



COLLEGE DIVISION REORGANIZATION UPDATE

August 24, 2016

Please see my letter to all of you, dated July 21, 2016. After several meetings and consultation with the AFT, I have made some final changes to the reorganization. You will see the final plan below.

Following the Collective Bargaining Agreement, Article 17. A. 2 and B. 1, there will be no chair elections of new divisions until Spring 2017 with election outcomes to take effect July 1, 2017.

New divisions without a department chair will have an administrator assigned, per Article 17. A. 3: Behavioral Science and Arts & Performance. A division of labor to perform some of the responsibilities for chair will be assigned to currently elected chairs as indicated in the Art & Performance Division.

Per Article 17. B. 8, there will be elections in the Library and Kinesiology Divisions to replace formerly elected chairs, one of whom retired and one transferred to another college.

In accordance with Article 17. C., where the divisions are affected by reorganization, the elected chairs' reassignments will remain the same until elections are held in the Spring 2017 (Social Science Division, and two chairs in the Arts & Performance Division).

Allied Health Division: Allied Health, Certified Nursing Assistant, Dental Hygiene, Dental Assistant, Drug and Alcohol Abuse Studies (Psychology), Emergency Medical Technician, Health, Health Occupations, Paramedic, Medical Assistant, Pharmacy Technician

(Chair: Carlos Sermeno)

Arts & Performance Division:

Architecture, Art, Multi-media, Music, Photography

(Chair: Joyce Sweeney)

Broadcasting, Cinema, Dance Studies and Dance Techniques, Film Production, Television, Theater

(Chair: Laura Peterson)

(Aracely Aguiar is the administrator assigned to oversee the Arts & Performance Division until a division chair election can be held in Spring 2017.)

In accordance with the college's Program Viability Process, I am requesting that a viability study be done for the Broadcasting discipline.

Kinesiology Division: Kinesiology

(Election for chair in September 2016 due to retirement of previous chair)

***Behavioral Science Division:** Administration of Justice, Anthropology, Child Development, Corrections, Family & Consumer Studies, Fire Technology, Psychology

(Chair: Vice President of Academic Affairs until division chair election can be held in Spring 2017)

***Business Division:** Accounting, Business, Finance, Hospitality, Management, Marketing, Real Estate, Travel & Tourism

(Chair: Gerald Ludwig)

Language Arts: American Sign Language, Arabic, Chinese, Communication Studies, English, English as a Second Language, French, Humanities, Japanese, Philosophy, Spanish

(Chair: Fran Leonard).

Library Division: Learning Skills, Library Science, Education Library Services.

(Election for chair in September 2016 due to previous chair's transfer to another college.)

***Social Science Division:** African-American Studies, Asian-American Studies, Economics, History, Law, Paralegal Studies, Political Science, Sociology

(Chair: Sholeh Khorrooshi).

(In accordance with the college's Program Viability Process, I am requesting that a viability study be done for the Law discipline.)

No changes in these divisions: Applied Technology, Computer Science, Counseling, Mathematics, and Sciences.

**The divisions marked by an asterisk are affected by the Senate's recommendation reference April 12, 2016, Item 2 Senate Recommendation Spring 2016: see reorganization items marked with asterisks as well as additional reorganization.*

Robert Sprague
Interim President

2015-2016 Academic Senate Actions

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April 12, 2016

2. **ACTION MOTION:** On behalf of the Career Studies Division and based on a motion by that division as reflected in the November 18, 2015 minutes that we move to separate the Paralegal Studies Division, Law, and Administration of Justice into a new division. The remaining disciplines of Career Studies remain as a division called the Business Division. **MSP**