

Inland Empire Desert Regional Consortium

CTE Deans Meeting

Location: In Person Meeting

May 13, 2024, 8:30 am

Minutes

Roll Call (Quorum = 8 colleges; 7 votes required to carry any motion). Joyce Johnson called the meeting to order at: 8:33 am

Meeting Attendees: Chaffey College: Yolanda Friday, Eric Sorenson; College of the Desert: Gary Plunkett, Walt Meyer; Copper Mountain College: Evelyn Sheffield; Crafton Hills College: Dan Word; Moreno Valley College: Eric Anthony, Phil Rawlings; Mt. San Jacinto College: Joyce Johnson; Norco College: Eric Anthony proxy for Ashley Etchison; Riverside City College: Thea Quigley; San Bernardino Valley College: Vanessa Thomas; Victor Valley College: Sandy Visser-Jones; IEDRC: Crystal Nasio, Stephanie Murillo, Sheryl Plumley, James Meier, and Diann Thursby (recorder)
Guests: Joseph Lee, Chaffey College; Audrey Childers, IEDRC Consultant

Regional Recommendation Process:

The Inland Empire/Desert Regional Consortium is comprised of the 12 community colleges in Riverside and San Bernardino counties. The California Community College Chancellor's Office requires that all requests for new CTE program approvals include a recommendation from the "appropriate CTE Regional Consortium" (PCAH 7th Edition, page 22). This recommendation ensures program offerings meet regional labor market needs and do not unnecessarily duplicate programs.

The IE/DRC vested responsibility for recommending new programs, program revisions, and other program matters with its CTE Deans subcommittee (click here to see [IE/DRC Governance](#)).

Regional recommendation should occur at the beginning of new program development. Colleges seeking regional recommendation must submit their request online at [RegionalCTE.org](#).

Program Recommendation

College: Chaffey College

Program Name: [Cloud Solutions Architecture A.S. Degree](#)

Motion: Friday moved to recommend Cloud Solutions Architecture A.S. Degree

Seconded by: Word

Comments/discussion: Dr. Joseph Lee shared an overview of the degree and the background/history of "the cloud" and why it is important. The students that will be earning the degree will have to take the national certifications. Question: do you think there will be one standardized exam for a national certification? At this time, the answer is unclear. What we know is that everyone is in the cloud so the students will have to take all the certification exams.

Motion Carried? Yes.

College: Norco College

Program Name: [Robotics Specialist](#)

Tabled to the next IEDRC CTE Dean Meeting.

College: College of the Desert

Program Name: [Paramedic Academy Program](#)

Motion: Plunkett moved to recommend Paramedic Academy Program

Seconded by: Word


Comments/discussion: Walt Meyer shared overview and history of the program. Moreno Valley College shared their curriculum with College of the Desert. They also partnered with Cal Fire. The program will have 30 students in the

program. They will have a dedicated classroom for the program. The students will sit for the national certification exam. Most likely the program will be Monday-Wednesday and they will meet for eight hours per day. The goal is to start in Fall 2024, but if not it will start the following semester. The students will be ready for work in the Winter of 2026. The stakeholders have already met for their first advisory meeting and the second meeting will be held next month.

Motion Carried? Yes.

Other

- CCCAOE Updates with Dan Word
 - The Spring 2024 Conference was well attended.
 - Dan thanked the Deans for the opportunity to continue to serve as the Regional VP.
 - Dan sent an email on Friday regarding the state budget. There were specific callouts about proposed cuts. No specific cuts to SWP and the other funding that we have come to rely on.
- Regional Chair Announcement
 - Revised Budget Updates:
 - There was a rapid response team set up. Taylor Gllbertson is a shining star and assisted the group. The Chancellor and the chairs attended the senate hearing. It was the first time for the Chancellor spoke and the regional chairs were their to support. Dr. Nasio shared the highlights from the meeting.
 - Share your success stories with the region.
 - Highlights from 5-10-24 with Governor Newson.
 - June Retreat
 - June 26-27, 2024 at the Manchester Grand Hyatt in San Diego.
 - We are going to continue the work we are doing and what we are going to do for the next round of funding.
 - Accomplishments Tracking
 - Steering Committee Chair Nominations.
 - CTE Deans Chair & Economic Development Chair is up June 2024 (for both Joyce and Deanna).
 - We will add the CTE Dean's vote to the June agenda.
 - Remember there are no term limits.
- Foundation Climate Survey - Gathering CTE Dean Responses
 - [Link here](#)
 - There was an email sent on this.
- College Share Out
 - Chaffey College will have a new Interim , CIO starting on July 1, 2024.
 - RCC is still hiring for the MakerSpace Manager
 - SBVC is going to have an Air Traffic Controller Program
 - Starting Fall 2024
 - SBVC was invited to the FAA "training program". The in
 - MSJC will start their RAD Tech program in the Fall and they have submitted for accreditation. MSJC was approved for the Nursing Apprenticeship.
 - VVC they just got approved for the Bachelor's in Respiratory Care program.
- Audrey Childers will be working on the Communities of Practice (COP).
 - There will be more information coming soon.



Motion: Anthony moved to approve the minutes for the May 6, 2024 CTE Deans Meeting.

Seconded by: Rawlings

Motion carried? Yes

Meeting adjourned at 9:27am

Next meeting: June 3, 2024