



Political Science

Thursday, March 14, 2024

MINUTES: In red text in boxes within the PowerPoint.

Attendance: Josh Casper, Chris Gold, Steven Gonzalez, Laurie Houske, Cheryl Kroll, Eduardo Munoz, and David Reed.

Reports and Announcements

- Counselor's Report
- Fraudulent Students

Business

- Modality Balance
- Annual Plan and program description in Comprehensive Integrated Plan
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Counseling Updates for Department Meetings: Spring 2024

Transfer Center Events:

<https://www.elcamino.edu/academics/transfer-center/events-and-workshops/index.aspx>.

The Transfer Center is hosting a number of in person visits this semester, including CSULB on 4/4 from 11-1 and USC on Tuesdays from 1-3 until the end of April. These are held on the first floor of the Student Services Center. A full list of university visits can be found on the TC website, including those with virtual options.

Students can also attend the **Spring University Fair on Thursday, March 21st from 10-2** on the library lawn.

Career Center Events

www.elcamino.edu/support/careers

Blueprint Job Fair for Youth and Young Adults - April 25th from 10-2 in the Student Services Plaza

The Career Center is also hosting a "What Can I Do With a Major in Psychology?" workshop on Tuesday, April 16th from 1:30-3 pm in SSB 200.

Scheduling Counseling Appointments:

Now that the first two weeks of the semester have passed, students may book appointments and/or participate in Meta Major Drop Ins. **Please encourage students to begin their winter/spring planning in March.** Students are able to book appointments via this link:

<https://www.elcamino.edu/support/counseling/appointments.aspx>.

The Counseling Division will host **meta major drop ins** for quick questions on the following days and times - **Tuesdays from 12-1 for BSS, HCW, STEM, Creative Arts, and Languages, Composition and Journalism; Tuesdays from 1-2 for Business; Tuesdays from 2-3 for ITEC; and Wednesdays from 4-5 for HCW and STEM again.**

Meta Major Outreach for Spring 2024

Our first BSS Meta Major Newsletter has been completed and has been emailed to you. We will publish this newsletter each semester. Please feel free to share it with your students on your Canvas webpage. Other planned events include Chat With a Counselor on March 12th, April 23rd and May 7th from 9-11 a.m.; a social work panel on 3/12 from 12-2 in DE 166; a follow up social work university transfer panel on 4/25; a transfer university panel for BSS majors (either in May or in early fall); and continued work on our developing social media page and on our outreach to African American students without an education plan.

Thank you!

MINUTES: Fraudulent Students. The Dean reported that enrollment patterns in the division seem to suggest that fraudulent students are in decline since last Fall and Summer.

Reports and Announcements

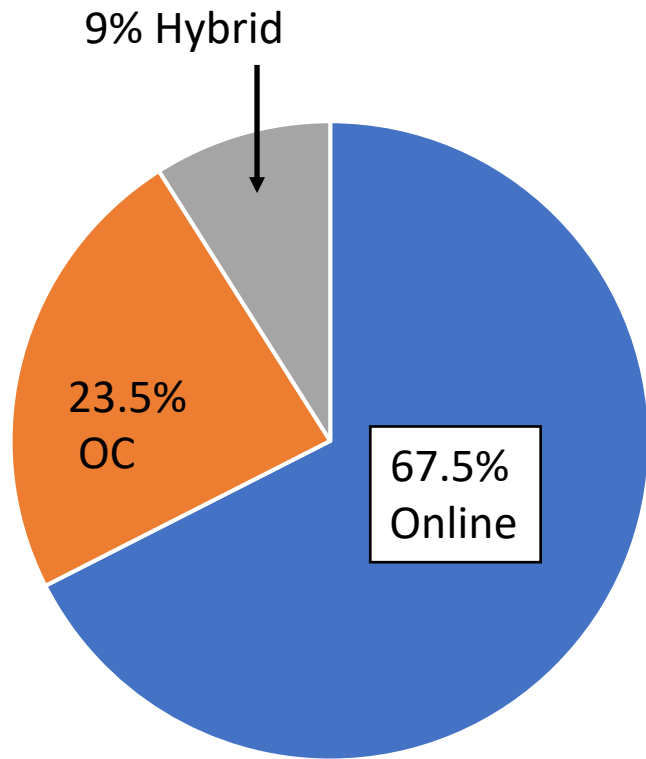
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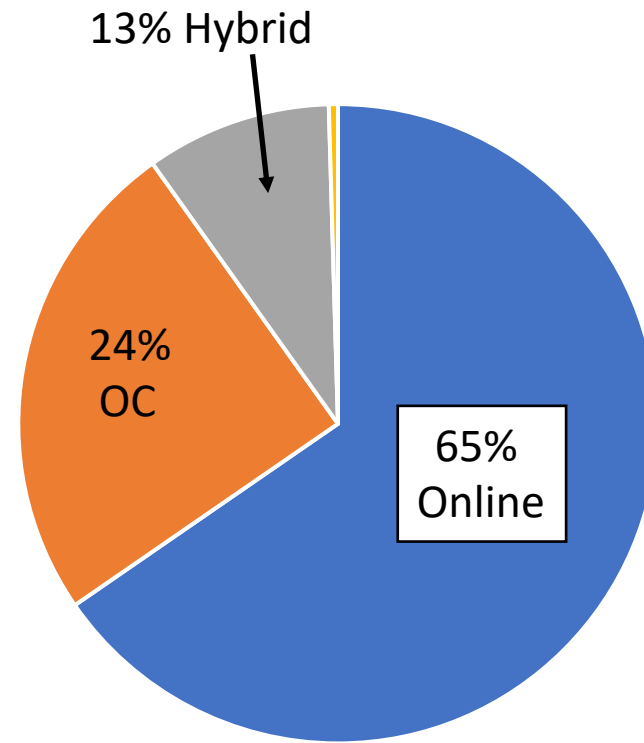
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Modality in POLI Classes (Spring Week Two)

MINUTES: There are slightly more online Political Science students than across the division (67.5% v. 65%). On Campus POLI enrollment is also proportionately the same as in the division. There is lower hybrid enrollment.



POLI
Spring 2024
Week One



BSS
Spring 2024
Week One

MINUTES: Annual Plan and Comprehensive Integrated Plan. Annual Plans will be due soon. Dean asked faculty to please start thinking about planning items. She will pass along info re: the plans as soon as she receives any. The Dean will ask feedback on the CIP program description.

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Program Business

SLO Assessment

Fall 2023

All done!

Spring 2024

POLI 5 Van Chaney

POLI 6 Laurie

POLI 10 Eduardo, Tom, Karl

Curriculum

POLI 7 – the department may want to offer it as an Honors section. David will talk with Kassia (HTP Faculty Coordinator).

Program Review

- Last completed: Spring 2021 (Not posted online – Josh will check with Kevin D.)
- Next due: Spring 2026 (Josh will check)

Committee Assignments - Spring

- Division Council – David
- BSS Curriculum Committee – Laurie, Josh
- BSS SLO Assessment Committee – Eduardo
- POLI Club Faculty Adviser – David (and Josh)

Program Business

Scheduling

POLI 2 Intro to Comparative Politics should be scheduled once a semester and not in Winter or Summer. Enrollment has been light when scheduled twice a semester. One semester it can be online and one semester on campus.

Political Club

David is advising the POLI Club which is getting a slow start but picking up steam. Josh is helping when he can.