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**MINUTES**  
**Curriculum and Educational Policy Council (CEPC)**  
**California State University, Long Beach**

**Meeting 9 – AY2022-2023**  
**Wednesday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023**  
**Meeting held online (Zoom)**

*Members Present:* Danny Paskin (Chair), Craig Macaulay (Vice Chair), Praveen Shankar (Secretary), Jody Cormack, Donna Green, Bettina Hsieh, Babette Benken, Jermie Arnold, Tom Tredway, Perla Ayala, Itxaso Rodriguez, Rene Treviño, Seung-hoon Jeong, Leilani Madrigal, Diane Hayashino, Michael Eisenstadt, Henry O’Lawrence, Shamim Mirza, Chris Swarat, Robert Moushon

*Members Absent:* Laura Forrest, Jeet Joshee Tracy Gilmore, Anita Fitzgerald, Salim Alani, Enrico Tapavicza

*Guests Present:* Dina Perrone, Xuhui Li

Meeting called to order at 2:05 pm

1. M|S|P – Approval of agenda
2. M|S|P – Approval of minutes from 02/08/2023 meeting
3. Announcements
  - a. Chair D. Paskin: Senate is working on finalizing CEPC charge. This will be followed by second reading of policy on Credit for Prior Learning
4. CONSENT CALENDAR
  - a. M|S|P – Second Reading of Proposed discontinuance of Bachelor of Arts in Dance, Option in Dance Science
5. Proposed elevation of current Master of Science in Mathematics, Option in Mathematics Education for Secondary School Teachers to a standalone Master of Science in Mathematics for Educators (First Reading) (Time Certain: 2:15pm)
  - a. M|S|P – First Reading
  - b. X. Li (Guest) – The change is primarily to comply with EO1071. However, program will be broader and more inclusive. The change will not impact students in the current program option.



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- c. B. Hsieh asked if the program has content for elementary school teachers. B. Benken responded that this is not a credential program and that is for primarily for current secondary school math teachers who want to pursue a masters degree.
6. Revision of existing Policy on Master's Degrees (Second Reading)
- a. J. Cormack - Modify 6.2 to include "Prior to advancement to candidacy, the student may change program degree options within the same degree with the Graduate Advisor's(s') approval. After advancement to candidacy, the student may change program degree options within the same degree with the approval from all of the following: Graduate Advisor(s), college Associate Dean, Dean of Graduate Studies (or designee)." – *Approved.*
- b. D. Perrone – delete phrase "in a different department" – *Approved.*
- c. Delete 6.4.1 – *Approved.*
- d. Add new 4.9.3 - *Approved*  
"Students entering military service maintain continuous enrollment while serving, provided they:  
A. Are enlisted or called to active duty during a semester in which they are enrolled or not more than one semester thereafter; and  
B. Enroll in courses toward their degree within one calendar year of the date of their release from service."
- e. Add phrase "in residence" to 7.1.C – *Approved.*
- f. Add phrase "prior to the student applying" to 7.2 – *Approved.*
- g. Add new 7.2.1 – "Students can advance to candidacy and graduate in the same semester or session" – *Approved.*
- h. Stopped at 8.0
7. Revision of Policy on Certificates (Second Reading)  
Not discussed

Meeting adjourned at 4:00pm.

*Meeting minutes draft submitted by Praveen Shankar (Secretary, Spring 2023).*