## Foothill College Program Review Committee (PRC) Feedback Spring 2018

Thank you for your time and effort in completing the Comprehensive Program Review this year. We know it is a lot of work but we hope it has been helpful. Thank you for your ongoing efforts to improve on behalf of our students. The program review process allows others throughout the college to learn about your work and how it supports the college mission, educational master plan, and equity goals.

The Program Review Committee (PRC) recognizes your comprehensive program review was drafted in the Fall of 2017, prior to the College's pivot to a productivity model. Nevertheless, program viability and productivity are closely linked and the PRC did consider this a factor in the overall rating of your program.

The PRC read and discussed each Comprehensive Program Review during a series of meetings in Winter 2018. The committee's feedback is outlined below. Please note that PRC would be happy to meet with any department or program if there are any questions/concerns.

**DEPARTMENT/PROGRAM:** Anthropology

## **COMMENDATIONS & STRENGTHS:**

- PRC commends the department on their continuing efforts to prepare students for transfer.
- PRC commends the department on its innovative service learning projects, and their work with the local community.
- PRC commends the department on the improvement in its productivity.
- PRC commends the department on the improvement in student success for disproportionately impacted students.
- PRC commends the department on its plan to address achievement disparities between its online and face to face courses.
- PRC commends the department's efforts to schedule intentionally looking at potential conflicts with other courses in the program.
- PRC commends the department on its PLO assessment efforts.

## **SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVEMENT:**

- PRC suggests the department examine the role of the nontransciptable certificates and whether they might be converted to transcriptable certificates.
- PRC suggests the department work with institutional research on its program outcomes assessments.

• PRC suggests that faculty work with the Dean to assess scheduling options with regard to productivity and enrollment.

## **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

None

FINAL RATING: Green