

2021-22 ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT PROGRAM REVIEW

UNIT: Teaching and Learning Center

Please submit your completed Program Review to Sheri Moore by 12 pm on January 20th, 2022 to Sheri Moore.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE:

- Review and reflect on the support of student learning, with the goal of assessment and improvement of program
 effectiveness
- Provide a forum for each unit's findings to be included in institutional planning processes
- Create written records of what is working well, what can be improved, and specific plans for implementing chosen improvements
- Collect information that will contribute to institutional assessment and improvement

Timeframe: This program review reflects on the time period between spring 2021 through fall 2021 and plans for spring 2022 through fall 2022.

I. MISSION

A. State the current program mission

The mission of the Teaching and Learning Center is to inspire and enable faculty to enhance teaching and learning through the effective use of instructional technologies. Providing quality resources and focused training and support, the TLC is the hub of the college's professional development activities that contribute to the pedagogical and technical knowledge of LPC faculty, staff, and administrators. The TLC also provides leadership, coordination, and management of the college's web site, Student Learning Outcomes online system, and Distance Education efforts. Ultimately, TLC work will result in student-centered courses and web pages that allow all students, including those with disabilities, to reach their educational goals.

B. The mission of Las Positas College is the following:

Las Positas College provides an inclusive, learning-centered, equity-focused environment that offers educational opportunities and support for completion of students' transfer, degree, and career-technical goals while promoting lifelong learning.

Discuss how the program/service area supports the college mission.

The learning opportunities provided to faculty and staff through instructional technology workshops and appointments all have the same goal: to enhance teaching and learning to the benefit of ALL students.

When instructors are trained to design Distance Education courses, they are taught how to make them student-centered and how to meet the learning styles of all students, including those with disabilities. This inclusiveness, coupled with support received by faculty, results in quality instruction that helps students in degree, career-technical, and transfer programs reach their goals. Since Distance Education can reach a variety of students who might not be otherwise able to come to campus, it is inclusive by nature.

An important aspect of the LPC web site is to provide accurate and complete information to ensure that students are on the correct path to reaching their goals.

C. List the major functions/duties of your unit.

- 1. Provide pedagogical and technical training and support to faculty integrating technology into their curricula, designing hybrid courses, and designing online courses.
- 2. Lead the Distance Education efforts in addressing and solving issues, including technical, planning, policies and procedures, and writing reports.
- 3. Represent Distance Education on various college- and district-wide committees and task forces.
- 4. Administer the college course management system to ensure continuous, optimal efficiency of courses.
- 5. Train and support faculty and staff on how to make their web content accessible to all students, particularly those with disabilities.

6. Administer the college web content management system, and train and support users contributing to it.

II. GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

A. Since the last Administrative Unit Program Review, what objectives, initiatives, or plans have been achieved?

- 1. Revised the LPC Regular Effective Contact Guidelines and got them approved by the Academic Senate (phase 1).
- 2. Developed (preliminary) guidelines for merging sections/courses in Canvas that do not violate FERPA regulations.
- 3. Implemented a Student Support Hub in Canvas.
- 4. Implemented Pope Tech into Canvas, and trained faculty to self-check their courses for ADA-compliancy.
- 5. Implemented EvaluationKit software and utilized it for course evaluations.
- 6. Implemented a Program Mapper landing page.
- 7. Implemented a Career Coach landing page.
- 8. Revise the 6 Steps to Student Success site.

B. Major Goals and Objectives for Spring 2022 through Fall 2022.

Major Goals and/or Objectives	Start	Status: Ongoing,	Need Assistance in order to	Educational
	Date	date completion	complete goal or objective	Master Plan
		anticipated	(reference applicable resource	(EMP) Goals or
			request page)	Planning
				Priorities linked
				to this
				Goal/Objective
1. Train faculty to develop and teach instructionally	February	Ongoing	Dependent upon classroom	A1, A2, C4, C6,
sound HyFlex courses	2022		technology implementation,	D3, D4
			possible monetary incentive	
2. Revise, then gain Academic Senate approval of, the	January	May 27, 2022	Dependent upon approval	A2
LPC Regular and Effective Contact Guidelines (phase	2022		from Academic Senate	
2)				

3. Prepare faculty for the implementation of New Quizzes	February 2022	Ongoing	Dependent upon Canvas enforcing its timeline to disallow quiz creation in Classic Quizzes.	D3, D4
4. Train more faculty to use Pronto to increase interaction in online classes	February 2022	Ongoing	Dependent upon sufficient funds to extend the District's Pronto license and sufficient support for the product	D3, D4
5. Continue to re-code the LPC web site to meet WCAG 2.1 standards	January 2022	Ongoing		D3, D4

III. STAFFING

A. Staff Profile

	Staffing Levels for Each of the Previous Five Years			Anticipated to	Anticipated total staff needed		
Position	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022-2023	2023-2024
Administration							
Supervisory	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Classified Staff FT	1	1	1	1	1	2	2
Classified Staff PT	1	1	1	1	1		
Confidential Staff FT							
Total Full Time Equivalent Staff	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	3	3

B. Staffing Needs

NEW OR REPLACEMENT STAFF (Administrator, Faculty or Classified)

List Staff Positions Needed for Academic Year 2022-23 Place titles on list in order (rank) or importance.	Indicate (N) = New or (R) = Replacement	Estimated Annual Total Cost	EMP Goals or Planning Priorities Linked to Position
1. Instructional Technology Specialist Reason: This position should be upgraded from 25 hours a week to 40 because of the faculty support and training needs emanating from the transition of most instruction to online. Even when the pandemic is deemed "over," it is assumed that there will be considerably more usage of Canvas than there was before the pandemic began. Therefore, support and training needs will be high, as will work in the area of web accessibility, for which this position is responsible.	(N)but really an increase in hours	\$41,771	A1, A2, A3, C3, D1, D3, D4
Reason:			
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Reason:		
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Reason:		

IV. FACILITIES

A. Facilities Needs

FACILITIES NEEDS

List the Facilities Need and the Reason	EMP Goals or Planning Priorities Linked to Position
1. <u>Reason:</u> With more instructional materials for students placed online, faculty need a place (a studio) to create, and process, multimedia content. They also need a venue in which support will be provided.	A1, A2, C4, C6, D1
2. <u>Reason:</u>	

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Reason:	

V. TECHNOLOGY AND EQUIPMENT

A. Technology and Equipment Needs

TECHNOLOGY AND EQUIPMENT NEEDS

	Indicate (N) =		EMP
	New or $(R) =$	Estimated	Goals or
List the Technology and Equipment Needs	Replacement	Annual	Planning
		Total Cost	Priorities
Place titles on list in order (rank) or importance.		of	Linked
		Ownership	to
			Position

1. HyFlex technology for training purposes	(N)	\$5,000	A1, A2,
Reason: If this technology is to be placed in classrooms, instructors need a place to practice, get			C4, C6,
trained, and get support. The TLC is the obvious place.			D3, D4
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VI. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Professional Development Needs

List Professional Development Needs. Reasons might include in response to	Annual TC	
assessment findings or the need to update skills to comply with state, federal,		
professional organization requirements or the need to update skills/competencies. Please		

be as specific and as brief as possible. Some items may not have a direct cost, but reflect the need to spend current staff time differently. Place items on list in order (rank) or importance.	Cost per item	Number Requested	Total Cost	EMP Goals or Planning Priorities Linked to Position
1. Online Teaching Conference Reason: The Instructional Technology Coordinator needs to update knowledge & skills in state & federal regulations, accreditation guidelines, best teaching practices & online administration, Canvas, and the CVC. The Instructional Technology Specialist needs to update knowledge and skills in web accessibility in order to better support faculty.	\$1300	2	\$2600	A1, A2, A3, E1
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3. Reason: 4.				
Reason:				
5. Reason:				
6. Reason:				