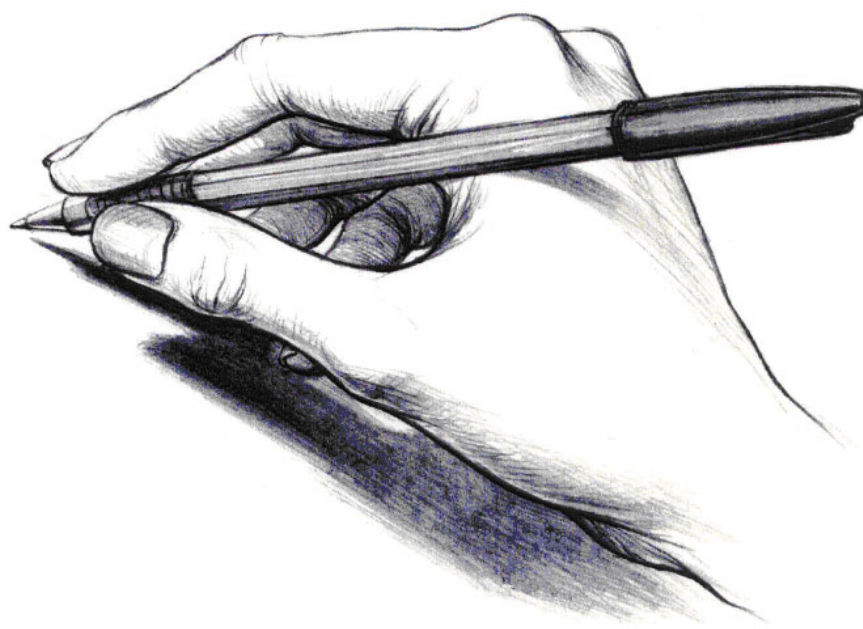




**CURRICULUM REVIEW
SUBCOMMITTEE**

HANDBOOK

FALL 2006



CRC NOTEBOOK

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SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE

Curriculum Review Subcommittee

Mission Statement

Adopted February 4, 1999

The mission of the San Diego Mesa College Curriculum Review Committee is to ensure that curriculum meets the standards and criteria defined by the mission statement of the college, the District guidelines, and the Education Code, especially the California Code of Regulations (Title 5, Section 5300.2)

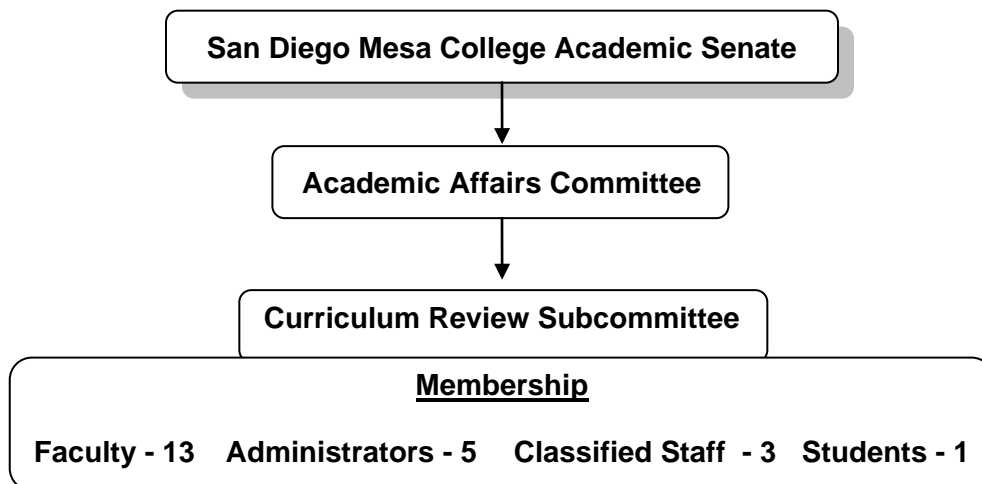
Specific Goals:

1. To facilitate curriculum initiators in the origination and revision of curriculum.
2. To facilitate the development of general education requirements.
3. To facilitate the development of graduation and certificate requirements.
4. To ensure program and course alignment within the SDCCD
5. To ensure that new courses and programs do no duplicate approved programs.
6. To ensure that the curriculum presented is in the best interest of the students.



SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE

Curriculum Review Subcommittee Organizational Chart



San Diego Mesa College Curriculum Review Committee Members

2006-2007

Member	Liaison		Phone Extension	Mailbox Number
Elizabeth Armstrong *	Vice President of Instruction	Co-Chair	2755	A-104
Paula Gustin **	Chemistry	Co-Chair	2850	K-202
Yvonne Bergland *	Dean of Instructional Services, Resource Development and Research	Tech Review Coordinator	2509	A-109
Juliette Parker **	Articulation Officer		2639	I-426
Joi Blake *	Student Development/Matriculation	Dean Rep	2896	I3-202
Paula Christopher ***	Evaluator	Classified Senate Rep	2680	I3-202
John Crocitti **	History	Academic Senate Rep	2417	H-302
Christine DuPraw **	Nutrition	Academic Senate Rep	2208	B-103
Shirley Flor **	Counselor	Academic Senate Rep	2986	I-430
Joyce Carrigan *	Humanities and Languages	Interim Dean Rep	2797	G-103
Dwayne Gergens **	Chemistry	Academic Senate Rep	2609	I3-407
Andrew Hoffman **	English	Academic Senate Rep	2367	G-103
Larry Horsman **	Building Construction	Academic Senate Rep	2261	F-204
Lim Kaiser ***	Evaluator	Classified Senate Rep	2680	I3-202
Susheela Narayanan **	Child Development	Academic Senate Rep	2447	B-103
Susan Newell ***	Evaluator	Classified Senate Rep	2680	I3-202
Roger Olson **	Library – LRC	Academic Senate Rep	2548	LRC
Michelle (Toni) Parsons **	Math	Academic Senate Rep	2394	H-207
Alfonso Saballett **	Computer Studies	Academic Senate Rep	2270	F-204
Mike Sanchez **	Physical Education	Academic Senate Rep	2614	L-101
Will Tappen **	Chemistry	Academic Senate Rep	2661	K-202
Kai Wong **	Physics	Academic Senate Rep	2252	K-202
Arlis Svedberg		Staff - Admin Tech	2931	A-103
TBA ****	Associated Student	Associated Student Rep	2903	H-600
Membership: *Administrators – 3; ** Faculty – 15; *** Classified – 3; **** Students – 1				

Revised: September 18, 2006

SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE

Curriculum Review Subcommittee Meetings Fall 2006 – Spring 2007

FALL 2006

Meetings are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. in A102

September 7, 2006

September 21, 2006

October 5, 2006

October 19, 2006

November 2, 2006

November 16, 2006

December 7, 2006

SPRING 2007

Meetings are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. in A102

February 1, 2007

Virtual Vote

February 15, 2007

March 1, 2007

March 15, 2007

March 29, 2007

April 19, 2007

May 3, 2007

May 17, 2007

CurricUNET

All Curriculum proposals (Course and Program) must be submitted via CurricUNET

For CurricUNET access information, contact the Curriculum Chair (Paula Gustin – 2850)

DEADLINES for CRC Review*

CRC MEETING	PUBLICATION
February 2007	Summer Schedule - 2007
April 2007	Fall Schedule - 2007
May 2007	Spring Schedule - 2008
February 15, 2007	Mesa Catalog – 2007 - 2008

*Please note that all items submitted prior to and by these deadlines remain dependent upon subsequent CIC/Board of Trustee's and/or State approval. Until the appropriate subsequent approvals are given items cannot be included in the above publications. For updates and changes to deadlines please contact the Curriculum Chair (Paula Gustin – 2850)

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Curriculum Review Committee Website

<http://www.sdmesa.edu/instruction/curr-rev/index.html>

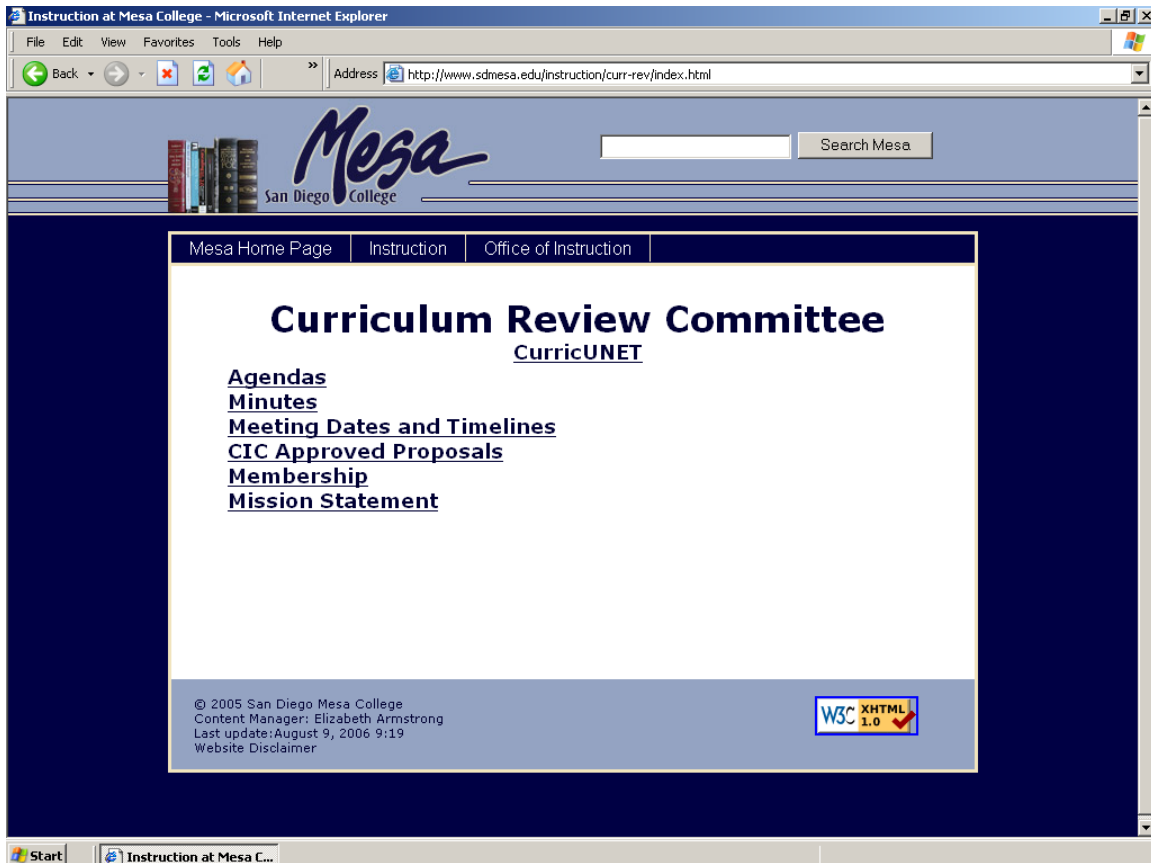
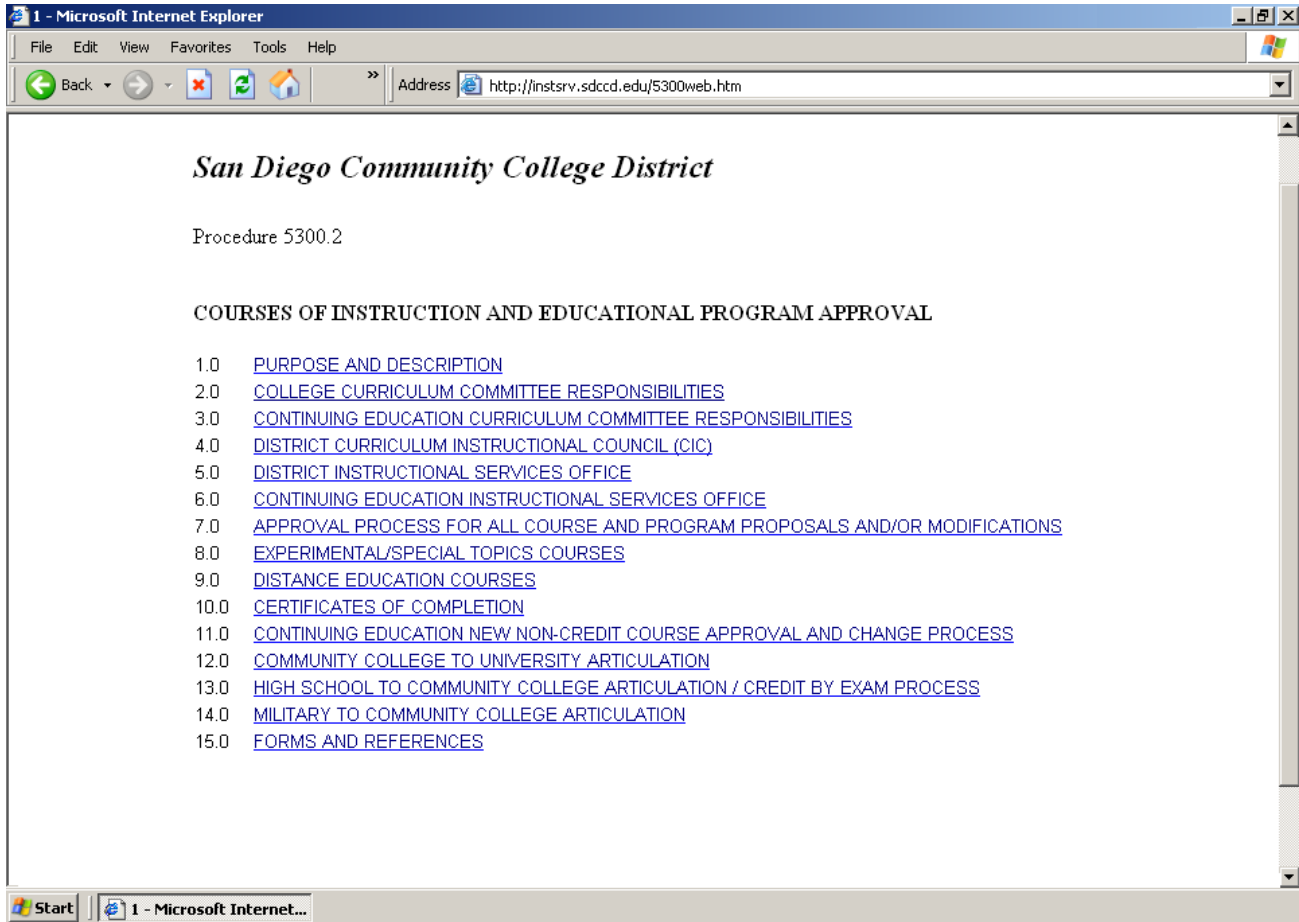


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Curriculum Review Committee Process – 5300.2

<http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/5300web.htm>

Courses of Instruction and Educational Program Approval



Curriculum Review Committee Responsibilities

Policy – 5300.2

<http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/5300web.htm#COLLEGE%20CURRICULUM%20COMMITTEE%20RESPONSIBILITIES>

2.0 COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE RESPONSIBILITIES

The responsibilities of the college curriculum committees include:

- 2.1 Review and approval of all courses and programs, review and approval of all curriculum proposals and catalog descriptions for new and revised courses and programs, including course activations and deactivations, for compliance with state and federal regulations and District policy to ensure the following:
 - 2.1.1 Degree credit courses shall meet the standards for approval as defined in Title 5 (grading policy, units, intensity, prerequisites and corequisites, basic skills requirements, difficulty, and level). (Title 5: Section 55002 [a])
 - 2.1.2 Non-degree credit and noncredit courses shall meet the standards for approval as defined in Title 5 (grading policy, units, intensity, prerequisites and corequisites). (Title 5: Section 55002 [b])
 - 2.1.3 Courses and programs shall comply with the criteria as defined in the California Community Colleges Curriculum Standards Handbook (appropriateness to mission, need, quality, feasibility, and compliance).
 - 2.1.4 Curriculum shall meet District policy regarding criteria for the Associate Degree, General Education, and courses that are appropriate to Associate Degree. Curriculum shall adhere to the minimum requirements for the Associate Degree as set forth in state regulations and guidelines. (Title 5: Sections 55805, 55805.5, 55806)
 - 2.1.5 Courses and/or sections delivered by Distance Education shall conform to state regulations and guidelines. (Title 5: Sections 55352-55380)
 - 2.1.6 Special classes for the disabled shall conform to the state regulations and guidelines. (Title 5: Section 56028)
 - 2.1.7 Courses that are not offered as part of an approved academic program shall be reviewed and approved.
 - 2.1.8 Credit courses shall fulfill the requirements for submission as general education courses to Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC), California State University (CSU), University of California (UC) or meet the transfer standards for electives and major requirements to campuses of CSU, UC, and/or other postsecondary colleges and universities.

Curriculum Review Committee Responsibilities - Continued

- 2.1.9 Credit courses that fulfill District General Education, multicultural, American Institutions, and or health/and physical education requirements shall be reviewed and approved.
- 2.1.10 New programs and program modifications shall be reviewed, including activations deactivations, and substantial changes to approved programs.

Further college curriculum committee responsibilities are to:

- 2.2 Review credit courses offered throughout the District to determine if there is duplication in content in order to comply with state regulations on course repetition. (Title 5: Section 58161 [c])
- 2.3 Review, for informational purposes only, new program and program modifications offered at other colleges.
- 2.4 Recommend policy/procedures regarding academic and professional matters.
- 2.5 Provide in-service training for college faculty on the curriculum development and approval process.
- 2.6 Provide a method for the emergency review of curriculum between the end of Spring semester and Fall semester.
- 2.7 Ensure that curriculum committee membership, as determined by the college, is in compliance with Title 5 guidelines and includes an articulation officer, a counseling representative and a balanced representation between arts and sciences and occupational and technical faculties. Campus evaluators and a special classes representative (Disabled Student Programs & Services-DSPS) should be available to serve as a resource as needed.

CurricUNET

Curriculum Approval Flow Chart Examples

<http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/SDCCD2/>

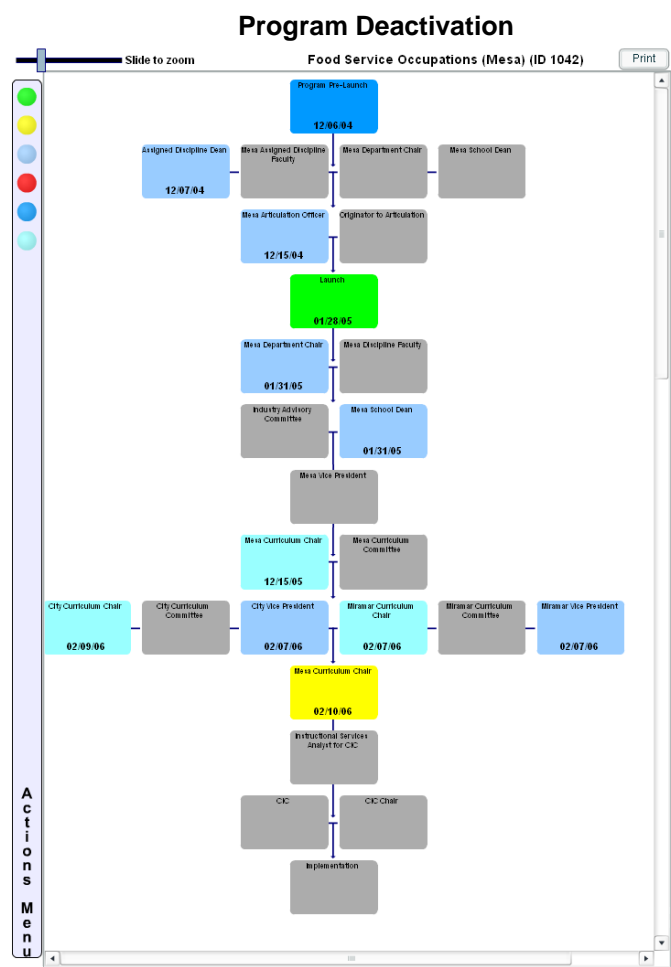
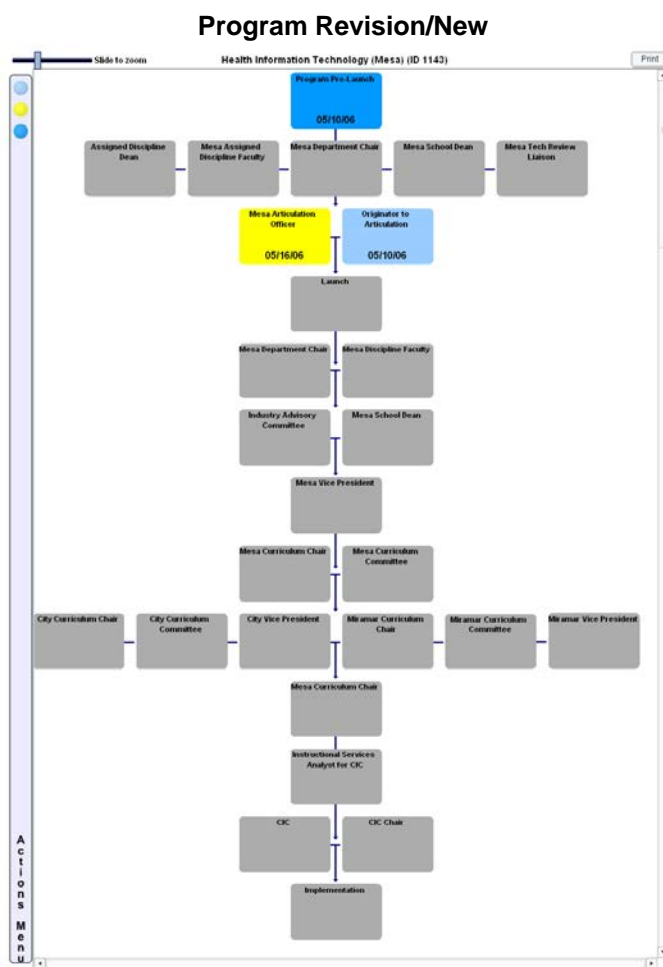
Visual (Approval Flow)

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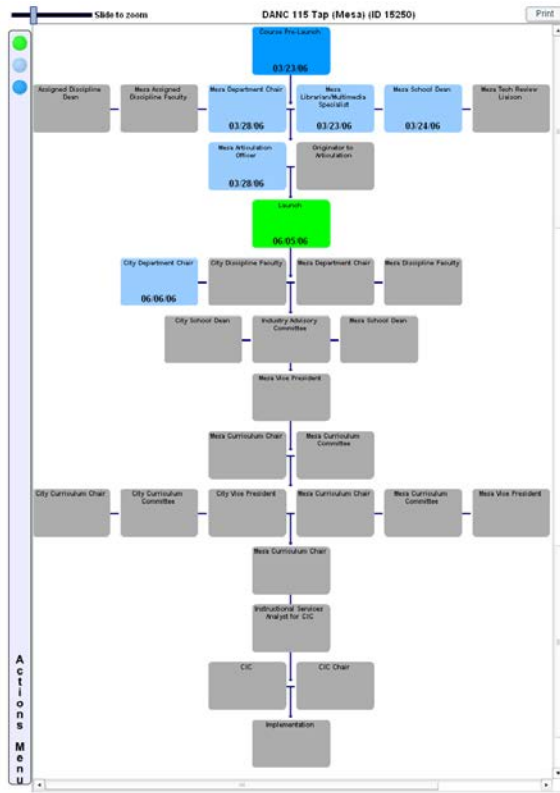
Icons used to show flow charts

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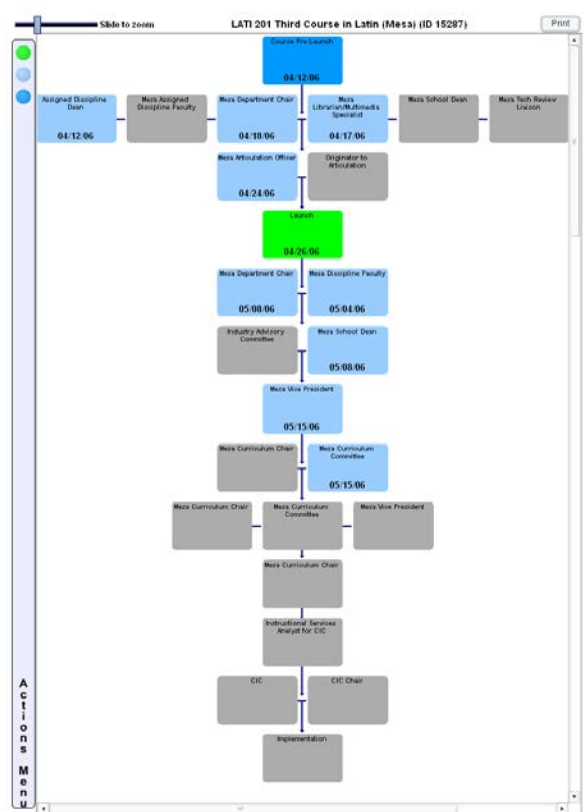


CurricUNET Curriculum Approval Flow Chart Examples - Continued

Aligned Course Revision



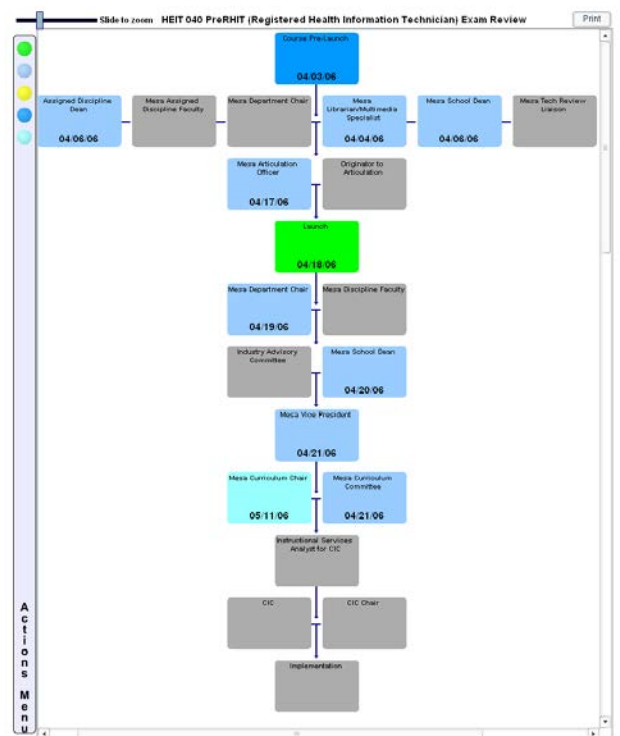
Non-Aligned Course Revision



Aligned New Course

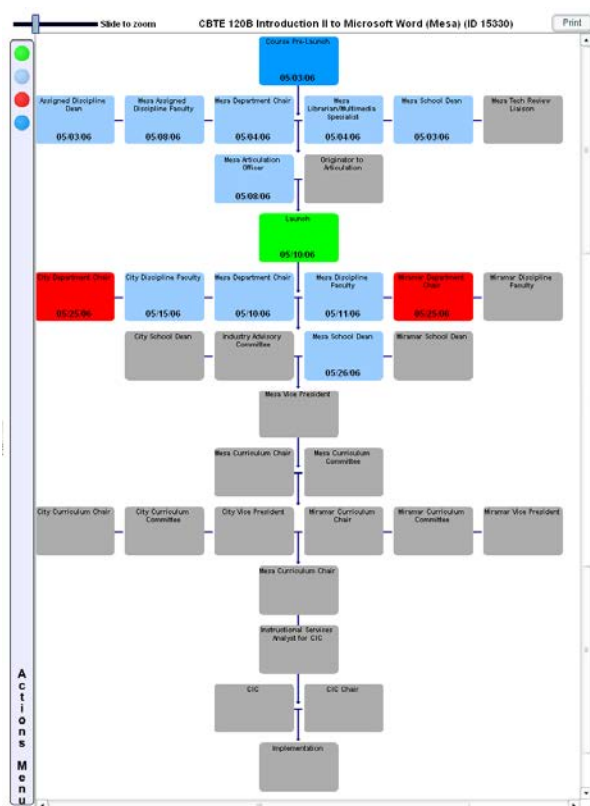


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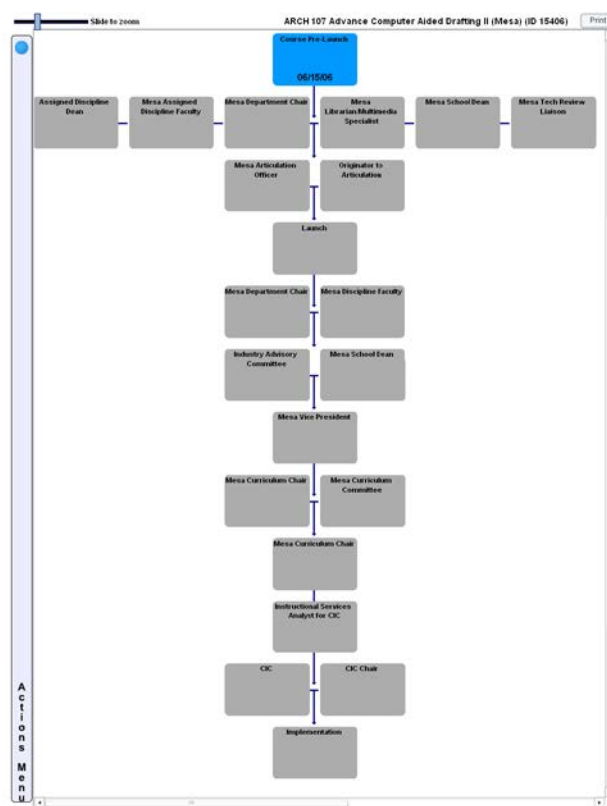


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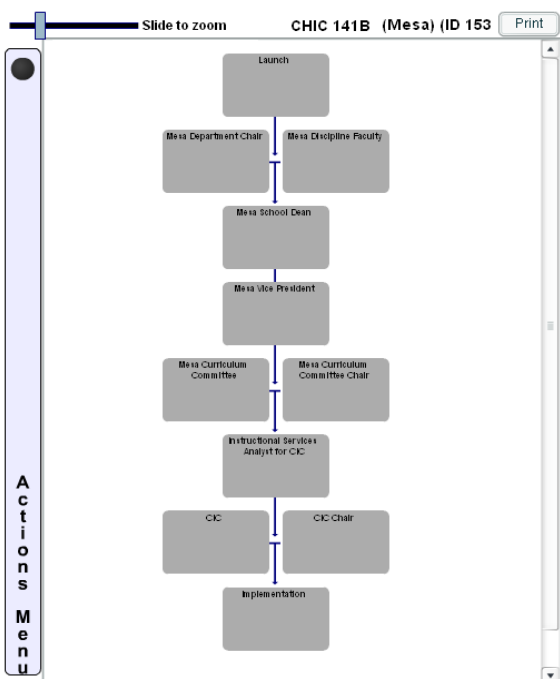
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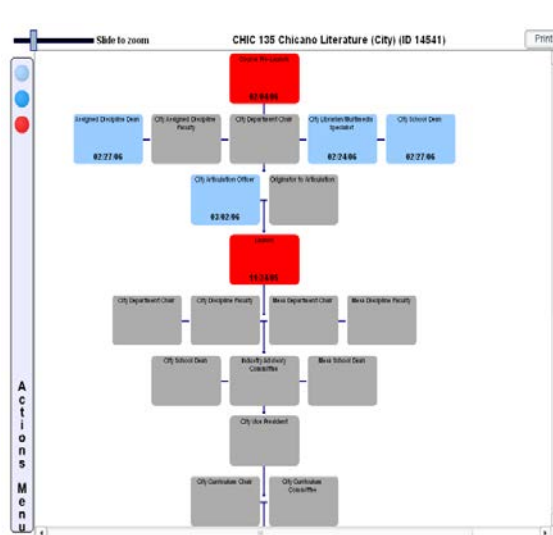
Non-Aligned Course Integration



Distance Education



Returned to Originator after 90 Days



CurricUNET's Three Phases

<http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/SDCCD2/userguide.doc>

The Three Steps of the Curriculum Approval Process

In CurricUNET Version 2 the Curriculum Approval Process has three phases: ***Proposal Creation***, ***Proposal Audit***, and ***Proposal Approval Process***. The Proposal Approval Process has two stages within it, *pre-launch* and *launch*.

Step 1: Proposal Creation

Creating a proposal is the first phase of the Curriculum Approval Process. This is where you create a new course or program or create a proposal by modifying a course or program already in CurricUNET. There are detailed instructions to walk you through this process. See the user guide and on-screen help to guide you through this phase of the process. *Note: Throughout this guide, the person who creates a proposal is called an 'originator.'*

Step 2: Proposal Audit

The Proposal Audit function is the final step after creating the proposal to ensure all required data fields have been entered. The Audit is automatically done internally by the CurricUNET program. If the proposal passes the audit the originator is instructed how to go to the Approval part of the system to pre-launch the proposal. If the audit fails error messages instruct the originator what needs to be completed in order for the proposal to pass the audit. Because Version 2 has separated the proposal creation process from the approval process, this audit function also assigns the correct approval process to the proposal based on the proposal type selected by the originator. Assigning the correct approval process ensures that when pre-launched the proposal goes to the correct people involved in that process. There are detailed instructions in the user guide and on screen help to walk you through the audit phase of the process.

Step 3: Proposal Approval Process

The approval process has two stages, pre-launch and launch. The approval process begins once the originator pre-launches his/her proposal. Pre-launching sends the proposal to a group of people who are meant to review the proposal before it continues through the process to make sure all the information is accurate and fulfills the college's intent. At this stage of the approval process the originator is able to make any changes to the proposal requested by the reviewers. *Please note that the originator still has another step to take in the approval process after pre-launch.* Once the people who review the proposal in pre-launch are satisfied with the proposal the originator is instructed to launch the proposal. Launch is the second stage in the approval process. Once the originator launches the proposal it is sent through the rest of the approval process and is signed off by the various people required for the proposal type. There are detailed instructions in the user guide and the on screen help to walk you through the approval process phase of the system. *Note: If the originator does not launch the proposal s/he will receive reminder messages to launch the proposal after 30 and 60 days. If the proposal has not been launched after 90 days the proposal will be sent back to the originator to start the approval process over again. If the proposal is not launched the proposal will never be approved.*

Course Proposal Approval Process

Pre-Launch (Level 1)

Originator, College Department Chair, College Dean, Discipline Faculty; Discipline Dean, Librarian, Articulation Officer, Technical Review Liaison/Committee

- Originator has pre-launched proposal into CurricUNET
- Proposal is listed in CurricUNET as a *Pending* proposal
- Proposal outline, Curriculum Report (CR), comments and flow chart status of proposal can be reviewed by all CurricUNET users
- Originator can make changes/adjustments to proposal outline and CR per reviewers' comments
- After being signed off by Librarian, the Technical Review Liaison may assign the Technical Review Committee to review proposal – *See Section 6 - 2, Technical Review Committee Guidelines*
- Without the Articulation Officer's approval the proposal **cannot** move forward from this level
- **Originator must launch proposal after Articulation Officer's approval**
- After a proposal is launched it cannot be adjusted by originator until it reaches the Curriculum Review Committee Level 7– *See Section 4 -10; User's Guide*
- Originator has a **time limit of 90 days** after Articulation Officer sign off date to launch proposal to move it forward – *See Section 4 - 1; Audit to Prelaunch*
- Proposals not launched within 90 days are returned to originator's inputting level
 - Returned proposals are no longer available for review in CurricUNET
 - Originator must resubmit proposal into Pre-launch Level 1
 - Returned proposals must again go through complete Pre-launch Level 1 approval process cycle

Launch (Levels 2 – 6)

Originator, Mesa, City & Miramar College Department Chairs, Mesa, City, & Miramar Discipline Faculty, Mesa, City & Miramar College Deans, Industry Advisory Committee, College Vice President

- Proposal begins formal approvals of designated personnel per flow chart determined by proposal type – *See Section 2 – 4: Flowcharts*
- Flow chart designated personnel review, comment and approve proposal
- College Dean inputs information into the Curriculum Report as necessary – *See Section 4 -22; Course Proposal Inputting*
- No adjustments/changes can be made by originator at Levels 2 - 6
- **There are time limits at Levels 2 – 6 so proposal will move forward using default dates** (usually a 10 day default at each level) - *See Section 2 - 4; Flow Charts*

Course Proposal Approval Process - Continued

College Curriculum Committee (Level 7)

Originator, Curriculum Committee Members, Tech Review Committee

- Originator attends Curriculum Review Committee (CRC) meeting when proposal is listed on the CRC agenda
- Proposal may be referred to Technical Review Committee
- Proposal may be placed on **hold** by Curriculum Chair
 - Originator can make recommended adjustments to proposal
 - Originator informs Curriculum Chair upon completion of adjustments
- **An approved motion by Curriculum Review Committee is necessary for proposal to move forward**
- **No time limit on Level 7 holds**

Other College Curriculum Committee (Level 8)

Originator, City and/or Miramar Vice Presidents, City and/or Miramar Curriculum Chairs, City and/or Miramar Curriculum Committees

- Unless requested originator does not attend meetings but may do so
- Further adjustments to proposal may be requested
- Originator cannot make requested adjustments to proposal at this level
- Proposal may be returned to originating college curriculum committee for further review if proposal is not approved/supported
- **An approved motion by City and/or Miramar Curriculum Committee(s) is necessary for an aligned proposal to move from Level 8**
- **Non-aligned proposal may be administratively moved forward**

College Curriculum Committee Chair (Level 9)

Originator, College Curriculum Committee Chair

- College Curriculum Chair reviews and may place proposal on **hold**
 - Originator makes recommended adjustments to proposal
 - Originator informs Curriculum Chair upon completion of adjustments
- College Curriculum Chair reviews proposal after completion of adjustments prior to submitting to District Curriculum Instructional Council
- **College Curriculum Committee Chair approval necessary for proposal to move forward**
- **No time limit on holds at Level 9**

Course Proposal Approval Process - Continued

Instructional Services Analyst for CIC (Level 10)

Originator, Instructional Services Analyst for CIC

- Instructional Services Analyst for CIC reviews proposal
- If proposal needs adjustments the Instructional Services Analyst places the proposal on **hold** and contacts the originator and College Curriculum Chair
 - Originator must make recommended adjustments to proposal
 - Originator must inform the Instructional Services Analyst upon completion of adjustments
 - The Instructional Services Analyst again reviews proposal for approval for placement on CIC agenda
- If proposal does not need adjustments the Instructional Services Analyst approves proposal and places the proposal on the CIC agenda
- **Approval necessary for proposal to move forward**
- **No time limit on holds at Level 10**

CIC – Curriculum Instructional Council (Level 11)

Originator, Curriculum Instructional Council (College Vice President, College Curriculum Chair & College Articulation Officer)

- Originator may be requested to attend meeting
- CIC committee members review proposal
 - May table proposal
 - May request further adjustments
 - May place proposal on **hold**
- Originator makes recommended adjustments to proposal
- Originator informs Instructional Services Analyst upon completion of adjustments
- **Approval necessary for proposal to move forward**
- **No time limit on holds at Level 11**

CIC Chair (Level 11)

CIC Chair

- CIC Chair informs CurricUNET of CIC approval and activation dates
- CIC Chair informs District Instructional Services of approval and activation dates

Course Proposal Approval Process - Continued

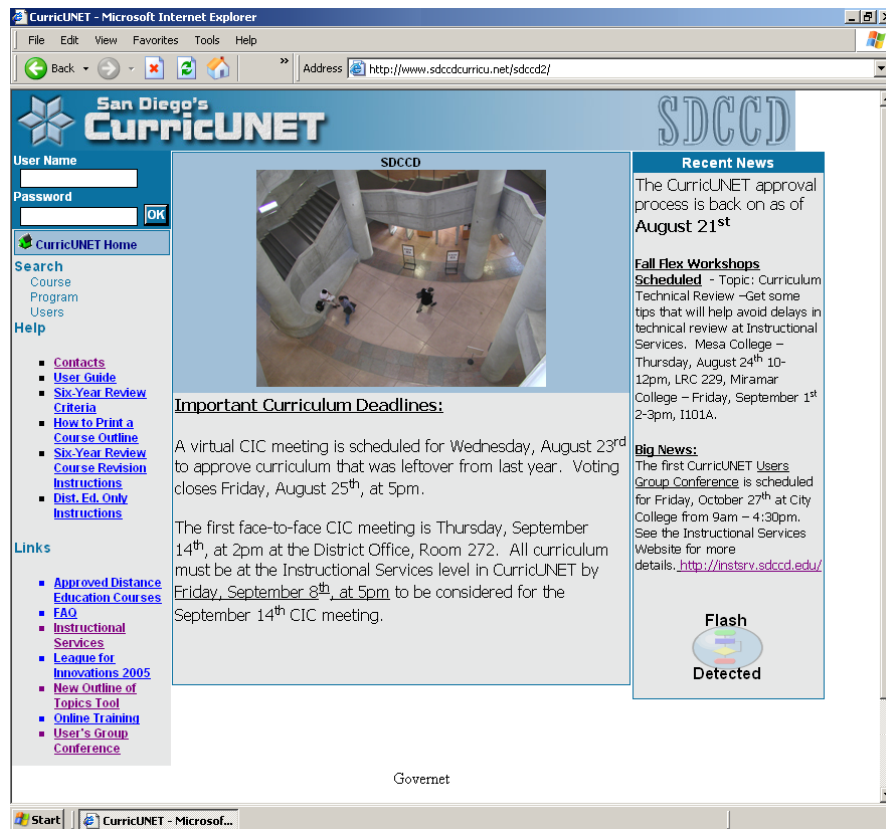
Implementation (Level 12)

CurricUNET, District Instructional Services, College Vice President, College Curriculum Chair, College Articulation Officer, Originator/College Department Chair

- CurricUNET
 - Adjusts proposal from *Pending* to *Approved* on approval date
 - Adjusts proposal from *Approved* to *Active* on activation date
- District Instructional Services
 - Places approved proposal on Board of Trustees Docket
 - Notifies District Student Services of approved Board of Trustees' actions
 - Inputs course into ISIS
 - Activates ISIS section inputting for approved date
- College Vice President
 - Reviews Board of Trustees' actions
 - Assists College Dean in acquiring State approval if necessary
- College Curriculum Chair
 - Informs College Curriculum Committee of proposal approval
 - Posts approved CIC actions on CRC website
 - Posts Mesa summary of CIC actions on CRC website
- College Articulation Officer
 - Follows up on approved course articulation
 - Requests course articulation as necessary
- Originator/College Department Chair/Dean
 - Reviews CurricUNET after approved and activation dates to ensure course information is accurate and is listed correctly
 - Informs College Dean course sections can be scheduled

CurricUNET Home Page

Website: <http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/sdccd2/>



NEW - Recent News Column and Important Information section – NEW
NEW – New Outline of Topics Tool– NEW

CurricUNET Home Page Links

Search

- Course
- Program
- Users

Help

- Contacts
- User Guide
- Six-Year Review Criteria
- How to Print a Course Outline
- Six-Year Review Course Revision Instructions
- Dist. Ed. Only Instructions

Links

- Approved Distance Education Courses
- FAQ – Frequently Asked Questions with Answers
- Instructional Services Website
- League for Innovations 2005 (*Broken Link*)
- New Outline of Topics Tool - NEW**
- Online Training (Camtasia Studio 2 Videos)
 - Getting Started
 - Course Search

Search Course Link

Website: <http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/SDCCD2/search/course/>

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Search Program Link

Website: <http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/SDCCD2/search/program/>

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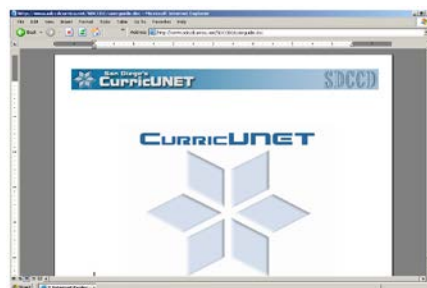
Search Users Link

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The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "CurricUNET - Microsoft Internet Explorer". The address bar displays "http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/SDCCD2/search/users/". The page features the "San Diego's CurricUNET" logo and "SDCCD" branding. On the left, there is a sidebar with links for "User Name", "Password", "CurricUNET Home", "Search" (with sub-links for Course, Program, and Users), "Help", and "Links" (including Approved Distance Education Courses, FAQ, Instructional Services, League for Innovations 2005, and Online Training). The main content area contains a "User Search" form with fields for "Name", "System Role" (set to "ALL"), and "Positions" (set to "ALL"). There are "OK" and "More" buttons. A "Help" box on the right states: "Enter the name of the user you are trying to locate." The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the "Start" button and the "CurricUNET - Microsof..." application.

Users Guide Link

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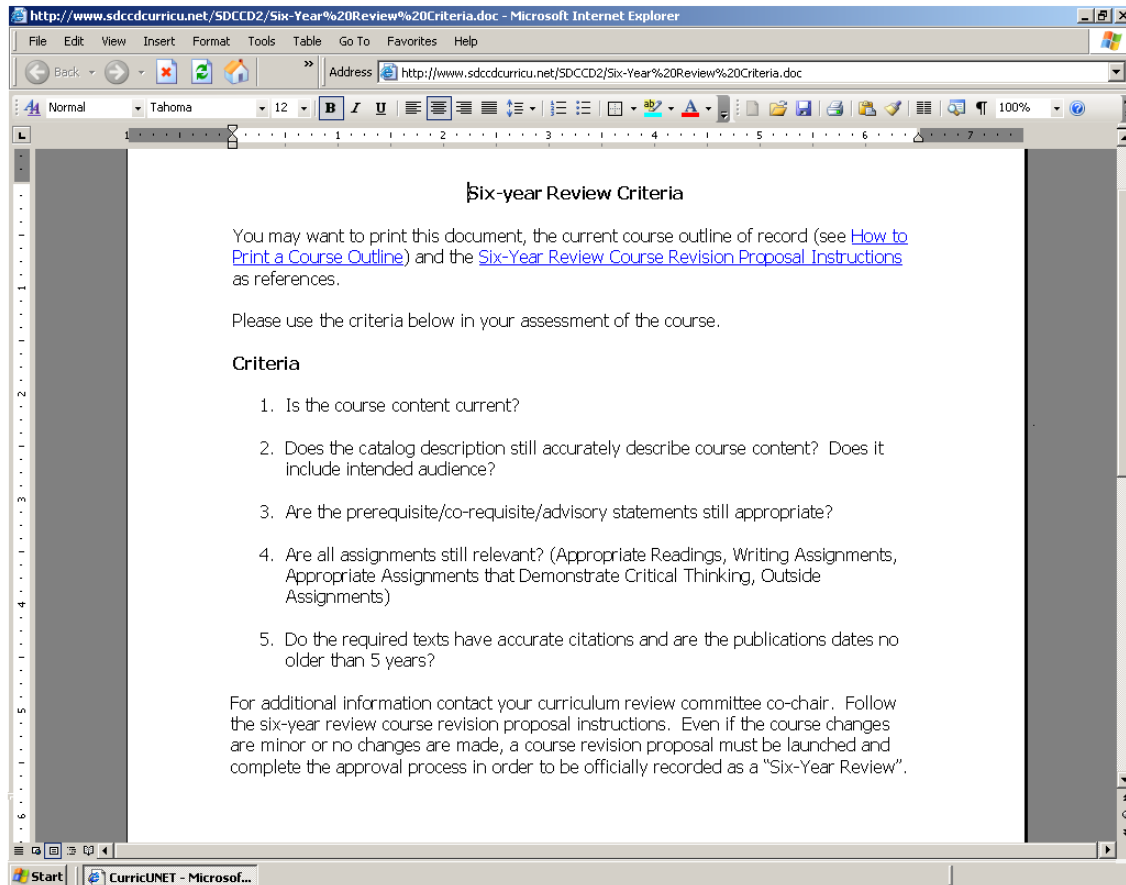
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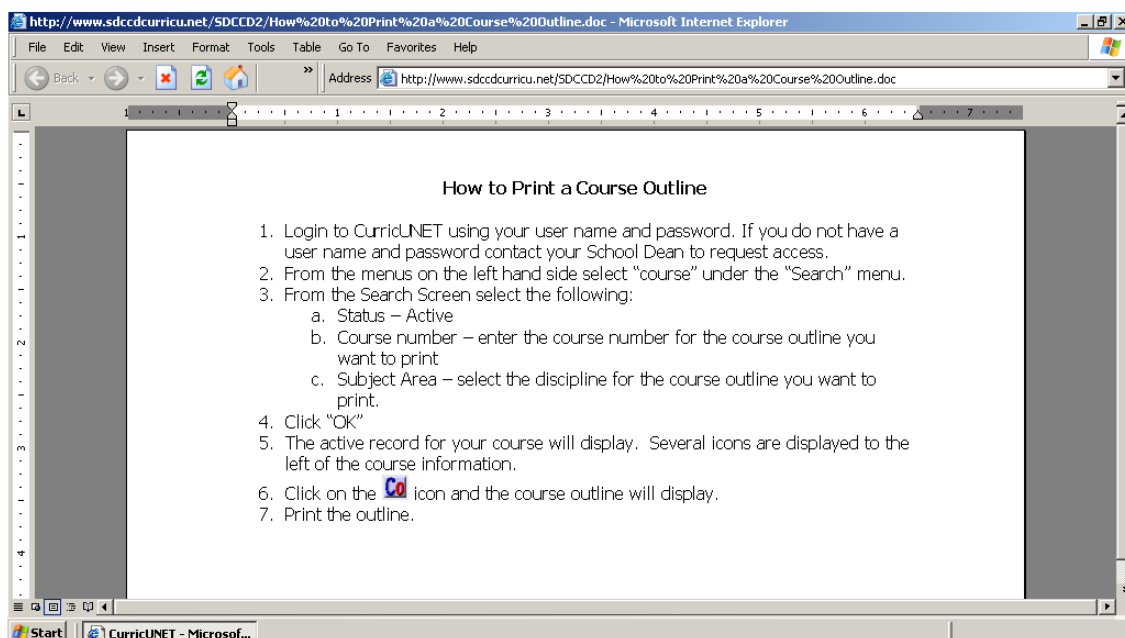
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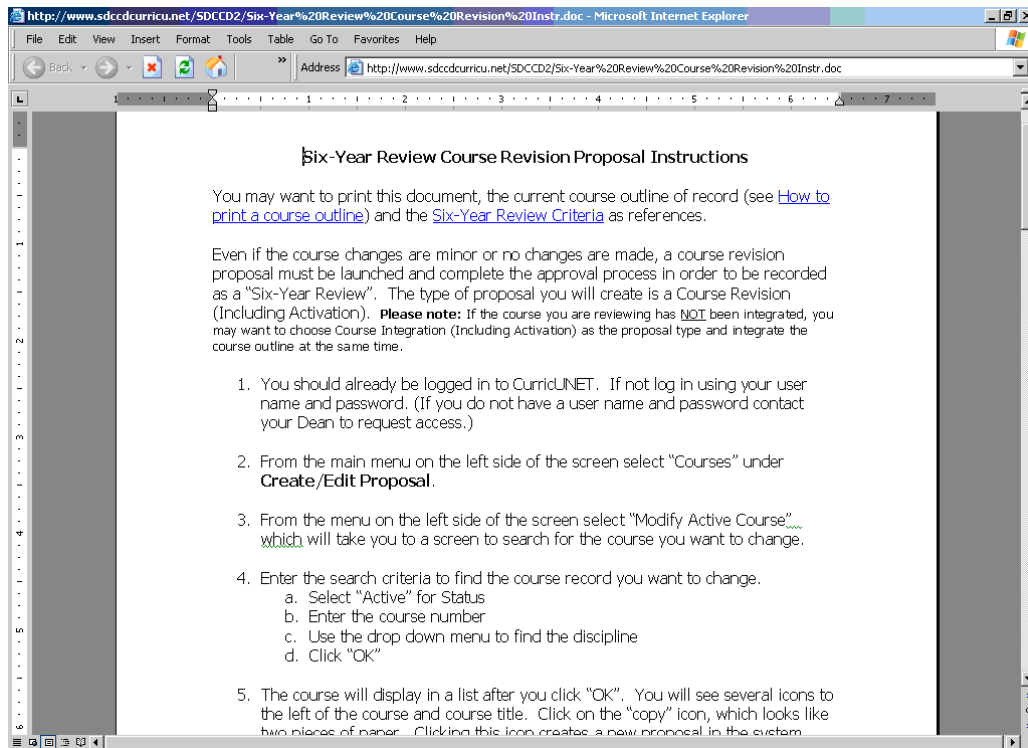
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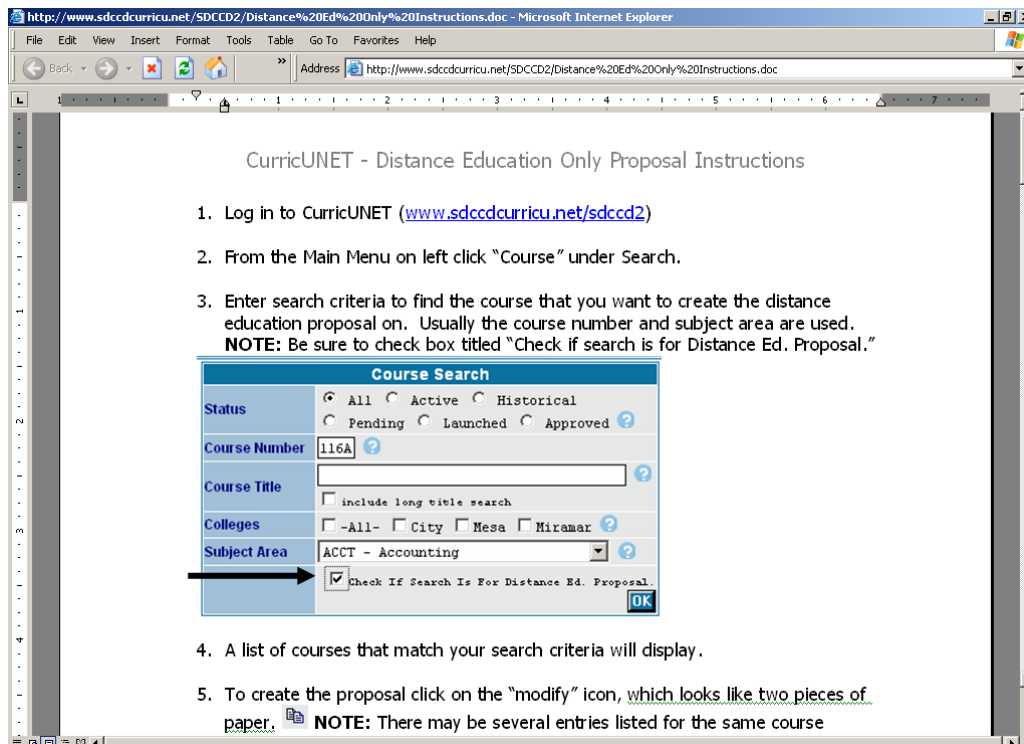
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Dist. Ed. Only Instructions Link

Website: <http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/SDCCD2/Distance%20Ed%20Only%20Instructions.doc>



Approved Distance Education Courses Link

Website: <http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/curriculum/de%20approved%20list.xls>

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				C	M	MM								
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5	5/24/2001	ACCT	116B	X	X	X	014 (MM), 052 (C), 054 (M)							
6	11/11/2004	ACCT	120			X	052 (C)							
7	11/11/2004	ACCT	150	X	X	X	051 (M), 052 (C, MM)							
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DE Audit Report

FAQ – Frequently Asked Questions with Answers Link

Website: <http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/CurricUNET/Links/CurricUNET%20FAQs.htm>

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- How do I log on to CurricUNET?**
Go to <http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/SDCCD2/> then log on by entering your user name and password. Please note that user names and passwords are case sensitive. Your user name and password are assigned by the district when you are first set up as a user, but you have the option to change them at any time by going to the Personal Info screen from the CurricUNET Main Menu. If you have lost or forgotten your user name or password call the CurricUNET help line at 619-388-6502.
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- How do I get reports from CurricUNET other than an outline?**
From the CurricUNET Home Page select REPORTS. From the REPORTS TYPE drop down menu select the type of report you want. To view the report click on the report number.
- What are entry skills and how do I match them?**
Entry skills are skills that the student will need to have in order to succeed in the course you are proposing. They are required when you intend to have a requisite (i.e. prerequisite, co-requisite or advisory) for your course. The entry skills are generally the student learning outcomes of the course you are requiring as the requisite. To add an entry skill click on the entry skills page. Under the ADD AN ENTRY SKILL heading in the ENTRY SKILL text box enter the skill required then select the ADD button. Continue adding the skills you require using the same procedure. After all skills have been entered you will need to match each skill with course(s) that fulfill the skill requirements. The course(s) selected will ultimately be the requisite(s) for the course. For example if you know you want an advisory of ENGL 051 you could enter one of the student learning outcomes as the entry skill from ENGL 051 (or write your own) in the ENTRY SKILL text box then click on the ADD button. To match the entry skill to the ENGL 051 course click the MATCH OUTCOMES button next to the skill. Select ENGL from the drop down menu then select 051 from the next drop down menu. On the next page that appears you have the option to select any or all of the student learning outcomes listed by clicking the box next to the outcome. Once you've selected all the

Instructional Services Website Link

Website: <http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/>

The screenshot shows the website for the San Diego Community College District's District Instructional Services. The browser window title is "San Diego Community College District - Microsoft Internet Explorer". The address bar shows "http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/". The website has a blue header with the district logo and navigation links: Home, Contacts, CIC, Curriculum, CurricUNET, Timelines, Articulation, Policies, and Sitemap. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column features a "Save the Date for the 1st CurricUNET User Group Conference" announcement, hosted by the San Diego Community College District on Friday, October 27, 2006, at San Diego City College. Below this is a "CurricUNET News" section mentioning workshops at Mesa and Miramar and a meeting with the Government to plan the first CurricUNET users group. The right column has a "To Faculty and Staff" section explaining the purpose of the website, a "Mission Statement" about supporting curriculum development, and "GOALS FOR 2006-2007" which include improving the curriculum management system, communication, and Districtwide initiatives.

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Save the Date for the 1st CurricUNET User Group Conference
Hosted by the San Diego Community College District
When: Friday, October 27, 2006
Where: San Diego City College
1313 Park Blvd.
San Diego, CA 92101
Time: 9:00 am – 4:30 pm

CurricUNET News
FLEX workshops are scheduled at Mesa and Miramar at the beginning of the fall, 2006 semester.
Instructional Services is working with Government to plan the first CurricUNET users group to explore common issues, new design ideas, and other features of benefit to colleges.

To Faculty and Staff
The purpose of these web pages is to provide pertinent information related to the timely processing of curriculum, college catalogs, articulation, transfer, timelines, calendar, and sabbatical leaves.

Mission Statement
Our Mission is to support the development and implementation of curriculum to fulfill the educational needs of our diverse student population and the community we serve.

GOALS FOR 2006-2007
The Instructional Services Office (ISO) will address the following goals during the year 2006-2007, Through objectives established by the ISO. In addition to routine work required to fulfill its mission.

- Goal 1.** Improve the Districtwide curriculum management system.
- Goal 2.** Improve communication between IS and the District offices, colleges and Continuing Education.
- Goal 3.** Support Districtwide initiatives to improve curriculum.

New Outline of Topics Tool Link

Website: <http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/CurricUNET/Outline%20of%20Topics.pdf>

The screenshot shows the "Outline of Topics" tool in Microsoft Internet Explorer. The browser window title is "http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/CurricUNET/Outline%20of%20Topics.pdf - Microsoft Internet Explorer". The address bar shows "http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/CurricUNET/Outline%20of%20Topics.pdf". The tool has a toolbar with various icons for editing and navigation. The main content area displays the "Outline of Topics" for a course. It includes a "Page Last Saved on Wednesday, Aug 9, 2006 at 10:38 AM" by Jodie Spicard. The outline lists topics such as "Fundamentals of businesses as applied to accounting" and "The role of accounting in business". To the right of the outline is a section titled "Outline Text" which provides instructions on how to use the tool, including clicking on the "Ordered List icon" to begin, typing the main topic, pressing the enter key to move to the next line, and using the "increase indent button" to add subtopics.

Outline of Topics
Click on 'Outline of Topics' on your 'Course Checklist.'

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The following topics are included in the framework of the course but are not intended as limits on content. The order of presentation and relative emphasis will vary with each instructor.

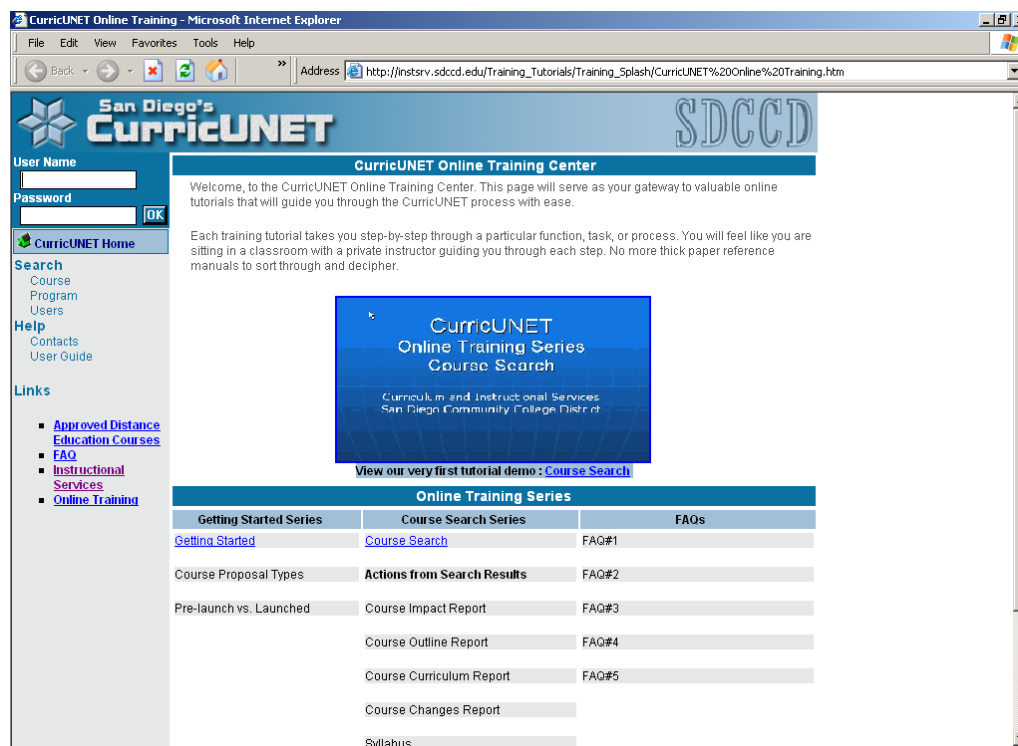
Select the course outline icon to create outline. Use the Decrease Indent icon and the Increase Indent icon to change the level of the outline.

Outline Text
Click on the Ordered List icon to begin. A Roman Numeral I will appear. Type the main topic. Press the enter key to move to the next line. A Roman Numeral II will appear. Add an additional main topic or click on the increase indent button to have a capital letter A to appear as the beginning of the subtopic. You can continue to use the increase indent button to make further subtopics. The decrease indent button will move the cursor from a subtopic position to a main topic position.

Outline of Topics
I. Fundamentals of businesses as applied to accounting
A. Types of businesses
B. Forms
1. Private
2. Public
a. National
b. International
II. The role of accounting in business

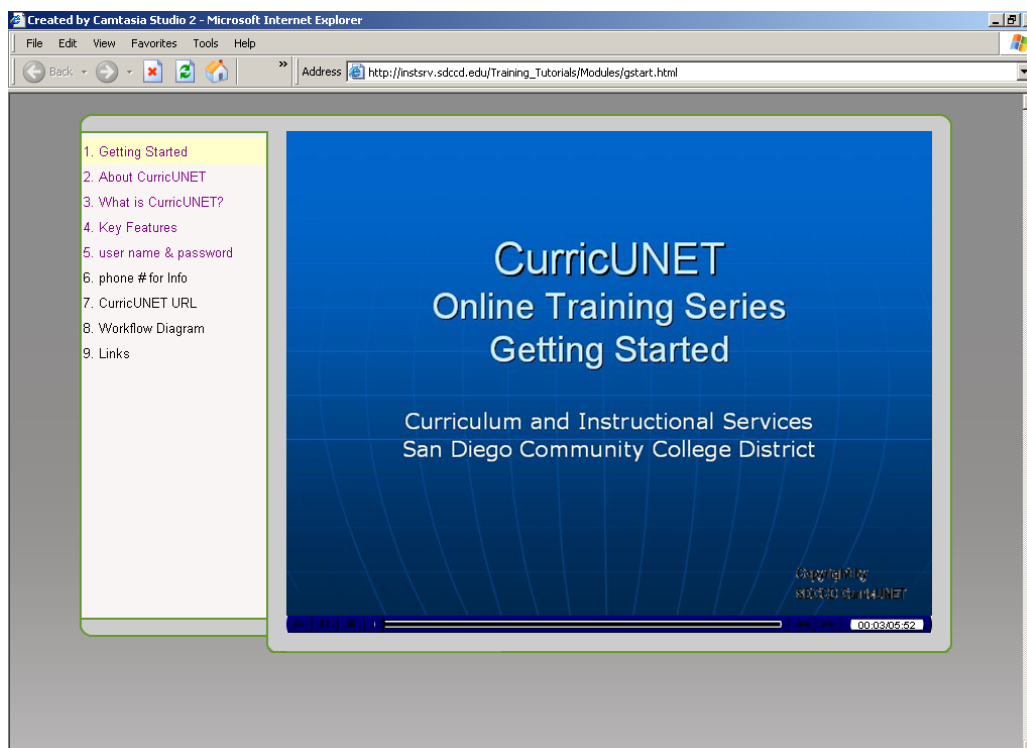
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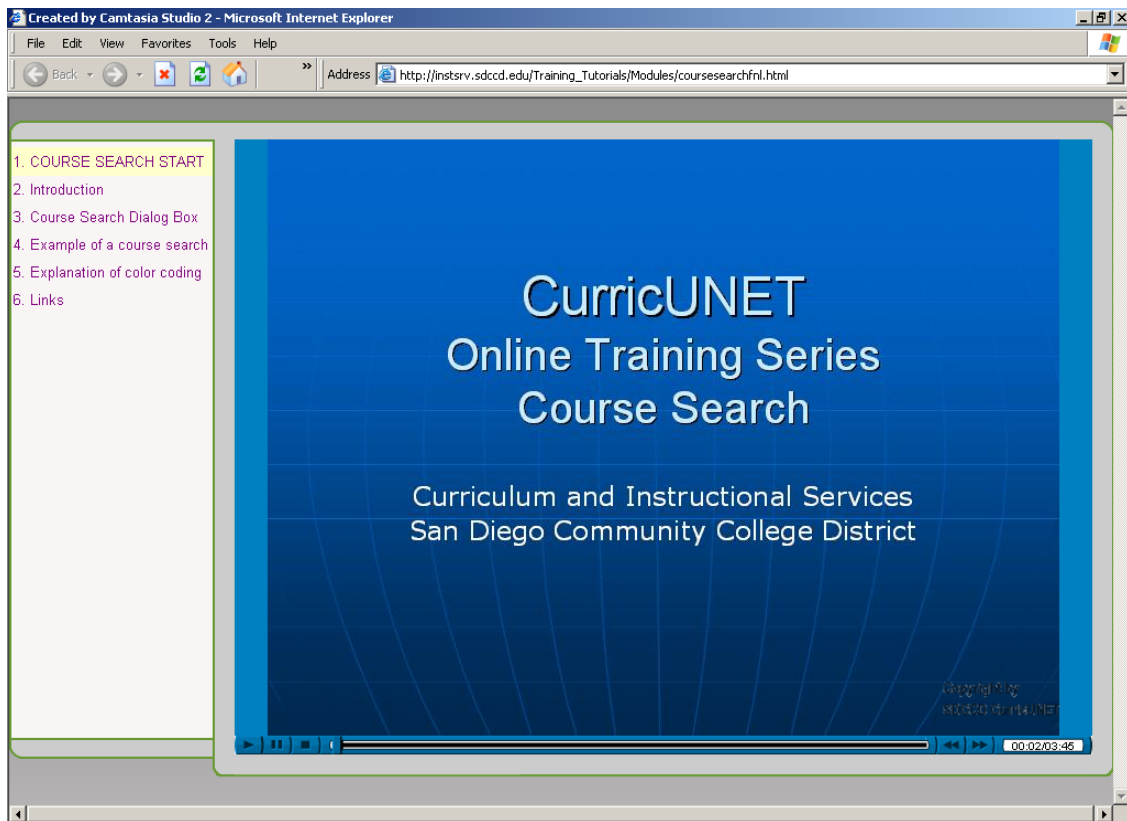
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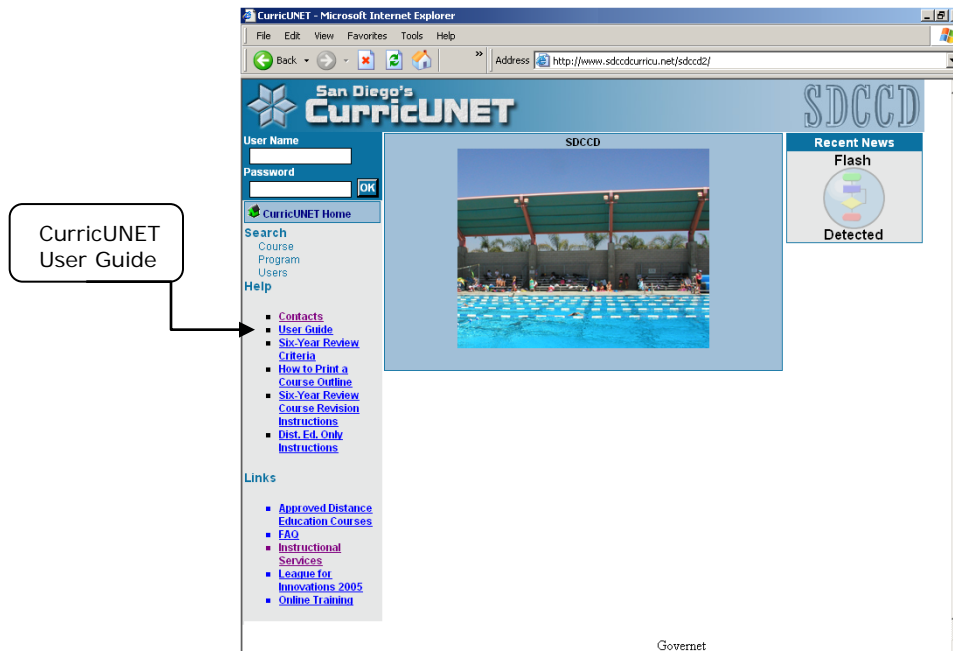
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Coming Soon
Online Training - Camtasia Studio 2
New Outline of Topics Tool Video

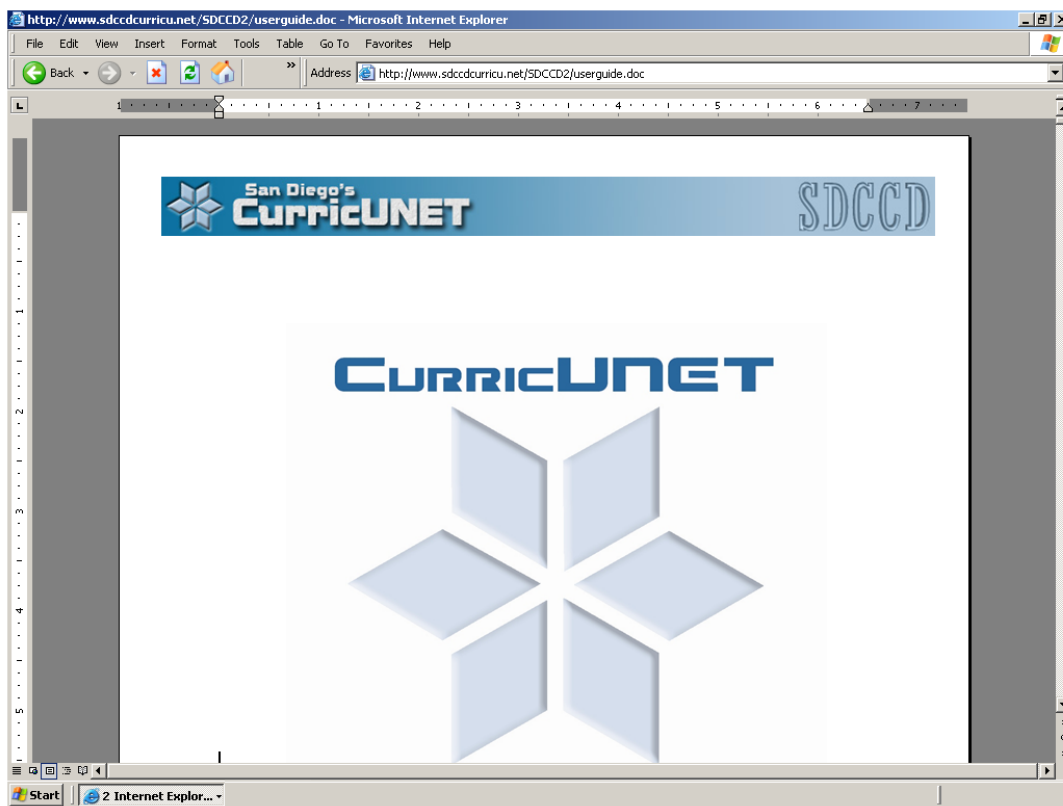
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Website: <http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/sdccd2/>



User Guide Direct Link

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The screenshot shows the 'Proposal Types' window. The 'Originating College' section has 'Miramar' selected. The 'Proposal Types' dropdown is open, showing a list of options. The 'Check Status' button is at the bottom left.

Course Activation (Currently active at another college)

This proposal type is intended to activate a course currently offered at another college only. You will be restricted to the entry fields required to select the activation. You are not able to revise a course using this proposal type. The approval process will only include your college and Curriculum Instructional Council (CIC). (The other colleges offering the course will be notified for information purposes only).

Please Note: CurricUNET will check to see if the course you are activating has been reviewed in the last six years. If it has not you will be directed to a proposal type to revise or integrate AND activate the course allowing you to review it. (Policy 5300.2 states; "Academic courses and programs shall be updated and reviewed every six years").

Course Deactivation (Active at another college)

This proposal type is for deactivating a course at your college only. The course will remain active at one or both of the other colleges. You will be restricted to the entry fields required to deactivate. The approval process will only include your college and Curriculum Instructional Council (CIC). (The other colleges offering the course will be notified for information purposes only).

Course Deactivation (Not at any college)

This proposal type is deactivating a course from the master inventory of courses. The course will no longer be active at any of the three colleges. You will be restricted to the entry fields required to deactivate. The approval process will include all three colleges (since concurrence is required) and Curriculum Instructional Council (CIC).

Course Integration (Including Activation)

This proposal type is for integrating a course outline. It is a type of course revision, but specifically it is for courses that require integration. You will have access to all the data entry fields so you can make changes and updates to the course. In addition to integrating you can activate a course at your college using this proposal type. The approval process will include all colleges offering the discipline (since concurrence is required) and Curriculum Instructional Council (CIC).

Course Reactivation (Not currently active at any college)

This proposal type is for reactivating a historical course. You will be restricted to the entry fields required to reactivate. You are not able to revise a course using this proposal type. The approval process will include all three colleges (since concurrence is required) and Curriculum Instructional Council (CIC).

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Please Note: CurricUNET will check to see if the course you are reactivating has been reviewed in the last six years. If it has not you will be directed to a proposal type to integrate AND reactivate the course allowing you to review it. (Policy 5300.2 states; “Academic courses and programs shall be updated and reviewed every six years”).

Course Reactivation (with Integration)

This proposal type is for reactivating a historical course and integrating it at the same time. You will have access to all the data entry fields so you can make changes and updates to the course. The approval process will include all three colleges (since concurrence is required) and Curriculum Instructional Council (CIC).

Course Revision (Including Activation) **See Section 5-New Course vs Revision*

This proposal type is for revising a course. You will have access to all the data entry fields so you can make changes and updates to the course. In addition to revising you can activate a course at your college using this proposal type. The approval process will include all colleges offering the discipline (since concurrence is required) and Curriculum Instructional Council (CIC).

Distance Learning – No Other Action

This proposal type is for adding distance education to a course. This unique proposal type allows you to create a distance education proposal regardless of whether another proposal for the course is progressing through the system. You will only have access to the data entry fields required for distance education. The approval process will only include your college. (Curriculum Instructional Council and other colleges will be notified for information purposes only.)

New Course **See Section 5-New Course vs Revision*

This proposal type is for creating a new course that does not exist in the master inventory of courses. You will have access to all the data entry fields required for a course proposal. The approval process will include all three colleges (since concurrence is required) and Curriculum Instructional Council (CIC).

Special Topic/Experimental Course

This proposal type is for creating a special topics course or experimental course (usually 265s). If you are proposing a special topics or experimental course, please choose this proposal type rather than New Course. You will have access to all the data entry fields required for a course proposal. The approval process will only include your college and Curriculum Instructional Council (CIC). (The other colleges will be notified for information purposes only.)



The Three Steps of the Curriculum Approval Process

In CurricUNET Version 2 the Curriculum Approval Process has three phases: Proposal Creation, Proposal Audit, and Proposal Approval Process. The Proposal Approval Process has two stages within it, pre-launch and launch.

Step 1: Proposal Creation

Creating a proposal is the first phase of the Curriculum Approval Process. This is where you create a new course or program or create a proposal by modifying a course or program already in CurricUNET. There are detailed instructions to walk you through this process. See the user guide and on-screen help to guide you through this phase of the process. Note: Throughout this guide, the person who creates a proposal is called an ‘originator.’

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Step 2: Proposal Audit

The Proposal Audit function is the final step after creating the proposal to ensure all required data fields have been entered. The Audit is automatically done internally by the CurricUNET program. If the proposal passes the audit the originator is instructed how to go to the Approval part of the system to pre-launch the proposal. If the audit fails error messages instruct the originator what needs to be completed in order for the proposal to pass the audit. Because Version 2 has separated the proposal creation process from the approval process, this audit function also assigns the correct approval process to the proposal based on the proposal type selected by the originator. Assigning the correct approval process ensures that when pre-launched the proposal goes to the correct people involved in that process. There are detailed instructions in the user guide and on screen help to walk you through the audit phase of the process.

Step 3: Proposal Approval Process

The approval process has two stages, pre-launch and launch. The approval process begins once the originator pre-launches his/her proposal. Pre-launching sends the proposal to a group of people who are meant to review the proposal before it continues through the process to make sure all the information is accurate and fulfills the college's intent. At this stage of the approval process the originator is able to make any changes to the proposal requested by the reviewers. Please note that the originator still has another step to take in the approval process after pre-launch. Once the people who review the proposal in pre-launch are satisfied with the proposal the originator is instructed to launch the proposal. Launch is the second stage in the approval process. Once the originator launches the proposal it is sent through the rest of the approval process and is signed off by the various people required for the proposal type. There are detailed instructions in the user guide and the on screen help to walk you through the approval process phase of the system. Note: If the originator does not launch the proposal s/he will receive reminder messages to launch the proposal after 30 and 60 days. If the proposal has not been launched after 90 days the proposal will be sent back to the originator to start the approval process over again. If the proposal is not launched the proposal will never be approved.

For Additional Levels of Approval Information See Section 3



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4. What are entry skills and how do I match them?

Entry skills are skills that the student will need to have in order to succeed in the course you are proposing. They are required when you intend to have a requisite (i.e. prerequisite, co-requisite or advisory) for your course. The entry skills are generally the student learning outcomes of the course you are requiring as the requisite. To add an entry skill click on the entry skills page. Under the ADD AN ENTRY SKILL heading in the ENTRY SKILL text box enter the skill required then select the ADD button. Continue adding the skills you require using the same procedure. After all skills have been entered you will need to match each skill with course(s) that fulfill the skill requirements. The course(s) selected will ultimately be the requisite(s) for the course. For example if you know you want an advisory of ENGL 051 you could enter one of the student learning outcomes as the entry skill from ENGL 051 (or write your own) in the ENTRY SKILL text box then click on the ADD button. To match the entry skill to the ENGL 051 course click the MATCH OUTCOMES button next to the skill. Select ENGL from the drop down menu then select 051 from the next drop down menu. On the next page that appears you have the option to select any or all of the student learning outcomes listed by clicking the box next to the outcome. Once you've selected all the outcomes that match the skill then select the ADD button. Follow the same procedure to match all of your entry skills with student learning outcomes.

5. How do I pre-launch my proposal?

Once your proposal is complete you will select the AUDIT button. The CurricUNET Program will internally audit the course to make sure it is complete. If the proposal is complete you will be directed to click on MY APPROVALS. Select the role of ORIGINATOR from the drop down and then select the NEXT button. The proposal you intend to pre-launch will appear under the appropriate heading COURSES or PROGRAMS. Select the ACTION button. Enter any comment you may have regarding the proposal (optional) then select the SUBMIT button. Your proposal has now been pre-launched.

6. What does "Audit" mean?

When you select the AUDIT button the proposal is internally checked by the CurricUNET program to make sure all areas of the outline have been completed. If the proposal is complete you will be directed to pre-launch the proposal. If the outline is incomplete you will be notified which pages or areas require completion.

7. How do I launch my proposal?

From the CurricUNET HOME PAGE select MY APPROVALS. Select ORIGINATOR from the drop down and click NEXT. Any course you have that is ready for launch will be listed. Select the ACTION button for the proposal you want to launch. In the comments text box you have the opportunity to enter any comments regarding the course if desired. Select the SUBMIT button and your proposal will be launched.

8. How do I make changes to my proposals?

Prior to launch - You can go into your proposal to make changes by selecting COURSES or PROGRAMS under the CREATE/EDIT PROPOSAL heading on the home page. Click on the pencil next to the course or program you want to edit marked "Pending". You will now be able to access all of the pages under the COURSE/PROGRAM CHECKLIST on the right hand side of the screen. Once you have selected a page from that list select the EDIT button to open that page for editing. Once your editing is complete select the FINISH button at the bottom of the page. To edit other pages continue with this same procedure.

After Launch – You can only edit a proposal after it has been launched if the proposal has been put on Hold. A proposal can be put on hold by the following people; College Curriculum Committee Chair, Instructional Services Analyst or CIC Chair. Usually one of these people would put a proposal on Hold if it requires changes. Once the person puts the proposal on hold you, the originator (and any co-contributor) will have access to go in and edit the proposal. Once you have made any required changes notify the person who put the proposal on Hold that you are finished and s/he can go in and take the proposal off Hold. Once the proposal is taken off Hold you will no longer have access to edit.

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9. How can I find out where my proposal is in the approval process?

From the CurricUNET Home Page under the STATUS heading select MY PROPOSALS. A list of proposals you have pre-launched or launched will appear. Select CHECK STATUS next to the proposal you want to check. When the screen refreshes you will see a list of all the actions taken on your proposal and any comments made as well as the actions still pending. To hide/view the comments select the HIDE/VIEW COMMENTS button. To see the approval flow chart, select the VISUAL button. You may also view the other reports associated with the proposal (Course Outline, Program Report, Curriculum Report, Program Impact or Course Changes) from the CHECK STATUS area.

10. Why isn't my proposal moving through the approval process?

There are several reasons why your proposal may not be moving forward in the approval process.

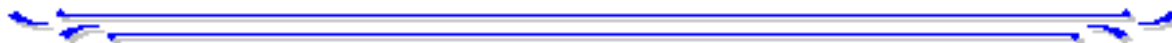
- The proposal may have been completely signed off in the pre-launch phase and needs you to launch it.
- The proposal may be on hold for corrections or additional information that is required.

Check the STATUS of your proposal to read the comments, see what step the proposal is currently on and if there have been any requests that you need to address.

Please remember that each level of review or approval has at least a ten day period in which to sign off on the proposal except for the original college curriculum committee which can hold the proposal indefinitely. If you have any questions/concerns call the CurricUNET help line at (619) 388-6502.

11. How do I get reports from CurricUNET other than an outline?

From the CurricUNET Home Page select REPORTS. From the REPORTS TYPE drop down menu select the type of report you want. To view the report click on the report number.



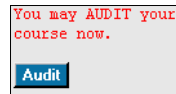
Audit to Pre-Launch


Audit

The Proposal Audit function is the final step after creating the proposal to ensure all required data fields have been entered. The Audit is automatically done internally by the CurricUNET program when the [Audit] button is pressed. If the proposal passes the audit the originator is instructed how to go to the Approval part of the system to pre-launch the proposal. If the audit fails error messages instruct the originator what needs to be completed in order for the proposal to pass the audit. The audit function also assigns the correct approval process to the proposal based on the proposal type selected by the originator. Assigning the correct approval process ensures that

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when pre-launched the proposal goes to the correct people involved in that process. After you have completed your course (or program) proposal, and the Checklist is completed (all required pages have check marks), you are ready to Audit and Pre-Launch your proposal. The following icon and message in red will be displayed on the left hand side of the screen:



Click on the AUDIT icon,  for CurricUNET to do an internal audit of your proposal. If the audit is successful, your proposal will be assigned an approval flow and be ready for you to pre-launch it.

Please Note: If the audit is unsuccessful, you will receive an error message indicating what needs to be done to have a successful audit. Make the necessary corrections and try your audit again. You can not pre-launch a proposal if it has not successfully passed the audit.


When the audit is completed, you will be prompted to click on 'My Approvals.' 'My Approvals' takes you to the approval section of CurricUNET where you can Pre-launch your proposal into the approval flow.

Your proposal is complete and the audit was successful.
Now follow the link to "My Approvals", select "Originator" role, and approve the pre-launch. Approving the pre-launch step, will notify the next positions/steps.


[My Approvals](#)

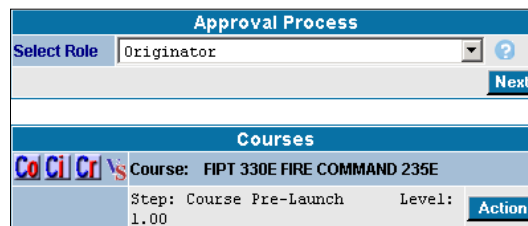
Pre-Launch


Clicking on 'My Approvals' will display the screen below.



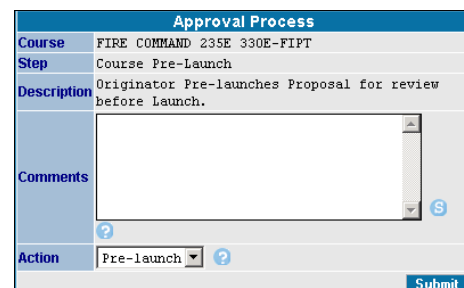
Please Note: You are now in the 'Status' section of the CurricUNET program, where all approval actions are taken. (Pre-launch is considered an approval action)

Click on the [Next] icon,  to see the list of proposals that require an action by you as the originator.



Find the proposal you created and click on 'Action.'  to Pre-launch. Notice how this proposal is at the 'Step: Course Pre-Launch Level 1.00'.

After you click on 'Action', the following screen will display. As you can see, the course title, the step you're taking action on and a description is displayed on the screen.



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In the 'Comments' field, add any comments if any about this proposal you want to share with those involved in the approval process. If you have no comments leave the field blank.

This course has not been taught for a couple of years, pending new software releases of both AutoCAD and Revit. We as a department want to see if the new Revit program will be a viable option for teaching our students. We are going to use the Advanced CADD class as a place to present this program to our students as a supplement to the already used AutoCAD program.

We hope to offer this course for upcoming summer session 2006.


Proposal to revise Grade only to Grade/CR/NCR option to be consistent with all other dance lab courses is the only change to the course outline.

We want to de-activate this course and have not offered it for a few years. We currently offer CBT 120, which encompasses both CBTE 120A and CBTE 120B.

When you are ready, click  to complete the action.

Your proposal has now successfully been Pre-Launched and will be sent to the next level of approvals.

After your proposal has been submitted, your screen should look like this example (unless you have other proposals that require an action in which case they will be displayed here).

Approval Process	
Select Role	Originator
	
Courses	
You have no Approvals.	

Please Note: When the proposal is ready to be Launched (you will be notified by e-mail) you will go to "My Approvals" in the "Status" section of the program to **Launch** your proposal. (See the Approval Process section of the user guide for more information)

Key to CurricUNET Icons for Proposal Reports

There are several different types of reports associated with course and program proposals. Following is a list of the different types of proposal reports. Wherever you see the associated icon, you may click on it to view the type of report indicated. The report will open in a new window on your browser.



Course Outline

The course outline is the official outline for the course. It provides detailed information about the course.



Course Curriculum Report

This report gives the technical information about the course proposal.



Program Impact Report

The program impact report is an important report for deans to view. It lists all the courses and programs that are impacted by a specific course.



Course Changes Report

The course changes report is a new report in CurricUNET. It is only available for courses proposals that are revisions of already existing courses. The information on the course changes report is a combination of information from the course outline and the course curriculum report. This report shows changes from the previous course and the newly proposed course.



Program Report

The program report displays all the information for a program, including all the awards and the courses required to fulfill the award.



Syllabus

Click for a sample syllabus for the adjacent course.

Visual

Visual (Approval Flow)



The visual is only available for proposals that are in the approval process. They can only be accessed from the 'Status' area of CurricUNET.



Comments

This icon is available in the 'My Approvals' section of CurricUNET. Comments are made by members of the approval process when they review proposals before taking action.

Some examples of Proposal Reports:



Course Curriculum Report

BIO1 210B
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SAN DIEGO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
MESA AND MIRAMAR COLLEGES
CURRICULUM REPORT

SECTION I

A. Subject Area: Biology
B. Course Number: 210B
C. Course Title: Introduction to the Biological Sciences II
D. Course Is Active/Where? Yes / City, Mesa and Miramar
E. Originating Campus: City
F. Action Proposed: Course Deactivation (active at another College)
G. Distance Education Offered At: NONE
H. Proposal Originating Date: 05/04/2004
I. Computer Title: Intro To The Biol. Sciences II

SECTION II

COURSE ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

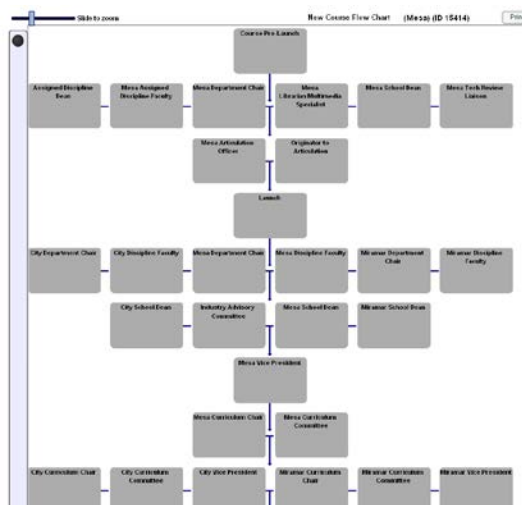
A. Prerequisites:
Prerequisite: with a grade of "C" or better, or equivalent.

B. Starting Semester: 051
C. Field Trip: May be required
D. Proposed Transfer Degree Applicability: Associate Degree Credit & transfer to CSU and/or private colleges and universities
E. Current Transfer Degree Applicability: None

Visual



Visual Approval Flow



Key to CurricUNET Edit Icons



Help

Brings up on-screen help regarding the adjacent entry.



Indicates a required field



Arrow up

Moves selected item up in a list



Arrow down

Moves selected item down in a list



Calendar Grid

Click to bring up calendar



Comments

Clicking this icon (in the 'My Approvals' section) allows members of the approval process to view comments made by previous approvers in the process.



Course Changes Report

Click for a report on course changes. Only available for course proposals that are revisions of already existing courses.



Course Outline

Click for a course outline report. This provides detailed information about the course.



Course Curriculum Report

Click for a course curriculum report. This report gives the technical information about the course proposal.



Delete / Cut

Clicking the scissors icon will delete or remove the adjacent entry.



Edit

Clicking the pencil icon allows editing of the adjacent entry.



Spell check

Click to bring up CurricUNET's on-screen spell check. Suggestions for unrecognized words will display.



Syllabus Report

Click for a sample syllabus for the adjacent course.



Program Impact Report

Click for an Impact report on a particular program. Report lists all the courses and programs that are impacted by a specific course.



Program Report

Click for a complete report on a program. The report displays all the information for a program, including all the awards and the courses required to fulfill the award.



Visual (Approval) Flow

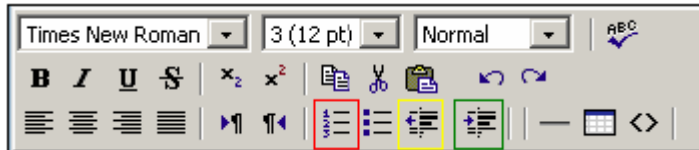
Click to bring up a graphic representation of the approval flow of a proposal that is in the approval process. This icon is found in the 'Status' area of CurricUNET.

CurricUNET New Outline of Topics Tool

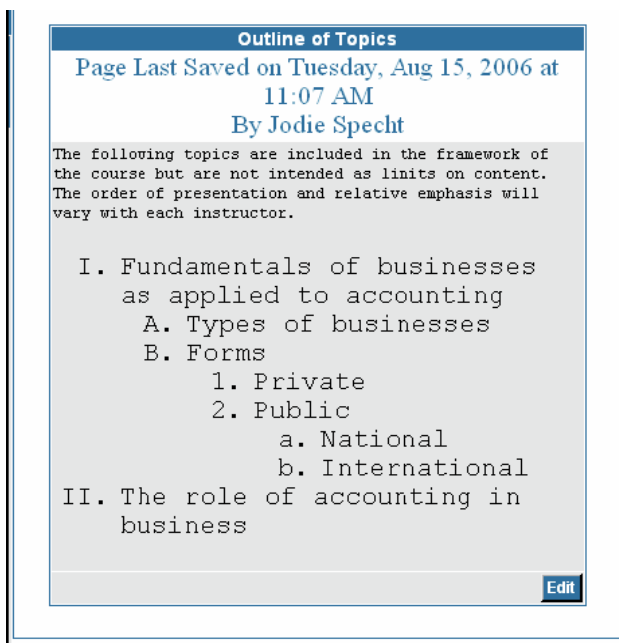
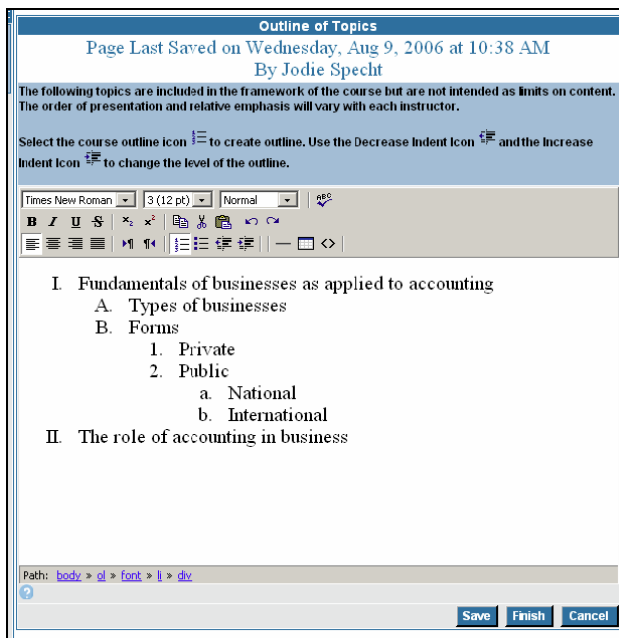
Website: <http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/CurricUNET/Outline%20of%20Topics.pdf>

Outline of Topics

Click on 'Outline of Topics' on your 'Course Checklist.'



Note: Colored box outlines have been added to above picture to assist in locating icons.




Outline Text


Click on the Ordered List icon  to begin.

A Roman Numeral I. will appear. Type the main topic.

Press the enter key to move to the next line. A Roman Numeral II will appear.

Add an additional main topic or click on the  increase indent icon to have a capital letter A. appear as the beginning of the subtopic.

You can continue to use the increase indent icon to make further subtopics.

The decrease indent icon  will move the cursor from a subtopic position back to a higher level topic position.

The outline can be further formatted using the formatting buttons on the title bar. They function similarly to the formatting buttons in Microsoft Word.

Save

Click on [Save] to save the information you have entered. The data entry fields remain available for data entry.

Cancel

Click [Cancel] to cancel the entries.

Finish

Click on [Finish] when you are completely done filling out all required fields. This is what the Outline of Topics looks like once you click [Finish]. A checkmark has also appeared next to 'Outline of Topics' under the 'Course Checklist.'

Edit

To make changes to the Outline of Topics click [Edit]. Otherwise, you may move on to the next entry, 'Course Assignments.'

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CurricUNET Six-Year Review Inputting

<http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/sdccd2/>

Six-year Review Criteria

You may want to print this document, the current course outline of record (see [How to Print a Course Outline](#)) and the [Six-Year Review Course Revision Proposal Instructions](#) as references.

Please use the criteria below in your assessment of the course.

Criteria

1. Is the course content current?
2. Does the catalog description still accurately describe course content? Does it include intended audience?
3. Are the prerequisite/co-requisite/advisory statements still appropriate?
4. Are all assignments still relevant? (Appropriate Readings, Writing Assignments, Appropriate Assignments that Demonstrate Critical Thinking, Outside Assignments)
5. Do the required texts have accurate citations and are the publications dates no older than 5 years?

For additional information contact your curriculum review committee co-chair.



Six-year Review Course Revision Proposal Instructions

Even if the course changes are minor or no changes are made, a course revision proposal must be launched and complete the approval process in order to be recorded as a “Six-Year Review”. The type of proposal you will create is a Course Revision (Including Activation).

Please note: If the course you are reviewing has NOT been integrated, you may want to choose Course Integration (Including Activation) as the proposal type and integrate the course outline at the same time.

1. You should already be logged in to CurricUNET. If not log in using your user name and password. (If you do not have a user name and password contact your Dean to request access.)
2. From the main menu on the left side of the screen select “Courses” under **Create/Edit Proposal**.
3. From the menu on the left side of the screen select “Modify Active Course” which will take you to a screen to search for the course you want to change.
4. Enter the search criteria to find the course record you want to change.
 - a. Select “Active” for Status
 - b. Enter the course number
 - c. Use the drop down menu to find the discipline
 - d. Click “OK”
5. The course will display in a list after you click “OK”. You will see several icons to the left of the course and course title. Click on the “copy” icon, which looks like two pieces of paper. Clicking this icon creates a new proposal in the system, which is linked to the currently active record. (Once the new proposal is approved the changes will replace the currently active record.)

Six-year Review Course Revision Proposal Instructions – Continued

6. After you click “OK” you will see the Course Modification Screen. This screen displays some basic information about the course. If you are making changes to any of these items, course title or course description you can make them here or on another screen later.

On this screen there are two important fields that need to be filled out correctly.

The first is the “Proposal Type”. Since you’ve determined that the course requires changes based on the six-year review criteria, you should choose “Course Revision (Including Activation)” as your proposal type.

Please note: If the course you are reviewing has NOT been integrated, you may want to choose Course Integration (Including Activation) as the proposal type and integrate the course outline at the same time.

The second important field to be filled out is the “Six-year review” field. Be sure to check the box so those reviewing the proposal know that the changes are in relation to the six-year review process. Then click “OK”.

7. Once you click “OK” you will be on the main data entry page. On the right side of the screen there are several data screens listed under “Course Checklist”. Click on each title to display the different data entry screens. Make changes as needed per your six-year review criteria. Be sure to “Finish” each screen as you are done. This will confirm that all required fields have been filled out. **Please Note:** If no changes are being made on a particular screen it still needs to be marked as “finished”. Make sure all required fields are filled out on the screen (marked with a red asterisk) and click “Finish”.
8. Once all the checklist screens are finished (they will be green with a check mark in the box next to the title) you can complete the proposal process.
9. A blue button with the word “Audit” will appear on the right side of the screen when all required fields are finished. Click on the button to continue the proposal process. The CurricUNET system verifies all required fields are filled out and it assigns the correct approval process for the proposal type you selected.
10. Once you click on the “Audit” button you should get a message that says the audit was successful, click on the “My Approvals” link to start the approval flow for your proposal.
11. Since you created the course proposal you are the “originator”. Select “originator” from the drop down menu and click “Next”.
12. After you click “Next” the screen will display any proposals you have created which require you to take action. Find the course proposal you created and note that it is at “Level 1: Pre-Launch” (This is the first step in the approval process)
13. Click on the “Action” button. Now you will see the course and title listed and a text box in which to make comments if desired. The action selected is “**Pre-Launch**”. When you are ready click “Submit” and your course proposal has started the approval process.
14. However, you have one more step to take in the approval process. Once your college’s librarian and articulation officer have reviewed your proposal you will be required to **launch** your proposal through the rest of the approval process. CurricUNET will send you an **e-mail message** when the articulation officer has reviewed your proposal indicating it is ready **to be launched**.

Six-year Review Course Revision Proposal Instructions – Continued

15. Upon receiving the e-mail message follow these few steps:
 1. Login to CurricUNET with your user name and password.
 2. Click on “**My Approvals**” from the main menu on the left side of your screen.
 3. Choose “**Originator**” as the role from the drop down menu **and click “Next”**
 4. Find the course on your list of approvals (note it is at “Level 3: Launch”) to be launched and click “Action”
 5. Make any desired comments and click “Submit”

Your proposal will continue through the approval process and be reviewed by the various positions in the approval process. It may require some minor changes or edits as your college curriculum committee reviews it and/or when Curriculum Instructional Council reviews it, in either case you will be notified.


Distance Education Only Proposal Instructions

<http://www.sdccdcarricu.net/sdccc2>

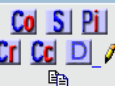
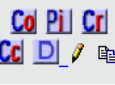
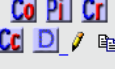
1. Log in to CurricUNET
2. From the Main Menu on left click “Course” under Search.
3. Enter search criteria to find the course that you want to create the distance education proposal on. Usually the course number and subject area are used. **NOTE:** Be sure to check box titled “Check if search is for Distance Ed. Proposal.”

The screenshot shows the 'Course Search' form. Arrows point to the search criteria fields and the checkbox for distance education proposals.

Course Search	
Status	<input checked="" type="radio"/> All <input type="radio"/> Active <input type="radio"/> Historical <input type="radio"/> Pending <input type="radio"/> Launched <input type="radio"/> Approved ?
Course Number	116A ?
Course Title	<input type="text"/> ? <input type="checkbox"/> include long title search
Colleges	<input type="checkbox"/> -All- <input type="checkbox"/> City <input type="checkbox"/> Mesa <input type="checkbox"/> Miramar ?
Subject Area	ACCT - Accounting ?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check If Search Is For Distance Ed. Proposal. OK	

4. A list of courses that match your search criteria will display.
5. To create the proposal click on the “modify” icon, this looks like two pieces of paper.  **NOTE:** There may be several entries listed for the same course number. Be sure to create your proposal on the “Active”, red record.

The screenshot shows the 'Course Search Results' table. Arrows point to the modify icon (two pieces of paper) and the active record (red text).

Actions	Course Area	Course Number	Title
	ACCT 116A	Financial Accounting	*Active*
	Mesa, Miramar, City		Helen Webb
	ACCT 116A	Financial Accounting	*Historical*
	City		Julie Tunnell
	ACCT 116A	Principles of Accounting - Financial	*Historical*
	City, Mesa, Miramar		Helen Webb

Distance Education Only Proposal Instructions - Continued

6. After you click on the “modify” icon the following page will display. Select the “Distance Learning – No other Action” proposal type and then click “OK”

Course Modification	
Course Number	116A ?
Course Title	Financial Accounting ?
Short Title	Financial Accounting ?
Course Desc	This introductory financial accounting course provides instruction in the theory and practice of accounting applicable to recording, summarizing, and reporting of business transactions S ?
Short Course Description	Introductory accounting course which provides instruction in the theory and practice of accounting. S ?
Subject	ACCT Accounting ?
Campus	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> City <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mesa <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Miramar ?
Proposal Type	Distance Learning - No Other Action ?
<input type="button" value="OK"/> <input type="button" value="Cancel"/>	

7. The main proposal page will display. From the Course Checklist displayed on the right side of the screen select “Distance Ed”
8. The following page will display with a “pending” proposal for your college. Click on the edit pencil to fill out the required fields.

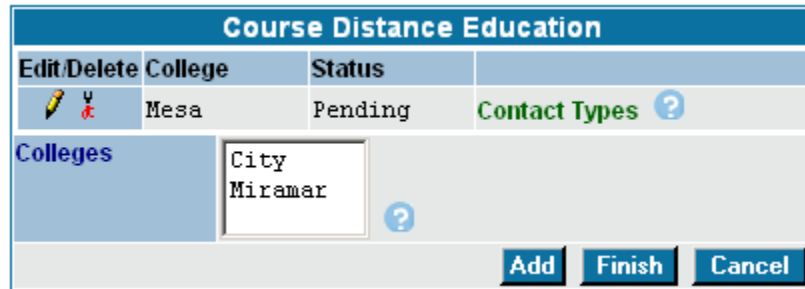
Course Distance Education			
Edit/Delete	College	Status	Contact Types ?
	Mesa	Pending	
Colleges	City Miramar ?		
<input type="button" value="Add"/> <input type="button" value="Finish"/> <input type="button" value="Cancel"/>			



9. Fill out all required fields (marked with a red asterisk). Then click “Finish”.

NOTE: Help information is available for each entry box. Click on the icon to display.

Distance Education Only Proposal Instructions - Continued

10. Once you click “Finish” the following page displays again. Select “Contact Types” to define how faculty will contact students.



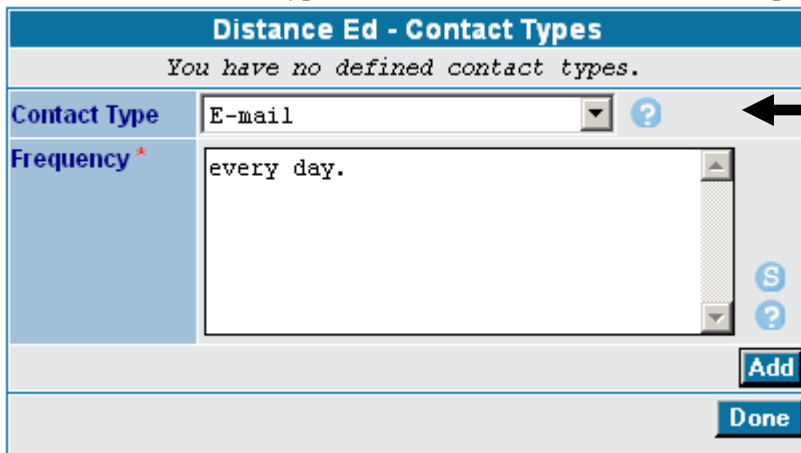
Edit/Delete	College	Status	Contact Types
 	Mesa	Pending	Contact Types ?

Colleges

City
Miramar

Add **Finish** **Cancel**

11. Once you click on “Contact Types” the following page displays.
12. Choose the type of contact from the drop down menu.
13. Then type in how frequently this type of contact will be used.
14. Click “**Add**” and the contact type and frequency will be added to the proposal.
NOTE: Once a contact type is selected it is removed from the drop down menu.



Distance Ed - Contact Types

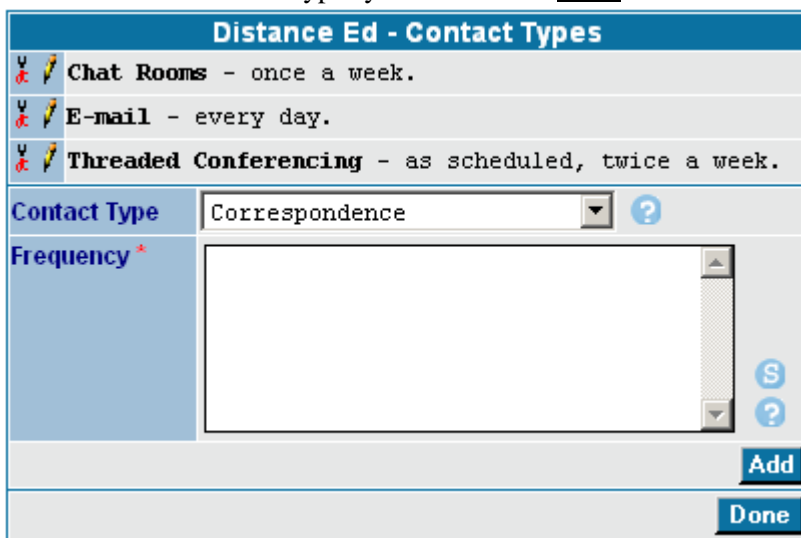
You have no defined contact types.

Contact Type E-mail ?



Frequency * every day.



Add **Done**



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Distance Ed - Contact Types

  **Chat Rooms** - once a week.

  **E-mail** - every day.

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Distance Education Only Proposal Instructions - Continued

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SAN DIEGO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

ASSOCIATE DEGREE CREDIT COURSE OUTLINE GUIDE

Updated 02/24/04

Note: Bloom's Taxonomy of Cognitive Verbs is referred to in this material.

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Associate Degree Credit Course Outline Guide - Continued

Catalog Course Description Continued:

- Identify the target audience, e.g., UC, CSU, IGETC, CAN, major requirement, certificate, etc.
- (References to repeatability and variable units)

LECTURE HOURS PER WEEK: (See units above)

LAB HOURS PER WEEK: (See units above)

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 - “Corequisite:” which indicates concurrent enrollment in ____.
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Associate Degree Credit Course Outline Guide - Continued

Course Objectives Continued:

- List verbs that demonstrate specific, observable, measurable outcomes. Place the verb at the beginning of the objective. (See Cognitive, Psychomotor and Affective Taxonomies)
- Adequately cover theory, principles and concepts. All of these should relate in concept and language to the Course Description and the Outline of Topics.
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- If there are additional reading assignments required for sections of this course offered through technologically mediated instruction (TMI) a.k.a., distance education, please list types and examples here.

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Associate Degree Credit Course Outline Guide - Continued

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- Establish course rigor. For lecture classes, state: "Two hours of outside preparation per unit per week is expected of each student."
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- Text citations must be complete. (CurricUNET requires ISBN)

Associate Degree Credit Course Outline Guide - Continued

Required Texts Continued:

- Author's last name, first name, middle initial. Title of Book. Location of publication, Publisher, most current date. (ISBN)

Example: Hilton, Sam. Seashore Life in Southern California. Berkeley, CA., University of California Press, 1999. (ISBN: 012345678X)

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SAN DIEGO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

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Associate Degree Credit Course Outline - Continued

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- Assessment Level -----, or the equivalent.
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Associate Degree Credit Course Outline - Continued

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Associate Degree Credit Course Outline - Continued

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Associate Degree Credit Course Outline - Continued

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- Text citations must be complete, in MLA format.
- Author’s last name, first name, middle initial. Title of Book. Location of publication, Publisher, most current date.
- Example: Hinton, Sam. Seashore Life in Southern California. Berkeley, CA., University of California Press, 1995.

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Courses Commonly Used for Cross Discipline Prerequisites, Corequisites and/or Advisories

Course Title

Exiting Skills

Mathematics 32/ Fundamentals of Mathematics

Assessment Level M2

1. Perform operations on whole numbers, fractions, decimals and percents.
2. Solve sample word problems.
3. Use estimation to assess answers.
4. Factor whole numbers into primes and apply to fractions.
5. Solve simple proportions.

Course Title

Exiting Skills

Mathematics 95/ Elementary Algebra and Geometry

Assessment Level M3

1. Perform the basic arithmetic operations with real numbers using exponents and the appropriate order of operations.
2. Translate verbal expressions into algebraic expressions, and simplify them.
3. Apply properties of equality to solve linear equations and related application problems.
4. Solve linear inequalities in one variable, including absolute value.
5. Determine the equation for a linear function and graph it.
6. Graph linear inequalities in two variables.
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8. Factor polynomial expressions using a variety of methods.
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10. Graph quadratic functions.
11. Identify functions from their equations and graphs, use appropriate functional notation, and perform the basic arithmetic operations with functions, including composition.
12. Perform the basic arithmetic operations with rational expressions.
13. Identify important angle relationships when dealing with lines and triangles.
14. Identify simple geometric shapes and apply the appropriate area and perimeter formulas.
15. Apply the appropriate skills in application problems.

Courses Commonly Used for Cross Discipline
Prerequisites, Corequisites and/or Advisories - Continued

Course Title	Exiting Skills
Mathematics 96 / Intermediate Algebra and Geometry Assessment Level M4	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Perform the basic arithmetic operations with rational expressions, solve rational equations and application problems, including variation.2. Perform the basic arithmetic operations with radical expressions, and solve radical equations.3. Perform the basic arithmetic operations with complex numbers.4. Solve and graph quadratic functions.5. Identify and graph conic sections.6. Solve nonlinear inequalities.7. Solve systems of linear equations in two and three variables using a variety of methods.8. Solve systems of nonlinear equations and inequalities.9. Identify one to one functions and find their inverses.10. Use the properties of and relationship between exponential and logarithmic functions to solve a variety of application problems.11. Apply the correct notation when identifying, simplifying and using arithmetic and geometric series and sequences.12. Apply the Binomial Theorem appropriately as needed.13. Apply the appropriate surface area and volume formulas for three dimensional objects.14. Identify and use the appropriate trigonometric functions to solve application problems.15. Solve a variety of application problems related to these topics.

Course Title	Exiting Skills
Mathematics 104 / Trigonometry Assessment Level M5	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Recognize and construct angles whose measures are given in degrees or radians, convert between radians and degrees, determine reference angles, and apply angle measurement to problems.2. Define trigonometric functions in terms of the lengths of the sides of right triangles, and apply to problems involving right triangles.3. Evaluate trigonometric functions of special angles by utilizing geometric properties of triangles.4. Define and evaluate trigonometric functions as circular functions.5. Analyze and describe the graphs of trigonometric functions and their algebraic representation in terms of their properties including the phase shift, the period, vertical shifts, the amplitude, asymptotes, and the domain and range.

Courses Commonly Used for Cross Discipline
Prerequisites, Corequisites and/or Advisories - Continued

<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Exiting Skills</u>
<u>Mathematics 104 – continued</u>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">6. Define, evaluate, describe, and graph inverse trigonometric functions including their domains and ranges.7. Derive and prove fundamental trigonometric identities including the Pythagorean identities, the reciprocal identities, the sum and difference identities, and apply these to derive more general identities.8. Solve trigonometric and inverse trigonometric equations.9. Apply the Pythagorean Theorem, the law of sines, and the law of cosines to solve right and oblique triangles, and application problems.10. Apply the definitions of trigonometric functions to describe vector quantities in terms of their components, and in terms of their magnitude and direction.11. Apply vector algebra to problems involving vector quantities such as force, velocity and displacement.12. Perform arithmetic operations on complex numbers using both standard and trigonometric form including applications involving De Moivres Theorem, and interpret those operations geometrically.

<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Exiting Skills</u>
Mathematics 116 / College and matrix Algebra Assessment Level M5	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Find zeros of polynomials.2. Graph polynomial and rational functions.3. Solve linear systems of equations in two or more variable by Cramer's Rule, matrices and linear programming.4. Graph and solve more rigorous exponential and logarithmic equations and their applications.

<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Exiting Skills</u>
Mathematics 118 / Calculus with Analytic Geometry I Assessment Level M5	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Manipulate algebraic expressions.2. Solve linear and quadratic equations.3. Translate Verbal Statements into mathematical models.4. Effectively use functional notation.5. Name and define geometric figures and apply their properties.

Courses Commonly Used for Cross Discipline
Prerequisites, Corequisites and/or Advisories - Continued

Course Title	Exiting Skills
Mathematics 119 / Elementary Statistics	
Assessment Level M5	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Evaluate means and standard deviations of both grouped and individual item samples.2. Evaluate probabilities using the definition, the multiplication formula, the addition formula, and counting procedures.3. Evaluate probabilities using the Normal Distribution Table and the Binomial Distribution Table.4. Evaluate probabilities of Sampling Distributions (both Binomial and non-Binomial).5. Construct confidence intervals of means using large and small samples., of proportions and of variance.6. Determine sample size when estimating means and proportions.7. Do hypothesis testing of means, proportions, and variances (one and two sample problems).8. Evaluate Correlation and use it to predict in a Regression model.

Course Title	Exiting Skills
Mathematics 121 / Basic Techniques of Calculus I	
Assessment Level M6	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Interpret and evaluate limits of functions.2. Define and interpret derivatives.3. Calculate derivatives of polynomial, rational, logarithmic and exponential functions.4. Use derivatives to analyze graphs of functions.5. Apply derivatives to related business, natural and social science problems.6. Integrate by substitution.7. Differentiate and integrate functions of several variables.

Course Title	Exiting Skills
Mathematics 150 / Precalculus	
Assessment Level M6	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Solve higher degree polynomial and transcendental equations.2. Apply DeMoivre's theorem and find roots of complex numbers.3. Apply fundamental trigonometric identities to prove difficult trigonometric identities.4. Solve systems of equations using matrices and determinants.5. Manipulate infinite sequences and series.6. Graph rational functions.7. Apply standard forms of equations to extract geometric information.8. Analyze functions.9. Graph polar equations.

Courses Commonly Used for Cross Discipline
Prerequisites, Corequisites and/or Advisories - Continued

Course Title	Exiting Skills
English 50 /English Review Assessment Level W3	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Compose complete sentences relatively free of major spelling, grammar, punctuation, and usage errors, i.e., errors that interfere with communication.2. Write clear paragraphs –of about 150 to 200 words in length – controlled by topic sentences and closed with appropriate conclusions.3. Write coherent paragraphs developed with adequate supporting detail.4. Write paragraphs demonstrating an understanding of grammar as needed to write effective sentences.5. Write paragraphs demonstrating a basic understanding of the writing process, from pre-writing through drafting, revising, and editing.

Course Title	Exiting Skills
English 51 / Basic Composition Assessment Level W4	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Produce essays substantially free of major spelling, grammar, punctuation, and usage errors (i.e., errors which interfere with communication) and displaying mastery of coordination, subordination, and parallelism.2. Write multi-paragraph essay focusing on a thesis statement and demonstrating an understanding of the concept of an introduction, a body, and a conclusion.3. Write a multi-paragraph essay demonstrating adequate development, unity of idea, and coherence.4. Use various modes of development in writing assignments in order to accomplish a purpose with a given audience.5. Write compositions that demonstrate an understanding of the writing process, from pre-writing through drafting, revising, and editing.

Course Title	Exiting Skills
English 56 / College Reading Study Assessment Level R4	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Demonstrate the ability to read and comprehend college-level materials from a variety of disciplines.2. Analyze and evaluate college-level materials, both orally and in writing, using basic critical thinking skills.3. Develop and demonstrate a variety of college-level study skills.4. Engage college-level reading materials with increased confidence.

Courses Commonly Used for Cross Discipline
Prerequisites, Corequisites and/or Advisories - Continued

Course Title	Exiting Skills
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English 101 / Reading and Composition	
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Assessment Level R5 W5

1. Write clear and coherent essays on expository and argumentative topics with effective and correct sentences.
2. Read academic expository and argumentative prose for main points and structure and be able to summarize, interpret, and analyze this prose.
3. Write college research papers that demonstrate both proper documentation and adequate library research.

Course Title	Exiting Skills
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English 105 / Composition and Literature	
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Assessment Level R5 W5

1. Write clear and coherent essays on expository and argumentative topics related to literature, using effective and correct sentences.
2. Read academic expository and argumentative prose related to literary topics for main points and structure and be able to summarize, interpret, and analyze this prose.
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4. Interpret representative examples of the standard literary genres and analyze them according to basic literary theories.



English & Math Prerequisites for Other Disciplines

When a Math or English course is a prerequisite for a non-Math or non-English course:

- a) A study must be conducted by institutional research to validate the need for the prerequisite in order for students to be successful in the course. (The course will be listed as an Advisory until the results of the study are concluded.)

OR

- b) If the prerequisite is a requirement from the CSU or UC system then a validation study is not required but this CSU or UC requirement information must be listed in the "Need for Change" and a copy of the CSU or UC course description must be available for verification. (Documents can be attached to a proposal using the Attach Documents" feature in CurricUNET.

Website Resource

Measuring Student Learning Outcomes

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SCANS 1991 Report Excerpts
Workplace Know-How, Competencies,
Foundation Skills and Personal Qualities

WORKPLACE KNOW-HOW

The know-how identified by SCANS is made up of five competencies and a three-part foundation of skills and personal qualities that are needed for solid job performance. These include:

COMPETENCIES - effective workers can productively use:

- **Resources** - allocating time, money, materials, space, and staff;
- **Interpersonal Skills** - working on teams, teaching others, serving customers, leading, negotiating, and working well with people from culturally diverse backgrounds;
- **Information** - acquiring and evaluating data, organizing and maintaining files, interpreting and communicating, and using computers to process information;
- **Systems** - understanding social, organizational, and technological systems, monitoring and correcting performance, and designing or improving systems
- **Technology** - selecting equipment and tools, applying technology to specific tasks, and maintaining and troubleshooting technologies.

THE FOUNDATION - competence requires:

- **Basic Skills** - reading, writing, arithmetic and mathematics, speaking, and listening;
- **Thinking Skills** - thinking creatively, making decisions, solving problems, seeing things in the mind's eye, knowing how to learn, and reasoning.
- **Personal Qualities** - individual responsibility, self-esteem, sociability, self-management, and integrity.

SCANS recommended competencies, U. S. Department of Labor, 1991

FIVE COMPETENCIES

Resources: Identifies, organizes, plans, and allocates resources

- A. *Time* — Selects goal-relevant activities, ranks them, allocates time, and prepares and follows schedules
- B. *Money* — Uses or prepares budgets, makes forecasts, keeps records, and makes adjustments to meet objectives
- C. *Material and Facilities* — Acquires, stores, allocates, and uses materials or space efficiently
- D. *Human Resources* — Assesses skills and distributes work accordingly, evaluates performance and provides feedback

Interpersonal: Works with others

- A. *Participates as a Member of a Team* — contributes to group effort
- B. *Teaches Others New Skills*
- C. *Serves Clients/Customers* — works to satisfy customers' expectations
- D. *Exercises Leadership* — communicates ideas to justify position, persuades and convinces others, responsibly challenges existing procedures and policies
- E. *Negotiates* — works toward agreements involving exchange of resources, resolves divergent interests
- F. *Works with Diversity* — works well with men and women from diverse backgrounds

Information: Acquires and uses information

- A. *Acquires and Evaluates Information*
- B. *Organizes and Maintains Information*
- C. *Interprets and Communicates Information*
- D. *Uses Computers to Process Information*

Systems: Understands complex inter-relationships

- A. *Understands Systems* — knows how social, organizational, and technological systems work and operates effectively with them
- B. *Monitors and Corrects Performance* — distinguishes trends, predicts impacts on system operations, diagnoses deviations in systems' performance and corrects malfunctions
- C. *Improves or Designs Systems* — suggests modifications to existing systems and develops new or alternative systems to improve performance

Technology: Works with a variety of technologies

- A. *Selects Technology* — chooses procedures, tools or equipment including computers and related technologies
- B. *Applies Technology to Task* — Understands overall intent and proper procedures for setup and operation of equipment
- C. *Maintains and Troubleshoots Equipment* — Prevents, identifies, or solves problems with equipment, including computers and other technologies.

SCANS recommended competencies, U. S. Department of Labor, 1991

A THREE-PART FOUNDATION

Basic Skills: Reads, writes, performs arithmetic and mathematical operations, listens and speaks

- A. *Reading* — locates, understands, and interprets written information in prose and in documents such as manuals, graphs, and schedules
- B. *Writing* — communicates thoughts, ideas, information, and messages in writing; and creates documents such as letters, directions, manuals, reports, graphs, and flow charts
- C. *Arithmetic/Mathematics* — performs basic computations and approaches practical problems by choosing appropriately from a variety of mathematical techniques
- D. *Listening* — receives, attends to, interprets, and responds to verbal messages and other cues
- E. *Speaking* — organizes ideas and communicates orally

Thinking Skills: Thinks creatively, makes decisions, solves problems, visualizes, knows how to learn, and reasons

- A. *Creative Thinking* — generates new ideas
- B. *Decision Making* — specifies goals and constraints, generates alternatives, considers risks, and evaluates and chooses best alternative
- C. *Problem Solving* — recognizes problems and devises and implements plan of action
- D. *Seeing Things in the Mind's Eye* — organizes, and processes symbols, pictures, graphs, objects, and other information
- E. *Knowing How to Learn* — uses efficient learning techniques to acquire and apply new knowledge and skills
- F. *Reasoning* — discovers a rule or principle underlying the relationship between two or more objects and applies it when solving a problem

Personal Qualities: Displays responsibility, self-esteem, sociability, self-management, and integrity and honesty

- A. *Responsibility* — exerts a high level of effort and perseveres towards goal attainment
- B. *Self-Esteem* — believes in own self-worth and maintains a positive view of self
- C. *Sociability* — demonstrates understanding, friendliness, adaptability, empathy, and politeness in group settings
- D. *Self-Management* — assesses self accurately, sets personal goals, monitors progress, and exhibits self-control
- E. *Integrity/Honesty* — chooses ethical courses of action

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Bloom's Taxonomy

Categorized List of Generic Skills and Sample Verbs

Category	Generic Skills	Sample Verbs
Knowledge <i>(Least complex competency)</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Observation and recall of information 2. Knowledge of dates, events, places 3. Knowledge of major ideas 4. Mastery of subject matter 	Define, describe, duplicate, identify, label, list, locate, match, memorize, name, recall, recognize, record, relate, repeat, reproduce, underline
Comprehension	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understanding information 2. Grasping meanings 3. Translating knowledge into new context 4. Interpreting facts, comparing and contrasting 5. Ordering, grouping, inferring causes 6. Predicting consequences 	Classify, convert, describe, explain, express, give example(s), identify, indicate, interpret, locate, recognize, report, restate, review, rewrite, summarize, tell, translate
Application	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Using information 2. Using methods, concepts, theories in new situations 3. Solving problems using required skills or knowledge 	Apply, construct, dramatize, employ, illustrate, interpret, operate, practice, sketch, schedule, shop, solve, use, write
Analysis	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Seeing patterns 2. Organizing parts 3. Recognizing hidden meanings 4. Identifying components 	Analyze, appraise, calculate, categorize, compare/contrast, criticize, debate, deduct, diagram, differentiate, discriminate, distinguish, examine, experiment, infer, inspect, inventory, question, relate, solve, test
Synthesis	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Using old ideas to create new ones 2. Generalizing from given facts 3. Relating knowledge from several areas 4. Predicting, drawing conclusions 	Arrange, assemble, collect, combine, compose, construct, create, design, develop, formulate, manage, organize, plan, prepare, propose, rearrange, set up, synthesize, write
Evaluation <i>(Most complex competency)</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Comparing and discriminating between ideas 2. Assessing value of theories, presentations 3. Making choices based on reasoned argument 4. Verifying value of evidence 5. Recognizing subjectivity 	Appraise, argue, assess, attach, choose, compare, criticize, debate, defend, estimate, evaluate, judge, measure, predict, rate, revise, score, select, support, value, weigh

Verbs Requiring Cognitive Outcomes

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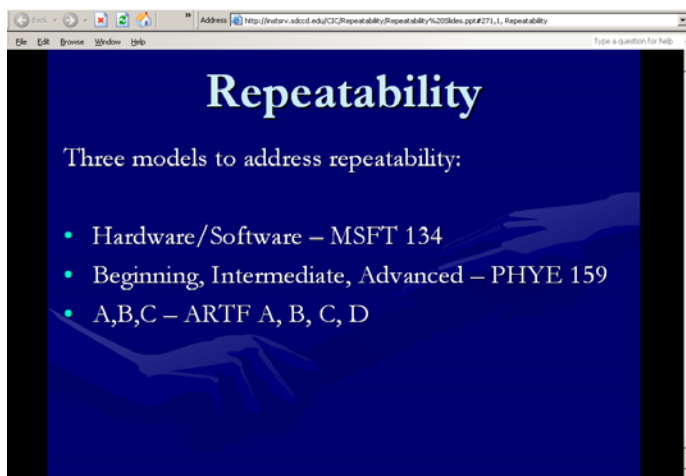
					Critical Thinking	
						<u>Evaluation</u>
						judge appraise evaluate rate compare value revise score select choose assess estimate measure
					<u>Synthesis</u>	
					compose plan propose design formulate arrange assemble collect construct create set up organize prepare	
				<u>Analysis</u>		
				distinguish analyze differentiate appraise calculate experiment test compare contrast criticize diagram inspect debate inventory question relate solve examine categorize		
			<u>Application</u>			
			interpret apply employ use demonstrate dramatize practice illustrate operate schedule shop sketch			
		<u>Comprehension</u>				
		translate restate discuss describe recognize explain express identify locate report review tell				
<u>Knowledge</u>						
define repeat record list name relate underline						

Integrated Course Outline Models

The following list of course outlines are samples of approved integrated course outlines in a variety of disciplines. Each outline utilizes a distinct writing style and is meant to provide examples and ideas for curriculum writers in developing outlines conducive to their individual courses. As well as meeting the integrated standards, these outlines have been selected by the Mesa College Curriculum Review Committee to illustrate several specific components of the integrated course outline.

English 215 English Literature I	Associate Degree/Transfer/General Education/CAN
Architecture 190 Environmental Design II	Associate Degree/Vocational Education
Mathematics 095 Elementary Algebra & Geometry	Non-Transfer Associate Degree
PHYN 120 Oceanography	Distance Education – Curriculum Report (CR)

Repeatability Course Outlines Models Slide Presentation Website



Outlines Referenced in Slide Presentation

Repeat Course Multiple Times
MSFT 134

Section Designations
PHYE 159 – Tennis

Separate Courses
ARTF 165A – Composition in Painting I
ARTF 165B – Composition in Painting II
ARTF 165C – Composition in Painting III
ARTF 165D – Composition in Painting IV

Resources for Curriculum Development

Academic Senate for California Community Colleges	http://www.academicssenate.cc.ca.us <p>The Academic Senate for California Community Colleges represents the faculty of the Community Colleges. This site helps ensure effective participation in the formation of statewide policies on academic and professional matters.</p>
Accessibility Checklist for the Disabled	http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/Curriculum/Accessibility/InstDesignCk.doc <p>This checklist will be used to determine if the online course format and other required course materials are accessible to students with disabilities. This checklist does not evaluate the subject matter or course content.</p>
Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC)	http://www.accjc.org http://www.accjc.org/standards.htm <p>Accreditation Reference Standards handbook (published 2005) for Community and Junior Colleges.</p> <p>Statements of best practice in higher education which institutions must meet or exceed when seeking initial accreditation and reaffirmation of accreditation from ACCJC.</p>
ASSIST: Statewide Student Transfer Information for California	http://www.assist.org <p>ASSIST is a computerized student-transfer information system that can be accessed over the World Wide Web. It displays reports of how course credits earned at one California college or university can be applied when transferred to another.</p>
California Articulation Number System (CAN) <i>(System Being Revised 2006)</i>	http://www.can.csus.edu/ <p>The California Articulation Number System (CAN) is a course identification system for common core lower-division transferable, major preparation courses commonly taught on CCC and CSU campuses.</p> <p>Colleges and universities that demonstrate common acceptance of courses through traditional articulation agreements can qualify courses for CAN designations.</p> <p>Courses with CAN designators are accepted by any other CAN participating institutions as being comparable to their local courses with the same CAN designators to meet local requirements, even if the receiving university has not established an explicit traditional articulation agreement with a particular California Community College.</p>
California Code of Regulations (CCR)	http://ccr.oal.ca.gov <p>This California Code of Regulations (CCR) Website contains the text of the regulations that have been formally adopted by state agencies, reviewed and approved by the Office of Administrative Law, and filed with the Secretary of State.</p> <p>The CCR consists of 27 titles and contains the regulations of approximately 200 regulatory agencies. This website is updated weekly.</p>
California Community Colleges State Chancellor's Office (CCCCO)	http://www.cccco.edu <p>Provides information on current events affecting community colleges, grant information, organization of the government offices, departments, and divisions.</p>

Resources for Curriculum Development - Continued

CCCCO Inventory of Approved and Projected Programs	<p>http://misweb.cccco.edu/esed/webproginv/prod/invmenu.htm</p> <p>This inventory lists degrees and certificates offered by California community colleges which are approved by the Chancellor's Office, and projected future program.</p> <p>All California community colleges offer a full range of university-level coursework in the natural sciences, mathematics, social sciences, humanities, language arts, and fine arts. But not all community colleges award degrees with the names of specific academic disciplines, such as chemistry or English. The fact that a college does not award a degree in a particular academic subject does not mean the college offers fewer courses in that subject.</p> <p>Types of programs not included here are: certificates that require fewer than 18 semester units or 27 quarter units; inactive program; and noncredit apprenticeship programs.</p>
California Community Colleges Chief Instructional Officers (CCCCIO)	<p>http://cccio.org/</p> <p>California Community Colleges Chief Instructional Officers are committed to developing strategies, including those that involve collaboration with other segments of community college leadership, to support and improve student learning and will pursue action plans within Consultation processes wherever feasible.</p>
California Virtual College Online	<p>http://training.cvc4.org/train/</p> <p>The California Virtual Campus Region 4's charge is to assist faculty, administration, and institutions within the region in the development of online courses and online programs.</p>
CCC to UC Transfer Admission Programs	<p>http://www.ucop.edu/pathways/infoctr/at/atprogs.html</p> <p>Under some programs, students at certain community colleges are guaranteed admission to a UC campus if they meet specific requirements in completing their lower-division course work. Other programs provide extensive academic and admission support services to transfer applicants, but do not guarantee admission.</p>
CurricUNET Home Page	<p>http://www.sdccdcurricu.net/sdccd/</p> <p>This is the official Website for the SDCCD Curriculum Development and Workflow Automation Project. Its purpose is to facilitate all phases of curriculum development and course/program approval for instructors, administrators, and various committees.</p>
Governet, Government Network Service	<p>http://www.governet.net/home/higher_ed/</p> <p>Governet partnered with the San Diego Community College District to develop CurricUNET. Now Governet is taking the lead in making CurricUNET available to other colleges and universities.</p>
CCCwebC	<p>http://www.governet.net/c4/</p> <p>This "Online Curriculum and Instructional Resource Center" is a Web-based center for materials, resources, and model processes designed to assist in the development of pedagogically sound programs and courses</p>
Foundation for California Community Colleges	<p>http://www.foundationccc.org</p> <p>Good resource for information on foundations which support the community colleges; related directories; and cooperative purchasing agreements which benefit community college students, faculty, and staff.</p>

Resources for Curriculum Development - Continued

Integrate a Course Outline Resource Guide	Integrate a Course Outline Resource Guide <p>This document identifies each section of a course outline and then describes the type of information that should be included. This comprehensive guide is loaded with practical information for faculty and staff.</p>
International Education Program of the San Diego Community College District	http://www.sdccd.net/econ/inted/ <p>The International Education Program of the San Diego Community College District provides SDCCD faculty, staff and students with a variety of educational programs including professional development, study abroad programs and internationalization of curriculum. Goals for the International Education Program include expansion of collaborative educational and economic development programs abroad, an increase in international student enrollment, exploration of the potential for distance education, and development of worldwide contract education. The Program is committed to continuing grant development and securing additional external support that will contribute to the growth and development of global education opportunities for faculty, staff, and students.</p>
Instructional Design Checklist for Curriculum	http://instsrv.sdccd.edu/Curriculum/Accessibility/InstDesignCk.doc <p>This checklist measures the "usability" of online courses for students with disabilities. It looks at such features as navigation, learning modalities, organization and structure. It also makes some suggestions with regard to course mechanics, flow of pages, and use of other formats besides html.</p>
League for Innovation in the Community College	http://www.league.org/index.cfm <p>The League is an international organization dedicated to catalyzing the community college movement. We host conferences and institutes, develop Web resources, conduct research, produce publications, provide services, and lead projects and initiatives with our member colleges, corporate partners, and other agencies in our continuing efforts to make a positive difference for students and communities.</p>
Occupational Employment Statistics	http://www.bls.gov/oes/ <p>The Occupational Employment Statistics (OES) program produces employment and wage estimates for over 700 occupations. These are estimates of the number of people employed in certain occupations, and estimates of the wages paid to them.</p>
Program and Course Approval Handbook	http://www.cccco.edu/divisions/esed/aa ir/credit/credit_attachments/hnbk062402.doc <p>Click on "About us" Click on "Divisions and Units" Under Educational Services, click on "Academic Affairs and Instructional Resources" On the left, click on Program and Course Approval Handbook</p>
Regulations and Guidelines for Curriculum Development	http://www.curriculum.cc.ca.us/Curriculum/RegulationsGuidelines/RegulationsGuidelinesMain.htm <p>This section contains the full text of regulations and Guidelines related to California Community College curriculum. These materials include not only links to the Education Code and Title 5 but also guidelines and publications produced by the Community College Chancellor's Office, Academic Senate for California Community Colleges, the California State University, the University of California, and the other state organizations.</p>

Resources for Curriculum Development - Continued

San Diego Community College District Office of Institutional Research	http://www.sdccd.edu/research The Office of Institutional Research supports the District's strategic planning efforts through data and enrollment analysis as well as identifying trends, tracking legislation and preparing research items for the Board of Trustees.
SCANS 2000 Center	http://www.scans.jhu.edu/NS/HTML/Index.htm Provides information and recommendations about teaching the SCANS skills and encourages lifelong learning. Competencies, Foundations Skills & Personal Qualities
SDCCD Online Technical Support	http://www.sdccdonline.net/ Students, faculty and staff have three options for receiving help with technical and online course support issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call 1-619-388-7330 to speak with a representative of SDCCD Online • Email: support@sdccdonline.net • Tap the guidance provided at the FAQ's and other Student Support Services information link at http://www.sdccdonline.net All voicemail and email messages will be promptly answered as received and certainly by no later than the next business day.
TOP Codes Sixth Edition	http://www.cccco.edu/divisions/esed/aa_ir/CREDIT/credit_attachments/TopTax.doc This 6th Edition is the first revision since 1995. In this edition, codes and titles have been added for many new types of programs, some titles associated with existing codes have been modernized, and some misaligned hierarchies have been corrected. One new major category, "03 – Environmental Sciences and Technologies," has been created.
U.S. Department of Education	http://www.ed.gov/about/bdscomm/list/hiedfuture/index.html U.S. Secretary of Education Margaret Spellings and the formation of the Secretary of Education's Commission on the Future of Higher Education. The new commission is charged with developing a comprehensive national strategy for postsecondary education that will meet the needs of America's diverse population and also address the economic and workforce needs of the country's future.
WebAIM	http://www.webaim.org/ WebAIM's mission is to expand the potential of the Web for people with disabilities by providing the knowledge, technical skills, tools, organizational leadership strategies, and vision that empower organizations to make their own content accessible to people with disabilities

San Diego Mesa College Curriculum Checklist

This checklist is intended to help originators understand how the course will be reviewed by the Curriculum Committee. If there are any questions on the information, please contact the Curriculum Faculty Co-Chair, Paula Gustin at pgustin@sdccd.edu. Our committee members will be serving as Tech Review Liaisons that can help with answering questions and reviewing your course proposal before the course is launched in CurricUNET.

Here is a summary of some major issues/problems that you should be aware of:

1. If you are integrating an aligned course, make sure that there is communication between Mesa faculty and those at Miramar and/or City colleges before the course is launched in CurricUNET.
2. Faculty may revise an existing course significantly (greater than 50%). At this point, a new course may have been created. When this occurs, there are many issues.
 - a. Course equivalencies and limitations on enrollment will need to be identified. Your School Dean and the Evaluators (snewell@sdccd.edu; lkaiser@sddccd.edu or pchristo@sdccd.edu) can help.
 - b. Selecting “new course vs. course revision” is critical to routing your course through the correct approval process in CurricUNET.
 - c. In addition, if a new course is created taking some content out of an existing course, then it is important to use CurricUNET correctly. The existing course outline should be saved/downloaded onto your computer. Information can be cut and pasted into a “new course” proposal in CurricUNET. Do not copy the existing course in CurricUNET and then re-number and add content as this will replace the existing course and possibly route the course in an inappropriate approval process.
3. For a new course, consult with the Articulation Officer to determine its transferability. The Mesa College Articulation officer is Juliette Parker at jparker@sdccd.edu.
4. A course proposed for distance education has its own approval process. It is fast if this is the only action being proposed. For help launching the course, contact pgustin@sdccd.edu. If you are integrating or revising a course and think you may one day offer the course online, it is best to fill out the section for distance education approval at the same time.
5. Timelines and deadlines for curriculum approval can be found on the Instructional Services Website, <http://www.sdmesa.edu/7instruction/input/curr-rev/curr-rev.html>. It is best that curriculum changes be submitted early in Fall semester to make the deadlines for inclusion in the catalog. Curriculum must be approved at our meeting in early February in order to make the catalog.
6. Variable Units Courses should indicate the amount of time or level of skill required for each of the unit values for the course. This should be reflected in the course description, the Student Learning Outcomes and the outline of topics.
7. Repeatable courses need to show how skills progress or include different material that is presented as the student takes the course for the second, third and fourth times. This should be addressed in the course description, SLO’s and the outline of topics.

Questions

N/A yes no

1. Does the course fall within the mission of the community college (i.e., transfer for a four-year institution, occupational training, pre-collegiate basic skills, economic development)?			
2. If applicable, is the course in accord with state and federal laws, including any licensing body or special funding provision?			
3. If applicable, have requirements of national, state, and local approval and/or accrediting agencies been met?			
4. If applicable, for a new course proposal, could the course articulate with CSU, UC, and/or private colleges? See Articulation Officer for more information.			
5. If applicable, for a course being reviewed for revisions, does the course articulate with CSU or UC? See Articulation Officer for more information.			
6. Does the course meet requirements for UC Transfer Course Agreement, IGETC, or CSU GE Breadth? See Articulation Officer for more information.			
7. Is this course part of an approved program? If not, this course is defined as a stand alone course and requires state approval. See Dean for more information.			
8. Does this course fulfill one or more of these purposes? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A prerequisite for a subsequent course • A general education, elective, or major requirement for the certificate, associate degree, or baccalaureate? • A requirement of the intended occupation? 			
9. Is this course in compliance with District Policy 5300 in that it does not duplicate an existing, approved course? If uncertain, contact the department chair and dean.			
10. Is this course offered at another SDCCD campus? If so, communicate with the faculty at the other campuses before launching the course.			
11. If the new course has course content from an existing course, have course equivalencies and the limitations on enrollment been determined? See your Dean and campus Evaluators for help.			
12. Does the title of the course accurately reflect the content of the course?			
13. Does the course number reflect the level of the course? Has this number been used before? Does the number reflect course sequence? See Dean.			
14. Are the units appropriate and accurate? Do the hours match the units?			
15. Does the catalog description contain complete sentences written in present tense, and does it clearly state the goals and outcomes a successful learner can demonstrate at the end of the course? Is there a target audience referenced in the description? Are variable units and repeatability addressed?			
16. Are the prerequisite(s)/corequisite(s) appropriate?			
17. Have the prerequisite(s)/corequisites been validated? In CurricUNET, the requisite skills must be matched to the course. Please seek help from the Tech Review Liaison or Dean if you are uncertain on how to do this.			
18. Are the advisory statements accurate? Have they been validated?			
19. Do the course student learning outcomes describe the outcomes in terms of what a successful learner can demonstrate at the end of the period of instruction? Do some of the outcomes include critical thinking verbs?			
20. If there is a laboratory component to the course, are there student learning outcomes that reflect the laboratory part of the course?			
21. Do the student learning outcomes support/enhance the student learning outcomes both at the associate degree and program level? See your department chair or Academic Program Review Liaison			
22. Does the outline of topics include the course content in outline form and utilize subtopics to show the emphasis each topic generally receives?			

23. Does the "Appropriate Readings" section list at least three specific types or provide reading examples which reference both the outline of topics and at least two student learning outcomes?			
24. Does the "Writing Assignments" section list at least three specific types or provide examples of writing assignments and other demonstrations of ability (e.g. use symbol systems, logic, math, music, etc.) which reference both the outline of topics and at least two student learning outcomes? Is the level of writing reflected in the prerequisite or advisory for the course? For example, if research papers are listed, English 101 must be a prerequisite unless instruction in research is incorporated into the outline.			
25. Does the "Appropriate Outside Assignments" section list at least three specific types or examples of assignments that students are required to work on outside of the class which reference both the outline of topics and at least two student learning outcomes? Is the scope and rigor of work reflected in the prerequisite or advisory for the course?			
26. Does the "Appropriate Assignments that Demonstrate Critical Thinking" section list at least three types or examples of assignments requiring students to think critically and apply the concepts, and which reference both the outline of topics and at least two student learning outcomes? Is the scope and rigor of work reflected in the prerequisite or advisory for the course? Select verbs which reflect higher levels of critical thinking.			
27. Does the "Method of Evaluation" section specify procedures which are consistent with the student learning outcomes, the course content, and the scope of the course and are based on demonstrated proficiency, at least in part, by means of essay, problem-solving exercises or skills demonstrations?			
28. Does the "Method of Instruction" section specify what is appropriate for this specific course (e.g. lecture, lecture-laboratory, lecture discussion, discussion/seminar, laboratory, work experience, independent study, distance learning, media-aided instruction, computer-assisted instruction, directed field study, field experience, or other)?			
29. Does the Required Texts and Supplies" section list examples of the specific textbooks with copyright dates or other college-level materials appropriate for the course and representative of current or emerging knowledge and practice? ISBN is required for CurricUNET entry. Articulation Officers advise that for most disciplines, textbooks should be published within the last five years in order to help articulate our courses.			
30. If this course may be considered for distance education, fill out the appropriate section in CurricUNET.			
31. Make sure to check that the "Course Report" has been completed. Pay close attention to the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Do the prerequisites display correctly? ➤ Is the effective date realistic? Unless it is a minor change, most proposals should have a Fall effective date. ➤ Does the prerequisite validation display correctly? ➤ Is the short or abbreviated title displayed? 			

POLICY 5300

PROCEDURE 5300.90

February 2, 2006

9.0 **DISTANCE EDUCATION COURSES**

Courses may be offered in which the instructor and student are separated by distance and interact through the assistance of broadcast and other technology delivery systems.

9.1 Courses being offered by Distance Education delivery systems shall:

- 9.1.1 be reviewed separately through the established curriculum approval process 5300.2. (Title 5, Section 55378),
- 9.1.2 be reviewed by the college curriculum committee offering the Distance Education course with focus on
 - 9.1.2.1 method of effective regular contact between instructor and student through group or individual meetings, orientation and review sessions, supplemental seminar or study sessions, field trips, library workshops, telephone contact, correspondence, voice mail, e-mail, or other activities; and
 - 9.1.2.2 achievement of learning outcomes. (Title 5, Sections 55352-55380)
- 9.1.3 have the same standards of course quality applied to as are applied to traditional classroom courses.
 - 9.1.3.1 Determinations and judgments about the quality of Distance Education under the course quality standards shall be made with the full involvement of faculty in accordance with 53200. (Title 5, Section 55374)
 - 9.1.3.2 Instructors of sections delivered via Distance Education technology shall be selected by the same procedures used to determine all instructional assignments and shall possess the minimum qualifications for the discipline into which the course's subject matter most appropriately falls. (Title 5, Section 55380)

9.2 Have the Distance Education approval form attached to the outline of record.

FORMS AND REFERENCES

California Code of Regulations, Title 5, Sections 51023.7, 53200, 53203, 53402, 53492, 55001
55002, 55005, 55201, 55352-55380, 55601, 55805, 55806, 56028, 58161 California
Community Colleges Curriculum Standards Handbook
California Education Code Section 70901
District Instructional Services Calendar
San Diego Community College District Policy 0003, 5300

**SAN DIEGO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
CHECKLIST FOR REVIEW
OF
TECHNOLOGICALLY MEDIATED INSTRUCTION (TMI)**

Course Title: _____ **Course:** _____
Originating Campus: _____ **Date:** _____

Directions

“N/A” answers indicate an issue that does not apply to the course.

“YES” and #9 “NO” answer indicates approval.

“NO” answers indicate a need for revision except for #1 and #9.

“?” answers indicate the need for additional information before the review can be completed.

QUESTIONS	N/A	YES	NO	?
1. Could this course, or sections of this course provide for the instructor and students to be separated by distance and interact through the assistance of communication technology as specified in <i>Title 5 Section 55370</i> ?				
2. Are the objectives and content of the course adequately covered as specified in methods of instruction, assignments, evaluation of student outcomes, and instructional materials, pursuant to Title 5 Sections 55372 and 55002? (If any additional types or kinds of reading, writing and outside assignments are required for TMI courses, are they listed in the course outline?)				
3. If this course is taught in both traditional and TMI modes, do both achieve the stated objectives and content?				
4. Does the section, “Methods of Instruction” indicate the types of technologies used and are they appropriate to the course objectives?				
5. For non-transfer credit and non-credit courses, does the section, “Methods of Instruction,” indicate the type and frequency of regular personal contact (15% of the class meeting time)? Examples of types: Orientation Session, Group Meetings, Review Sessions, Individual Seminars, Supplemental Workshops, Field Trips, Teleconferencing, Telephone, Correspondence, E-Mail, Modem.				
6. For non-transfer credit and non-credit courses, are the type and frequency of regular personal contact appropriate?				
7. For credit transfer courses, does the section “Methods of Instruction” indicate the type and frequency of face-to-face contact (15% of 48 hours or prorated--excluding performance tests or exams)? Example of types: Orientation Session, Group Meetings, Review Sessions, Individual Seminars, Supplemental Workshops, Field Trips.				
8. For credit transfer courses, are the type and frequency of face-to-face contact appropriate?				
9. Are special texts, equipment or supplies needed for this course or sections of this course offered through TMI and are they listed under “Required Texts and Supplies”?				
10. Are campus and/or district instructional equipment, materials, and training available and sufficient to make the offering of the course/section feasible in accordance with <i>Curriculum Standards Handbook Section 3.4</i> .				

- ⓪ Approved _____ (date)
- ⓫ Approval Pending Minor Change(s). See attached recommendation(s).
- ⓬ Conditional or Temporary Approval until _____ (date). See attached recommendation(s).
- ⓭ Not Approved. See attached reason(s).

New CurricUNET Distance Education
information is being formulated in 2006-2007

Section 5 - 31

California Community Colleges
Taxonomy of Programs (TOP) Excerpt
Sixth Edition—Corrected Version, November 2004

- **Codes have been added for new occupations.**

Advances in technology and social changes have created new types of programs that did not exist, or were not offered in community colleges, at the time of previous editions. New codes added in this edition include:

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| *Dairy Science | *Coaching |
| *Equine Science | *Aquatics |
| *Viticulture, Enology, and Wine Business | *Adapted Physical Education |
| *Nursery Technology | Recreation |
| *Turfgrass Technology | Sign Language |
| *Food Processing and Related Technologies | *Sign Language Interpreting |
| *Wildlife and Fisheries | *Computer Electronics |
| *Landscape Architecture | *Telecommunications Technology |
| Environmental Science | *Railroad and Light Rail Operations |
| Natural History | *Truck and Bus Driving |
| *Tax Studies | *Alternative Fuels and Advanced |
| Business Administration | Transportation Technology |
| *Small Business and Entrepreneurship | *Recreational Vehicle Service |
| *Retail Store Operations and Management | *Aircraft Fabrication |
| *E-Commerce (business emphasis) | *Architectural Drafting |
| *Escrow | *Civil Drafting |
| *Office Management | *Mechanical Drafting |
| *Customer Service | *Commercial Dance |
| *Broadcast Journalism | Vietnamese |
| Film Studies | Korean |
| Film History and Criticism | *Electrocardiography |
| *Film Production | *Clinical Medical Assisting |
| *Digital Media | *Administrative Medical Assisting |
| *Multimedia | *Health Facility Unit Coordinator |
| *Electronic Game Design | *Polysomnography |
| *Website Design and Development | *Health Information Coding |
| *Animation | *Paramedic |
| *Desktop Publishing | *Community Health Care Worker |
| *Computer Graphics and Digital Imagery | *Massage Therapy |
| *Software Applications | *Parenting and Family Child Care |
| Computer Science (transfer) | *Foster and Kinship Care |
| *Computer Software Development | *Lodging Management |
| *Database Design and Administration | *Resort and Golf Management |
| *Computer Networking and Infrastructure | Linguistics |
| *Computer Networking | Language Arts |
| *Computer Support | Behavioral Science |
| *World Wide Web Administration | *Public Works |
| *E-Commerce (technology emphasis) | *Disabilities Services |
| *Fitness Trainer | *Forensics, Evidence, and Investigation |

Taxonomy of Programs (TOP) Excerpt – Continued

- *Wildland Fire Technology
- *Legal and Community Interpretation
- *Geographic Information Systems
- American Studies
- International Studies

- Area Studies
- *Aviation and Airport Management
- *Air Traffic Control
- Transfer Studies
- Liberal Studies

Many of the new programs were added in two disciplines: 06, Communications (to be retitled “Media and Communication”) and 07, Computer and Information Sciences (to be retitled “Information Technology”). Rapid technological change caused a great expansion of program titles offered by the community colleges within these disciplines. It was decided to place TOP codes for many of the new interdisciplinary programs that have resulted from the interaction of computers and art or communications skills, such as Multimedia, Web Design, and Desktop Publishing, into the 06 discipline. In the 07 discipline, new codes were introduced for the new computer technology-based programs, such as Software Development, Database Design and Management, Computer Networking, and Web Administration.

TOP 07 – Information Technology

Instructional programs in the theories, principles, and methods of design, development and application of computer capabilities to data storage and manipulation.

* **0701.00 – Information Technology, General**

Information technology concepts, theories, principles, methods and related computer capabilities and applications related to business, technical, and scientific problems.

* **0702.00 – Computer Information Systems**

General programs in data and information storage and processing, including hardware, software, basic design principles, and user requirements.

* **0702.10 – Software Applications**

Computer application software used in a business or home environment ranging from an end user skill level to corporate level for the management of information. Concepts, theory, application of software for the design and development, distribution, publishing, presentation, and analysis of text, numeric, and graphic data. Procedures, information, and application of software including a variety of methods for inputting and retrieving data, records, and information. Application of software and computer-related tools such as e-mail and speech/voice recognition for the global dissemination of information.

0706.00 – Computer Science (transfer)

Scientific and mathematical principles used in designing and building computers and computing systems, including transfer-oriented programs.

* **0707.00 – Computer Software Development**

Design and development of computer-based applications. Includes systems analysis, design, specification, programming, database analysis and design, user interface development, maintenance, and testing.

* **0707.10 – Computer Programming**

Entry-level programming, including methods, procedures, symbols and rules used in planning and writing instructions in computer language for the solution of a problem. Includes programming for the World Wide Web.

* **0707.20 – Database Design and Administration**

Development of database applications in a business or organizational environment, including database architecture, programming languages, proprietary database software, and related skills and techniques.

* **0707.30 – Computer Systems Analysis**

Systems analysis and design, including the recognition, definition, and improvement of processes through the use of computer technology and methodologies.

* **0708.00 – Computer Infrastructure and Support**

Network and operation systems design and administration, including certification preparation.

* **0708.10 – Computer Networking**

Principles of local, metropolitan, and wide area computer networking design, installation, maintenance and troubleshooting.

* **0708.20 – Computer Support**

Preparation to provide technical assistance to computer system users. May include use of computer hardware and software, printing, installation, word processing, electronic mail, and operating systems.

* **0709.00 – World Wide Web Administration**

Methods to develop and maintain web servers and hosted web pages, and to function as Webmaster. Includes computer systems and networks, servers, web design and editing, information resources management, web policies and security.

* **0709.10 – E-Commerce (technology emphasis)**

Programs that combine marketing and management principles with technical applications of the Internet and World Wide Web, with main emphasis on applications of technology.

* **0799.00 – Other Information Technology**

Specify *(includes all emerging occupations)*.

Abina, Armando (388-3489) (City)
 Air Conditioning/Refrigeration
 Electrical — ABC Apprenticeship
 Electricity
 Electronic Systems
 Engineering
 HVAC Apprenticeship
 Jet Products
 Machine Technology
 Manufacturing Technology
 Mecomtronics
 Plumbing/Pipefitting—ABC Apprenticeship
 Roofing - Apprenticeship
 San Diego Trolley
 San Diego Gas & Electric
 Sheet Metal — ABC Apprenticeship
 Solar Turbines
 Technical Illustration
 Technical Writing

Benard, Mary (388-7392) (Miramar)
 Automotive Technology
 Aviation
 Diesel Technology

Butler, Winston (388-3522) (City)
 Art—Fine Arts
 Art—Digital Media
 Art—Graphic Design
 Dramatic Arts
 Photography
 Radio/Television

Cuaron, Berta (388-7813) (Miramar)
 Accounting
 Banking/Finance
 Biology
 Business
 Work Experience

Craft, Bill (388-2799) (Mesa)
 Library Science
 Learning Skills

Eidgahy, Saeid (388-2795) (Mesa)
 Mathematics

Evans, Dave (388-2737) (Mesa)
 Dance
 Fitness Specialist
 Health Education (HEAL)
 Physical Education

Foster, Kit (388-2797) (Mesa)
 Chinese
 English
 ESOL
 French
 Humanities
 Italian
 Japanese
 Journalism
 Latin
 Music
 Russian
 Speech Communications
 Tagalog
 Vietnamese

Henderson, Bob (388-7425) (Miramar)
 Anthropology
 Personal Growth
 Political Science

Corliss, Jodi (388-2801) (Mesa)

Architecture
 Building Construction
 Education
 Filipino Studies
 Geography
 Interior Design
 Nursery Landscape Technology
 Philosophy
 Psychology
 Sociology

Lee, Otto (388-2803) (Mesa)
 Computer Business Technology
 Computer Science
 Escrow
 Geographic Information Systems
 Multimedia
 Real Estate

Morton, Cassie (388-3488) (City)
 Cosmetology
 Economics
 Labor Studies
 Marketing
 Microsoft
 Supervision

Palmer, James (388-7860) (Miramar)
 Admin/Justice
 Emergency Medical Tech.
 Fire Protection Technology
 Legal Assistant

Fritch, Margie (388-2789) (Mesa)
 American Sign Language
 Animal Health Technology
 Child Development
 Consumer Studies
 Culinary Arts/Culinary
 Dental Assisting
 Destination and Event Management
 Fashion
 Health Information Technology
 Hospitality
 Hotel Management
 Medical Assisting
 Nutrition
 Physical Therapist Assistant
 Radiological Technology

Rossitto, JoAnn (388-3439) (City)
 Health Science (HEAN)
 Nursing Education

Tortorici, Marianne (388-3520) (City)
 Astronomy
 Bio-Technology
 Chemistry
 Geology
 Physical Science
 Physics

Valenzuela, Dora (388-3207) (City)
 Alcohol & Other Drug Studies
 Arabic
 Black Studies
 Chicano Studies
 DSPS
 German
 History
 Human Services
 Spanish

San Diego Community College District

Course Numbering System

The course numbering system has meaning with regard to level and transfer. See the description below

- 1-49: Basic Skills or college preparatory courses. Credit does not apply toward an associate degree or transfer to a four-year college or university.
- 50-99: Course credit applies toward the associate degree but does not transfer to a four-year college or university.
- 100-299: Course credit applies toward the associate degree and credit is intended for transfer to a four-year college or university. (Some courses may be identified as associate degree.) Final decision in regard to transferability rests with the receiving institution.
- 300-399: Apprenticeship and in-service courses. See Catalog course description to determine credit for Associate Degree or Transfer.

Apprenticeship 345, 349, 349-D, DSPS 065, Field Experience/Internship 275, Independent Study 290, Individualized Instruction 296, Special Topics 23, 63, 265, Tutoring 044, and courses 270, 272, 274, have District wide designated numbers

Course Revision vs. New Courses

Situation	Proposal Type	Impact on Number	Articulation Or Accreditation Impact	Limitation on Enrollment or Equivalencies
Splitting a lecture and lab combo into two different courses	New Courses	Re-number courses	Re-articulate specifying Equivalency or submit for accreditation review	Specify appropriate limitation on enrollment <i>and/or equivalencies</i>
Combining two courses	New Course	Re-number course	Re-articulate specifying Equivalency or submit for accreditation review	Specify appropriate limitation on enrollment <i>and/or equivalencies</i>
Changing Course Discipline (subject area indicator) code without changing the course content	Course Revision	Course number and/or discipline will change	Re-articulate if requested by originator	Appropriate equivalency and limitation on enrollment must be present
Change of units and/or title change; Content changes are less than 50%	Course Revision	No need for new number	Re-articulate if requested by originator	

“.....discussed the Course Revision vs. New Course handout. At the CurricUNET Steering Committee it was agreed by the District and the other two colleges that this chart will be utilized to determine proposal types. It was suggested that “and/or equivalencies” be added on the chart to limitations for both new course proposal types. It was requested that this chart be available in CurricUNET to assist originators in choosing the correct proposal type for their adjusted curriculum.”

(Excerpt from Mesa Curriculum Review Committee Approved Minutes 11/3/05)

Equivalency vs. Limitation on Enrollment

Equivalency	Limitation on Enrollment
<p><i>Definition:</i> When one course is equivalent in content to another (generally the same unit value)</p> <p>Clears prerequisite one to one:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Typically results from a course number change and/or discipline name change. <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">Old (3units)</div> <div style="text-align: center;">New (3units)</div> </div> <p>EX: ENGL 001 \longrightarrow ENGL 101</p>	<p><i>Definition:</i> When a student cannot get credit for or enroll in a similar course to one he/she has already taken.</p> <p>EX: Restricts Enrollment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Student wants to take AMSL 116 (4 units) The Prerequisite for AMSL 116 is AMSL 115 OR the combination of (AMSL 100& 107) Student previously completed AMSL 100; therefore he/she MUST now take AMSL 107 to complete the prerequisite due to the limitation on AMSL 115 that states: Students cannot take AMSL 115 if they previously completed AMSL 100. Student is currently enrolled at City, which doesn't offer AMSL 107. (It is only offered at Mesa College.) Student cannot meet the prerequisite for AMSL 116 unless he/she commutes to Mesa College.
<p>Clears graduation requirement one for one:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clears graduation requirement one for one because course content is equal. <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">Old(2units)</div> <div style="text-align: center;">New (2 units)</div> </div> <p>EX: FIRE 222A \longrightarrow FIPT 200A</p>	<p>Does not clear graduation requirement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Major requirements state graduation requirement is BIOL 107 Student previously took BIOL 210A and/or BIOL 210B Limitation prevents students from taking BIOL 107 if already completed 210A and/or 210B, but BIOL 210A & BIOL 210B are not equivalent to BIOL 107 Student must file petition for modification of major to clear graduation requirement
<p>2 for 1 equivalency: Cannot get credit for both courses unless unit value varies. Variance in units will result in elective credit.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">Old (3units & 2units)</div> <div style="text-align: center;">New (5units)</div> </div> <p>EX: Math 54a & 54b \longrightarrow Math 095</p> <p><small>Note: Units are manually deducted from Math 095 if student previously fails either 54a or b and repeats with Math 095 according to the unit value of substandard class.</small></p>	<p>Cannot get credit for both courses even if unit value varies.</p> <p>EX:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limitation: Cannot take CBTE 103 if completed 102 & cannot take CBTE 102 if completed 103 (but courses are not equivalent in unit value) CBTE 102 (2 units) CBTE 103 (3 units) Courses have similar course content. If student needs 3 units but already took the 2 unit class (CBTE 102), he/she cannot take additional units by taking CBTE 103.

Equivalency vs. Limitation on Enrollment - Continued

Equivalency	Limitation on Enrollment
<p>Inconsistent Course Titles: Higher course level titles are equivalent to lower course level titles: EX: • <u>Intermediate</u> Acting (DRAM 131a) is equivalent to <u>Beginning</u> Acting DRAM 132 and is also equivalent to <u>Elementary</u> Acting DRAM 130.</p>	<p>Does not clear prerequisite:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prerequisite, for AMSL 107 is AMSL 100 in registration system, and AMSL 115 in catalog. • AMSL 100 is deactivated; therefore, student cannot clear prerequisite for AMSL 107
<p>Academic Renewal:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Can petition for academic renewal using course equivalencies one to one, two to one and variable unit values <p>EX: Old (.5 units) New (.5 units) FIPT 136 —————> ENGM 106</p> <p>EX: Old (3units & 2units) New (5 units) Math 54a & 54b —————> Math 095</p> <p>EX: Old (2 units) New (3 units) THEA 128 —————> DRAM 128</p>	<p>Academic Renewal:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No academic renewal available using limitations on enrollment EX: • If student previously took BUSE 092 (Introduction to Business Communications) and failed the class, then took BUSE 119 (Business Communications) the next semester, he/she could not use BUSE 119 for academic renewal because they are not equivalent; however, the student could not repeat BUSE 092 because the limitation on enrollment states that students cannot enroll in BUSE 092 if he/she previously completed BUSE 119.
	<p>Inconsistent Limitation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If student takes DRAM 130 he/she cannot take DRAM 103; however, • If student takes DRAM 103, there are no limitations for DRAM 130

“.....reviewed the CIC handout on Equivalency vs. Limitation on Enrollment which was created by L. Neault. This handout will be reviewed again at the September 1 CurricUNET & Member Update Workshop.”
(Excerpt from Mesa Curriculum Review Committee Approved Minutes 5/5/05)

Technical Review Committee

Fall 2006

LRC room 229 from 2:00-4:30 pm

Thursday, Sept. 14	2:00-4:30 pm
Thursday, Sept. 28	2:00-4:30 pm
Thursday, Oct. 12	2:00-4:30 pm
Thursday, Oct. 26	2:00-4:30 pm
Thursday, Nov. 9	2:00-4:30 pm
Thursday, Nov. 30	2:00-4:30 pm
Thursday, Dec 14	2:00-4:30 pm

Curriculum Guidelines Check Lists

Guidelines Check List:

Curriculum Review Committee	
Course Description	
Course Number & Transferability Level coincide	
Current Effective Date	
English/Math Prerequisites/ Validation	
TOP, SAM, Classification Codes provided by Dean	
Entry Skills matched	
Need for Change completed	
Appropriate Repeatability	
Review Program Impact Report reviewed	
Six-Year Review/Integration check	
Updated Texts/Transferability	

Detailed Check List:

1. Does the course fall within the mission of the community college (i.e., transfer for a four-year institution, occupational training, pre-collegiate basic skills, economic development)?			
2. If applicable, is the course in accord with state and federal laws, including any licensing body or special funding provision?			
3. If applicable, have requirements of national, state, and local approval and/or accrediting agencies been met?			
4. If applicable, for a new course proposal, could the course articulate with CSU, UC, and/or private colleges? See Articulation Officer for more information.			
5. If applicable, for a course being reviewed for revisions, does the course articulate with CSU or UC? See Articulation Officer for more information.			
6. Does the course meet requirements for UC Transfer Course Agreement, IGETC, or CSU GE Breadth? See Articulation Officer for more information.			
7. Is this course part of an approved program? If not, this course is defined as a stand alone course and requires state approval. See Dean for more information.			
8. Does this course fulfill one or more of these purposes? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A prerequisite for a subsequent course? • A general education, elective, or major requirement for the certificate, associate degree, or baccalaureate? • A requirement of the intended occupation? 			
9. Is this course in compliance with District Policy 5300 in that it does not duplicate an existing, approved course? If uncertain, contact the department chair and dean.			
10. Is this course offered at another SDCCD campus? If so, communicate with the faculty at the other campuses before launching the course.			
11. If the new course has course content from an existing course, have course equivalencies and the limitations on enrollment been determined? See your Dean and campus Evaluators for assistance.			
12. Does the title of the course accurately reflect the content of the course?			
13. Does the course number reflect the level of the course? Has this number been used before? Does the number reflect course sequence? See Dean for assistance.			

14. Are the units appropriate and accurate? Do the hours match the units?			
15. Does the catalog description contain complete sentences written in present tense, and does it clearly state the goals and outcomes a successful learner can demonstrate at the end of the course? Is there a target audience referenced in the description? Are variable units and repeatability addressed?			
16. Are the prerequisite(s)/corequisite(s) appropriate?			
17. Have the prerequisite(s)/corequisites been validated? In CurricUNET, the requisite skills must be matched to the course. Please seek help from the Tech Review Liaison or Dean if you are uncertain on how to do this.			
18. Are the advisory statements accurate? Have they been validated?			
19. Do the course student learning outcomes describe the outcomes in terms of what a successful learner can demonstrate at the end of the period of instruction? Do some of the outcomes include critical thinking verbs?			
20. If there is a laboratory component to the course, are there student learning outcomes that reflect the laboratory part of the course?			
21. Do the student learning outcomes support/enhance the student learning outcomes both at the associate degree and program level? See your department chair or Academic Program Review Liaison.			
22. Does the outline of topics include the course content in outline form and utilize subtopics to show the emphasis each topic generally receives?			
23. Does the "Appropriate Readings" section list at least three specific types or provide reading examples which reference both the outline of topics and at least two student learning outcomes?			
24. Does the "Writing Assignments" section list at least three specific types or provide examples of writing assignments and other demonstrations of ability (e.g. use symbol systems, logic, math, music, etc.) which reference both the outline of topics and at least two student learning outcomes? Is the level of writing reflected in the prerequisite or advisory for the course? For example, if research papers are listed, English 101 must be a prerequisite unless instruction in research is incorporated into the outline.			
25. Does the "Appropriate Outside Assignments" section list at least three specific types or examples of assignments that students are required to work on outside of the class which reference both the outline of topics and at least two student learning outcomes? Is the scope and rigor of work reflected in the prerequisite or advisory for the course?			
26. Does the "Appropriate Assignments that Demonstrate Critical Thinking" section list at least three types or examples of assignments requiring students to think critically and apply the concepts, and which reference both the outline of topics and at least two student learning outcomes? Is the scope and rigor of work reflected in the prerequisite or advisory for the course? Select verbs which reflect higher levels of critical thinking.			
27. Does the "Method of Evaluation" section specify procedures which are consistent with the student learning outcomes, the course content, and the scope of the course and are based on demonstrated proficiency, at least in part, by means of essay, problem-solving exercises or skills demonstrations?			
28. Does the "Method of Instruction" section specify what is appropriate for this specific course (e.g. lecture, lecture-laboratory, lecture discussion, discussion/seminar, laboratory, work experience, independent study, distance learning, media-aided instruction, computer-assisted instruction, directed field study, field experience, or other)?			
29. Does the "Required Texts and Supplies" section list examples of the specific textbooks with copyright dates or other college-level materials appropriate for the course and representative of current or emerging knowledge and practice? ISBN is required for CurricUNET entry. Articulation Officers advise that for most disciplines, textbooks should be published within the last five years in order to help articulate courses.			
30. If this course is being considered for distance education, fill out the appropriate section in CurricUNET.			
31. Make sure to check that the "Course Report" has been completed. Pay close attention to the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do the prerequisites display correctly? • Does the prerequisite validation display correctly? • Is the effective date realistic? Unless it is a minor change, most proposals should have a Fall semester effective date. • Is the short or abbreviated title displayed? 			

Flex Credit Information

For Tech Review members FLEX credit is inputted into the FLEX system at the end of each semester automatically.

Curriculum Committee members may report additional FLEX credit when they assist originators in integrating course outlines.

Additional FLEX credit may also be available to members who attend or present at Curriculum Workshops.

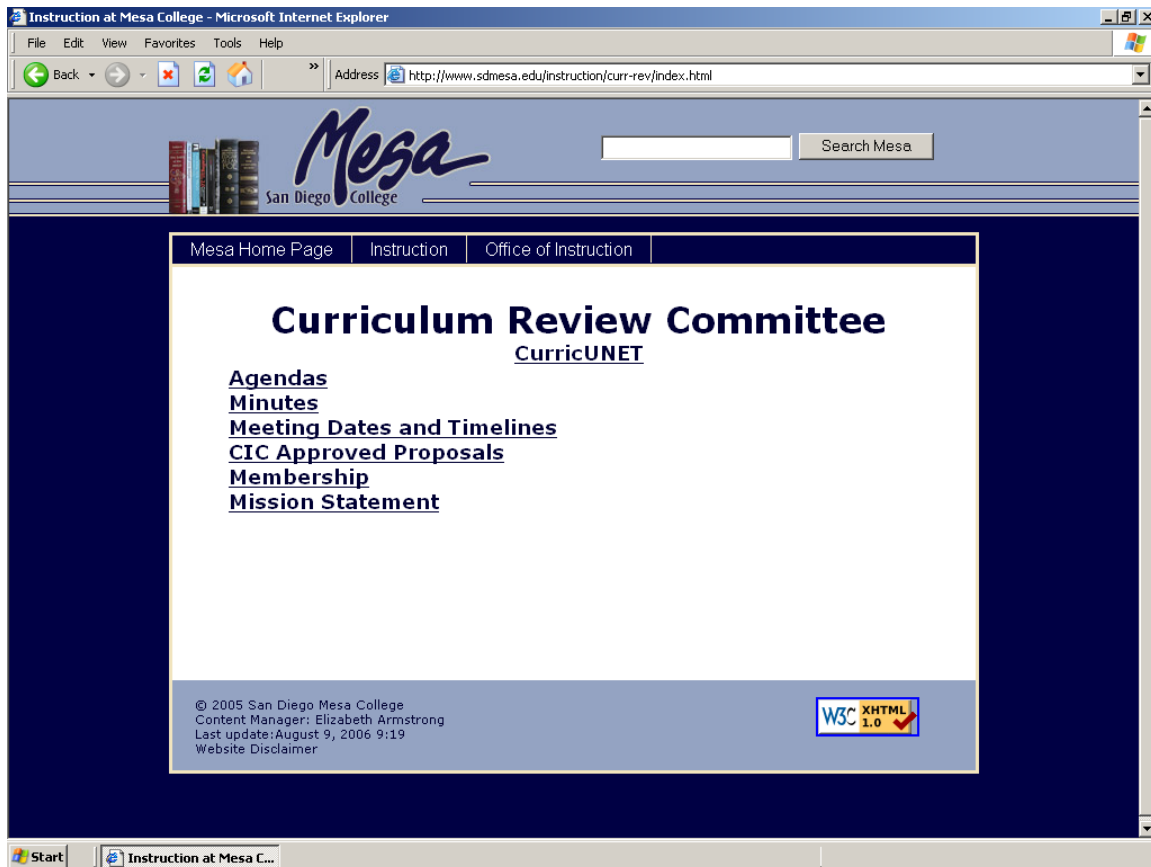
Section 7

Committee Member

Miscellaneous Information

Items Available on CRC Website

<http://www.sdmesa.edu/instruction/curr-rev/index.html>



This section is for materials inserted by individual committee members for personal reference.