

Mt. San Antonio College

Equivalency Committee

Minutes
April 7, 2025
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

x	Tania Anders, Chair	x	Solene Alghannam		Briseida Ramirez Catalan		Kelly Fowler, Manager (non-voting)
	Shelley Doonan	x	Ann Walker			x	John Orr, HR (non-voting)
	Guest (Discipline Expert):						

	Agenda Item	Outcome	Outcome without identifiable information
I	04/7/2025 Minutes approved	04/7/2025 Minutes approved	04/7/2025 Minutes approved
II	Information/Public Comment	None	None
III	Items for Action/ Discussion	Minutes for HR and Equivalency Cmt:	Minutes redacted for Board and Senate:
	<p>The committee considered the following Equivalencies for Music:</p> <p>Master's degree in Music</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Bachelor's degree in Music</p> <p>AND</p> <p>a Master's degree in Humanities</p> <p>OR</p> <p>The equivalent</p> <p>AND</p>		<p>Candidate 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master's in Contemporary Performance & Music Production • Bachelor's in Jazz Saxophone • Candidate meets minimum qualifications <p>Candidate 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Working towards Master's in Music in Performance (planned graduation June 2026) • Bachelor's in Music Performance • Candidate does not meet equivalency

<p>Commitment to the community college goals/objectives of providing quality programs and services for students with diverse abilities and interests; personal qualities to work effectively and sensitively in a multicultural environment; awareness and commitment to the special needs of non-traditional students.</p> <p>The committee considered the following Equivalencies for Histotechnology:</p> <p>Bachelor's degree</p> <p>AND</p> <p>a minimum of three years of experience in medical or laboratory education that includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · teaching courses, conducting and managing learning experiences; · evaluating student achievement; · providing input into curriculum development, policy and procedure formulation; · evaluating program effectiveness. <p>(Professional experience is required when the applicant possesses a master's degree)</p> <p>AND</p>		<p>Candidate 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Working towards Doctorate in Education (42 units completed; planned graduation in May 2025) • Master's in Biology • Bachelor's in Biology (Pre-Med) • Candidate does not meet equivalency
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<p>Holds American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP)-BOC certification as a Histotechnologist (HTL) or Histotechnician (HT)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>The equivalent</p> <p>AND</p> <p>Commitment to the community college goals/objectives of providing quality programs and services for students with diverse abilities and interests; personal qualities to work effectively and sensitively in a multicultural environment; awareness and commitment to the special needs of non-traditional students.</p> <p>The committee considered the following Equivalencies for Basic Skills-Interdisciplinary (Math):</p> <p>Bachelor's in any social science, humanities, mathematics, or natural science discipline or in liberal studies, as appropriate for the course.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>the equivalent</p>		<p>Candidate 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bachelor's in Business Administration • Candidate meets equivalency
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<p>AND</p> <p>Commitment to the community college goals/objectives of providing quality programs and services for students with diverse abilities and interests; personal qualities to work effectively and sensitively in a multicultural environment; awareness and commitment to the special needs of non-traditional students.</p> <p>The committee considered the following Equivalencies for Basic Skills-Interdisciplinary (Science):</p> <p>Bachelor's in any social science, humanities, mathematics, or natural science discipline or in liberal studies, as appropriate for the course.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>the equivalent</p> <p>AND</p> <p>Commitment to the community college goals/objectives of providing quality programs and services for students with diverse abilities and interests; personal qualities to work effectively and sensitively in a multicultural environment; awareness</p>		<p>Candidate 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master's in Science Education • Master's in Kinesiology: Sports Management • Bachelor's in Kinesiology • High school teacher since 2006 • Candidate meets equivalency
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	and commitment to the special needs of non-traditional students.		
	Next Meeting		April 21 st , 2025 4-5 pm
	The committee will maintain an ongoing discussion of edits to AP/BP 7211 on Minimum Qualifications and Equivalency until such time as updates are complete.		Current Progress on AP/BP 7211: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The committee members will review the version of the AP that was revised in 2021.
	Future Meetings	3:30-5:00 pm 4 th Monday of each month and other Mondays 4-5pm as needed.	