

V. Informational Items

a. Program Data Requests

Program Title	TOP Code	College	Contact
<i>New Certificate or Degree Development (for credit)</i>			
1. Advanced Government Accounting Specialist (Certificate)	0502.00 Accounting	East LA College	Oliver Chiasheng Hsu hsuc@laccd.edu
2. Automotive Business Management (Certificate)	0948.00 Automotive Technology	East LA College	Oswaldo Edgar Soltero solteroe@elac.edu
3. Arts Administration (Certificate)	1006.00 Technical Theater	East LA College	Lisa Hashimoto Stone stonelh@elac.edu
4. Early Childhood Educator 1 (Certificate)	1305.00 Child Development/Early Care and Education	East LA College	Amanda Andrade andrada@elac.edu
5. Animation Production (A.A. Degree)	0614.40 Animation	LA Valley College	Chad Sustin sustinca@lavc.edu
6. Cinema: Documentary Production (A.A. Degree)	0612.20 Film Production	LA Valley College	Chad Sustin sustinca@lavc.edu
7. AgTech/Agricultural Technology (Certificate)	0101.00 Agriculture Technology and Sciences, General	Pasadena City College	Katie Rodriguez karodriguez@pasadena.edu
8. Restoration Ecology Technician (Certificate)	0199.00 Other Agriculture and Natural Resources	Pasadena City College	Katie Rodriguez karodriguez@pasadena.edu
9. Brewer's Assistant (Certificate)	0113.00 Food Processing and Related Technologies	Rio Hondo College	Jeronimo Ribaya jribaya@riohondo.edu
10. Commercial Photography (A.S. Degree)	1012.00 Applied Photography	Rio Hondo College	Dr. George Wheeler gwheeler@riohondo.edu
11. Tap Room Manager (Certificate)	0113.00 Food Processing and Related Technologies	Rio Hondo College	Jeronimo Ribaya jribaya@riohondo.edu
12. Theater Technology (Certificate)	1006.00 Technical Theater	Rio Hondo College	Dr. George Wheeler gwheeler@riohondo.edu
13. Climate and Environmental Technology for Sustainable Food Systems (Certificate)	0303.00 Environmental Technology	Santa Monica College	Jazmin Guzman guzman_jazmin@smc.edu
14. Photographic Arts (A.S. Degree)	1012.00 Applied Photography	Santa Monica College	Jazmin Guzman guzman_jazmin@smc.edu
15. Entrepreneur's Bootcamp (Certificate)	0506.40 Small Business and Entrepreneurship	West LA College	DeAnna April Gossett Gossetd@laccd.edu

Program Title	TOP Code	College	Contact
<i>District or College Program Review</i>			
16. Agricultural Entrepreneurship	Not Provided	Pasadena City College	Katie Rodriguez karodriguez@pasadena.edu
17. Biological Technology (Certificate, A.S. Degree)	0430.00 Biotechnology and Biomedical Technology	Pasadena City College	Pamela Eversole-Cire pleversole-cire@pasadena.edu
18. Biological Technology – Computational Biology (Certificate)	0430.00 Biotechnology and Biomedical Technology	Pasadena City College	Pamela Eversole-Cire pleversole-cire@pasadena.edu
19. Biological Technology – Laboratory Assistant (Certificate)	0430.00 Biotechnology and Biomedical Technology	Pasadena City College	Pamela Eversole-Cire pleversole-cire@pasadena.edu
20. Biological Technology – Laboratory Skills (Certificate)	0430.00 Biotechnology and Biomedical Technology	Pasadena City College	Pamela Eversole-Cire pleversole-cire@pasadena.edu
21. Biological Technology – Stem Cell Culture (Certificate, A.S. Degree)	0430.00 Biotechnology and Biomedical Technology	Pasadena City College	Pamela Eversole-Cire pleversole-cire@pasadena.edu
22. Biological Technology – Stem Cell-Based Biomanufacturing (Certificate, A.S. Degree)	0430.00 Biotechnology and Biomedical Technology	Pasadena City College	Pamela Eversole-Cire pleversole-cire@pasadena.edu
23. Urban Forestry/Arborist	Not Provided	Pasadena City College	Katie Rodriguez karodriguez@pasadena.edu
<i>Program Modification (substantial changes)</i>			
24. Foundational Government Accounting Specialist (Certificate)	0502.00 Accounting	East LA College	Oliver Chiasheng Hsu hsuc@laccd.edu
25. Infant Care (Certificate)	1305.90 Infants and Toddlers	LA Pierce College	Patricia Doelitzsch doelitpa@piercecollege.edu
<i>Undecided – Exploratory Purposes</i>			
26. Public Relations (Certificate)	0606.00 Public Relations	LA Harbor College	Priscilla Lopez lopezpa@lahc.edu
27. EMT/Paramedics	1251.00 Paramedic	Santa Monica College	Jazmin Guzman guzman_jazmin@smc.edu

Program Title	TOP Code	College	Contact
28. Firefighter	2133.00 Fire Technology	Santa Monica College	Jazmin Guzman guzman_jazmin@smc.edu
29. Pre-Dental/Medical Professional (A.D.-T)	Not Provided	West LA College	Aaron Benitez beniteab@laccd.edu

VI. Action Items..........*Dr. Narineh Makijan*

a. [New Program Recommendation](#)

Motion:

Second:

Recommended: Yes No

Program Title	TOP Code	College	Contact	Type of LMI Endorsement	LMI Criteria			Emerging*
					Supply Gap	Living Wage	Ed Atmnt	
1. Certificate of Achievement: Children with Special Needs	1305.00	East LA College	Mayra Rodriguez rodrigm12@elac.edu	ES	Y	N	Y	N
2. Certificate of Achievement: Early Childhood Education Specialization in Dual Language Learning	1305.00	East LA College	Mayra Rodriguez rodrigm12@elac.edu	ES	Y	N	Y	N
3. Certificate of Achievement: PK-3 Teacher Preparation	1305.00	East LA College	Mayra Rodriguez rodrigm12@elac.edu	ES	Y	N	Y	N
4. Certificate of Achievement: Nutrition, Health and Wellness	1306.00	East LA College	Mayra Rodriguez rodrigm12@elac.edu	ES	Y	N	Y	Y
5. Certificate of Achievement: Transitional Kindergarten	1305.00	LA Pierce College	Mon Khat khatm@pierce.edu	ES	Y	N	Y	N
6. Certificate of Achievement: Special Needs Certificate: Foundations of Special Needs, Mental Health and Trauma-Sensitive Care in Early Childhood	1305.20	LA Pierce College	Mon Khat khatm@pierce.edu	ES	Y	N	Y	N

Key	
EA = Endorsed: All Criteria Met	Y = Yes
ES = Endorsed: Some Criteria Met	N = No
NE = Not endorsed	* Emerging denotes there are gaps in the traditional labor market information.
PA = Pre-approved	

b. [Program Modification](#)

Motion:

Second:

Recommended: Yes No

1. [Certificate of Achievement: Early Childhood Administrator 1](#)

Contact: Mayra Rodriguez, rodrigm12@elac.edu

Modifications: The name of the certificate and objectives have been updated. This update is in alignment with the Commission on Teacher Credentialing Permit updates that are in the process of being codified. The Advisory Meeting Minutes attached from 5/14/25 (p. 3 paragraph 2) indicate that ELAC is "revising certificate programs to align with new permit requirements." All of the general changes to the permits were discussed further and the CTC Permit matrix was shown in the meeting that was held.

VII. Pending Items

a. LARC Regional Updates.....*Dr. Narineh Makijan*

VIII. Additional Action Items

a. Approval of Minutes Reflecting Today's Program Recommendation Vote.....*Dr. Narineh Makijan*

Motion:

Second:

Recommended: Yes No

IX. College Updates

- a. Cerritos
- b. Citrus
- c. Compton
- d. East LA
- e. El Camino
- f. Glendale
- g. LA City

- h. LA Harbor
- i. LA Mission
- j. LA Pierce
- k. LA Southwest
- l. LA Trade-Tech
- m. LA Valley
- n. Long Beach
- o. Mt. SAC
- p. Pasadena
- q. Rio Hondo
- r. Santa Monica
- s. West LA

X. Adjourn

- a. The next LARC Business Meeting will be held on April 16, 2026
Zoom |