



Criminal Justice Advisory Committee

Wednesday, November 10, 2021

2:30 – 4 p.m.

Via Zoom

Meeting Minutes

Meeting Chair: Linda Forst

Meeting Attendees: Jim Lawless, Tiffany Krusey, Lucas Rucks, Kathryn Schrenk, Lauren Hadley, Diego Zanella, Chris McBride, Ryan Abbott, Al Compaan, Sean O’Donnell, Chris McBride, and Michelle Bennett

2:30 – 2:40 **Welcoming and Introductions**..... Forst

2:40 – 2:45 **Approval of the May 2021 Meeting Minutes** All

- Minutes Approved

2:45 – 3:15 **Internships** Forst/All

- Edmonds PD can take a few for some anticipated paid positions
- LPD also has some paid cadet positions that students can apply for.
- SPD may be able to take some after January when the future direction of SPD and their staffing is better understood.
- LFP PD might be able to take some and they also communicate with Shoreline PD and Kenmore PDs as to their needs.
- Domestic Violence Services can also explore the issue as the need arises.

3:15 – 3:30 **Program Update** Forst

- Doing well with intro classes, most students want to know what is happening in the policing world
- Enrollment is going well
- Discussion with Chemeketa Community College
 - Oregon is different than WA, they wear uniforms, guns, and use cars
 - They want more information about our CJAC program

- Looking to develop an agreement with our CJAC program and they will get credit for their program. They will submit this proposal to their Advisory Committee, to see what comes out it
- The word is getting out slowly, but surely
- Anura has Police Officers that rave about how beneficial the SCC classes are and they recommend it to other Police Officers
- The issue of recognition such as certificate presentations in their cities or some other form of recognition in their communities was also addressed..
- Chiefs can send email your way to add press to program like social media, boards, etc.

Outcomes mapping and General Education outcomes

- Projects at SCC - over summer worked with outcomes mapping with departments. Looked at CJ 2-year degree, goals and Objective. Picked one and looked at how we are meeting these outcomes.
- Program outcomes as well as class outcomes were examined in CJ 101 (Forst and Caldwell both worked on this in different approaches during the summer), this class is well on its way to completing the program. Long range program, will take one or two courses to see that we are meeting our outcomes
 - The whole College is looking at general learning Outcomes. Quantitative is not addressed in CJ, but communication is.
 - CJ is leading the way in addressing these outcomes.
 - Critical thinking, self-management – ie emotional intelligence, communication and career planning are all being addressed.

3:30 – 3:55 College Updates & What do you need from us? Rucks/All

- FTE, set-up for access to online ability
- Fill rate 84%, class are full
- CJ has 36 students a year, plus 20 graduates per year
- 60% are transfer students, and 1/3 are on the AAS track, 90 Community College credits
- CJ students are younger, 18–22-year-olds
- Running Start is down (way down) 7%
- Eastern Washington, enrollment is down 17-30%, means a lot of jobs lost
- We worked to cut travel, goods, and services for the CJ program to save money, we are tuition driven
- We are 55% women now, men trending downward in enrollments, 40% are White, but growing in diversity
- Pell eligibility is available, 60% are first time college students
- Next week - our interim President will start.
 - National search for a new President by June, will start in August-September 2022

- On the horizon, any technology you can suggest for our students, or any early exposure to the workforce you can provide, would be helpful
- Some can understand not wanting to run a course with only 4-5 students, the College is a business with a budget. However, some courses could be considered a loss, if not run.
 - Some students may need the courses to transfer
 - Required classes need to happen
- More work needs to be done prior to the start of the quarter, with recruitment and awareness, so courses will not be cancelled due to low enrollment
- A quarterly meeting is held with the Administration to determine if we run the classes with only 7-8 students
- As a student, we don't want to wait until offered the next year

3:55 - 4:00 **Winter Meeting**..... Forst

- Meeting will be in person on Thursday, February 24, 2022, 2:30-4pm
- Pizza and cookies will be provided

3:45 **Meeting Adjourned** Forst