Articulation Officer Report
Curriculum Committee Regular Meeting
November 18th, 2:30 PM– 4 PM

Disciplines List Hearing: The Geographical Information Systems discipline was pulled from discussion. The other three (Asian American Studies, Native American Studies, and Advanced Materials - Nanotechnology) will move on to a second hearing at the ASCCC Spring 2022 Plenary. More resource materials are available on the Disciplines List Webpage.

Credit for Prior Learning Updates: The work toward implementing Credit for Prior Learning on the BC campus is continuing. The current focus is on courses taken in the military and cross walking these courses using BC’s CORs and the ACE Military Guide.

UCM – BC Learning Labs PPM Project: The Charting Better Maps to Degrees Convening was on November 4th. More 2+2 maps are being linked with UC Merced through Program Pathways Mapper (PPM). Articulation of courses needs to be complete. Other members of the Central Valley Higher Education Consortium (CVHEC) are looking to join PPM as well. More 2+2 work to come!

UC Transferability: UC Transferable Course Agreements (TCAs) are reviewed externally and based on two basic principles: (1) the course should be comparable to one offered at the lower-division level at a UC campus. (2) If the course is not equivalent to a particular UC course, it must be appropriate for a university degree in terms of purpose, scope and depth. There are also Course Outline guidelines and Special regulation for courses in specific areas.

CSU Transferability: According to CSU EO 167, Community Colleges are responsible for evaluating, identifying and approving CSU Transferable courses. There should be at least one comparable course OR the course must demonstrate throughout the COR that it (a) enhances “understanding of analytical, scientific, or cultural concepts and traditions” AND (b) emphasizes “understanding [of] the theories and concepts that underlie practice.”

eLumen Course Development Options: Request for transferability must be completed. UC and CSU transferability requests must be listed separately in the System/Institution section. List out all BC GE, CSU GE, and IGETC requested attributes. Include at least one comparable course for UC and CSU transferability requests; none needed for GE requests. Include C-ID requests. Contact AO (articulation@bakersfieldcollege.edu) if you have any question.

Respectfully submitted,
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