



Curriculum Committee
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TO: Curriculum Committee Members
FROM: Patrick McDougall, Chairperson
SUBJECT: Curriculum Committee Meeting

Curriculum Committee meeting is Monday, February 23, 2026, 3:00-5:00 p.m. (Board Room SAS 360)

AGENDA

1. **Agenda Adoption - 1 minute**

2. **Minutes Approval - 1 minute**

 - A. February 9, 2026
3. **Public Comments - 3 minutes**

Members of the public are invited to comment on items not on the agenda
4. **General Announcements - 3 minutes**

Curriculum Committee members are invited to make announcements to the committee
5. **Articulation Officer Announcements - 2 minutes**

6. **Information Item(s) - 2 minutes**

 - A. CCCCCO Webinar - Patrick McDougall**
 1. Course Outline of Record Webinar - March 24, 2026, 12:00 p.m.
 - Collaborative effort between the Chancellor's Office and ASCCC, on "Implementing the New Course Outline of Record" webinar will focus on DEIA, UDL and OER in the COR, as well as objectives and student learning outcomes, related curriculum processes, and statewide inventory (COCI) updates.
 - [Register](#) for the webinar on the [latest regulatory revisions](#) to the Course Outline of Record (COR)
 - B. Curriculum Institute - Patrick McDougall**
 1. 2026 Curriculum Institute at Sacramento Convention Center - July 15-18, 2026
 - Valuable opportunity to network with colleagues from across the state, share innovative ideas, and engage in meaningful discussions about curriculum design, equity, and student success.
 - <https://www.asccc.org/events/2026-curriculum-institute>

7. **Consent Agenda - 4 minutes**

A. **Course Modification(s)**

1. **NR 12 - Dendrology/Native Plant Identification (3 Units)**

Catalog Description: *This course is the study of botanical characteristics, taxonomy, physiology, and community relationships of the major trees and shrubs in the Western United States. Discussion of commercial uses and geographic ranges of these plants.*

Minor Modification: Change in YBL (add B), objectives, methods of instruction, methods of evaluation, examples of assignments, and materials of instruction

Rationale: *Curriculum review*

Effective Term: Fall 2026

2. **NR 40 - Watershed Ecology and Habitat Restoration (3 Units)**

Catalog Description: *This course is an introduction to the methods, techniques, and tools used to restore and enhance watershed health. Topics will include reforestation techniques, hydrologic cycle, disturbance mitigation, and use of native plants for biofiltration. The course emphasizes local water issues and restoration efforts*

Minor Modification: Change in methods of instruction, and materials of instruction

Rationale: *Curriculum review*

Effective Term: Fall 2026

8. **Action Item(s)**

A. **New Course(s) - 10 minutes**

1. **KIN 8 - Women in Sport (3 Units)**

Catalog Description: *This course examines the relationship between women and sport from multiple perspectives. Consideration is given to the cultural, economic, educational, legal, physiological and social influences on women in sport. Situating the evolving roles that women assume in sport within a historical context, emphasis is placed on using the past to advise the present and effect change in the future. Through research and analysis, students will gain an understanding of the significant events of women in athletics from the past to the present and how their significance will determine the future of women in sport.*

Contact Hours: 51 Lecture

Disciplines: Kinesiology (Masters Required), or Physical Education (Masters Required)

General Education: Cal-GETC Area 4

Grading Method: Regular Graded

Ped Cap: 35

Program Status: None

Transfer Status: UC

Rationale: *Broader curriculum that explores the importance and impact of women in sports*

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2. **KIN 79- Pickleball II (1.50 Units)**

Catalog Description: *This course covers advanced pickleball strategies and strokes with an emphasis on singles and doubles match play. Concepts of fitness, nutrition, and injury prevention are explored for the competitive player. Environmental effects on the game are discussed.*

Contact Hours: 51 Activity

Disciplines: Coaching, Kinesiology (Masters Required), or Physical Education (Masters Required)

Grading Method: Regular Graded

Ped Cap: 30

Program Status: AA-T Degree in Kinesiology and AA Degree in Kinesiology

Transfer Status: UC

Rationale: *Course is paired with KIN-59 Pickleball*

Effective Term: Fall 2027

B. Program Modification(s) – 10 minutes

1. **AA-T Degree in Kinesiology (21.50-24.50 Units)**

Catalog Description: *Students completing Associate Degrees for Transfer are guaranteed admission to the CSU system. Please see the beginning of the “Academic Programs” section for details. With the completion of the AA-T in Kinesiology, students will possess foundational knowledge and skill that comprise the core content of the first two years of many four-year programs in Kinesiology.*

Modification: Change in movement-based Individual Sports course group (add KIN 79); no change in units

Rationale: *New course addition*

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2. **AA Degree in Kinesiology (20.50-21.50 Units)**

Catalog Description: *This program meets the lower division major preparation for a similar major at CSU, Chico and other CSU Campuses. Visit website for details www.assist.org for specific campus requirements*

Modification: Change in Individual course group (add KIN 79); no change in units

Rationale: *New course addition*

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C. Consent/Other Item(s) – 10 minutes

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9. Discussion Item(s) – 60 minutes

A. Review Approval Process for Noncredit Mirrored Courses – Patrick McDougall

- Noncredit mirrored courses must be reviewed and approved by the Curriculum Committee simultaneously with the credit course for alignment (approved on 4.21.25)

B. Curriculum Committee Bylaws Update – Patrick McDougall

C. Future Meetings

- March 9, 2026
- March 23, 2026

10. Adjournment
