February, 2020 – No meeting held.

March, 2020

AAS Information Systems Technology: Programming and Mobile Application Development and related Career Studies Certificate (Modification)

Changes to the AAS degree and CSC include: (1) course reordering and (2) requiring ITD 212 and ITP 226 in place of the two ITP programming language electives. These changes are effective with our 2020-2021 College Catalog.

AAS Information Systems Technology: Web Development Specialist and related Career Studies Certificate (Modification)

Changes to the AAS degree and CSC include: (1) course reordering, (2) the addition of ITD 132 and (3) the removal of ITN 109. These changes are effective with our 2020-2021 College Catalog.

Automotive Curricula (Modification, New, and Discontinuance)

We currently offer an AAS degree in Automotive Technology and four related Career Studies Certificates (CSCs). The CSCs are: Automotive Chassis Systems, Automotive Electronics, Automotive Engine Performance, and Automotive Powertrains.

Changes proposed to the Curriculum Committee, which were subsequently recommended for approval, include:

1. Discontinue the current automotive CSCs in Electronics, Engine Performance, and Powertrains and retain the Automotive Chassis Systems CSC.
2. Change the Automotive Chassis Systems CSC program name to Automotive Trainee CSC to more accurately reflect program objectives and learning outcomes.
3. Offer two new CSCs.
   a. Automotive Maintenance and Light Repair Technician (MLR) will be the entry point for most automotive students. All coursework from the Automotive Trainee CSC (formerly Automotive Chassis Systems CSC) will apply to this program.
   b. Automotive Technician CSC will require completion of the newly established Maintenance and Light Repair Technician CSC (above) for entry.

Assuming approval by our College Board in May and subsequent recognition by the VCCS, the changes will take effect in 2020-2021. In preparation for this, the CSCs have been deactivated to prevent entry from new students.

April, 2020

AAS in Cyber Security was fully approved with a summer 2020 start. The AAS in Information Systems Technology (IST): Cyber Security Specialization is no longer available to new students. Students in the IST degree will be moved to the new plan. We will communicate this change to them.

At the recommendation of the General Education Committee, we will remove CST 229: Intercultural Communication as an approved Humanities Elective effective for the 2021-2022 academic year. The course will continue to serve as an Approved Transfer Elective. Because our College Catalog has already been published, CST 229 will remain an eligible Humanities Elective for 2020-2021.

May, 2020 College Board Action:

- We have two new Career Studies Certificates (CSCs) that stack into our AAS in Automotive Technology: Automotive Maintenance and Light Repair Technician (MLR) and Automotive Technician. Automotive Chassis Systems has been renamed Automotive Trainee.
- While select dual enrollment students may enter automotive curricula with the Automotive Trainee CSC, the MLR CSC will be the entry point for most students. All coursework from the Automotive Trainee CSC will stack into the MLR CSC. Students seeking entry in the Automotive Technician CSC must first complete the Maintenance and Light Repair Technician CSC.
- Financial aid and Veteran's benefits eligibility for the new CSCs is pending.
- As a result of this work, the following automotive CSCs will be discontinued: Electronics, Engine Performance, and Powertrains.

May, 2020:

Two new course offerings were approved by Curriculum Committee.

TCC will offer CHM 101 and CHM 102 remotely, including "real time" labs that students may complete at home through the purchase of kits. Further, as per the General Education Committee's review, CHM 101 and CHM 102 will serve as Approved Science with Lab and Transfer Elective options.

Faculty must seek approval from the General Education Committee to keep these courses as permanent Science with Lab and Transfer Elective options. Three programs specifically require CHM 111 and/or CHM 112: Engineering, Medical Laboratory Technology, and Mechanical Engineering Technology. CHM 101 and CHM 102 will not be options for these programs.

June, 2020

Courses for Discontinuance

Academic Affairs performs an annual review of all active courses in SIS. Courses that have not been offered for three or more years and that are not required courses in any of our curricula are considered for discontinuance. Effective immediately, 19 courses have been deactivated.

Career Studies Certificate, Accounting Technician

ACCT 221 will be required in semester 2. To avoid course requisite issues, ACC 212 will now serve a prerequisite or corequisite of ACC 221.

AAS in Information Systems Technology: Network Administration and CSC in Network Administration

As part of a VCCS initiative in collaboration with Amazon, cloud computing courses will replace some current degree and certificate requirements. These changes eliminate elective options in both programs. Additionally, the CSC will move a two-semester program.

Credit for Prior Learning Policy

The Curriculum Committee performed its annual review of the Credit for Prior Learning Policy and does not recommend any changes.

Curriculum Committee Chair

The Committee tabled the election of a Chair until the first meeting in the fall semester. Linda Williams, our current Chair, graciously agreed to assume this role until then.