

Los Rios Ethnic Studies Faculty Council

Minutes

Wednesday, March 9, 2022

Time: 10:30am-12:30pm

ConferZoom: <https://lrccd.zoom.us/j/92493717468>

Preliminaries

- Call to Order – 10:35am
- Attendance – Council Members Present in Bold

Mark Carnero, ARC

Walter Kawamoto, ARC

Nyenbeku George, CRC

Alex Peshkoff, CRC

Winnie Hung, ARC

Tami Cheshire, FLC

Victoire Chochezi, FLC

Keith Heningburg, SCC

Surangi Frazier, SCC

Robert Unzueta, SCC

Malika Hollinside, SCC

Juana Esty, CRC AO Representative

- Approval of Agenda

Alex Peshkoff - Motion, **Robert Unzueta** - Second; All approved

- Approval of Minutes

Winnie Hung - Motion, - **Alex Peshkoff** Second; All approved

- Approval to Meet Virtually Online

Winnie Hung - Motion, **Robert Unzueta** - Second; All approved

Public Comments

None

Announcements

- Walter Kawamoto – Chavez March is coming up. See attachments.
- Mallika Hollinside – San Joaquin Delta College is hiring for Chicana/Chicano Studies and Asian American Studies.
 - Amari Series
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mjuSbkZ3jcc&list=PLXBK4HZsYkd-pSUiWWZrgVaGBNy36IVre&index=3>
- CCCESFC Symposium/Summit Friday March 11, 2022 - 10-Noon
 - Registration link: <https://deltacollege-edu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJ0scOmqrD8tEtd1Ng6AknXxG-l59ss1gmk4>
 - Keith would like to encourage us to attend this event because it relates to state level issue. Tami will also be presenting at this event.
- Cuesta College Ethnic Studies Teach-In Wednesday March 30, 2022 - 1-4:30pm
 - <https://bit.ly/EthnicStudiesTeachIn22>
- Victoire Chochezi –
 - Here is a list of upcoming FLC Equity Center women's herstory month events, and a link to the district's women's events. The events are open to everyone and hopefully will be inspirational to everyone, so we hope you will join us and help spread the word.

Women's History Month - FLC Featured Event: Women Leaders and Professional Journeys

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Join us to hear from Women Leaders across Folsom Lake College who will share their professional journeys, challe...

<https://flc.losrios.edu/campus-life/calendar-and-events/event?id=x61652&date=20220324&time=1500>

<https://flc.losrios.edu/campus-life/calendar-and-events/event?id=x61653&date=20220331&time=1500>

The district has a great line up overall. Check it out.

- <https://flc.losrios.edu/campus-life/calendar-and-events?term=&type=4356&organizer=&aud>
- BFAA Annual Hiring Workshop, Part 2 Interviewing
<https://lrccd.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJlPd-6uqj8iGd2pxVft88W7aLJ9dBujxtw7>

Chair's Report (Approximately 30 minutes)

- Continued discussion on how the Council will carry on and in what capacity

- CCCESFC Regional Ethnic Studies Faculty Council Development further discussion
- Curriculum Update
 - All curriculum with name changes should be cataloged
 - All introductory courses have the phrase, “Introduction to.”
- Program Development – Work group Fridays
 - Google drive collaborative doc
 - Added Teaching Certificate information to the end of the program document for review and consideration
 - TMC will not be complete until Feb. 2023
 - Work on our AA’s and Teaching Certificate
 - We should figure out how to make the designators work for students who transfer to UC or CSU since the focus is slightly different at these institutions. CSU is more focused on general Ethnic Studies while the UC is more focused on the four core as distinct disciplines. We may want to use a hyphenated designator, such as ETHN-AFAM for example.
 - It may be good to plan for a general Ethnic Studies degree right now and then diversify once we have more faculty. However, it may be difficult to change later.
 - Dual Enrollment continued discussion, should we organize this district wide for Ethnic Studies?
 - Dual enrollment is college specific. It involves specific agreements with school districts. For example, SCC is working with a lot of school in the Davis area.
 - Should we consider a dual enrollment agreement that is district-wide rather than college specific?
 - The colleges are coordinating dual enrollment with multiple departments, so it may not be feasible for the Council to get specifically involved.
 - We may want to consider some professional development for the faculty/ staff at the high schools as well so that we are all on the same page.
- Discussion about a Canvas repository for Ethnic Studies Resources and announcements
 - Surangi will reach out to Brian Pogue about creating a shell. It will be called Los Rios Ethnic Studies Resource Repository.
- Discussion about asking if changing the website to reflect local and statewide Ethnic Studies announcements is possible.

Discussion Items (25 minutes)

Note: Items that the committee is unable to get to can be tabled until the next meeting.

1. Department Updates (10 minutes)

- ARC (Mark Carnero) – No major updates. ARC wants to offer more dual enrollment.

- CRC (Winnie Hung) – No major updates. CRC is reviewing the catalogue. It will be updated for the next year.
 - FLC (Tami Cheshire) – Will be asking for another full-time faculty hire in the fall.
 - SCC (Keith Heningburg) – Intro classes are updated. All are retitled.
2. Ethnic Studies courses, programs, and degrees (Standing Agenda Item) (10 minutes)
- Expected to hear back from Area F reviewers in April
 - Give your curriculum committee chair's a heads up that we may need to make quick changes.
 - Proposals for Ethnic Studies Programs, Certificates, Degrees (Work Group Fridays)
 - Submit Programs to Curriculum Committees Spring 2022/Fall 2022
 - We can work on local degrees while we are waiting for TMC

Decision Items (Council Members Vote in Chat When Called to Vote)

Note: Decisions should be discussed at one meeting and voted on in a subsequent meeting. Decision items must be made public 72 hours before a vote can be made per Brown Act.

- None

Future Items

- Requests for full-time positions in Ethnic Studies Fall 2022 -collect data Spring 2022
- Department reports - Ethnic Studies courses, programs, and degrees (Standing Agenda Item)
 - Ethnic Studies Department updates
 - Update on existing Ethnic Studies Curriculum & **revisions (Area F approval)**
 - AB928 and AB111 changes
 - UC Ethnic Studies Transfer requirements
 - Ethnic/Multicultural Requirement Policy Change
- Media Project & Video update
 - Michael is asking for visuals/ images to include in the video. It should be completed by the end of the semester.

Future Council Meeting Times 10:30-12:30

Future Council Meeting Dates:

Wednesday March 23

Wednesday April 6

Wednesday April 20

Wednesday May 4

Wednesday May 18 - if we need to meet – last day of the semester

Adjournment – 12:00pm