Office of Instruction and Student Development Weekly Update: March 3, 2017

Accreditation Update
- CR's Standard IV Accreditation Committee has completed drafts of Standard IV. During this process, we learned that Ron Waters is an evidence-gathering machine. Thanks Ron! We will begin sending Standard IV drafts to stakeholder groups for input shortly.
- Peter Blakemore and the Standard III committee are making great progress drafting Standard III.
- We just sent drafts of Standard I to stakeholder groups, and have received great feedback.
- Standard II was the first standard fully drafted and reviewed by stakeholders.

The ACCJC Annual Report and Annual Fiscal Report are due at the end of this month. We are required to report quantitative information such as the percentage of our courses and programs with ongoing assessment of students learning outcomes and where we fall relative to our institution-set standards. Last year, the ACCJC began an enhanced monitoring of these reports, requiring follow-up from some colleges whose responses indicated issues. CR was not required to follow-up.

Access to Cal Fresh Expanded
As a result of Assembly Bill 1930 (Chapter 729) college students' eligibility for Cal Fresh is greatly expanded. Students enrolled in six or more credit hours who are participating in various college support programs—including federal and state work-study, EOPS, and DSPS—are no longer required to be employed 20 hours per week/80 hours per month to be eligible for Cal Fresh benefits. Please encourage students to stop by the Resource Center and Food Pantry in FM-111 to receive assistance.

Strong Workforce Program Analytics
In February 2017, colleges submitted their Strong Workforce Plans for how they will use the $200 million investment to the system to stimulate career technical education. Proposals from all colleges are available at: http://doingwhatmatters.cccco.edu/StrongWorkforce/LocalShareReports.aspx

Here is an overview of CR's plans. A more detailed description of each is available in this month's Board Packet.
- Automotive Technology (Hybrid, electric, alternative fuel vehicle training)
- Forestry and Natural Resources, Construction Technology, and Agriculture (Drone technologies)
- Computer Information System (CIS) Networking (Information security)
- Business (Entrepreneurship – Business plan competition)
- Digital Media (Application design and audio engineering for TV/Radio)
- Drafting Technology (New equipment and online curriculum)
- Early Childhood Education (Pathways to K-12 teacher training)
- Paramedic (Online course offerings)
- Manufacturing Technology (Equipment for manufacturing and welding programs)

Chancellor's Office Curriculum Inventory (COCI) 2.0
The Chancellor's Office is working to transition all colleges to their new curriculum inventory system referred to as COCI 2.0. The Chancellor's Office will lose access to their current system, Governet, in June 2017. All colleges have been placed into one of three phases – CR has been placed in Phase II. Here is the most recent timeline:
- Phase I (16 colleges) started converting to COCI 2.0 last month.
- Phase II (35 colleges) are scheduled to start the conversion late March.
- Phase III (65 colleges) are scheduled to begin late April.

Fast Fact: *CR's 2016-2017 Catalog*
- # Courses: 652
- # AA/AS degrees: 26
- # Associate for Transfer: 15
- # Certificates of Achievement: 23
- # Certificates of Recognition: 13