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## **Career Technical Education Leadership Committee (CTELC)**

### **CTE Liaisons Fall 2021 Update**

### **Your 2021-2022 CTE Leadership Committee**

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### **Hello from the CTELC Chair**

My name is Lance Heard and I am serving as your CTELC chair for 2021-2022. I have been active in CTE faculty matters at the local, regional, and state level, and am encouraged by the many areas of focus for CTE disciplines in the coming months. I have been engaging in conversations about Competency Based Education, Credit for Prior Learning, and the CTE Minimum Qualifications Toolkit already this season. As we delve into everything CTE this year, I look forward to spending time sharing ideas with each of you. I hope you take time to get involved as much as time permits, and invite your colleagues to join you.

### **CTE Coffee Hour October 20, 2021**

Sixty-six attendees participated in the first CTE Coffee Hour of the 2021-2022 year. The topic of discussion was making sure CTE students make it to the appropriate CTE pathway. With the signing of [AB 928](#) (Berman, 2021), CTE faculty and counselors are highly interested in helping students find their desired pathway without harmful delays or inappropriate course sequences.

Some of the challenges shared:

- Student application, registration and enrollment steps: Are they hindering students from starting on the path?
- Hiring CTE discipline faculty: Who has had success using the ASCCC CTE Faculty Minimum Qualifications Toolkit?
- Building skills and scaffolding certificates towards degree completion: Who is interested in collaborating on your efforts?

- How can CTE faculty and counselors work better together to help students: designated CTE counselors, walk in counseling at the CTE tutor center or within the CTE classroom complex, embedded department/discipline counselors, CTE faculty visits to counseling department meetings, counselor visits to CTE department meetings, Guided Pathways meetings & workshops between counselors and CTE faculty.
- Relationships with industry employers: Are we working with employers to provide skilled workforce, or are they creating certificates for their employees without partnering with the community colleges in the region?

At the heart of the conversation was the recognition that CTE faculty and counselors engage with their students early and often about whether or not they declared a college of goal of transfer, should students consider changing their goal, whether the opt out process is clearly communicated to students who do not wish to be on a transfer pathway, and the role faculty and counselors play in making this work before the August 1, 2024 mandate in AB928.

### Important dates for CTE

Our next CTE Coffee Hour is November 16, 2021 at 11am on the topic of Noncredit to Credit.

**The Fall CTE Liaison Zoom Hour Gathering** is November 10, 2021 at 11am.

We will have a conversation on how to be an effective CTE Liaison.

### How to engage with the CTE Leadership Committee

We are interested in knowing what topics you want to address in future coffee hours, CTE Liaison gatherings, ASCCC Rostrum articles, and Career and Noncredit Institute breakout sessions. Email us at [info@asccc.org](mailto:info@asccc.org)

If there is a particular need for technical assistance let us know if we can provide a Local Senate visit. [ASCCC Request for College Visit https://asccc.org/contact/request-services](https://asccc.org/contact/request-services)

### Upcoming Events



#### **2021 Fall Plenary Session - Hybrid Event**

November 4, 2021 to November 6, 2021



#### **2022 Part-Time Faculty Institute - Virtual Event**

February 10, 2022 to February 11, 2022