

**FCS Statewide Advisory Committee Minutes  
September 15, 2006  
Sacramento CA**

Attending: Jill Golden, Cynthia Schlesinger, Roger Gerard, Terri Faraone, Sue Clark, Lisa Ledebor, Shelia Dufresne, Carol Lee, Lori Graham, Joann Driggers, Donna Stearns, Steve Kasmar, Allen Martin, Lucy Berger, Pat Macias Najar, Patty Dilko, Jeri Lupton, Kristine Passalaqua, Jan Swinton, Shirley Brown, Susan Coleman

<b>Agenda</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Action</b>
<b>I. Welcome and Introductions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduced new members</li> </ul>	
<b>II. Review Agenda</b>		
<b>III. Correct and Approve Minutes from May 6, 2006</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approved as corrected</li> </ul>	
<b>IV. Update Membership Roster</b>		
<b>V. Update on Budget</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Same budget and activities as last year</li> </ul>	
<b>VI. Special Populations Update</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Special Populations Conference “CSI: Career Scene Investigation” December 6-7, 2006 in Sacramento</li> <li>• Demand for CAD drafting with upgraded skills</li> </ul>	Sue will forward PDF to Susan for distribution
<b>VII. Industry Partner Updates</b>	<p><b>Kristine Passalaqua – Interior Design</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• High End Appliances</li> <li>• Outdoor environments</li> <li>• Bold Colors</li> <li>• Technology in homes</li> <li>• High End bathrooms</li> <li>• Darker woods</li> </ul>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Stainless</li><li>• Quick sketch</li><li>• CAD</li><li>• Measuring/math</li><li>• 20/20 for kitchen</li><li>• Communication skills</li><li>• Knowledge of resources</li><li>• Work with trades</li><li>• Organizational skills</li></ul> <p><b>Cynthia Schlesinger - Gerontology</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Retail catering to older adults</li><li>• New living options for aging healthy</li><li>• Travel for older adults</li><li>• Financial and retirement planning</li><li>• Need skilled geriatricians</li><li>• Bio, psycho, and ,social needs of adults</li><li>• Looking at certification for people working with older adults- California Council of Gerontology and Geriatrics</li><li>• Downsizing living spaces</li><li>• Communications kills</li><li>• Ageism</li></ul> <p><b>Jeri Lupton-Early Childhood</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• “Preschool for All” did not pass but some counties are implementing</li></ul>	
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	<p>the concept which is calling for more education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Child Development Permit through credentialing agency</li><li>• Expanding Mentor Teacher Program</li><li>• Higher standards for teachers with more interest in BA Degree</li><li>• Salaries are still low which causes staff turnover</li><li>• Large focus on early learning standards in Pre-K</li><li>• Understand what and how young children learn and be able to translate that to parents and policy makers</li></ul> <p><b>Shirley Brown-Food &amp; Nutrition</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Child Nutrition Conference with 20 countries attending to take information back to their countries to expand school feeding programs; work is progressing</li><li>• USDA is in the process of rewriting regulations for school feeding programs based on her dietary guidelines; requires a wellness policy including obesity; California has one of the strongest policies of what good food can be in schools; manufacturers have a problem</li></ul>	
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	<p>producing food that meets the requirements;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Food service directors are retiring and there is no replacement; opportunity for community colleges</li><li>• Salary range is \$80-100 range for year round jobs</li><li>• Intergenerational centers</li><li>• Governor signed AB24 to protect the children and healthy eating</li><li>• AB 2226 provide screening information on Type II diabetes to parents; California Obesity Strategic Plan</li><li>• School Food Service Association is expanding online course for certification and credentialing</li><li>• Barrier at university is hiring people who are RD's and there is no information on food service management; not promoted as a career option</li><li>• School districts are contracting with industry to run programs</li><li>• Should be part of Restaurant Management programs</li><li>• Culinary instructors seminar was highly successful and expanding in Merced area; Shirley would be</li></ul>	
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	<p>happy to host again; Faculty received a lot of new resources; Jill wrote a report for CCCFCS website on this wonderful Culinary staff development.</p>	
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<p><b>VIII.Partner Agency Reports</b></p>	<p><b>Donna Stearns</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New Perkins legislation has been passed and signed August 12 2006; California will have transition year for 2007-2008; NCLB prevailed over WIA and special populations were winners; 5% admin is still in act; each state has the option to fold Tech Prep in to the basic grant or fund it as a stand along program as it is now; new act will hold colleges accountable with sanctions; advisory committees will continue to be funded;</li> </ul> <p><b>Lucy Berger</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SB 70 provided \$20 million for CTE programs; \$4 million to Academic Senate for articulation; Child Development is going to be in the central region and they are looking for community college and high school faculty; many changes in system office;</li> <li>• Student services and special services have added Foster Youth as a high priority; striving to get financial aid director to become a resource for foster youth;</li> </ul>	<p>Patty Dilko should contact Academic Senate about standards and existing projects</p>
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<p><b>IX. Academic Senate Report</b></p>	<p><b>Patty Dilko</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• October 27 Fall Plenary Session</li> <li>• Hot issues are non credit courses, increase in math and English requirements – intermediate algebra and composition,</li> <li>• Supporting ballot initiative to lower fees to \$15</li> <li>• Community college funding</li> <li>• Articulation and common course numbering</li> <li>• Fees are going to \$20 for winter term</li> </ul>	
<p><b>X. Articulation Report</b></p>	<p><b>Carol Lee</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LDTP is controversial; alternative transfer program; CSU is holding LTDP students to higher standards than native students</li> <li>• Allen stated that this does not apply to FCS courses</li> <li>• Interior design is impacted and students may not be able to get in program even if they have an articulation agreement</li> </ul>	
<p><b>XI. Collaborative Grant Project</b></p>	<p><b>Joann Driggers</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Website – update directory for website; sending FLASH list</li> <li>• FLASH Topics – communication skills, time management, research skills, articulation with high</li> </ul>	

	<p>schools; professional organizations; global competencies;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Distributed grant activities for 06-07</li> <li>• Save Date for Student Events: Fashion Symposium-March 17, Interior Design-March 2 and Culinary-TBA</li> </ul>	
<p><b>XII. Discipline Update</b></p>	<p><b>Allen Martin</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Industry trends: opening of government jobs at all levels in consumer affairs; financial planning is highest paying area;</li> <li>• CSUN has added option C to Consumer Affairs – Furniture and Fixtures Merchandising</li> <li>• CSU-Interior Design is largest area followed by Fashion, Consumer Affairs and Nutrition</li> <li>• CSUN hiring two new fashion and one consumer affairs; hired two interior design full time tenure track for this current year</li> <li>• 2007 CA-FCS Western Regional Conference Financial Smarts by Dept of Consumer Affairs for high school teachers; Miele is hosting lunch on Saturday at their showroom; Friday evening will be an Interior Design competition with</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All submit proposals for conference</li> <li>• Market to HECT, FLASH and Regional Consortium;</li> <li>• Send competition immediately to ID programs with cash awards</li> </ul>

	<p>Miele and Caesar stone;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Same registration fee for members and non-members</li></ul> <p><b>Jill Golden</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ADA will require a masters degree to become RD; Masters to be part of internship year</li><li>• No direction for Dietetic Tech Programs; expensive to accredit; clinical sites are a problem if there is too much competition</li><li>• Santa Ana has a job open for consultant to look at FCS programs;</li><li>• Southern California Food Industry Association Conference at Cal Poly Pomona in February</li><li>• Food safety conference sponsored by USDA in Denver. “How to Read the At Risk Population with Safety Information” \$188 registration fee</li></ul> <p><b>Roger Gerard</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Flavor rich comfort food; slow cooking; fruit wood grilling; farm fresh and homemade items are trends;</li><li>• Hospitality management need supervision and management courses; safety and sanitation</li></ul>	
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	<p>courses for personal use; nutrition is popular; customer services courses;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• JDIF grant for \$593,000 to partner with hotels to do training with existing employees</li><li>• Casinos are building hotel properties and very sophisticated surveillance in facilities;</li></ul> <p><b>Terri Faraone</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Retailing and product development programs; merchandising and design;</li><li>• Production is going off shore but other jobs are staying in the US;</li><li>• Communication is important;</li><li>• Illustrator and Photoshop along with improved technology education; Excel and MS Outlook are standard</li><li>• Developing learning communities and getting out of silos</li><li>• Global competencies</li><li>• PowerPoint needs to be professional presentation</li></ul> <p><b>Sue Clark</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Shared Skills students need for employment which are predominately soft skills</li><li>• Soft skills are taught in Life</li></ul>	
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	<p>Management</p> <p><b>Lisa Ledebor</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Survey life management programs to assess what the colleges are offering</li><li>• Shasta is offering Life Management as a lifelong learning certificate</li><li>• What should the name be???? Life Management is the course</li></ul> <p><b>Lori Graham</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• CIDA(FIDER) has integrated sustainability and communications (drafting, computer programs etc)</li><li>• Emphasis on kitchen and bath design</li><li>• NCIDQ requires a minimum of 60 units in Interior Design to sit for the NCIDQ exam</li><li>• Soft skills are vital and substantiated on the ASID website</li><li>• ASID Los Angeles is doing a career day</li><li>• Pacific West IDEC is being held in OC October 26-28 "Technology and Interior Design"</li><li>• ASID Design Trade expo</li><li>• Community college students need to be supported to be successful in college</li></ul>	
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	<p><b>Jeri Lupton</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Expanding student enrollment in Child Development because of expanded opportunities for stipends; also returning students are coming back to get stipends;</li> <li>• More online classes in competition with private colleges and universities; many are doing hybrid classes</li> <li>• Bi-lingual issues are not being supported</li> <li>• FCS Collaborative Grant is supporting workshops</li> </ul> <p><b>Steve Kasmar</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diner is more educated and needs to be integrated into programs</li> <li>• Skill/Short Term certificates for immediate employment</li> <li>• Program has grown 20%</li> </ul>	
XIII. Review of Mini Grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Educators and industry members reviewed Model Mini Grant proposals</li> </ul>	
XIV. Future Meeting Dates	February 9, 2007 Orange County May 4, 2007 San Francisco	
XV. Other		

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