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College of San Mateo

Curriculum Committee

September 24, 2026 (2:15 p.m.)

Building 10, Room 10-468

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Meeting ID: 833 4640 5138, Passcode: 843478

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AGENDA

- I. Call to Order (a quorum is eight voting members)
- II. Approval of Agenda
- III. Public Comments (2 minutes/person)

Action Items

IV. Consent Agenda

Courses listed on the consent agenda have been reviewed for listed changes. Though courses on the consent agenda have had no changes in prerequisites and/or recommended preparation, the full committee is expected to review prerequisites and recommended preparations statements for all proposals to ensure compliance with Title V regulations.

- Approval of Minutes from the September 10, 2026 meeting
- Course Modifications

BLDG	730	Plumbing Inspection (3.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in SLOs, objectives, content, instruction, evaluation, texts)
BUS.	171	The Entrepreneurial Mindset (3.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in texts)
CIS	114	JavaScript/Ajax Programming (4.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in texts)
CIS	117	Python Programming (4.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in description, SLOs, objectives, content, assignments, evaluation, texts)
CIS	151	Computer Networking (3.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in texts)

CIS	278	(CS1) Programming Methods: C++ (4.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in content, assignments, texts)
CIS	479	Computer and Network Security (3.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in texts)
CIS	502	Applied Python Programming (4.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in texts)
ETHN	109	Borders and Crossings (3.0)
		(DE update; 6-year update; change in description, texts)

V. Substantive Agenda

Courses listed on the substantive agenda have been reviewed for listed changes. Though courses on the substantive agenda may have changes in prerequisites and/or recommended preparation, the full committee is expected to review prerequisites and recommended preparations statements for all proposals to ensure compliance with Title V regulations.

• New Courses

GEOL	200	Physical Geology with Lab (4.0)
		(New DE Supplement)
OCEAN	200	Oceanography with Lab (4.0)
		(New DE Supplement)
PALN	200	Paleontology with Lab (0.0)
		(New DE Supplement)

• Course Modifications

CIS	121	UNIX/Linux (3.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in units/hours, content, instruction, evaluation, texts)
CIS	124	Foundations of Data Science (4.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in recommended preparation, SLOs, objectives, content, assignments, texts)
CIS	132	Introduction to Databases (4.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in units/hours, content, instruction, texts)
CIS	264	Computer Organization and Systems Programming (4.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in units/hours, content, instruction, evaluation, texts)
CIS	503	Data Visualization and Text Analysis (4.0)
		(DE update; 2-year update; change in title, units/hours, description, SLOs, objectives, content, instruction, texts)
ESL	845	Listening and Speaking for Multilingual Students I (3.0)
		(DE update; 6-year update; change in title, units/hours, content, assignments, evaluation, texts)
ESL	855	Reading for Multilingual Students I (3.0)
		(DE update; 6-year update; change in units/hours, content, assignments, evaluation, texts)
ETHN	104	Asian Pacific Islanders in United States History and Culture (3.0)

		(DE update; 6-year update; change in recommended preparation, texts)
ETHN	108	Rethinking Race, Gender, and Nation (3.0)
		(DE update; 6-year update; change in recommended preparation, texts)

- **New Program**

- Chemistry – AS-T Associate in Science Degree for Transfer (38 units)

VI. Open Agenda

- **Draft Board Policy 6.26**
- **Pathway Language for Students Holding Prior Degrees**
- **Local GE Area 7 Alignment**
- **Certificates of Specialization vs. Certificates of Achievement**
- **TOP to CIP Update and Q&A**
- **IDEAA and Removal of TBA Hours**