

Basic Skills Committee AGENDA

10/28/2015 / 2:30-4:30pm / Room 2411A

LPC Mission Statement

Las Positas College is an inclusive learning-centered institution providing educational opportunities and support for completion of students' transfer, degree, basic skills, career-technical, and retraining goals.

LPC Planning Priorities

- Establish regular and ongoing processes to implement best practices to meet ACCJC standards.
- Provide necessary institutional support for curriculum development and maintenance.
- Develop processes to facilitate ongoing meaningful assessment of SLOs and integrate assessment of SLOs into college processes.
- Expand tutoring services to meet demand and support student success in Basic Skills, CTE, and Transfer courses.

Meeting Name

Members:

Brandon Byrne

Jonathan Brickman

Frances Hui

Justin Garoupa

Michelle Gonzales (Co-Chair)

Jennie Graham

Ashley McHale (Co-Chair)

Agenda Item

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Review and Approval of Agenda
- 3. Review and Approval of Minutes (9/23/15)
- 4. (Old Business)
 - a) Update on Senate's remarks regarding charge and mission.
 - b) Discussion
 - c) Report Updates: RAW Center & MMAP/Assessment
- 5. (New Business)
 - b) Basic Skills Marketing
 - c) Basic Skills Staff Development
- 6. (Informational Items)
- a) Rajinder Samra heading up MMAP for English. Team also includes MG, Karin Sprin, and Angella VenJohn. We are on track for instituting state mandated and

robust use of multiple measures in English beginning Fall 2016.

As recommended, the college will place students based on highest measure, the test or GPA.

b) On November 13, College of San Mateo is hosting "Acceleration: A Powerful Lever for Increasing Completion and Closing Equity Gaps."

Colleges offering redesigned accelerated pathways with CAP are seeing dramatic gains in student completion of transferable English and math courses, with all students benefiting and achievement gaps narrowing for

students of color. Recent research has also pointed toward promising new approaches to placement.

Join speakers Katie Hern and Myra Snell, Co-Founders of the California Acceleration Project, along with English and math faculty from Northern California colleges offering accelerated pathways.

For more information, here's a link to Eventbrite: https://csmaccel.eventbrite.com

- c) UC/CSU Path Cleared for Statistics Pathways
- d) Student Success Conference: Short Report
 - 7. Set Next Regular Meeting regular meeting day falls during Thanksgiving break. December's reg meeting time is during winter break.

Should we meet 11/11 or 12/9 @ 2:30? – both are second Wednesdays.

8. Adjournment