Kinesiology and Athletics Division Curriculum Meeting 11/8/23

In Attendance: Jeff Bissell, Kelly Edwards, Owen Flannery, Warren Hurd, Rita O'Loughlin, Barbara Shewfelt

Jeff started the meeting out with curriculum updates. Specifically the changes that will be coming involving the IGETC pattern, which could include the elimination of certain areas. He shared his screen showing the areas that will be affected, which include all programs in the Kinesiology and Athletics Division (KINS, PHED, PHDA, ATHL, DANC). There was discussion on how Foothill College could continue to support these programs. As a committee, we will continue this discussion.

Next, we discussed the DANC classes. Previously, Mike had mentioned with the retiring Bubba Gong that DANC classes will be eliminated from the division. Jeff shared a list of all DANC classes. Barbara Shewfelt expressed her concern and support for continuing to offer these classes, specifically Ballet, and seek out qualified Dance Instructors. We discussed how these classes have not been offered in a while, and therefore should probably be deactivated. Jeff is going to talk to Mike to find out if there is the possibility of hiring a Dance Instructor.

Following, there was discussion on where we are out in the process of developing an intercollegiate women's badminton program. Jeff indicated the process had started, but then stopped. Kelly agreed to take over the process of and to continue to finish the development of the curriculum.

Jeff then discussed the Guided Principles for Equity in CORS. Jeff shared his screen going over the document and mentioned this will be a part of all Title V updates and that there may be a Canvas site developed to help instructors with questions that come up during this process.

Jeff ended the meeting stating that we will have our next division curriculum meeting one in January and one in April, dates to be determined.