

Program Review Committee: Discipline-Specific Faculty Task Forces for General Degrees

In the Spring 2016 semester, a task force examined issues related to the 11 “general degrees” offered by Solano College: Interdisciplinary Studies degrees, University Studies degrees, and the General Science degree. Discipline faculty were informed about the degrees, and were invited to provide input in multiple ways: at their respective School meetings; by email to task force members Marianne Flatland (Counseling) and Ferdinanda Florence (Academic Program Review Coordinator); and at an April 21 workshop.

As a result of that input, the Program Review Coordinator proposed to the task force and the Academic Senate President Michael Wyly that discipline-specific task forces be formed with a representative group of faculty within each School. The Senate President, together with the Program Review Coordinator, assembled a tentative list, and the Coordinator contacted prospective task force members.

The following Discipline-Specific Faculty Task Forces will be tasked with meeting together at the August 10, 2017 Flexcal workshop, presented by the Program Review Coordinator. If task force members are unable to attend, the Coordinator will facilitate a workable meeting time for the relevant task force members in August. Members will review the degree(s) in question as well as relevant data from SCC and other colleges. In August, they will decide one or more options to present to their respective schools at the second School meeting of the Fall semester (usually in September). They will propose specific modifications/deletions to their relevant degrees, and are free to offer varying options and/or recommend a particular option. The Coordinator will join the task force at their School meeting to facilitate discussion; the Schools will vote, empowering the task force members to make the agreed-upon changes in CurricUNET. These changes will be submitted for needed signatures at the end of September, and will be sent to the Curriculum Committee in October.

School of Social & Behavioral Sciences -- related to IS/Wellness, IS and US/Social Science degrees

Amy Obeji
Sabine Bolz
Lauren Taylor-Hill
[Alternate](#): Saki Cabrera

School of Health Sciences -- related to IS/Wellness

Ginger Cain
Ingebord Bourdon
Curtiss Brown
Nick Cittadino

School of Math and Science -- related to IS and US/Science and Quantitative Reasoning, General Science

Danielle Widemann
Jim DeKloe
Randy Robertson
[Alternate](#): Kheck Sengmany

School of Liberal Arts -- related to IS and US/Arts and Humanities, Liberal Arts for Educators, IS and US/Comm

Evangeline East
Marc Pandone
Chris McBride
Laura Pirot
[Alternates](#): Josh Scott, Teri Yumae