

CCC COMMUNIQUÉ

JUNE 21, 2012

NEWS:

- ❖ **New Course Proposals:** The following proposals were distributed. Please ask your Rep if you're interested in reading the proposal(s) and contact the faculty author if you have questions or comments.

Supplemental Instruction: English (non-credit)

Natalia Menendez

Advanced-Beginning English as a Second Language I, II & III (non-credit)

Diane Uyeda

Intermediate English as a Second Language I, II & III (non-credit)

Diane Uyeda

Cultural Issues in Health

Elizabeth Casparro

Sustainability & Human Nutrition*

*Carolyn Holcroft

*author welcomes interdisciplinary collaboration, please contact if interested

- ❖ The following courses received **Stand Alone** approval on June 19th: ALCB 403, 403Y, 406, 406Y, 407, 407Y, 408, 408Y, 409, 409Y, 411, 413, 413X, 413Y, 414, 414, 414Y, 421, 421Y, 431, 431Y, 451, 451Y, 455, 456, 456Y, 462, 462Y, 463, 463Y, 464, 465, 465Y, 465Z, 481.
- ❖ **AA-T/AS-T Degree Proposals:** The CCC approved three more transfer degree proposals: History, Mathematics and English! The applications will go the FHDA Board of Trustees and then on to the State Chancellor's Office for final approval. Congratulations to the departments for their conscientious work.

REMINDERS:

- ❖ **CCC Representation for 2012-13:** Although some divisions are lucky enough to have their CCC reps continuing next year, sadly some reps are stepping down. Here's your opportunity to contribute to efforts to make meaningful changes in our curriculum and subsequently in students' lives. If you're interested in serving on the CCC, please let your current CC Rep and Division Dean know!

"WE NEED YOUR FEEDBACK!" ITEMS:

- ❖ **District-Wide Course Equivalency:** The new repetition and repeatability rules are very clear that repetition/repeatability limits are **District-wide**. This change requires us to identify those courses from each campus that are "equivalent." Your CCC Reps have a draft list of possible equivalencies and we'd like you to review it and make comments/suggestions. If you know of courses not on this list that you think might be equivalent, please add them. We encourage faculty to reach out to their colleagues at De Anza and begin dialog on this topic.
- ❖ **Program Revision Proposal:** The BSS Division is proposing to revamp the American Studies A.A. degree to become "US Cultures & Communities AA Degree" ideally for the '13-'14 year. Bill Ziegenhorn will be working on this while on his sabbatical next year and welcomes feedback, so please contact your CCC rep if you're interested in looking at the proposal.