

**Los Angeles Regional Consortium
Program Recommendation Minutes**

September 19, 2024
8:30 a.m. – 12:30 a.m.

Virtual

- Dr. Nick Real, Cerritos College
- Kimberly Mathews, Citrus College
- Lynell Wiggins (alternate), Compton College
- David Gonzales, El Camino College
- Dr. Freddy Saucedo, Glendale Community College
- Vivian Alonzo (alternate), LA City College
- Dr. Alexandra Duran, LA Harbor College
- Marla Uliana, LA Mission College
- Mon Khat, LA Pierce College
- Dr. Marcia Wilson, LA Trade-Tech College
- Eric Brach, LA Southwest College
- Dr. Laurie Nalepa, LA Valley College
- Starla Thomas (alternate), Long Beach City College
- Dejah Swingle, Mt. San Antonio College
- Dr. Armine Derdarian, Pasadena City College
- Bridgette Hernandez, Rio Hondo College
- Dr. Patricia Ramos, Santa Monica College
- Tiffany Miller, West Los Angeles College

I. Welcome and Call to Order

The Los Angeles Regional Consortium (LARC) Workforce Council Business Meeting was called to order at 8:35 a.m. by Dr. Narineh Makijan, Los Angeles Regional Consortium (LARC) Chair & AVP, Pasadena City College.

II. LA Workforce Council Voting Member Roll Call

The roll call was completed by Noushig Simonian, Administrative Assistant, Pasadena City College. They confirmed that a quorum of participating members was present.

III. Approval of Previous Month’s Minutes*Dr. Narineh Makijan*

a. Minutes from the August 15, 2024, LARC Business Meeting

Motion: Dr. Marcia Wilson, LA Trade-Tech College

Second: Dejah Swingle, Mt. San Antonio College

Approved: Yes No

IV. Informational Items
a. Program Data Requests

Program Title	TOP Code	College	Contact
<i>New Program (Regional Program Recommendation)</i>			
1. Entertainment Technology and VFX (Certificate)	0614.40 Animation	East LA College	Rosa Farre farrer@elac.edu
2. Affordable Housing Property Management (Certificate)	0511.00 Real Estate	Santa Monica College	Steven Sedky sedky_steven@smc.edu
3. Certified Nurse Assistant (Certificate)	1230.30 Certified Nurse Assistant	West LA College	Andrea Rodriguez-Blanco rodrogaa3@laccd.edu
<i>Exploratory</i>			
4. Aviation Science: Commercial Pilot	3020.20 Piloting	Compton College	Amari Williams awilliams22@compton.edu
5. Certified Flight Instructor	3020.00 Aviation and Airport Management and Services	Compton College	Amari Williams awilliams22@compton.edu
6. Registered Dental Assistant Extended Functions (Certificate)	1240.10 Dental Assistant	Pasadena City College	Micah Young myoung19@pasadena.edu
<i>Program Modification (Substantial Change)</i>			
7. Automobile & Light Truck Diagnosis (Certificate)	0948.00 Automotive Technology	Citrus College	Greg Lipp glipp@citruscollege.edu
8. Automobile & Light Truck Master Technician (Certificate)	0948.00 Automotive Technology	Citrus College	Greg Lipp glipp@citruscollege.edu
9. Automobile & Light Truck Service (Certificate)	0948.00 Automotive Technology	Citrus College	Greg Lipp glipp@citruscollege.edu
10. Automotive and Light Truck Fundamentals (Certificate)	0948.00 Automotive Technology	Citrus College	Greg Lipp glipp@citruscollege.edu
11. Automotive Basic Service & Repair (Certificate)	0948.00 Automotive Technology	Citrus College	Greg Lipp glipp@citruscollege.edu
12. Automotive General Service & Repair (Certificate)	0948.00 Automotive Technology	Citrus College	Greg Lipp glipp@citruscollege.edu

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13. Automotive Undercar Service & Repair (Certificate)	0948.00 Automotive Technology	Citrus College	Greg Lipp glipp@citruscollege.edu
14. Automotive Underhood Service & Repair (Certificate)	0948.00 Automotive Technology	Citrus College	Greg Lipp glipp@citruscollege.edu
15. Toyota/Lexus Technician (Certificate)	0948.00 Automotive Technology	Citrus College	Greg Lipp glipp@citruscollege.edu

b. Baccalaureate Degrees

Program Title	TOP Code	College	Contact
<i>Program Modification</i>			
1. Interaction Design (B.S. Degree)	Not Provided	Santa Monica College	Maxim Safioulline safioulline_maxim@smc.edu

Dr. Patricia Ramos from Santa Monica College inquired about the criteria for identifying emerging industries or occupations. Luke Meyer explained that emerging occupations will have a decimal in its code. Luke Meyer asked Dr. Ramos whether Interaction Design was previously approved. Dr. Ramos confirmed that a new program control number is being submitted as part of the modification process. Ashanti Blaize Hopkins agreed and explained that the substantive change for the program had already been approved by this body.

Marla Uliana, LA Mission College asked if there was a resource available that identifies the factors that lead to an existing program receiving a new control number, and where such information could be found. Dr. Makijan confirmed that follow-up would occur to provide Marla with the appropriate resource.

V. Action Items *Dr. Narineh Makijan*

a. [New Program Recommendation](#)

Motion: Dr. Marcia Wilson, LA Trade-Tech

Second: Mon Khat, LA Pierce College

Recommended: Yes No

Citrus College submitted a request to update the award type of the "A.A. Degree: Barbering" to an **A.S. Degree**, as it was mistakenly submitted as an A.A. Degree. The revision is to accurately reflect the program as an A.S. Degree.

