

## Online Program Committee Meeting

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2:00—3:15pm

### Minutes

#### Present:

*Jack Jackson, Co-chair*

*Kay Weiss, Co-chair*

Patty Jones, Dawn Adler, Tre Glazatov, Rhiannon Lares, Michael Torrez

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Discussion</b>
Minutes	Minutes of the previous meeting are posted on the SBVC website. Any corrections to the minutes should be directed to one of the co-chairs.
Accreditation Good News	The Online Program Committee was identified as one of the strengths of the college accreditation process. One of the visiting team members called the OPC website “ridiculous”.....in a very positive sense. So kudos to the committee for all the work done over the last 3 years.
Accreditation Work Yet to do	The college got slapped a bit, along with Crafton Hills. So there will be a follow up report that will hopefully bring us back into full accreditation good graces. The Online Program Committee will work with the Accreditation Committee to make sure that the good work that we have done continues and will make the entire college stronger.
Student Satisfaction Survey	The student satisfaction survey will be deployed in two weeks. It is important to sift out the faculty members who are being evaluated this semester so as not to confuse the survey with the CTA evaluation process.

Coordinator of Distance Education Position	Because of a variety of factors, the need for a faculty position coordinating the DE activities at the college was discussed. The initial position was described as being a 50% reassigned time position. However, the consensus at the end of the discussion was that we should ask for 100% reassigned time. This will be sent to the VPI for reaction and input.
Canvas and the OEI	There was an incredibly lengthy discussion about moving from Blackboard to Canvas as a result of the decisions of the Online Education Initiative. However, most of the discussion was not founded on solid facts, because there are no solid facts at this point. The OEI is fluid and constantly in motion.
Blackboard Summer Upgrade	Blackboard will be upgraded on July 3, starting at 12:30 am. Faculty teaching in the second summer session will be the ones to feel this the most. Jackson will identify those faculty members and contact them now so they will have an early heads up. Tre's shop will send out their usual announcements about the upgrade.

Next Meeting	The date, time, and place of the meeting are yet to be determined. The committee will be informed when those items are clarified. But our next meeting will not be until the fall semester.
Meeting Adjourned	The meeting was adjourned at 3:15 pm.