

**Region 5**  
**Northern California Intersegmental Articulation Council**  
**October 05, 2007**  
**Location: U.C. Merced at Fresno**

Members Present:

Greg Keen, College of the Sequoias (Co-Chair)  
Jack Saunders, San Joaquin Delta College (Co-Chair)  
Ann Andersen, Merced College  
Ruth Cranley, Modesto Junior College  
Cynthia Eisenhut, U.C. Merced  
Alexis Graham, UOP  
Marta Hendrickson, West Hills College, Lemoore  
Vicki Herder, Taft College  
Sandy McGlothlin, West Hills College, Coalinga  
Marilyn Martino, CSU Fresno  
Ann Perkins, UOP  
Miles Vega, Porterville College

Meeting called to order by Greg Keen at 9:35 AM

I. Welcome and Introductions

II. Minutes of March 9, 2007 meeting M/S/A with changes  
(Anderson changed to Andersen)

III. LDTP

Little participation, little response reported from last submission cycle. A question about the sun setting of CAN in Jun 09 was raised. Greg will follow-up with the question at NCIAC. Campus submissions, Merced, 5/0 response, Porterville 10/?, Taft 1<sup>st</sup> cycle only, MJC 14/10 in 3<sup>rd</sup> cycle, COS 15/10, 11/8, 8/?. Significant concerns were voiced about LDTP and it's affect on campus to campus agreements. Slow response from CSU seen as a major problem. Marketing appears inappropriate because the program continues to fall further behind in implementation. Concern was voiced about lack of information about the admission guarantee and the removal of bi-lateral articulation at SDSU.

IV. CID (Course Identification Number Project)

CCC course ID numbering system being developed along CAN model. (see handout). Development of the system will begin with non-LDTP courses. A Discussion occurred about the possibility of CID being a vehicle for CCC \$5000 grant preservation. College Source was suggested as a good reference for course descriptions.

#### V. Title 5 Changes

The pending changes to Title 5 and degree compliance issues were discussed. There was some confusion regarding the proposed changes and campuses are waiting clearer guidelines before making changes to curriculum.

The relevant information can be found at:

<http://www.cccco.edu/SystemOffice/Divisions/AcademicAffairs/CreditProgramandCourseApproval/WhatsNew/tabid/426/Default.aspx>

Changes to the freshman comp courses were discussed. With the requirement for college level freshman comp to satisfy the AA GE effective fall 2009, campuses are considering alternative ways of designing freshman comp courses. Some campuses may consider splitting the course over 2 semesters. This is also the case for the new intermediate algebra requirement.

#### VI. CVHEC

The CVHEC guaranteed admission was discussed in the context of Title 5 changes. Information currently available suggests that the degree as it is currently structured will not be compliant with the new guidelines. There seems to be little communication between the CVHEC office and the campuses, tracking is inconsistent and a recent user survey conducted by the CVHEC office does not seem consistent with individual campus experience with the program. Ann Andersen will attempt to obtain the results of the survey for distribution to regional campus AO's. A meeting with the CVHEC director and the CEO's will be held on Oct 18. Ann Andersen will provide feedback about the meeting if available. It is hoped that some additional communication will be forthcoming from the meeting.

#### VII. Miscellaneous

Merced College is establishing policy and guidelines for use of upper division credit and the Associates degree. A listserv for evaluators has been established. Vicki Jacobi Herder of Taft College will provide more information. Reciprocity was discussed in the context of transfer and general education. Most receiving campuses honor coursework that satisfies GE on the sending campus to satisfy local GE areas. The meeting concluded with campus highlights.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jack Saunders, Co-chair