Common Course Management System (CCMS) Committee Charter

- The CCMS Committee, which reports to the Consortium, recently updated its charter. The committee did make one additional revision which states that one committee co-chair shall be designated as voting member of the committee while the other co-chair will only vote in the event of a tie-breaker.

Local Peer Online Course Review (POCR)

- Currently 39 colleges are Local POCR certified, and 1194 courses are aligned and badged.
- The CVC-OEI Advisory Committee requested an ad-hoc workgroup be formed to consider Local POCR certification follow-up requirements. The group’s recommendations are available to review here.
- The Independent Course Alignment webpage is live! If you know any instructors who would be willing to share their reviewed course, please email Bob Nash at bnash@cvc.edu. At this time, the CVC is trying to increase the number of shareable courses as there are currently 16.

Master Consortium Agreement (MCA) Revisions

- A short survey on the proposed Master Consortium Agreement (MCA) edits was distributed to all Project Leads in October. Respondents overwhelmingly voted to include language regarding a commitment to establish a Local Peer Online Course Review (POCR) process by June 2024.
- The revised MCA language will be sent to the Advisory Committee for a vote, and then shared with the State Chancellor’s Office for approval.

Default Search Filter: Cross-Enrollable Courses

- At the end of December, the CVC is sunsetting CSV uploads. In order to have courses listed on the CVC Online Course Finder, colleges must have completed Phase 1: Live Schedule Integration. To check your college’s progress, please visit the CVC’s implementation tracker.
- The stated intention of the CVC Exchange is to provide a platform for students to cross-enroll in courses at CCCs. In order to meet that goal, the CVC is piloting a default search filter that will show students only cross-enrollable courses (i.e. courses at teaching colleges). Students will still see their home college courses first (even if those courses are not cross-enrollable), and can unclick the default search to include all other courses if they so choose. We believe this shift will be more student-centered, as it will lead to more successful cross-enrollments and fewer redirects to CCCApply. The change will take place in early January 2023.
- Additionally, in an effort to better serve students, the number of badges will shift in early 2023. Currently, there are six badges: Consortium College, Quality Reviewed, Online Tutoring, Online Counseling, Online Student Readiness, Zero Textbook Cost (ZTC). Moving forward the badges will be: Quality Reviewed, Online Tutoring, Zero Textbook Cost (ZTC).

2023-24 Centrally-Funded Tools

- The CVC continues to work with CollegeBuys on management of the Systemwide Technology Access Collaborative (STAC). Information regarding available agreements and ordering process will be released in spring 2023.
- No information regarding centrally-funded tools for 2023-24 at this time. The CVC recognizes that continued funding of Canvas Studio is a priority for colleges.