



Key Messages: September 2021 CVC Consortium Meeting

Election of Faculty Co-Chair

- Wendy Bass was re-elected to a two year term as faculty co-chair of the Consortium.

Chancellor's Office Update

- Dr. Candice Brooks is the new Dean of Instructional Design and Delivery at the Chancellor's Office.
- The Chancellor's Office is preparing to distribute a data metric RFA for Zero Textbook Cost (ZTC) funds. The funds will most likely be awarded in December.
- The [Pathways to Equity Conference](#) is scheduled for March 2022 and the planning committee has expressed interest in an equity in online learning strand. Erin Larson will work with the Advisory Committee on potential sessions once a Call for Proposals is issued.

CVC Exchange: Admin Dashboard & Data

- Current Home Colleges and Phase Two: Teaching Colleges all have access to a dashboard which displays a variety of student enrollment information. If your college is live in one of these phases, please email [Donna Miranda](#) for more information and to set up an account.
- There are currently eleven active Teaching Colleges in the CVC Exchange, and 59 active Home Colleges. As of September 22, there have been 651 successful cross-enrollments.
- Twenty percent of students find and enroll in courses at their Home College and 81 percent of students cross-enroll in one course per term. Students are enrolling in Humanities more than any other discipline, however, searches for STEM courses outweigh all other disciplines.
- The CVC-OEI has been interviewing students who have used the Exchange to cross-enroll in colleges. Feedback has been overwhelmingly positive with students noting that they were able to pick up a class they needed to graduate or transfer.

Feedback: Spring Survey and POER Breakout Sessions

- A majority of respondents are in favor of small group breakout sessions during Consortium meetings. Eighty percent of respondents were interested in opportunities to connect outside of the Consortium meetings, w/ equal majorities preferring "synchronous meet-ups over Zoom" and "Basecamp discussion groups."
- In rank order, the Consortium meeting discussion topics of most interest were the Exchange, local POER, and instructional technology.
- Accessibility was the most popular workgroup candidate followed by the Exchange and local POER.
- Written notes from the POER breakout sessions held at the May Consortium meeting will be shared with the Consortium via Basecamp. The POER workgroup is also reviewing the feedback and incorporating suggestions into their work.

Chief Instructional Officers Working Group

- Because colleges had to quickly move online due to COVID and due to a lack of clarity around the term "quality" as it relates to distance education, the workgroup is working on a framework that defines quality and helps guide leadership in the allocation of limited resources.
- The goal is to develop an adoptable framework that holistically supports quality in distance education at all campus levels, including institution/infrastructure, student services & instruction

Dual Enrollment Update

- The State Chancellor's Office prioritized additional functionality to support a pilot and potential model for high school dual enrollment distinct regions.
- The CVC is developing solutions for student discovery/search for courses within a region and streamlining online approval workflows in line with regulations governing high school dual enrollment.
- The goal is to leverage the connectivity of CVC Course Exchange for enrolling students and connect regional partners (high schools, community colleges).

Common Course Management System (CCMS) Committee

- The CVC-OEI Advisory Committee has formally voted to support moving the Common Course Management System (CCMS) Committee to the Consortium. The CCMS Committee will remain open to representatives from all CCCs, but will now report to the Consortium instead of the Advisory Committee. This change is part of an effort to review



and streamline management of various committees and to improve stakeholder awareness. The CCMS elected its co-chairs for the year, Greg Beyrer (Cosumnes River) and Moses Wolfenstein (El Camino).