of Assembly Bill (AB) 705, illustrating how equitable access to transfer-level courses in mathematics and English enhances student empowerment and outcomes.

Discussion Summary:

- CSEA inquired about military students.
- CCA/CTA commented about work on equity gaps at the college-level.
- SSCCC advocated for student choice in terms of selecting pretransfer-level or transfer-level courses.
- CSE raised discussion about realigning practices in and out of the classrooms.
- FACCC raised discussion about data surrounding equity gaps.
- CCE/CFT raised discussion about engagement.
- SSCCC expressed concerns about dismissiveness about the student voice.
- CCA/CTA raised discussion about equity gaps surrounding mathematics.

Digest Item 1.6: Launching the Statewide Data Governance Advisory Workgroup

(Executive Vice Chancellor Hetts)

This digest item provided an update on the launching of the new Data Governance Advisory Group (DGAW) to help the system tackle critical questions of how to store, manage, secure, use, and share data across statewide technology and data transformation efforts starting with a summary of the first meeting.

Discussion Summary:

- CCCI inquired about the lack of union representation on the workgroup.
- SSCCC inquired about the use of data collection as it relates to undocumented students.
- CCCCIO inquired about the lack of CSOA representation on Consultation Council.

Digest Item 1.7: Update on Statewide Technology Efforts and the Reimagination of CCC Apply

(Executive Vice Chancellor Hetts and Visiting Executive Hayward)

This digest item provided updates regarding progress on the system's efforts towards a statewide common technology platform as well as the reimagination of CCCApply, with attention to updates from the recent task force meetings.

Discussion Summary:

- CSEA inquired about a dashboard with staffing ethnicity at local colleges.

Digest Item 1.8: State and Federal Update

(Vice Chancellor O'Brien and Assistant Vice Chancellor Vazquez)

This digest item provided Consultation Council with a State and Federal Update.

Discussion Summary:

None.

Digest Item 1.9: Other

(Deputy Chancellor Tomaneng)

This digest item provided members of the Council an opportunity to make announcements or seek collaborations that will help our system better serve students.

Discussion Summary:

- CCA/CTA proposed topics for future discussion.
- FACCC requested a future discussion on meeting modality.
- SSCCC echoed FACCC about future discussion on meeting modality.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 1:05 p.m.