

AGENDA
Executive Committee Meeting
CSUSM Academic Senate
Wednesday, March 30, 2016, 12:00 noon to 1:50 pm
Provost's Conference Room – KEL 5207

- I. Approval of Agenda
- II. Approval of Minutes – 3/16/16 EC Meeting
- III. Chair's Report, [Deborah Kristan](#)
- IV. Vice Chair's Report, [Michael McDuffie](#)
- V. Provost's Report, [Graham Oberem](#)
- VI. Vice Provost's Report, [Kamel Haddad](#)
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1 **SAC: Student Course Grade Appeals Policy (SAC 216-02) – Revision**

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3 *Rationale:*

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5 *On February 16, 2015, the Secretary of the Academic Senate submitted to the CSUSM President*
6 *and Provost a Senate-approved revised Student Course Grade Appeals Policy (SAC 216-02) for*
7 *administrative review and approval. The revisions addressed the areas of electronic submission*
8 *of student appeals, including a more clearly defined process that students must follow to submit*
9 *an appeal. In the course of administrative review and questions regarding clarification of some*
10 *parts of the policy document, the Senate Office noted that SAC had not removed wording which*
11 *outlined the previous process for submission of documents; specifically, the policy still stated*
12 *that hard copies should be mailed to the Senate Office for distribution. This rendered the*
13 *updated policy inaccurate, and it was determined by the Senate Officers that it would be*
14 *returned to SAC for proper editing/updating.*

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16 *The changes to this document reflect the appeal process for students which have been followed*
17 *for, now, the third academic year. Changes are highlighted in yellow, below. Strikethroughs*
18 *(highlighted in grey) are areas which should have been deleted with last year's iteration of this*
19 *document. Additionally, updated forms are provided to support the accuracy of student*
20 *submissions. This updated policy document, including related forms, reflects the proper steps*
21 *for the appeal process, as confirmed by the Chair of the Student Grade Appeals Committee, and*
22 *the Academic Senate Office.*

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25 **Definition:** Provides a means for students to seek redress of complaints regarding grades.

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27 **Authority:** California State University San Marcos Faculty Ethics Policy, and Executive
28 Order 1037.

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30 **Scope:** The purpose of the Student Course Grade Appeals Policy and Procedures shall be
31 to enable students to seek redress of complaints about course grade(s) (hereafter
32 referred to as "grade appeal"). A grade appeal arises when circumstances prevent
33 assignment of an earned course grade or cause an assigned course grade to be
34 questioned by a student. This procedure shall also be available for the resolution
35 of grade appeals alleging inappropriate application to the student of any other
36 rules or policies of California State University San Marcos. The burden of proof
37 shall rest on the student seeking redress.

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40 I. Preamble

41 | The California State University San Marcos Student Course Grade Appeals Policy
42 acknowledges the rights of students and faculty as expressed in "Joint Statement of
43 Rights and Freedoms of Students" drafted by the American Association of University
44 Professors, the United States National Student Association, the Association of American

45 Colleges, the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators, and National
46 Association of Women Deans and Counselors in 1967, and the rights of all members of
47 the campus as outlined in the California State University San Marcos Faculty Ethics
48 policy, Executive Order 1037 states that "faculty have the sole right and responsibility to
49 provide careful evaluation and timely assignment of appropriate grades" and that, "in the
50 absence of compelling reasons, such as instructor or clerical error, prejudice or
51 capriciousness, the grade assigned by the instructor of record is to be considered final" (p.
52 7).

53 II. Purpose

54 | The purpose of the Student Course Grade Appeals Policy and Procedures shall be to
55 | enable students to seek redress of complaints about a course grade (hereafter referred to
56 | as "grade appeal"). A grade appeal arises when circumstances prevent assignment of an
57 | earned grade or cause an assigned grade to be questioned by a student. This procedure
58 | shall also be available for the resolution of grade appeals alleging inappropriate
59 | application to the student of any other rules or policies of California State University San
60 | Marcos.

61 III. Terms and Definitions

62 Throughout this document, the words, "shall," "will," and "must" refer to mandatory
63 (required) actions. The words, "may" and "should" refer to discretionary actions (i.e.,
64 recommended or voluntary, but not required). The word "dean" refers to the dean or
65 his/her designee (referring to the dean of the college in which the student is filing an
66 appeal). The word "principals" refers to the student appellant and the instructor
67 respondent.

68 IV. Jurisdiction

69 This policy applies solely to students' appeals of assigned course grade. Separate
70 grievance policies and procedures have been established for discrimination and
71 harassment grievances. Students wishing to initiate a grievance against an administrator,
72 faculty or staff member because of discrimination on the basis of sex, race, color,
73 national origin, age, disability, veteran status, religion, or sexual orientation are advised
74 | to obtain written instructions on the filing of such grievances from the Office of
75 | Diversity, Educational Equity & Inclusion ~~Office of Human Resources and Equal~~
76 | ~~Opportunity~~ or the Office of the Dean of Students.

77 Separate policies and guidelines also exist for complaints involving Greek social service
78 organizations or individual members of a Greek Organization. These policies and
79 guidelines may be found in the Greek Handbook available in the Office of Student Life
80 and Leadership.

81 V. Membership

82 A. Committee Structure

83 Membership of the Student Grade Appeals Committee (SGAC) shall consist of:

- 84 • Three students (two undergraduate, one graduate) to be named under
85 procedures established by the Associated Students Incorporated (ASI).
86 Student members serving on this committee must be regular students in good
87 standing, have at least junior status, and have a minimum of 30 units
88 completed at CSUSM. Student alternates will be named as needed; see section
89 V.E.
90 • Four faculty members and four faculty member alternates selected by the
91 Academic Senate. All faculty members of the committee and all faculty
92 alternates must hold tenured appointments.

93 The Chair shall be elected yearly from the faculty membership of the committee.

94 B. Chair's Duties

95 The Chair is non-voting except in cases of a tied vote. The Chair shall be the
96 administrative officer of the committee. The duties of the office shall include
97 arranging for appropriate times and places of committee meetings and hearings;
98 informing committee members of the committee's standing meeting time and
99 place, and the time and place of any hearings; informing in writing all interested
100 parties of the times and places of committee meetings or hearings which they are
101 requested to attend and supplying them with a statement of the grade appeal;
102 informing all other interested parties that an appeal is pending; securing and
103 distributing to the committee written material appropriate for its consideration;
104 arranging for the recording of committee proceedings; maintaining committee
105 records; and informing in writing all interested parties of the recommendations of
106 the committee.

107 C. Service of Alternates

108 Alternates shall be called upon as necessary to fill permanent or temporary
109 vacancies (see section V. E., "Vacancies."). Alternates shall serve on the
110 committee as full voting members for grade appeal grievances.

111 D. Terms of Service and Continuation

112 ~~The term of service on the SGAC shall run from June 1 to May 31.~~ All committee
113 members/alternates shall serve two-year staggered terms, ~~from June to May.~~ All
114 student members shall serve one-year terms. Committee members may serve
115 consecutive terms of service.

116 The members who begin hearing an appeal shall continue as a panel for that
117 appeal until it reaches resolution, unless a member is unable to continue or is no

118 longer eligible to serve. In the event that a particular grade appeal extends beyond
119 [May 31 the academic year](#), the members hearing that particular grade appeal shall
120 continue with that appeal until the committee's decision is rendered [in the next](#)
121 [academic year](#).

122 E. Vacancies

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124 1. Permanent vacancies

125 When a permanent vacancy on the committee occurs mid-term, the Chair
126 of the committee shall request a replacement by one of the faculty
127 alternates or, in the case of students, through an appointment made by
128 ASI. The replacement shall have full voting rights for the remaining term
129 of office of the original committee member.

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131 2. Temporary vacancies

132 If a member of the committee is from the same immediate department or
133 program or has a close personal relationship with the student making the
134 appeal, that member shall not participate in the appeal process for that
135 specific grade appeal. (That is, the member must recuse him/herself.)
136 When, for good cause, a committee member cannot consider a particular
137 grade appeal, or if the committee identifies a conflict of interest, an
138 alternate, with full voting rights, shall be appointed to serve in his/her
139 place for the specific grievance. In addition, a student appellant shall have
140 the right to have one member of the committee replaced with an alternate
141 member for any reason within two academic days prior to the committee's
142 first review of the appeal. An alternate faculty member shall be selected
143 by the Chair of the committee. An alternate student member shall be
144 appointed by ASI.

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146 F. Quorum and Voting

147 The quorum (which must include at least one student member) for holding
148 meetings and making grade appeal recommendations shall be a majority of the
149 seated members of the SGAC. A majority of members in attendance, including at
150 least two faculty members, is required to make a grade appeal recommendation.
151 Only members of the committee who have reviewed the documents submitted and
152 heard all testimony elicited during the hearing on a grade appeal may vote on the
153 grade appeal.

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155 G. Confidentiality

156 To protect all parties involved, all participants shall maintain confidentiality to the
157 maximum extent possible at every level of the appeal process. A breach of
158 confidentiality is a breach of ethics, code of conduct, and FERPA.

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160 No member of the committee shall discuss personal and/or pertinent information
161 relating to a specific grade appeal with any persons who are non-committee
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163 members except at the request of the committee as part of the hearing processes
164 defined in this document. This shall not preclude notification of proper authorities
165 by the Student Grade Appeals Committee in the event that the committee
166 perceives the safety of any person or property to be in jeopardy.

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168 No member of the committee shall discuss personal and/or pertinent information
169 relating to a specific grievance with any of the principals throughout the course of
170 the investigation and following the recommendation of the committee except at
171 the request of the committee and/or at a hearing.

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173 Communication Guidelines: All documentation and recommendations relating to
174 individual grade appeals shall be marked and handled "confidential," and are only
175 for the use of those directly involved in the grade appeal (interested parties). All
176 records relevant to an individual grade appeal shall be stored in perpetuity
177 electronically (e.g. via Moodle Container). Members of the committee shall not
178 discuss the facts of any grade appeal through electronic mail, such discussion
179 must occur when the SGAC convenes. Notifications and other procedural
180 correspondence may be conducted electronically.

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182 VI. Grade Appeal Process

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184 Students who wish to avail themselves of the grade appeal process may obtain
185 information and assistance from the Office of the Dean of Students, from the Associated
186 Students, Inc., or their faculty advisor (as applicable).

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188 These consultants may assist with:

- 189 • Defining the basis of the appeal using the criteria specified in this procedure;
- 190 • Explaining the options available to the student for resolving the grade dispute;
- 191 • Suggesting steps toward informal resolution;
- 192 • Completing the grade appeal form process (advice and critique) and compiling
193 supporting documentation.

194 Consultants are expressly prohibited from writing students' grade appeals or supporting
195 documentation.

196 The grade appeal process has two parts: the required Informal Resolution Process
197 (described in VI. B. below); and the Formal Grade Appeal Process (described in
198 VI. C. below). In cases where the informal process does not result in a resolution
199 of the dispute, a series of documents need to be filed for the formal grade appeal.
200 Before filing a formal grade appeal, students must complete all three steps of the
201 informal resolution process.

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203 A. Deadlines for the Informal Resolution Process and the Formal Grade Appeal

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The deadlines for completing the required Informal Resolution Process and the Formal Grade Appeal shall be as follows:

<u>For courses taken during the previous fall and winter session:</u>	<u>Deadline for completion:</u>
<u>Last day to complete the Informal Resolution Process</u>	<u>March 15</u>
<u>Last day to complete the Formal Grade Appeal</u>	<u>March 29</u>

~~The deadline for completing both the informal and formal appeal processes shall be as follows:~~

<u>For courses taken during:</u>	<u>Deadline for completion:</u>
<u>Preliminary process for previous fall semester</u>	<u>March 15</u>
<u>Previous fall semester</u>	<u>March 29 March 15</u>
<u>Preliminary process for previous spring & summer semester</u>	<u>October 15</u>
<u>Previous spring and summer semester</u>	<u>October 15 Oct. 29</u>

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<u>For courses taken during the previous spring and summer session:</u>	<u>Deadline for completion:</u>
<u>Last day to complete the Informal Resolution Process</u>	<u>October 15</u>
<u>Last day to complete the Formal Grade Appeal</u>	<u>October 29</u>

B. **Informal Resolution Process**

A good faith effort to settle a dispute must be made before filing a formal grade appeal. Even after a formal appeal is filed, efforts to resolve the dispute by informal means should continue. The SGAC Chair may facilitate the resumption of the informal appeal.

In order to seek resolution before the formal grade appeal filing deadline, students should begin the informal resolution process as soon as possible. Any grade appeal policy and procedure of a college or department is considered part of the informal process, and falls within the time restrictions as discussed in Step 1 through Step 3, below.

Step 1: The student must consult with the faculty member(s) involved to try to reach an agreement. If the faculty member does not respond or if the student is unable to reach agreement in a reasonable length of time, keeping in mind the filing deadline, then the student shall proceed to step 2.

233 Step 2: The student shall consult with the person at the next level of supervision if
234 Step 1 does not result in a satisfactory agreement. (e.g., department chair
235 or program director). If the parties do not respond or reach agreement in a
236 reasonable length of time, the student shall proceed to step 3.
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238 Step 3: The process shall continue at the level of dean, or the administrative
239 director of equivalent rank. If the dean does not respond or an agreement
240 is not reached and the student wishes to pursue the appeal process, the
241 student shall file a formal grade appeal.
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243 NOTE: Grade appeals involving administrators who have served as the instructor
244 for the course should be directed to the SGAC after Step 1.
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246 Students should document their efforts to complete Steps 1-3 by keeping records
247 of contact with the faculty member, the Department Chair, and the Dean (emails
248 sent and received, notes about phone conversations, etc.); for this purpose, they
249 may use the “Informal Resolution Process Log” appended to this policy. If the
250 informal resolution process fails and the student decides to file a formal grade
251 appeal, the completed “Informal Resolution Process Log” must be submitted as
252 part of the formal grade appeal.
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254 C. Formal Process
255 The Formal Process shall be filed on-line via the Student Grade Appeals Committee
256 (SGAC) secured website.
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258 Students filing grade appeals should contact the Academic Senate Coordinator at
259 **academicenateoffice@csusm.edu** for access to the SGAC secured website.
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261 ~~The complete grade appeal requires submission of:~~
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263 ~~Step 1: the “Agreement to follow the Student Grade Appeal Policy”, and the~~
264 ~~“Acknowledgement and Release” statement;~~

265 ~~Step 2: the “Informal Resolution Process Log and Supporting Documentation”;~~

266 ~~Step 3: the “Formal Grade Appeal Form”;~~

267 ~~Step 4: “Supporting Documentation to the Formal Grade Appeal Form”;~~

268 ~~Items (1) to (4) must be uploaded to the designated places in the SGAC secured website;~~

269 ~~templates of the required forms are attached to this policy. For a detailed~~

270 ~~overview of the online submission process, please see Appendix A.~~
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272 1. Basic Guidelines for Grade Appeals

273 a. The SGAC presumes that the grade assigned is correct. It is the
274 responsibility of the student appealing an assigned grade to
275 demonstrate otherwise. (See CSU Exec Order 1037, p.9)

276 b. Students may only appeal grade assignments on the following bases:

- 277 ■ An instructor refuses to (or cannot) assign a grade;
- 278 ■ The instructor is not available to review possible computational error;

- 279 ▪ The student believes the grade assigned is inequitable or capricious,
280 unreflective of course performance, or inconsistent with other grade
281 assignments in the course.
282 c. The SGAC shall only recommend grade changes when a
283 preponderance of the evidence supports the student's claim that the
284 grade was improperly assigned, based on appeal grounds listed in
285 paragraph (b), above.
286 d. The burden of proof shall lie with the student.
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288 ~~2. How to File~~

289 Where informal ~~Preliminary resolution~~ fails, the student may file a
290 formal grade appeal in writing to the Student Grade Appeals Committee
291 (SGAC), stating the specific allegations and the desired remedy,
292 accompanied by available documentary evidence. The grade appeal must
293 be submitted by completing the (1) Informal ~~Preliminary~~ Process Log, (2)
294 Student Grade Appeal Form, and (3) Documentary Evidence (Appendix A)
295 and uploading them via the specific link at the SGAC secured website.
296 Students may obtain a formal grade appeal form at the following
297 locations:

- 298 • ~~Office of Associated Students Incorporated~~
299 • ~~Office of the Dean of Students~~

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301 2. How to File

302 Where ~~the~~ informal ~~resolution process~~ fails, the student may file a
303 formal grade appeal electronically using the SGAC website, stating the
304 specific allegations and the desired remedy, accompanied by available
305 documentary evidence ~~(described in VI. C. above);~~

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307 The complete formal grade appeal requires submission of:

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309 Step 1: the "Agreement to follow the Student Grade Appeals Policy", and the
310 "Acknowledgement and Release" statement.

311 Step 2: the "Informal Resolution Process Log and Supporting Documentation".

312 Step 3: the "Formal Grade Appeal Form".

313 Step 4: "Supporting Documentation to the Formal Grade Appeal Form".

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315 Items (1) to (4) must be uploaded to the designated places in the SGAC secured
316 website; templates of the required forms are attached to this policy. For a detailed
317 overview of the online submission process, please see Appendix A.

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319 It is strongly recommended to submit the documentation for step 1 and 2 as soon as the
320 informal resolution process is completed, i.e., on or before March 15/October 15.

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324 3. Filing Deadline
325 All parts of the grade appeal must be uploaded to the SGAC secured
326 website no later than March ~~29~~¹⁵ for the prior fall session or October ~~15~~
327 ~~29~~ for the prior Spring/Summer session. In the event of extenuating
328 circumstances, the Provost or designee shall be able to waive the
329 deadline.

332 4. Withdrawal and Termination of Formal Grade Appeal Process
333 A student has the right to withdraw his/her grade appeal at any stage of
334 the proceedings, in which case the proceedings shall terminate
335 immediately. Efforts to resolve the dispute by informal means may
336 continue throughout the formal process. ~~Written notification by the~~
337 ~~appellant to the Student Grade Appeals Committee is required to~~
338 ~~terminate the proceedings.~~

340 ~~The Student Grade Appeals Committee address is:~~

341 ~~Student Grade Appeals Committee~~
342 ~~e/o Academic Senate Office~~
343 ~~California State University San Marcos~~
344 ~~San Marcos, CA 92096-0001~~

349 5. Preliminary Screening
350 ~~Students are required to submit the log for informal Preliminary process by~~
351 ~~uploading it via the specific link at the SGAC secured website.~~

353 Upon receipt of the uploaded written formal grade appeal, the Chair of
354 the Student Grade Appeals Committee will review the grade appeal to
355 determine if:

- 356 • The Student Grade Appeals Committee has jurisdiction (See section
357 "Purpose" and "Jurisdiction" page 1.); and
- 358 • The filing deadline has been met; and
- 359 • The ~~informal~~informal resolution process, steps 1 through 3, has been
360 completed.

362 If any of the three above conditions have not been met, the Chair of the
363 Student Grade Appeals Committee shall respond in writing within seven
364 (7) calendar days to the complainant stating which condition(s) has not
365 been met and terminating the appeal.

367 If the above conditions have been met, the Chair shall send written
368 notice of receipt of a formal grade appeal within seven (7) calendar

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days to all parties involved in the ~~informal~~informal resolution process. The Chair shall also provide the instructor (the person responsible for assigning the student's grade) with a complete copy of documents submitted by the student, and request that the instructor provide a written response and relevant documentation, including the course syllabus and grade roster, to the committee within ten (10) calendar days.

If the instructor identified in the appeal cannot be contacted through reasonable efforts because he/she is no longer in residence or is on leave or vacation, the committee shall provide an additional notification period not exceeding one semester. If the instructor cannot be contacted by the end of one semester it is the responsibility of other qualified faculty to review the grade (CSU Executive Order 1037, p.5). Executive Order 1037 specifies that "Qualified faculty" means one or more persons with academic training comparable to the instructor of record who are presently on the faculty at California State University San Marcos. Typically, this is the department or program chair.

6. Consideration of Grade Appeals

Upon review of documentation from the instructor and the student, the committee Chair shall establish and distribute to the principals a timeline for resolution of the appeal. If additional information is needed, the committee shall use appropriate means to collect relevant data. Any party within the University community who is contacted by the Student Grade Appeals Committee Chair for information relevant to a specific appeal shall cooperate and provide full disclosure of information. This may include, but is not limited to, requesting that the instructor(s) provide academic records such as grade roster, graded materials in his/her possession and other documents such as syllabi and assignments that may be pertinent to the appeal.

The SGAC may establish and consult with a panel of 2-3 faculty members knowledgeable about grading practices, teaching strategies, or classroom management. This panel of experts shall include at least one individual from the general academic discipline or area of the course in which the disputed grade(s) occurred.

- a. The SGAC shall select the panel from a pool of faculty willing to serve as consultants, submitted by the chairs, program directors, or center directors of appropriate academic units.
- b. The panel shall not include a faculty member objected to by either the student or faculty member involved in the dispute. Either the student or faculty member may ask for the replacement of no more than two members of the panel. Such a request must be made in writing and within no more than seven (7) calendar days of the notification by SGAC.

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- c. The SGAC shall make its recommendation in the grade appeal based on information received during its fact-finding, including information provided by the panel of faculty.

7. Hearing Process

The committee shall attempt to make its recommendation on the basis of the documentation provided by the student, the instructor, and any other parties from whom it has requested information. If, by a majority vote, the committee determines a need for a hearing, the hearing process will proceed as follows:

- The committee shall determine who will be involved in the hearing process.
- The committee may seek advice from a "panel of experts" from the appropriate area as noted above.
- The committee may invite persons having information related to the grade appeal to testify in the hearing.
- The committee Chair shall reserve the appropriate facility and notify all parties involved of the hearing date(s) and location.

The hearing shall be conducted according to the following standards:

- The hearing is a fact-finding/information gathering proceeding, not a judicial process.
- There shall be no confrontation or cross-examination of witnesses by instructor and the student.
- Only the committee and those currently providing information shall be present during that portion of the hearing.
- The Chair shall preside at the hearing.
- Only the committee members, including the Chair, shall ask questions.

All hearings will be audio- or audio and video-recorded. Recordings will be available for review by the student, the instructor, and committee members in a specially supervised place. Recordings of hearings shall only be copied for Student Grade Appeals Committee record-keeping purposes.

Once all information has been received, including information obtained through hearings, the committee will issue a recommendation.

8. Recommendation

The SGAC shall recommend one of two courses of action. Either

- The original grade was properly assigned and should therefore remain on the student's record, or
- The original grade was improperly assigned, and the student's work should therefore be reevaluated, and the assigned grade should be changed.

The SGAC recommendation shall go to the instructor of record, the student, the instructor's Department Chair or Program Director, the Dean

461 of the college offering the course, the Provost, and the Office of
462 Enrollment Services if a grade change is recommended. The
463 recommendation will be transmitted within ten (10) calendar days of
464 the completion of the committee's information gathering procedures and
465 deliberations.

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467 If a grade change is recommended, the instructor of record shall notify the
468 Student Grade Appeals Committee of the course of action taken within
469 fourteen (14) calendar days.

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471 CSU Executive Order 1037, p. 8, specifies that: "If the instructor of
472 record does not assign a grade, or if he/she does not change an assigned
473 grade when the necessity to do so has been established by appropriate
474 campus procedure... (i.e., SGAC recommendation), it is the responsibility
475 of other qualified faculty to do so."

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477 Executive Order 1037 further specifies that "Qualified faculty" means one
478 or more persons with academic training comparable to the instructor of
479 record who are presently on the faculty at California State University San
480 Marcos. The qualified faculty (typically the department or program chair)
481 shall notify the SGAC of the course of action taken within fourteen (14)
482 calendar days after receiving the SGAC's request.

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484 9. Appeal of Violations of Procedure

485 The only possible further action after the SGAC reached its
486 recommendations is allegation of violation of procedure. Either the student
487 or the instructor may appeal the procedure by which a decision of the
488 SGAC was reached.

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490 The sole basis for such an appeal shall be that the SGAC so substantially
491 departed from the guidelines and procedures set forth herein as to have
492 seriously prejudiced the outcome of the case. It is recognized that a
493 procedurally perfect process is impossible to achieve and therefore not
494 required to satisfy due process. It must be shown that the violation has had
495 an actual and not merely a speculative adverse effect on the final decision
496 of the grade appeal.

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498 Such an appeal should be submitted to the Provost or the Provost's
499 designee within fourteen (14) days of the SGAC's official
500 recommendations. The Provost or the Provost's designee shall reply within
501 fourteen (14) days of the appeal.

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503 The Provost or the Provost's designee may:

- 504 • Reject the appeal (In this case, the decision of the SGAC shall be final);
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UPDATED FORMS - Senate First Reading

Appendix A

California State University, San Marcos

Overview of the Formal Submission Process of a Student Grade Appeal Case

All items are to be submitted via the secure Moodle container of the Student Grade Appeals Committee (SGAC) (accessible via the community.csusm.edu page). Please contact the Academic Senate Coordinator at academicsenateoffice@csusm.edu to be granted access to the Moodle container.

Please take the time to carefully read the Student Grade Appeals Policy and Procedure.

To submit a case, there are four (4) steps to be followed in the Moodle Container. Detailed instructions about each step are provided in the Moodle container (click on the links provided in the Moodle container for each step). Templates of the required forms are posted in the Moodle container and attached below.

Overview:

1. Step 1: Complete the **Agreement to Follow the Student Grade Appeals Policy** and the **Acknowledgement and Release** statement. Note: access to step 2 is prohibited until Agreement is completed in step 1.
2. Step 2: Submission of **Informal Resolution Process Log and Supporting Documentation** (e.g., email communications)*. Note: access to step 3 is prohibited until step 2 is completed and verified.
3. Step 3: Submission of **Formal Grade Appeal Form**.
4. Step 4: Submission of **Supporting Documentation** to the Formal Grade Appeal Form.

*According to the current Student Grade Appeals Policy, in order for the Student Grade Appeals Committee to accept an appeal case from a student, the student must demonstrate that they have **completed the informal resolutiongrade appeal process** with the instructor, department chair, and dean of the college. Failure to contact all three people (instructor, department chair, and dean) is considered “Informal Process Incomplete” and the case will not be considered.

595 | You are required to provide evidence for completion of the informal ~~resolution/grade appeal~~
596 | process by submitting the ~~“Informal~~Informal Resolution Process Log” in step 2.
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600 | (Step 1) **AGREEMENT** to follow the Student Grade Appeals Policy, and
601 | **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND RELEASE**

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603 | I have received and read the Student Grade Appeals Policy and Procedures and
604 | understand what I am required to do in the Formal Grade Appeals Procedures.

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606 | Initials _____

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608 | I hereby release to the Student Grade Appeals Committee all documents, including my
609 | academic records, which may be pertinent to the Committee's investigation.

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611 | Initials _____

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613 | I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information I have provided is accurate
614 | and the circumstances surrounding the problem are as I have described them.

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620 | Signature

Date

621 | (Step 2) **INFORMAL RESOLUTION PROCESS LOG**

622 | Note: an electronic copy of this log is posted in the SGAC secured website. Students should
623 | download this template, fill it out, and upload the completed template at the specific link in the
624 | SGAC secured website.

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INFORMAL RESOLUTION PROCESS LOG

627 | **Date of Submission** _____

628 | **Your Name** _____

629 | **Your Campus E-mail Address:** _____

630 | **Your Phone Number** _____

631 | **Your Mailing Address** _____

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633 | **Semester:** _____

634 | **Course Name** _____

635 | **Course Number** _____

636 | **Instructor Name** _____

637 | **Note:** According to the current Student Grade Appeals Policy, in order for the Student Grade Appeals Committee
638 | (SGAC) to accept an appeal case from the students, students have to demonstrate that they have completed the
639 | informal ~~grade appeal~~ **resolution** process with the instructor, department chairman, and ~~Dean~~ **dean of the college.**

640 Record of contact with (1) instructor, (2) department chair, and (3) Dean should be listed in the following log
 641 table. Failure to contact all 3 of these people (instructor, department chair, and dean) is considered as "informal
 642 process incomplete," and the case will be rejected.

Date	Name of the person you contacted	Title of the Person You Contacted (please indicate the department)	E-mail and phone number for the person you met	Conclusions from the meeting	Format of Communication (phone or E-mail) Note: if E-mail, please attach scanned copy of the e-mail communications from all the persons you had contacted and submit all of them as ONE SINGLE file

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645 (Step 3) FORMAL GRADE APPEAL FORM

646 Note: an electronic copy of this form is posted at the SGAC secured website. Students should
 647 download this template, fill it out and upload the filled template at the specific link in the SGAC
 648 secured website.

649 Please type or print clearly

650 STUDENT INFORMATION

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Date: _____

Name: _____ Student ID Number: _____

Current Address: _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Home _____ Cell _____
Phone: _____ Phone: _____
Expected _____ E-Mail _____
Graduation: _____ Address: _____

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COURSE INFORMATION

Course Number: _____ Semester: _____

Course Title: _____

Instructor(s): _____

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BASIS FOR GRADE APPEAL

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Check all that apply and provide evidence and documentation for each basis checked.

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- The instructor refuses to (or cannot) assign a grade
- The instructor is not available to review possible computational error.
- The grade assigned is:
 - A result of an instructor or clerical error
 - Inequitable or capricious
 - Unreflective of course performance
 - Inconsistent with other grade assignments in the course

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NARRATIVE

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Please provide a brief chronological description of the events and actions leading to the assignment of your grade. Please be sure to include the names of any individuals who may have relevant information. **If** the space provided here is insufficient, please append the entire narrative on separate page(s).

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EXPLANATION OF THE APPEAL

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For each box checked under "Basis for Appeal," please provide a brief explanation showing how the events and actions cited in your narrative compel a change in your grade. Explain each basis separately, even if this requires citing the same events more than once. **If** the space provided here is insufficient, please append the entire explanation on separate pages.

(Step 4) SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS/DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

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- Please upload ONE Adobe pdf file that includes ALL of your supporting documents for your appeal case.
 - **Separate** each document by **inserting a cover page between each document.**
 - Examples of supporting documents may include one or more of the following items:
 - Syllabus
 - Graded assignments
 - Graded projects
 - Graded quizzes, tests and exams
 - Correspondence with your instructor or other individuals involved with your appeal.

695 | ***The following format must be used: In your pdf file, you must use cover pages to***

696 | ***separate different types of documents (e.g., use a cover page for “Syllabus”, “Graded***

697 | ***Assignments”, “Graded quizzes”, etc.). Failure to follow this format will result in***

698 | ***rejection of the case.***

699 | Example of submitted file with 4 supporting documents:

700 | **Note: remember to insert a cover page to separate each document.**

- 701 | (1) Cover page with the title "Course Syllabus" [put actual syllabus here]
- 702 | (2) Cover page with the title "Graded Assignments" [put all graded
- 703 | assignments here]
- 704 | (3) Cover page with the title "Graded Projects" [put all graded project
- 705 | documentation here]
- 706 | (4) Cover page with the title "Graded quizzes, tests and exams" [put all
- 707 | graded quizzes, tests and exams here]
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Definition

Do you have grounds for a grade appeal?

A grade appeal arises when circumstances either prevent assignment of an earned course grade or cause an assigned course grade to be questioned by a student. The basis for questioning a grade and filing a grade appeal is limited by the criteria defined in the **Student Grade Appeal Policy**; you should consult in particular sections

- IV. Jurisdiction;
- VI.C.1. Basic Guidelines for Grade Appeals; and
- Appendix A “(Step 3) FORMAL GRADE APPEAL FORM” (quoted below)

Please read these criteria carefully to decide if you have grounds for a grade appeal; you may want to discuss your case with an advisor (such as the Dean of Students Office, ASI Inc., your faculty advisor, or DSS) to help you consider if you have grounds for a grade appeal or for another form of grievance.

Please note that the grade appeal case has to be based on specific graded items. “I think I deserve a better grade” does not provide a base for filing a grade appeal.

In a grade appeal, the **burden of proof** rests with the student.

“BASIS FOR GRADE APPEAL” (quoted from Appendix A “Step 3 -FORMAL GRADE APPEAL FORM”):

Check all that apply and **provide evidence and documentation** for each basis checked.

- The Instructor refuses to (or cannot) assign a grade
- The Instructor is not available to review possible computational error.

The grade assigned is:

- A result of an Instructor or clerical error
- Inequitable or capricious
- Unreflective of course performance
- Inconsistent with other grade assignments in the course

The **Student Grade Appeal Policy** explains which procedural steps you must take to solve the grade dispute, how to document your case, and how to submit your case electronically for consideration by the Student Grade Appeals Committee (SGAC).

Please read the Student Grade Appeal Policy before you start the grade appeal process summarized in the flowchart below. This flowchart is meant to give an overview of the process – it does not replace the policy.

Structure of the Grade Appeal Process:

The grade appeal process has two phases: the **Informal Resolution Process** (a series of conversations) and the **Formal Grade Appeal** (documents to file). In cases where the **Informal Resolution Process** does not result in a resolution of the dispute, a **Formal Grade Appeal** may be filed. **Before** you file a Formal Grade Appeal, you **must** demonstrate that you tried to solve the disagreement “informally”, i.e., by contacting your instructor, and, if this conversation did not solve the dispute, by contacting the administrators to whom your instructor reports (Chair of the Department/Program, and Dean of the College – see flowchart below). These administrators will try to help you solve the situation; if there is still no resolution, they can explain next steps, and answer questions you may have about the grade appeal process and policy.

Find out if you have grounds for a grade appeal:

Advice: try to get this done at the start of the semester, so you give yourself enough time to complete the next steps of the process.

Read the Student Grade Appeal Policy, in particular sections
 IV. Jurisdiction
 VI.C.1. Basic Guidelines for Grade Appeals
 and
 the Appendix A “(Step 3) FORMAL GRADE APPEAL FORM”

Deadlines for the Informal Resolution Process and the Formal Grade Appeal

For courses taken during the previous fall and winter session:	Deadline for completion:
Last day to complete the Informal Resolution Process	March 15
Last day to complete the Formal Grade Appeal	March 29

For courses taken during the previous spring and summer session:	Deadline for completion:
Last day to complete the Informal Resolution Process	October 15
Last day to complete the Formal Grade Appeal	October 29

GRADE APPEAL PROCESS:

The following steps are **REQUIRED**; please take them in the order given below, and give yourself ample time to complete them before the deadline:

Phase I:

INFORMAL RESOLUTION PROCESS:

Advice:

try to have these three conversations within the month preceding the deadline (in February / September); the last day to complete the informal resolution process is March 15 / October 15. Make sure you document your attempts to have these conversations. If the informal resolution process fails and you decide to file a formal grade appeal, the completed "Informal Resolution Process Log" **must** be submitted as part of the formal grade appeal (see below).

Step 1: Consult with the **faculty member(s)** involved to try to reach an agreement – keep all emails.

Advice:

print the "**Informal Resolution Process Log**" (Appendix A of the policy) to keep track of your emails and conversations.

Step 1
checkmark
here if done:

if no agreement

Step 2: Consult with **department chair** or **program director** – keep all emails.

(Grade appeals involving administrators who have served as the instructor for the course should be directed to the Student Grade Appeal Committee (SGAC) after Step 1.)

Step 2
checkmark
here if done:

if no agreement

Step 3: Consult with **dean of the college** or **administrative director** – keep all emails.

Step 3
checkmark
here if done:

if no agreement

Advice: don't wait until the last minute (March 15 / October 15) to ask for access

start the formal grade appeal process by emailing the **Academic Senate Coordinator** at academicsenateoffice@csusm.edu who will give you access to the SGAC Moodle container to upload your grade appeal

Ask for access:
checkmark here if done:

→ **re-read the Student Grade Appeal Policy**



Read Policy:
checkmark
here if done:

Before filing a formal grade appeal, students must complete all three steps of the informal resolution process above. **Failure to complete the Informal Resolution Process will result in the rejection of your case.**

Phase II:
FORMAL GRADE APPEAL PROCESS:

Prepare your file:
prepare the following documents **well in advance of the deadline**
(templates of all **forms** mentioned below are attached to the policy
and available in the Moodle container):

Advice: If you decide to file a formal appeal, **it is strongly recommended** to contact the Academic Senate Coordinator and to file the “Informal Resolution Process Log” (step 2 of the Formal Grade Appeal Process) as soon as you have completed the informal resolution process, i.e., by or before March 15 / October 15. Do not file the “Informal Resolution Process Log” unless you have completed the three conversations required in the informal resolution process.

Step 1:
download and sign the **Agreement to Follow the Student Grade Appeal Policy** and the **Acknowledgement and Release** statement.

Step 1
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Step 2:
download and fill out the **Informal Resolution Process Log** and compile your **Supporting Documentation** (examples: email communications with the instructor, chair, and dean of the College).

Step 2
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Advice: steps 3 and 4 are time-consuming, make sure you give yourself enough time to fill out the form and compile the documentation. Make sure you follow the correct format defined in the policy (last page). The deadline for submission is March 29 / October 29.

Steps 3 and 4:
download and fill out the **Formal Grade Appeal Form** and compile your **Supporting Documentation** (examples: Syllabus; Graded assignments; Graded quizzes, tests and exams) – make sure you follow the recommended format for submitting the Supporting Documentation (see last page of policy).

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Scan all the documents (forms and supporting documentation) and upload your file into the SGAC Moodle container

as early as possible, but no later than by March 29 / October 29.

The Moodle container has more detailed instructions about the uploading process. It is recommended to upload the documents for Step 1 and 2 well before the deadline of March 29/October 29 – the chair of SGAC needs to review them for completeness (if all the required steps have been taken). If you wait until the last day to upload the materials, but you skipped some of the required steps, **your grade appeal may be rejected** (see policy VI.C.5. Preliminary Screening).

NEXT STEPS

Please read the policy sections VI.C.5-9 for information about what happens after you have uploaded your grade appeal.

The Chair of SGAC will inform you within (7) calendar days if your formal grade appeal will be reviewed by the committee or not (see policy VI.C.5. Preliminary Screening).

If your case moves forward, the SGAC will gather additional information from the instructor and then establish a timeline for resolution of the grade appeal. The time necessary to resolve the case varies (depending if the SGAC needs to consult with a panel of faculty experts, or call for a fact-finding hearing).

RESULTS

At the conclusion of the grade appeal process, the SGAC will make a recommendation, either to reevaluate the grade, or to maintain it (see policy VI.C.8. Recommendation).

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MOVING SELF-SUPPORTED ACADEMIC PROGRAMS TO STATE-SUPPORTED FUNDING

POLICY AND PROCEDURE BLP 705-14

Implemented: / /2015

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Authority: The President of the University.

Scope: Self-supported, for-credit programs considered for movement to state supported funding.

Karen S. Haynes, President

Approval Date

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 48 *cannot be inactive. Launching programs through self-supported funding has been one way to*
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 52 *costs to other state supported programs) must be evaluated before any such moves are made.*
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 65 Chancellor’s Office, specifying the degree program, offering a brief program description and
 66 rationale for making the change, and shall include a detailed cost recovery budget, student fees
 67 per unit and total student cost to complete the program, anticipated student enrollment, a campus
 68 commitment to provide adequate faculty resources and the anticipated impact on the existing
 69 state-supported programs (Executive order 1099, 11.1.2.4.)

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 73 faculty within those programs. Faculty generating proposals shall work closely with the
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 75 designee) and the Dean of Extended Learning to fill out all required paperwork. This
 76 paperwork shall include any documentation required by the Chancellor’s Office as well as a
 77 proposal based upon CSUSM’s approved template.
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 79 a) appropriate College-level planning committee(s);
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 81 c) BLP

Comment [I1]: Something’s wrong with this wording.

Comment [DK2]: These edits added by D. Kristan. Does this make sense now?

Template for Moving Self-Supported Programs to State-Supported Funding

1. Program ~~Description~~ Identification

a. Title and brief description of program

b. Delivery type proposed (if changing) – face-to-face, fully online, hybrid

a-c. Name, title, and rank of the individual(s) primarily responsible for drafting this proposal.

b-d. Term and academic year of self-supported program launch (e.g. Fall 2007).

e-e. Identify the unit that will have primary responsibility for offering the state-supported program, and all CSUSM programs or Departments that will provide courses as part of the ~~selfstate~~-supported ~~degree~~ or certificate.

f-f. Is this program offered in collaboration with any other institutions (for example, in partnership with a community college)?

Comment [DK3]: Should 'self' be 'state'?

2. **Rationale:** Explain the purpose and rationale for the proposed movement of the program from self-supported to state-supported funding.

3. Student Demand

a. What issues of access (i.e., geographic, socioeconomic, scheduling flexibility, etc.) were considered when planning to move this program to a state-supported offering?

b. What is the expected number of majors in the year of initiation and three years and five years thereafter? (The history of enrollment trends in the self-supported program should be used as a baseline for future projections.)

4. Support Resources for ~~Self-State~~-Support Offering

Note: The following items should be prepared in consultation with the campus administrators responsible for faculty staffing and instructional facilities allocation and planning. A statement from the responsible administrator(s) should be attached to the proposal assuring that such consultation has taken place.

a. Anticipated impact on existing CSUSM campus resources that were funded through self-support (EL). All affected departments offering courses in this program should be addressed here. How will the new state-supported program be offered without negatively impacting the existing state-supported offerings?

b. How will existing tenure-track faculty and staff resources be funded through existing, reallocated or new state funds?

c. Space and facilities that would be used in support of the program. The amount of lecture and/or laboratory space required to initiate and to sustain the program over the next five years.

d. A report provided by the campus Library.¹ What library resources, previously funded through EL, (including library instruction, library materials and staff/faculty support) will be needed to sustain the program in a state-support delivery model? Indicate the commitment of the campus to provide these resources.

e. How will existing academic technology, equipment, and other specialized materials be impacted by the program's move to ~~self-state~~-supported delivery?²

Comment [14]: Do we want to request signatures of impacted disciplines?

5. Budget & Anticipated Revenues from Program Expansion

¹ Contact the Library for this report.

² Contact Instructional and Information Technology Services (IITS) for a report addressing information technology and academic computing resources available to support the program. Programs currently possessing additional equipment and specialized material not addressed in the IITS report should include these here.

**MOVING SELF-SUPPORTED ACADEMIC
PROGRAMS TO STATE-SUPPORTED FUNDING**

**POLICY AND PROCEDURE
BLP 705-14**

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In consultation with the appropriate Associate Dean prepare and include a draft budget and revenues spreadsheet for state supported programs. ³ Include student fees per unit and total costs to complete the program.

³ Contact Academic Programs for the spreadsheet.
Approved by the Academic Senate 04/08/15

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75 ~~designee)~~ and the Dean (or a designee) of Extended Learning to fill out all required ~~paperwork.~~
76 ~~This paperwork shall include any documentation required by the Chancellor's Office as well as~~
77 ~~an~~ elements of the S-form (see attached).

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79 ~~proposal based upon CSUSM's approved template.~~

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82 1. 2.—Proposals shall be considered for approval by the Academic Senate after review by the
83 a) —a) appropriate College-level planning curriculum committee(s);
84 appropriate College-level budget committee
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86 a) —b) appropriate College Dean(s) and Extended Learning Dean; ~~and~~
87 c) —

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- 91 | [e\) ~~e\)~~](#)

MOVE PROGRAM FROM SELF- TO STATE-SUPPORT (S-Form)

COLLEGE: CHABSS CoBA CoEHHS CSM _____

TITLE OF PROGRAM _____ **Discipline** _____

This form is the signature sheet for existing programs moving from self-support (Extended Learning) to state-support.

If this move also includes curricular changes, instead complete a new P-Form and the accompanying documents.

Check one: Undergraduate Major or New Graduate Degree
_____ Option/Concentration/Emphasis/Track
_____ Minor
_____ Teaching Credential
_____ Certificate

Does this proposal impact other disciplines? Yes No _____ If yes, obtain signature(s).

Any objections or concerns should be stated in writing and attached to this form. Please check the box to indicate whether a memo has been attached.

Term and Academic Year of intended implementation (e.g. Fall 2016): _____

_____ Support _____ Oppose
Discipline #1 _____
_____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____
Signature _____ Date _____

_____ Support _____ Oppose
Discipline #2 _____
_____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____
Signature _____ Date _____

_____ Support _____ Oppose
Discipline #3 _____
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Signature _____ Date _____

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Discipline #4 _____
_____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____
Signature _____ Date _____

_____ Support _____ Oppose
Discipline #5 _____
_____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____
Signature _____ Date _____

S-FORM PREPARATION

1a. _____
Originator (Please print) Date

1b. _____ 1c. _____
Librarian Liaison for Library Report+ Date IITS Liaison for IITS Report+
Date

PROGRAM/DEPARTMENT-LEVEL REVIEW

2. _____
Program/Department - Director/Chair* Date

COLLEGE/SCHOOL-LEVEL REVIEW

3. _____
College/School Budget Committee* Date

REVIEW (Signatures must be obtained by proposer)

4a. _____ 4b. _____
Vice President for Student Affairs* Date Dean of Library* Date

4c. _____ 4d. _____
Dean of Information and Instructional Date Vice President for Finance and Administrative Date
Technology Services* Services*

4e. _____
Dean of Graduate Studies (if applicable) * Date

COLLEGE/SCHOOL-LEVEL RECOMMENDATION

5a. _____ 5b. _____
College/School Dean/Director* Date Extended Learning Dean/Director
Date

UNIVERSITY-LEVEL REVIEW
(May not begin until all signatures numbered 1-5 have been obtained.)

6. _____
Budget and Long-Range Planning Committee^ Date

FACULTY APPROVAL

7. _____
Academic Senate Date

UNIVERSITY-LEVEL APPROVAL

8. _____
Provost Date

9. _____
Date to Chancellor's Office

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- + [Please contact the liaisons at the beginning of the process and allow sufficient time for the liaisons to prepare the resource implication report. Upon completion of the report liaisons will sign.](#)
- * [May attach a memo on program impact on the unit and the ability of the unit to support it.](#)
- ^ [Attach a memo summarizing the curricular and/or resource deliberations.](#)

CSU San Marcos Proposal to Move a Program from EL to State-Support Template¹

1. Program Identification

- a. Campus
- b. Full and exact degree designation and title (e.g., Master of Science in Genetic Counseling, Bachelor of Arts with a Major in History).
- c. Term and academic year of intended move from self-support (~~move~~) (e.g., Fall 2016).
- d. Total number of units required for graduation. This will include all requirements (and campus-specific graduation requirements), not just major requirements.
- e. Name of the department(s), division, or other unit of the campus that will offer the proposed degree major program. Please identify the unit that will have primary responsibility.
- f. Name, title, and rank of the individual(s) primarily responsible for drafting the proposed program move.
- g. Statement from the appropriate campus administrative authority that the addition of this program supports the campus mission and will not impede the successful operation and growth of existing academic programs.
- h. Any other campus approval documents that may apply (e.g., curriculum committee approvals).² The campus may submit a copy of the WASC Sub-Change proposal in lieu of this CSU proposal format. If campuses choose to submit the WASC Substantive Change Proposal, they will also be required to submit a program assessment plan using the format found in the CSU program proposal template.
- i. Please specify whether this proposed program is subject to WASC Substantive Change review.³

2. Program Overview and Rationale:

- ~~—, and a justification for offering (moving) the program at this time. A comprehensive rationale also explains the relationship between the program philosophy, design, target population, and any distinctive pedagogical methods.~~
- ~~— Provide the proposed catalog description, including program description, degree requirements, and admission requirements. For master's degrees, please also include catalog copy describing the culminating experience requirement(s).⁴~~

¹ When beginning to fill out this form, contact Academic Programs for general guidance and for samples of recent proposals. It is recommended that program proposers start to fill out the template with the catalog description.

² Proposers do not need to supply this item. As the proposal goes through the approval process, memos from curriculum committees are obtained. These will be collected and added to the proposal by Academic Programs as a response for this item.

³ Generally this refers to a degree offered at a new level (e.g., a doctorate). To be certain that a WASC Substantive Change review is not necessary, contact the Dean of Academic Programs.

⁴ Use the format found in the most recent General Catalog.

- a. Provide brief description of the program, and rationale for the proposed movement of the program from self-support to state-supported funding. (If we change offering to moving in a we don't need e anymore?)

—3. Societal and Public Need for the Proposed Degree Major Program

List of other California State University campuses currently offering or projecting the proposed degree major program; list of neighboring institutions, public and private, currently offering the proposed degree major program.⁵

Describe Differences between the proposed program and programs listed in Section 5a above.

List of other curricula currently offered by the campus that are closely related to the proposed program.

Describe community participation, if any, in the planning process. This may include prospective employers of graduates.

Provide applicable workforce demand projections and other relevant data.

Note: Data Sources for Demonstrating Evidence of Need

APP Resources Web <http://www.calstate.edu/app/resources.shtml>

US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics

California Labor Market Information

Labor Forecast

—SANDAG: San Diego Association of Governments

Student Demand

- a. Historic enrollment in the self-supported program.
- What issues of access (i.e., geographic, socioeconomic, scheduling flexibility, etc.) were considered when planning to move this program to a state supported offering?
 - What is the expected number of majors in the year of initiation and three years and five years thereafter? (The history of enrollment trends in the self-supported program should be used as a baseline for future projections.)⁶
 - For master's degree proposals, cite the number of declared undergraduate majors and the degree production over the preceding three years for the corresponding baccalaureate program, if there is one.⁷
 - Describe professional uses of the proposed degree program.
- b. Specify the expected number of majors in the year of initiation and three years and project over five years using the new program budget tool thereafter. Specify the expected number of graduates in the year of initiation, and three years and five years thereafter.⁸ (So e) is deleted?)

⁵ Contact Academic Programs for a list of other CSU campuses offering related programs.

⁶ Contact Enrollment Management Services for these data.

⁷ Contact Enrollment Management Services for these data.

⁸ Contact Academic Programs for assistance in estimating the number of majors and graduates.

4. Existing Costs of Proposed Degree Program Currently Assumed by Extended Learning

Note: ~~Sections 5 and 6~~ This section should be prepared in consultation with the Extended Learning campus who are currently pay for the program -A statement from the responsible administrator(s) should be attached to the proposal assuring that such consultation has taken place.

- a. List faculty who would teach in the program, indicating rank, appointment status, highest degree earned, date and field of highest degree, professional experience, and affiliations with other campus programs. For master's degrees, include faculty publications or curriculum vitae.
~~Describe facilities that would be (are instead of would be?) used in support of the proposed program, including EL provided space for faculty. -~~
- b. _____
- c. Describe existing access to both electronic and physical library and learning resources⁹
~~(Maybe: Describe the access to both electronic and physical library and learning resources that has been provided)~~
- d. Describe existing academic technology, equipment, and other specialized material required by the programs¹⁰
- e. A report on the impact the move will have on EL.

6. Proposed Plan to Assume Costs on State Side

Note: The following items should be prepared in consultation with the campus administrators responsible for faculty staffing and instructional facilities allocation and planning. A statement from the responsible administrator(s) should be attached to the proposal assuring that such consultation has taken place. ~~Program p~~Proposers should use the new program budget tool.

Attach budget worksheet completed in consultation with the appropriate campus administrators.

- a. Describe the anticipated impact on existing CSUSM campus resources that were funded through self-support (EL). All affected departments offering courses in this program should be addressed here. How will the new state-supported program be offered without negatively impacting the existing state-supported offerings?
- b. How will existing tenure-track faculty and staff resources be funded through existing, reallocated or new state funds?
- c. Describe additional faculty or staff support positions needed to implement the proposed state program.¹¹
- d. Space and facilities that will be used in support of the program. The amount of lecture and/or laboratory space required to initiate and to sustain the program over the next five years.¹²

⁹ Contact the University Library for this report.

¹⁰ Contact Instructional and Information Technology Services (IITS) for a report addressing information technology and academic computing resources available to support the program. Programs currently possessing additional equipment and specialized material not addressed in the IITS report should include these here.

- e. Submit a report provided by the campus Library. What library resources, previously funded through EL, (including library instruction, library materials and staff/faculty support) will be needed to sustain the program in a state-support delivery model? Indicate the commitment of the University Library to provide these resources.¹³
- f. Indicate additional academic technology, equipment, or specialized materials that will be (1) needed to implement the program on state side and (2) needed during the first two years after initiation. Indicate the source of funds and priority to secure these resource needs.¹⁴
- g. How will existing academic technology, equipment, and other specialized materials be impacted by the program's move to self-state-supported delivery?

~~Template for Moving Self-Supported Programs to State-Supported Funding~~

~~1. Program Description/Identification~~

~~— Title and brief description of program~~

~~— Delivery type proposed (if changing) — face-to-face, fully online, hybrid~~

- a. ~~Name, title, and rank of the individual(s) primarily responsible for drafting this proposal.~~
- b. ~~Term and academic year of self-supported program launch (e.g. Fall 2007).~~
- c. ~~Identify the unit that will have primary responsibility for offering the state-supported program, and all CSUSM programs or Departments that will provide courses as part of the selfstate supported degree or certificate.~~
- d. ~~Is this program offered in collaboration with any other institutions (for example, in partnership with a community college)?~~

~~2. Rationale:~~ Explain the purpose and rationale for the proposed movement of the program from self-supported to state-supported funding.

~~3. Student Demand~~

- a. ~~What issues of access (i.e., geographic, socioeconomic, scheduling flexibility, etc.) were considered when planning to move this program to a state-supported offering?~~
- a. ~~What is the expected number of majors in the year of initiation and three years and five years thereafter? (The history of enrollment trends in the self-supported program should be used as a baseline for future projections.)~~

~~4. Support Resources for Self-State-Support Offering~~

~~Note:~~ The following items should be prepared in consultation with the campus administrators responsible for faculty staffing and instructional facilities allocation and planning. A statement from the responsible administrator(s) should be attached to the proposal assuring that such consultation has taken place.

- a. ~~Anticipated impact on existing CSUSM campus resources that were funded through self-support (EL). All affected departments offering courses in this program should be~~

¹² Contact Planning, Design and Construction for assistance in answering questions about space that is under construction or being planned. Indicate whether any external funds are expected to support construction of facilities.

¹³ This should follow directly from the Library report in 5.c.

¹⁴ Information technology and academic computing needs should follow directly from the IITS report in 5.d. Additional specialized equipment and materials that will be needed should be addressed here.

- ~~addressed here. How will the new state-supported program be offered without negatively impacting the existing state-supported offerings?~~
- ~~b. How will existing tenure-track faculty and staff resources be funded through existing, reallocated or new state funds?~~
 - ~~e. Space and facilities that would be used in support of the program. The amount of lecture and/or laboratory space required to initiate and to sustain the program over the next five years.~~
 - ~~d. A report provided by the campus Library.¹⁵ What library resources, previously funded through EL, (including library instruction, library materials and staff/faculty support) will be needed to sustain the program in a state-support delivery model? Indicate the commitment of the campus to provide these resources.~~
 - ~~e. How will existing academic technology, equipment, and other specialized materials be impacted by the program's move to self-state-supported delivery?¹⁶~~

~~5. Budget & Anticipated Revenues from Program Expansion~~

~~In consultation with the appropriate Associate Dean prepare and include a draft budget and revenues spreadsheet for state-supported programs.¹⁷ Include student fees per unit and total costs to complete the program.~~

¹⁵ ~~Contact the Library for this report.~~

¹⁶ ~~Contact Instructional and Information Technology Services (IITS) for a report addressing information technology and academic computing resources available to support the program. Programs currently possessing additional equipment and specialized material not addressed in the IITS report should include these here.~~

¹⁷ ~~Contact Academic Programs for the spreadsheet.~~

1 **BLP: University Academic Master Planning Process (BLP 228-01)**
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3 ***Rationale:** The UAMP was revised to reflect the current process of submission, revision and*
4 *review, and changes were made to increase efficiency and workflow. First, A-Forms will be*
5 *accepted and reviewed on a rolling basis, rather than once a year. This will allow for an*
6 *improved workflow and adequate review periods by the stakeholders and BLP. Although the*
7 *review will happen throughout the year, A-Forms will still only be submitted to the Chancellor's*
8 *Office in January for their approval. Once the A-Form is reviewed and approved by BLP, the A-*
9 *Forms will be placed on the Academic Senate's Consent Calendar. This codifies BLP's role as*
10 *an elected body with the responsibility to review resource implications of a future program,*
11 *while allowing for Senate approval through the Consent Calendar. Lastly, the policy was also*
12 *updated to reflect the current names of positions and offices.*
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University Academic Master Planning Process

Overview: This document describes the process by which the University Academic Master Plan (UAMP) is developed and revised.

The process only addresses those programs that become part of the UAMP and require approval by the Chancellor's Office. ~~New Program A begins with development and review of abstracts (A-Forms) are for new programs developed by faculty. They are reviewed and submitted to Academic Programs by the college level. After a review by stakeholders, A-Forms abstracts are next sent submitted to the Budget and Long-Range Planning Committee (BLP) through Academic Programs. BLP reviews the A-Forms, and submits a recommendation on the A-Forms programs recommended for UAMP addition to the Academic Senate Consent Calendar. This can happen at any time during the academic year. BLP drafts the University Academic Master Plan and submits it to the Academic Senate for recommendation to the President. This planning process only includes both those programs that become part of the formal UAMP and hence require approval by the Chancellor's Office and other programs, which require approval only at the university level (e.g., credentials, minors, options, certificates, etc.). Provisions are made for programs that lie outside of the existing colleges.~~

Definitions:

Degree Program. A program that leads to a bachelor's, or a master's, or joint-doctoral degree.

Independent Degree Program. ~~An independent degree program that does not reside within an existing college.~~

~~Degree Program. A degree program or a certificate, minor, or credential program or an option/emphasis/concentration/track in a degree program.~~

~~Independent Program. A degree program that lies outside of the existing colleges. Note that a program that jointly offered by two or more colleges is a "joint program," and not an "independent program."~~

Program Abstract (A-Form). A plan to offer a new program. In addition to the program outline (a brief description of the degree program being offered), ~~the A-Form a complete program abstract~~ must address the BLP evaluation criteria. ~~Note: This is the precursor to a program proposal, which is the document submitted to gain permission to offer the program. Program abstracts are submitted on Form A the A-Form and are reviewed and at the Senate level by BLP; program proposals are submitted on the P-Form Form P and are reviewed at the Senate level by APP UCC and BLP.~~

~~Degree Program Abstract. A plan to offer a new degree program. In addition to the program outline (a brief description of the degree program being offered), a complete degree program abstract must address the BLP evaluation criteria.~~

~~Independent Program Abstract. A plan for an independent program.~~

~~College Academic Master Plan (CAMP). A plan indicating what programs (degree programs as well as other programs) a college intends to offer propose in each of the next five years, and projections of the number of students declared in these programs, the number of faculty (tenured/tenure track and adjunct) in the departments/programs/centers, and the FTES produced in each department/center/program.~~

~~Campus University Academic Master Plan (Campus UAMP). A formal document submitted to the Chancellor's Office each year for presentation to the Board of Trustees. It lists existing degree programs offered, proposed degree programs, and the schedule for review of existing programs.~~

~~Official University Academic Master Plan (Official UAMP). The official University's Degree plan that is AMP as approved by the Board of Trustees.~~

64 BLP Evaluation Criteria. To be considered by BLP for evaluation of an A-Form.
65 inclusion on the UAMP, degree program abstracts must address the following criteria

- 66 1. *Mission.* The alignment of the program with University, College, and/or Library Mission
67 and Vision; the degree to which the program supports and facilitates accomplishment of
68 University strategic goals; benefits to the state, community or university/college that
69 make the program desirable.
- 70 2. *Demand.* Evidence of adequate student demand for the proposed program, including (i) a
71 list of other CSU campuses currently offering (or ~~intending to offer~~) ~~projecting~~ the
72 proposed degree major program, (ii) a list of neighboring institutions, public or private,
73 currently offering the proposed degree major program and program enrollments at these
74 neighboring institutions, (iii) information indicating substantial regional demand for
75 individuals who have earned this degree, and (iv) information indicating adequate student
76 interest in the proposed program. Graduate degree program proposals must also include
77 the number of declared undergraduate majors and the degree production over the
78 preceding three years for the corresponding baccalaureate program.
- 79 3. *Resource Needs.* Including, but not limited to, ~~unusual~~ space and/or support
80 requirements. A statement of accreditation criteria if there are recognized accrediting
81 bodies in the program area.
- 82 ~~3-4.~~ Relation to existing programs.

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84 **Stakeholders, Their Roles and Timelines****Abstract (A-Form) Proposal Process:**

- 85 1. A-Fforms are proposals for a new degree program and are developed by faculty.
- 86 2. Program proposals (A-Forms) are sent to the appropriate college planning review
87 committee for approval, and addition to the College Academic Master Plan (CAMP).
88 Programs intended to be offered jointly between two or more colleges should go through
89 the planning process in each affected college. All A-Forms must address BLPs'
90 evaluation criteria. Each college will create its own process for eliciting program
91 abstracts from planners.

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94 Independent program A-Forms are sent directly to Academic Programs. Academic
95 Programs has authority to accept proposals that are outside of the existing colleges (other
96 proposals are returned to be routed through the college planning review process).
97 Abstracts for programs determined to properly lie in one or more of the colleges will be
98 returned to their planners to be routed through the college planning process(es).

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102 ● Program Planners. (Faculty who draft program abstracts.) In light of the current UAMP and
103 feedback received from all other planning stakeholders, faculty draft new program abstracts and
104 update existing abstracts for new programs (for example, by addressing the BLP evaluation
105 criteria). These proposals are submitted to college planning review committees according to
106 college timelines set so as to allow the review committees to complete their review in the Spring
107 semester. Depending on the academic unit, the planners may be required to address the evaluation
108 criteria (i.e., complete Form A) when the abstract is initially submitted. Programs intended to be
109 offered jointly between two or more colleges should go through the planning process in each
110 affected college. Independent program abstracts may be sent directly to Academic Programs on
111 Form A, to be forwarded to BLP if it is determined in Academic Programs that the planned
112 program lies outside of the existing colleges—but abstracts for programs determined to properly
113 lie in one or more of the colleges will be returned to their planners to be routed through the
114 college planning process(es). The planners of a program being sent directly to Academic

115 Programs are responsible for addressing the BLP evaluation criteria. *Each college will create its*
116 *own process for eliciting program abstracts from planners. The call for submission of these*
117 *abstracts should be timed to allow the College Planning Committee to complete its review by the*
118 *end of the Spring semester. Independent program proposals are due in the Academic Programs at*
119 *the end of the Spring semester, but consultation with Academic Programs in advance of this*
120 *deadline is recommended.*

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122 3. A-Forms approved by college review committees are sent to the Dean for review.

- 123 ● ~~College Planning Review Committees.~~ (Parts of the college governance structures that review
124 program abstracts—possibly the existing curriculum committees.) The college planning
125 committee evaluates the abstracts it receives according to criteria established by the college. If the
126 college planning committee finds that the program fits into the plan and vision of the college, it
127 assigns a tentative date for implementation of the new program on the College Academic Master
128 Plan (CAMP). The planning committee also projects enrollments (FTES and declared majors)
129 and numbers of faculty (full time and part time) in all college programs for the next five-year
130 period. The planning committee also gives feedback to any planners whose programs are not
131 placed on the CAMP. Important note: Although college criteria may differ from the BLP
132 evaluation criteria, failure to address the BLP evaluation criteria will delay BLP review and may
133 postpone inclusion of the degree program proposal on the UAMP. *Review of program proposals*
134 *by the college planning committee should be completed by the end of the Spring semester with the*
135 *CAMP and supporting documentation being forwarded to the college dean.*

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- 137 ● [Note: The UAMP is due at the Chancellor's Office the first week in January, but the campus
138 submission is drafted during the preceding Summer.]

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140 ~~College Deans.~~ Each dean reviews the CAMP produced in his/her college. The dean may adjust
141 the CAMP in light of the expected level of resources available to the college. The dean
142 comments on the ability of the college to support new programs. Note By the time the CAMP is
143 ready to leave the college, the BLP evaluation criteria need to have been addressed in abstracts
144 for every program scheduled for implementation within three years and for every degree program
145 offered for inclusion in the UAMP. *The dean reviews the CAMP in June, and forwards the CAMP*
146 *and supporting documentation to Academic Programs by July 1.*

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148 4. A-Forms are forwarded to Academic Programs (AP). AP solicits feedback from:

- 149 — ~~Academic Programs serves as the entry point for independent program abstracts. Since~~
150 ~~abstracts that the Dean of Academic Programs determines should have undergone college~~
151 ~~review will be directed back to the appropriate college(s), planners should contact~~
152 ~~Academic Programs to make certain of the status of their programs before the colleges~~
153 ~~close their calls for abstracts. Academic Programs solicits feedback from other key~~
154 ~~planning stakeholders. These key planning stakeholders provide only comments and~~
155 ~~recommendations for use during BLP's review. Stakeholders include, but are not limited~~
156 ~~to:~~

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- 159 a. ~~Academic Round Table~~, Affairs Leadership Council
- 160 b. ~~Analytic Studies~~ Institutional Planning and Analysis
- 161 c. ~~Cabinet~~, President's Executive Council
- 162 d. Enrollment Services
- 163 e. Facilities
- 164 f. Instructional and Information Technology Services
- 165 g. University Library

166 h. Planning, Design and Construction

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169 5. Academic Programs forwards all A-Forms and comments to BLP on a rolling basis. As it
170 becomes available, comments/recommendations from other key planning stakeholders
171 (see 4 above) is provided to BLP.

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173 6. BLP evaluates abstracts A-Forms for new degree programs according to the BLP
174 evaluation criteria and additional information supplied by the other planning
175 stakeholders. Once the review is completed, BLP sends their recommendations through
176 A Form Reports for inclusion on to the Academic Senate for inclusion on a s-Consent
177 Calendar.

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179 ~~— Academic Senate approves or rejects BLP's recommended additions to the Campus~~
180 ~~UAMP via the Consent Calendar~~

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182 ~~• Academic Programs. Academic Programs serves as the entry point for independent program~~
183 ~~abstracts. Since abstracts that the AVPAA AP determines should have undergone college review~~
184 ~~will be directed back to the appropriate college(s), planners should contact Academic Programs to~~
185 ~~make certain of the status of their programs before the colleges close their calls for abstracts.~~
186 ~~Academic Programs provides the following information to BLP: UAMP that has just been~~
187 ~~submitted to the Chancellor's Office, the CAMPs together with supporting documentation~~
188 ~~received from the college deans, and any complete independent program abstracts. Academic~~
189 ~~Programs also provides information to other planning stakeholders on campus (see the bullet~~
190 ~~immediately below) and seeks their input in the planning process. Academic Programs supplies~~
191 ~~UAMP, CAMPs, independent proposals, and supporting documentation that it has received to~~
192 ~~other planning stakeholders in July, and to BLP at the start of the Fall semester.~~

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194 ~~• Other Planning Stakeholders (includes Academic Round Table, Analytic Studies, Cabinet,~~
195 ~~Enrollment Services, Facilities, Instructional and Information Technology Services, Library and~~
196 ~~Information Services, and Planning, Design and Construction). These are units that need to be~~
197 ~~kept "in the loop" as programs are planned. They receive copies of program abstracts and~~
198 ~~supporting documentation and are asked by Academic Programs to forward any input, comments~~
199 ~~and questions that they have concerning the programs to BLP (via Academic Programs) in a~~
200 ~~timely manner. These planners will have one month (approximately until the beginning of the~~
201 ~~Fall semester) to forward input to Academic Programs to be relayed on to BLP.~~

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203 BLP. BLP evaluates abstracts for new degree programs according to the BLP evaluation criteria and
204 additional information supplied by the other planning stakeholders, and places them on a recommended
205 UAMP as appropriate. BLP reviews the slate of planned degree programs already on the UAMP and may
206 recommend changing the implementation date or removing the proposed program altogether. BLP
207 evaluates all other program abstracts (certificates, minors, credentials, options, etc.) and sends comments
208 back to the college deans (or Academic Programs, in the case of independent programs) and reports on
209 these to the Academic Senate. The BLP draft of the UAMP is sent to the Senate for a first reading in
210 November. BLP also reports on other program proposals at the November Senate meeting.

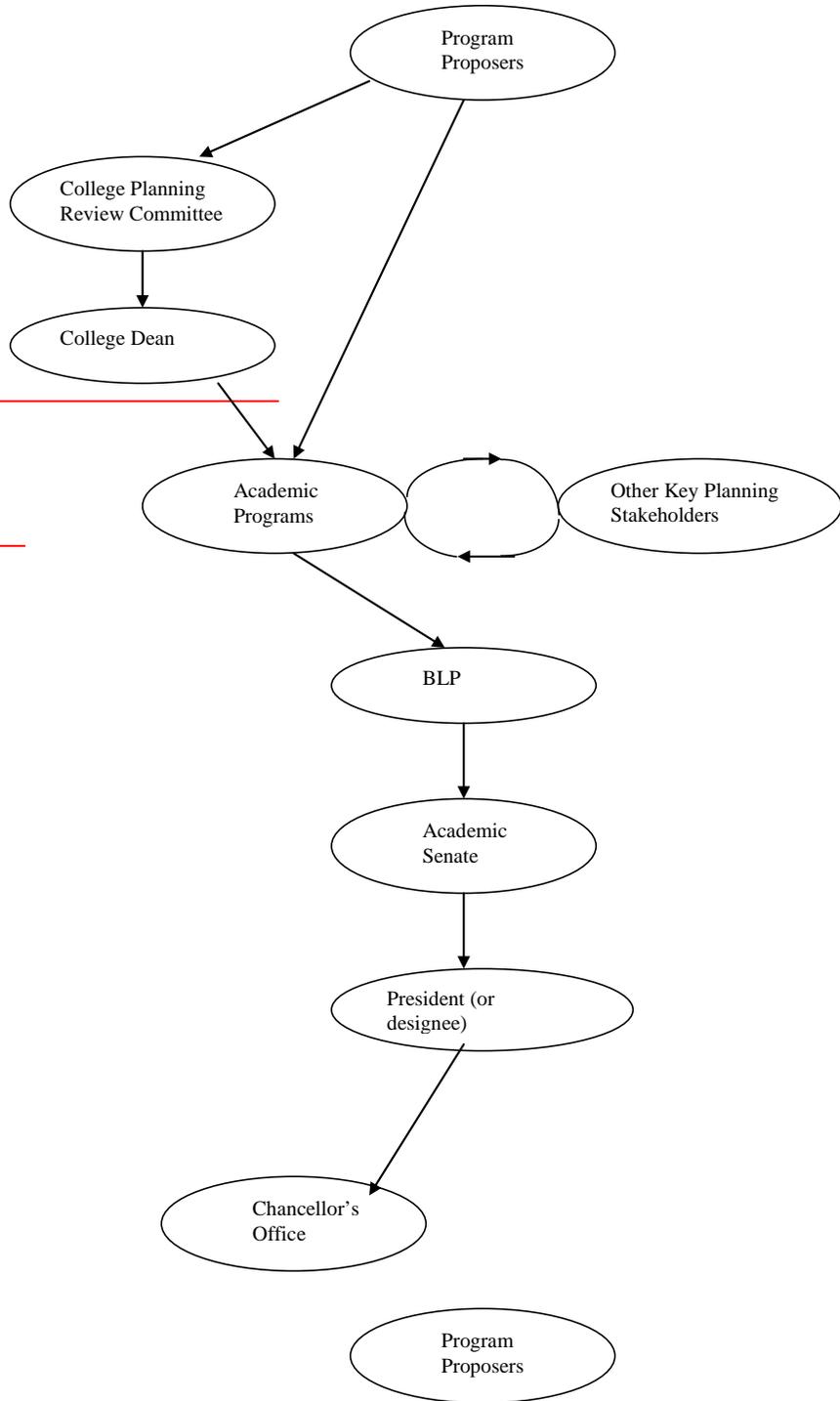
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212 ~~— After the Consent Calendar is approved, BLP sends reports to Academic Programs.~~

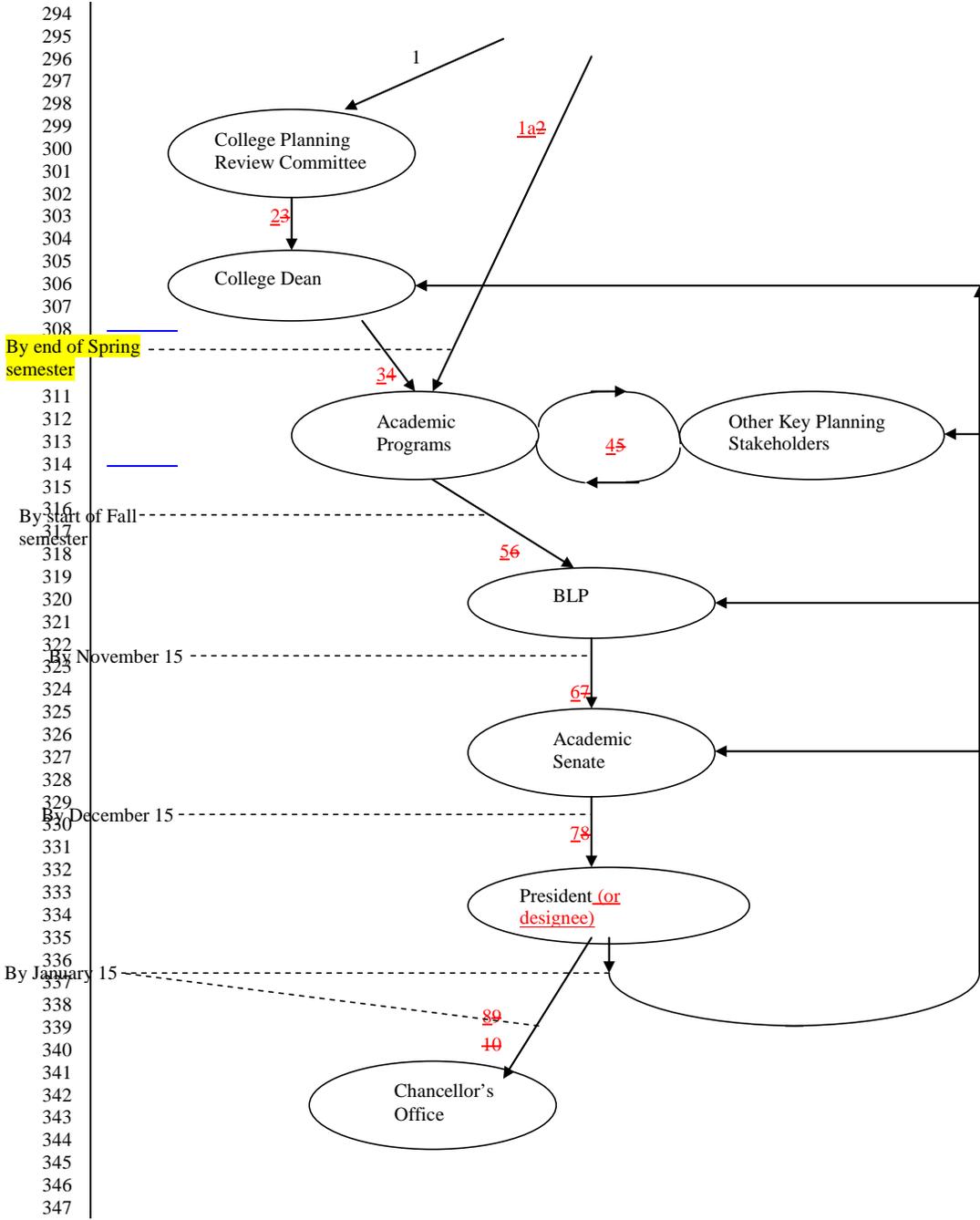
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215 ~~[Note: The UAMPs of all CSU campuses are presented to the Board of Trustees in mid March as~~
216 ~~part of the report of the Committee on Educational Policy. This report is also sent to the~~

217 ~~California Postsecondary Education Commission, which monitors the CSU program review~~
218 ~~process.]~~
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220 ~~• Academic Senate. Acts upon BLP recommendation. The Senate forwards its recommendation to~~
221 ~~the Provost and President by the end of the Fall semester.~~
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223 ~~— Provost and President (or designee). If the President ratifies the positive Academic Senate~~
224 ~~recommendation, Reviews Academic Senate recommendation and all supporting documentation~~
225 ~~provided by Academic Programs forwards the request to add a new degree program to the and~~
226 ~~prepares the UAMP that will be submitted to the Chancellor's Office, in early January. The~~
227 ~~President has authority to modify the draft Campus UAMP recommended by the Academic~~
228 ~~Senate in producing the official Campus UAMP.~~
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230 ~~1. The UAMP is sent to the Board of Trustees in January of each academic year. The Trustees~~
231 ~~formally approve the UAMP at their presented at the Board of Trustees meeting in January March~~
232 ~~and the campuses are notified in xx month April about their newly approved programs. [Note:~~
233 ~~The UAMPs of all CSU campuses are presented to the Board of Trustees in mid March as part of~~
234 ~~the report of the Committee on Educational Policy. This report is also sent to the California~~
235 ~~Postsecondary Education Commission, which monitors the CSU program review process.]~~

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348 Flowchart description and authority of stakeholders:
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351 Program proposals are sent to college planning review committees. Independent program
352 proposals are sent directly to Academic Programs. Academic Programs has authority to accept
353 proposals outside of the existing colleges (other proposals are returned to be routed through
354 the college planning review process). Draft CAMPs are sent to deans. College planning review
355 committees exercise authority to decide which programs appear on these draft CAMPs.
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357 4. — CAMPs are forwarded to Academic Programs. College deans have authority to modify
358 the CAMPs submitted by the college planning review committees. The CAMPs submitted by the
359 deans are the official CAMPs and are not changed later in the UAMP process.
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361 5. — Academic Programs solicits feedback from other key planning stakeholders at the
362 beginning during the Summer. These key planning stakeholders provide only comments and
363 recommendations.
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365 6. — Academic Programs forwards all CAMPs and all accepted independent program
366 proposals (see 2 above) to BLP at beginning of Fall semester. As it becomes available,
367 comments/recommendations from other key planning stakeholders (see 5 above) is provided to
368 BLP (by beginning of Fall Semester).
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370 7. — BLP sends draft UAMP to Academic Senate. BLP exercises authority to decide which
371 programs appear on the draft UAMP.
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373 8. — Academic Senate forwards the draft UAMP to President. Academic Senate has authority
374 to modify the draft UAMP prepared by BLP.
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376 10. — President sends the official UAMP to the Chancellor's Office in January and the campus
377 community is notified. The President has authority to modify the draft UAMP recommended by
378 the Academic Senate in producing the official UAMP.
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FAC: PERIODIC EVALUATION OF ATHLETIC COACHES (FAC 326-08) PROCEDURES

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2 **Rationale:** *The added paragraph (in two places) should have been included in the version sent to*
3 *Academic Senate last semester. This paragraph is consistent with the CBA, and a similar*
4 *statement is found in the lecturer evaluation policy.*
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6 **Definition:** This document sets forth the procedure for the Periodic Evaluation of Athletic Coaches. The
7 provisions of this document are intended to be implemented in conformity with CBA Article
8 15.
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10 **Authority:** The Collective Bargaining Agreement between California State University and the California
11 Faculty Association.
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13 **Scope:** Coaching faculty unit employees within the Department of Athletics.
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Karen S. Haynes, President

Approval Date

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Graham Oberem, Provost and VP for Academic Affairs

Approval Date

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46 Revised: 1/01/2016 (previously titled "Evaluation for Athletic Coaches Policy)

47 Implemented: 9/8/2008
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49 **I. GENERAL ELEMENTS**

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51 The purpose of this document is to provide a procedure for the annual periodic evaluation of
52 coaching faculty unit employees. The document complies with the procedure as set forth in the
53 Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA, Article 15). Within 14 days of appointment, the
54 Director of Athletics will provide coaches with a copy of this procedure on the Periodic
55 Evaluation of Athletic Coaches.

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57 The custodian of the Personnel Action Files (PAFs) of athletic coaches shall be the Associate
58 Vice President for Faculty Affairs.

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61 **II. EVALUATION PROCESS FOR HEAD COACHES**

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63 A. The Working Personnel Action File: The Head Coach will submit a Working Personnel
64 Action File (WPAF) consisting of items 1, 2, 3 and 5 below.

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66 1. Form A1, "CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics: Season Goals," with the Pre-season
67 Goals and Post-season Assessment sections completed.
- 68 2. A personal post-season assessment. This assessment may include a simple outline
69 of which goals were met and which were not, or a more detailed discussion of
70 how or why goals were or were not met. Supporting materials may be included as
71 well.
- 72 3. Form D, "Peer Input" (optional).
- 73 4. Student-athlete evaluations. The Director of Athletics will directly access the
74 student-athlete evaluations; coaches do not need to submit these evaluations with
75 their WPAFs. Copies will be provided to the coaches.
- 76 5. An index of these materials, which shall be permanently placed in the Head
77 Coach's Personnel Action File (PAF).
- 78 6. A request for an external review of materials submitted by a Coach may be
79 initiated at any level of review by any party to the review. Such a request shall
80 specify the special circumstances that necessitate an outside reviewer and the
81 nature of the materials needing external review. The request must be approved by
82 the President or President's designee with the concurrence of the Coach (CBA
83 15).

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85 Timeline:

- 86 ○ The WPAF shall be submitted to the Director of Athletics by June 1.

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88 B. Pre-season goals and post-season assessment meetings: Prior to each season of
89 competition, the Head Coach and the Director of Athletics will meet to set goals for the
90 upcoming season. Goals will be set in the areas of team athletic performance, team
91 academic performance, fundraising, and recruiting; an "other" category will also be
92 available for any program-specific goals that may apply. It is expected that the goals will

93 be challenging but realistic— not unreasonable or unattainable. These goals will be
 94 documented in the “Pre-season Goals” section on Form A1: CSUSM Intercollegiate
 95 Athletics: Season Goals.
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97 At the conclusion of each season, the Head Coach and the Director of Athletics will meet
 98 to assess whether or not the set pre-season goals were met. If the goals were not met,
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100 they will discuss the reasons. The post-season assessment will be documented in the
 101 “Post-season assessment” section on Form A1: CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics: Season
 102 Goals.
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104 Timeline:

- 105 ○ The Pre-season Goals meeting will be held before the first official contest.
- 106 ○ The Post-season Assessment meeting will be held as soon as possible after the
 107 conclusion of the season.
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- 109 C. Student-athlete evaluations: Head Coaches will be evaluated by their student-athletes
 110 using Form B1, “Student-Athlete Evaluation of CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics (Head
 111 Coach).”
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113 The Office of Institutional Planning & Analysis will generate the evaluations for each
 114 team to complete near the conclusion of the season at a team meeting at which the coach
 115 being evaluated will not be present. The evaluation results will be sent to the Director of
 116 Athletics and, after the completion of the season, to the coach.
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118 Timeline:

- 119 ○ The student-athlete evaluations for all fall, winter and spring sports will be
 120 administered during the same period as spring semester course evaluations.
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- 122 D. Peer Input (optional): Coaches have the option of submitting a peer evaluation using
 123 Form D, “Peer Input,” as part of their WPAFs.
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- 125 E. Performance Appraisal: The information submitted with the WPAF, including
 126 documentation of the pre-season goals and post-season assessment meetings, student-
 127 athlete evaluations, and peer input (if any), will form the basis for the Head Coach’s
 128 Performance Appraisal to be done by the Director of Athletics. The Director of Athletics
 129 will complete Form C1, “Cal State San Marcos Athletics: Performance Appraisal for
 130 Head Coaches” and provide a copy to the Head Coach. The Head Coach will be given at
 131 least five (5) days’ notice of the placement of Form C1 in his/her PAF.
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- 133 F. The Head Coach may request an external review of the materials submitted for evaluation.
 134 Such a request must document the special circumstances that necessitate an external reviewer.
 135 The request must be approved by the President’s designee.
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Timeline:

- o The Periodic Evaluation must be completed by June 15.

III. EVALUATION PROCESS FOR ASSISTANT COACHES

A. The Working Personnel Action File: The Assistant Coach will submit a Working Personnel Action File (WPAF) consisting of items 1, 2, 3 and 5 below.

1. Form A2, “CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics: Season Goals,” with the Pre-season Expectations and Post-season Assessment sections completed.
2. A personal post-season assessment. This assessment may include a simple outline of which goals were met and which were not, or a more detailed discussion of how or why goals were or were not met. Supporting materials may be included as well.
3. Form D, “Peer Input” (optional).
4. Student-athlete evaluations. The Director of Athletics will directly access the student-athlete evaluations; coaches do not need to submit these evaluations with their WPAFs. Copies will be provided to the coaches.
5. An index of these materials, which shall be permanently placed in the Assistant Coach’s Personnel Action File (PAF).
6. A request for an external review of materials submitted by an Assistant Coach may be initiated at any level of review by any party to the review. Such a request shall specify the special circumstances that necessitate an outside reviewer and the nature of the materials needing external review. The request must be approved by the President or President’s designee with the concurrence of the Assistant Coach (CBA 15).

Timeline:

- o The WPAF shall be submitted to the Director of Athletics by June 1.

B. Pre-season expectations and post-season assessment meetings: Prior to each season of competition, the Head Coach will meet with each Assistant Coach to discuss expectations for Assistant Coach performance for the upcoming season. Duties with respect to attendance at practice and competition, work with student-athletes, and administrative duties will be set; an “other” category will also be available for any program-specific duties that may apply. These goals will be documented in the “Pre-season Expectations” section on Form A2: CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics: Season Expectations.

At the conclusion of each season, the Head Coach will meet again with each Assistant Coach to assess whether or not the expectations were met. If expectations were not met,

181 they will discuss the reasons. The post-season assessment will be documented in the
182 “Post-season Assessment” section on Form A2: CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics: Season
183 Expectations.

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185 Timeline:

- 186 ○ The Pre-season Expectations meeting will be held before the first official contest.
- 187 ○ The Post-season Assessment meeting will be held as soon as possible after the
- 188 conclusion of season.

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190 C. Student-athlete evaluations: Assistant Coaches will be evaluated by their student-athletes
191 using Form B2, “Student-Athlete Evaluation of CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics
192 (Assistant Coach).” Because of the unique responsibilities of track and field Assistant
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196 Coaches, they will be evaluated using Form B3, “Student-Athlete Evaluation of CSUSM
197 Intercollegiate Athletics (Track and Field Assistant Coach).”

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199 The Office of Institutional Planning & Analysis will generate the evaluations for each
200 team to complete near the conclusion of the season at a team meeting at which the coach
201 being evaluated will not be present. The evaluation results will be sent to the Director of
202 Athletics and, after the completion of the season, to the Assistant Coach.

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204 Timeline:

- 205 ○ The student-athlete evaluations for all fall, winter, and spring sports will be
- 206 administered during the same period as spring semester course evaluations.

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208 D. Peer Input (optional): Coaches have the option of submitting a peer evaluation using
209 Form D: “Peer Input,” as part of their WPAFs.

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211 E. Performance Appraisal: The information submitted with the WPAF, including
212 documentation of the pre-season expectations and post-season assessment meetings,
213 student evaluations, and peer input (if any) will form the basis for the Assistant Coach’s
214 Performance Appraisal to be done by the Director of Athletics with input from the Head
215 Coach. The Director of Athletics will complete Form C2, “Cal State San Marcos
216 Athletics: Performance Appraisal for Assistant Coaches,” and provide a copy to the
217 Assistant Coach. The Assistant Coach will be given at least five (5) days’ notice of the
218 placement of Form C2 in his/her PAF.

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220 F. The Assistant Coach may request an external review of the materials submitted for evaluation.
221 Such a request must document the special circumstances that necessitate an external reviewer.
222 The request must be approved by the President’s designee.

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224 Timeline:

- The Periodic Evaluation must be completed by June 15.

IV. COACHING FACULTY REBUTTAL/RESPONSE PROCESS

Per Article 15 of the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the CFA and the CSU, the Head Coach or Assistant Coach may submit a rebuttal or response in writing and/or request a meeting to discuss the evaluation within ten (10) days following receipt of the evaluation. A copy of the response or rebuttal statement shall be placed with Form C1/C2 in the coach’s PAF.

V. FORMS TO BE USED FOR EVALUATION OF COACHING FACULTY

- A. Form A1: CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics: Season Goals – for head coaches.
- B. Form A2: CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics: Season Expectations – for assistant coaches.
- C. Form B1: Student-Athlete Evaluation of CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics (Head Coach)
- D. Form B2: Student-Athlete Evaluation of CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics (Assistant Coach)
- E. Form B3: Student-Athlete Evaluation of CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics (Track and Field Assistant Coach)
- F. Form C1: Cal State San Marcos Athletics: Performance Appraisal for Head Coaches
- G. Form C2: Cal State San Marcos Athletics: Performance Appraisal for Assistant Coaches
- H. Form D: Peer Input (optional)

Effective Date: / /2016



V. FORMS TO BE USED FOR EVALUATION OF COACHING FACULTY

- A. Form A1: CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics: Season Goals – for head coaches.
- B. Form A2: CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics: Season Expectations – for assistant coaches.
- C. Form B1: Student-Athlete Evaluation of CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics (Head Coach)
- D. Form B2: Student-Athlete Evaluation of CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics (Assistant Coach)
- E. Form B3: Student-Athlete Evaluation of CSUSM Intercollegiate Athletics (Track and Field Assistant Coach)
- F. Form C1: Cal State San Marcos Athletics: Performance Appraisal for Head Coaches
- G. Form C2: Cal State San Marcos Athletics: Performance Appraisal for Assistant Coaches
- H. Form D: Peer Input (optional)

FORM A2: CSUSM INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS: SEASON EXPECTATIONS

As part of the coach evaluation process, the Head Coach and Director of Athletics will meet with all Assistant Coaches at the beginning of each season to set expectations for the assistant coach. They will meet again at season's end to assess whether those expectations were met.

ASST. COACH: _____

SPORT: _____ **SEASON:** _____

PRE-SEASON EXPECTATIONS	POST-SEASON ASSESSMENT
1. Attendance	1. Attendance
Practice:	Practice:
Competition:	Competition:
2. Work with student-athletes	2. Work with student-athletes
3. Administrative duties	3. Administrative duties
5. Academics	5. Academics
Asst. Coach Signature* Date	Asst. Coach Signature** Date
Head Coach Signature Date	Head Coach Signature Date
Director of Athletics Signature Date	Director of Athletics Signature Date
*Signature indicates agreement that expectations set are reasonable.	** Your signature here does not necessarily indicate that you agree with the post-season goal assessment. It indicates that you have reviewed it and had an opportunity to discuss it with your supervisor.

**FORM B1: STUDENT-ATHLETE EVALUATION OF
CSUSM INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS (HEAD COACH)**

We would appreciate your honest responses to the following evaluation questions. The information from this questionnaire will be kept strictly confidential.

SPORT: _____ HEAD COACH'S NAME: _____

NUMBER OF YEARS IN SPORT AT CSUSM: _____ YEAR IN SCHOOL: _____

ROLE ON TEAM (STARTER, RESERVE, ETC.) _____

DO YOU INTEND TO PARTICIPATE IN ATHLETICS AGAIN NEXT SEASON? _____

WHY OR WHY NOT? _____

EVALUATION OF OVERALL EXPERIENCE IN ATHLETICS

	A great deal	Somewhat	Not at all
How has your technical skill in your sport improved this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	A great deal	Somewhat	Not at all
How has your knowledge of your sport improved this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	A great deal	Somewhat	Not at all
How has your physical fitness improved this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	A great deal	Somewhat	Not at all
How has your overall athletic performance improved this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

How satisfied are you with your overall experience in intercollegiate athletics this year?

Highly satisfied

Somewhat satisfied

Somewhat dissatisfied

Highly dissatisfied

EVALUATION OF HEAD COACH

Please rate your **head coach** on the following items by marking the appropriate box. If you wish, in the line below the box you may add any comments that you feel are appropriate.

Your head coach...	Strongly agree	Agree somewhat	Disagree somewhat	Strongly disagree
Has knowledge and expertise in your sport	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keeps informed of current techniques and strategies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Attends all practices and contests	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consistently maintains office hours as scheduled	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Uses practice time effectively	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Exercises appropriate control in practice and contests	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provides a safe, healthy environment for student-athletes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Your head coach...	Strongly agree	Agree somewhat	Disagree somewhat	Strongly disagree
Demonstrates professional conduct with officials	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Demonstrates professional conduct with athletes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Displays a professional appearance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Your head coach...	Strongly agree	Agree somewhat	Disagree somewhat	Strongly disagree
Develops and clearly communicates team goals and objectives	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Establishes and clearly communicates team (or meet/tournament/etc.) selection criteria	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Establishes and clearly communicates team rules	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Applies team discipline appropriately and consistently	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Your head coach...	Strongly agree	Agree somewhat	Disagree somewhat	Strongly disagree
Provides opportunity for discussion and questions of areas of concern	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Motivates athletes effectively	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Communicates awareness of and compliance with NCAA DII and university rules	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Understands athletic eligibility rules and informs athletes of those requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Organizes away-trips that are well-planned and efficiently run	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Organizes home contests and events that are well planned and efficiently run	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Overall, how effective has your **head coach** been this year?

Highly effective

Somewhat effective

Somewhat ineffective

Highly ineffective

What do you consider to be the strengths of your head coach?

What suggestions do you have that might help your head coach be more effective?

Please include any other comments you feel are appropriate.

**FORM B2: STUDENT-ATHLETE EVALUATION OF CSUSM
INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS (ASSISTANT COACH)**

We would appreciate your honest responses to the following evaluation questions. The information from this questionnaire will be kept strictly confidential.

SPORT: _____ ASSISTANT COACH'S NAME: _____

NUMBER OF YEARS IN SPORT AT CSUSM: _____ YEAR IN SCHOOL: _____

ROLE ON TEAM (STARTER, RESERVE, ETC.) _____

Overall, how effective has your **assistant coach** been this year?

Highly effective

Somewhat effective

Somewhat ineffective

Highly ineffective

What do you consider to be the strengths of your assistant coach?

What suggestions do you have that might help your assistant coach be more effective?)

Please include any other comments you feel are appropriate.

FORM B3: STUDENT-ATHLETE EVALUATION OF CSUSM INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS (TRACK AND FIELD ASSISTANT COACH)

We would appreciate your honest responses to the following evaluation questions. The information from this questionnaire will be kept strictly confidential.

SPORT: _____ ASSISTANT COACH'S NAME: _____

NUMBER OF YEARS IN SPORT AT CSUSM: _____ YEAR IN SCHOOL: _____

ROLE ON TEAM (STARTER, RESERVE, ETC.) _____

DO YOU INTEND TO PARTICIPATE IN ATHLETICS AGAIN NEXT SEASON?

WHY OR WHY NOT? _____

EVALUATION OF OVERALL EXPERIENCE IN ATHLETICS

	A great deal	Somewhat	Not at all
How has your technical skill in your sport improved this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
How has your knowledge of your sport improved this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
How has your physical fitness improved this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
How has your overall athletic performance improved this year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

How satisfied are you with your overall experience in intercollegiate athletics this year?

Highly satisfied	Somewhat satisfied	Somewhat dissatisfied	Highly dissatisfied
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

EVALUATION OF ASSISTANT COACH

Please rate your **assistant coach** on the following items by marking the appropriate box. If you wish, in the line below the box you may add any comments that you feel are appropriate

Your assistant coach...	Strongly agree	Agree somewhat	Disagree somewhat	Strongly disagree
Has knowledge and expertise in your sport	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keeps informed of current techniques and strategies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Attends all practices and contests	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consistently maintains office hours as scheduled	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Uses practice time effectively	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Exercises appropriate control in practice and contests	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provides a safe, healthy environment for student-athletes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Your assistant coach...	Strongly agree	Agree somewhat	Disagree somewhat	Strongly disagree
Demonstrates professional conduct with athletes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Motivates athletes effectively	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Overall, how effective has your **assistant coach** been this year?

Highly effective	Somewhat effective	Somewhat ineffective	Highly ineffective
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

What do you consider to be the strengths of your assistant coach?

What suggestions do you have that might help your assistant coach be more effective?)

Please include any other comments you feel are appropriate.

**FORM C1: CAL STATE SAN MARCOS ATHLETICS:
PERFORMANCE APPRAISAL for
HEAD COACHES**

Name _____ Sport _____

Appraisal Period _____ Years in Current Position _____

Team GPA _____ Graduation Rate _____

Conference/ National Championship Appearances _____

Awards / Special Recognition for Coach / Athletes

The following scale will be used to rate performances in each of the areas listed below. Ratings of unsatisfactory and marginal performance or of outstanding performance will be accompanied by written comments.

NA	Not Applicable or not observed	3	Satisfactory
1	Unsatisfactory	4	Commendable
2	Marginal	5	Outstanding

I. COMMITMENT TO THE GOALS OF THE UNIVERSITY/DEPARTMENT OF ATHLETICS

- a. Demonstrates commitment to the mission and purpose of the university _____
- b. Demonstrates commitment to the mission and purpose of Athletics _____
- c. Communicates effectively with internal groups: other coaches and staff _____
- d. Works cooperatively with internal groups: other coaches and staff _____
- e. Communicates effectively with external groups: faculty, boosters, media, fans, and parents _____
- f. Conducts self and program in a professional manner at all times _____
- g. Attends meetings and Athletics Department functions as requested _____
- h. Supports community events through team and personal participation _____
- i. Demonstrates commitment to NCAA Division II and CCAA Compliance _____
- j. Sets meaningful goals for team athletic achievement _____

COMMENTS

II. ADMINISTRATIVE QUALITIES

- a. Effectively plans, administers, and monitors team scheduling _____
- b. Effectively plans, administers, and monitors team travel _____
- c. Completes reports promptly and maintains organized records _____
- d. Has developed and enforces written team rules and expectations
on and off the field, and on and off the campus _____
- e. Arranges a competitive competition schedule within budgetary limits _____
- f. Makes effective use of Assistant Coaches and student workers _____
- g. Manages sport budget effectively _____
- h. Participates in the promotion of the sport _____
- i. Demonstrates adherence to Athletics Department policies relating to
purchasing and travel _____
- j. Makes effective use of resources _____
- k. Overall management of the sports program _____

COMMENTS

III. COACHING SKILLS

- a. Displays a technical knowledge of the sport for competitive NCAA DII play _____
- b. Maintains a current knowledge of sport rules and trends _____
- c. Demonstrates ability to effectively teach players in sport techniques _____
- d. Demonstrates ability to motivate players to produce maximum results _____
- e. Exercises control, leadership, and sound judgment during practices
and competitive events _____
- f. Maintains a positive rapport with and shows respect toward athletes _____
- g. Provides a positive role model for student athletes _____

COMMENTS

IV. RULES COMPLIANCE

- a. Understands and complies with NCAA DII rules and regulations _____
- b. Understands and complies with applicable university student-athlete recruitment policy _____
- c. Understands, instructs athletes regarding, and enforces university Student-Athlete Code of Conduct _____
- d. Understands and complies with university regulations _____
- e. Understands and complies with Athletics Department policies and procedures. _____

COMMENTS

V. ATHLETE ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

- a. Promotes student-athlete academic progress _____
- b. Works cooperatively with academic support services to monitor the academic progress of student-athletes _____
- c. Makes a consistent effort toward the improvement of graduation rates for team members _____
- d. Overall team academic achievement _____
- e. Supports and encourages student-athletes in the use of academic resources and advising _____

COMMENTS

**FORM C2: CAL STATE SAN MARCOS ATHLETICS:
PERFORMANCE APPRAISAL for
ASSISTANT COACH**

Name _____

Sport _____

Appraisal Period _____

Years in Current Position _____

The following scale will be used to rate performances in each of the areas listed below. Ratings of unsatisfactory and marginal performance or of outstanding performance will be accompanied by written comments.

NA	Not Applicable or not observed	3	Satisfactory
1	Unsatisfactory	4	Commendable
2	Marginal	5	Outstanding

I. COMMITMENT TO THE GOALS OF THE UNIVERSITY / DEPARTMENT OF ATHLETICS

- a. Demonstrates commitment to the mission and purpose of the university _____
- b. Demonstrates commitment to the mission and purpose of Athletics _____
- c. Communicates effectively with internal groups: other coaches and staff _____
- d. Works cooperatively with internal groups: other coaches and staff _____
- e. Communicates effectively with external groups: faculty, media, fans, and parents _____
- f. Conducts self and program in a professional manner at all times _____
- g. Attends meetings and Athletics Department functions as requested _____
- h. Supports community events through personal participation _____
- i. Demonstrates commitment to NCAA DII & CCAA Compliance _____
- j. Sets meaningful goals for team athletic achievement _____

COMMENTS

II. ADMINISTRATIVE QUALITIES

- a. Effectively assists with team scheduling (if applicable) _____
- b. Effectively assists with team travel (if applicable) _____
- c. Completes reports promptly and maintains organized records _____
- d. Enforces written team rules and expectations on and off the field, and on and off the campus _____
- e. Maintains expenditures within budget parameters _____
- f. Participates in the promotion of the sport _____
- g. Demonstrates adherence to Athletics Department policies relating to purchasing and travel _____
- h. Makes effective use of resources _____
- i. Keeps abreast of departmental communications, including via e-mail and voice-mail _____

COMMENTS

III. COACHING SKILLS

- a. Displays a technical knowledge of the sport for competitive NCAA DII play _____
- b. Maintains a current knowledge of sport rules and trends _____
- c. Demonstrates ability to effectively teach players in sport techniques _____
- d. Demonstrates ability to motivate players to produce maximum results _____
- e. Exercises control, leadership, and sound judgment during practices and competitive events _____
- f. Maintains a positive rapport with and shows respect toward athletes _____
- g. Provides a positive role model for student-athletes _____

COMMENTS

IV. RULES COMPLIANCE

- a. Understands and complies with NCAA DII rules and regulations _____
- b. Understands, instructs athletes regarding, and enforces university Student-Athlete Code of Conduct _____
- c. Understands and complies with university regulations _____

COMMENTS

V. ATHLETE ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

- a. Promotes student-athlete academic progress. _____
- b. Works cooperatively with academic support services to monitor the academic progress of student-athletes. _____
- c. Makes a consistent effort toward the improvement of graduation rates for team members. _____
- d. Supports and encourages student-athletes in the use of academic resources and advising. _____

COMMENTS

VI. RECRUITING

- a. Understands that the head coach is responsible for recruiting, and coordinates all recruiting efforts with the head coach _____
- b. Understands NCAA DII rules governing contact with recruits _____
- c. Makes no offers or promises regarding university admissions, scholarships, etc., without the prior written approval of the head coach _____
- d. Establishes a rapport with regional high schools and coaches _____
- e. Responds promptly to all inquiries and correspondence _____
- f. Accurately assesses prospective student-athletes _____

COMMENTS

OVERALL RANKING AND COMMENTS

Overall Ranking: _____

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|------------------|
| 1 Unsatisfactory |
| 2 Marginal |
| 3 Satisfactory |
| 4 Commendable |
| 5 Outstanding |

A copy of this evaluation will be placed in your Personnel Action File five (5) or more days from this date. Within ten (10) days following receipt of this evaluation, you may attach or submit a response or rebuttal to this evaluation to your Personnel Action File and/or request a meeting with the evaluator.

By signing this form, you are **not** indicating that you agree with the evaluation. Your signature indicates that you have been provided with a copy of this evaluation.

Signature of Assistant Coach Date

Signature of Director of Athletics Date

Signature of Head Coach Date

FORM D: INTERNAL PEER INPUT (OPTIONAL)

HEAD OR ASSISTANT COACH'S NAME _____

SPORT _____ YEAR _____

INTERNAL PEER NAME _____

RELATIONSHIP TO COACH _____

PROVIDE ASSESSMENT OF COACH'S PERFORMANCE BELOW:

PEER SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____