

Thursday, May 12, 2022 Classified Professional Development Committee

1. Call to Order

1.01 Call to Order (Gilbert Downs)

Claudia Barragan called the meeting to order at 1:33 p.m.

2. Approval of Meeting Minutes

2.01 Approval of the Meeting Minutes (Claudia Barragan)

The minutes from the April 14, 2022 meeting were approved unanimously.

3. Review of Action Items

3.01 Review of Action Items (Claudia Barragan)

There were no action items to review.

4. Classified Senate President or Designee Reports

4.01 MC - Gabby Chacon (designee)

None

4.02 OC - Dalia Guerrero (designee)

Gilbert Downs reported that Oxnard College held their Transfer Ceremony and Scholarship Reception on the same day. With the upcoming graduation ceremony, there has been a lot of student recognition. There is a Classified Appreciation Week Committee that will plan events to celebrate the classified professionals at Oxnard College. Dalia shared that the Classified Retreat is scheduled for June 23.

4.03 VC - Oscar Rivera (designee)

Oscar Rivera reported that they are planning flex day activities for August. Over the summer they will brainstorm and plan classified professional development opportunities for the upcoming academic year. There is a Classified luncheon scheduled for June 2.

4.04 DAC - Kelly Barton (designee)

Kelly Barton reported that the DAC Classified Senate has something planned each day next week for Classified Appreciation Week. They are planning a walk-a-thon fundraiser for summer. There is talk about including the sister senates for a friendly competition. She also reported that Jon Gallagher was elected as the Vice President to replace David Cases who was promoted and moved to Ventura College.

5. Unfinished Business

5.01 Districtwide/Classified Employee Recognition Program Discussion (Claudia Barragan, Gilbert Downs)
Claudia gave a recap of the discussion from last meeting. The DAC Classified Senate is giving recognition awards called Classy Classified. The idea is still to create a Districtwide Classified recognition program.

5.02 Event Planning for Fall 2022

Claudia stated that she created a survey monkey to poll the Classified staff including items regarding the shared governance training. She has received several ideas including:

- how to access counseling services,
- learning and practicing mindfulness,
- managing stress and anxiety,
- ergonomics for a home office,
- transitioning from a peer to a supervisor,
- health benefits options,
- the merit system and Personnel Commission,
- first aid CPR training,
- time management
- self-defense
- meal planning, healthy recipes
- email etiquette,
- emergency preparedness, and
- hiring Provisionals, Professional Experts, and Student Workers

We welcome all ideas and may have more after the survey goes out to all Classified professionals.

5.03 Classified Employee of the Year (Claudia Barragan)

Claudia Barragan announced that Mara Rodriguez was nominated for the State Classified Employee of the Year. She mentioned that the winner of the award is usually someone with a well-written recommendation. It was suggested that we contact whomever wrote Mara's nomination to ask them if they would be willing to host a webinar on how to write a stand-out nomination.

6. New Business

6.01 Co-Chair Nominations (Claudia Barragan)

Kelly Barton was nominated and accepted the position of Co-Chair.

6.02 Committee Membership and Attendance (Claudia Barragan

There was discussion regarding whether or not people realize they are still part of the committee. Oscar Rivera offered to add our meetings to the VC master calendar to promote more attendance.

Shared Governance Best Practice Workshop

Claudia Barragan reported that the Shared Governance Best Practices Workshop was highly informative and interactive. She will share the feedback from the survey next meeting.

7. Budget

Report: 7.01 Budget Planning (Gilbert Downs)

Gilbert Downs reported that the budget will be used to send Gilbert, Claudia and Kelly (if she is interested) to the Classified Leadership Institute and for swag including socks. Claudia suggested that next year we come up with professional development ideas that would allow us to do something during Classified Appreciation Week.

8. Future Agenda Items

8.01 Classified Leadership Institute Update

Claudia Barragan reported that the CLI will be held in June.

9. Future Meetings

9.01 Future Meetings (Claudia Barragan)

The next meeting is June 9, 2022

10. Adjournment

10.01 Adjournment (Claudia Barragan)

The meeting was adjourned at 2:05 p.m.

11. Attendance

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Membership			Yes	No
Claudia Barragan	Senior Human Resources Analyst	Vice Chancellor of Human Resources Designee, Committee Chair	Х	
Gilbert Downs	College Services Supervisor	Classified Committee Co-Chair	X	
Gabby Chacon	Senior Administrative Assistant	MC Classified Senate President Designee		х
Dalia Guerrero	Administrative Assistant	OC Classified Senate President Designee	x	
Oscar Rivera	Professional Development Coordinator	VC Classified Senate President Designee	x	
Kelly Barton	Human Resources Assistant	DAC Classified Senate President Designee	x	
Eric Lopez	Custodial Supervisor	MC Classified Supervisor		Х
Linda Fa'asua	Financial Aid Officer	OC Classified Supervisor		х
Joe Esquivel	Custodial Supervisor	VC Classified Supervisor		Х

Elizabeth Thompson	Accounts Payable Supervisor	DAC Classified Supervisor		х
Maria Urenda	Financial Aid Specialist	SEIU Chief Steward		х
Michael Ashton	Instructional Technologist/Designer	MC Subject Matter Expert		х
Tracie Bosket	Instructional Technologist/Designer	MC Subject Matter Expert		Х
Laura Knight	Instructional Technologist/Designer	OC Subject Matter Expert	х	
Sharon Oxford	Instructional Technologist/Designer	VC Subject Matter Expert		Х
Matthew Moore	Instructional Technologist/Designer	VC Subject Matter Expert	x	

Recorder: Cece Chavez