



Weekly Update 1-24-20

RadTech Continues Accreditation Status

Congratulations to our Radiologic Technology Department who recently underwent its own accreditation by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT). The JRCERT is the only agency recognized by the United States Department of Education (USDE) and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) for the accreditation of traditional and distance delivery educational programs in radiography, radiation therapy, magnetic resonance, and medical dosimetry. Specialized accreditation awarded by the JRCERT offers institutions significant value by providing peer evaluation and by assuring the public of quality professional education in the radiologic sciences. The continuing accreditation status of the program was considered at the January 21, 2020 meeting of the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology. The Cañada program was evaluated according to the Standards for an Accredited Educational Program in Radiography (2014) and was awarded accreditation for a period of eight years, the maximum duration awarded by JRCERT. Congratulations to our RadTech Department for its successful visit!



Classified Employee of the Year Nominations: Due Feb. 7

Each year, the Board of Governors along with the State Chancellor's Office seeks nominations from each community college district for their Classified Employee of the Year Award. In our district, the three colleges and the District Office *each* nominate one classified employee. The Board of Trustees reviews the resulting four nominations received and makes the final selection of the nominee to be forwarded to the State. Considerations for the award include a commitment to high standards of job performance and professionalism, demonstrated leadership, collaboration, knowledge, and other criteria.

I encourage and invite all members of the Cañada Community (students, faculty members, and classified staff) to nominate a classified employee for our college's award. If you wish to nominate someone, please fill out attached nomination form. All nominations must be **received by Friday, February 7 at 4:30 p.m.** Please submit your completed nomination form to the **Office of the President** at CANPresident@smccd.edu. The College Cabinet will then review the nominations and make a final selection by February 12 to ensure that we meet the deadline for submitting our nominee to the District.

Strategic Enrollment Management

The PBC's Strategic Enrollment Management Committee is preparing for a day-long retreat on January 31, 2020 to consider [research results of the past year](#) and shape a new-3-year plan for stemming the decline in the College's Full-Time Equivalent Students and home campus students. Optimizing the College's block schedule will be among the topics to be discussed. For more information or interest, please contact [Dr. Karen Engel](#), Dean of PRIE or Dr. Tammy Robinson, Vice President of Instruction.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Sincerely,

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President