

**Okanagan College Education Council  
Minutes of Thursday, June 3, 2021 4:00 pm  
Via Collaborate**

**Present:**

- The member questioned if CMNS 143 would be replaced as well. E Henczel advised that CMNS 133 and 143 are offered to 9 separate disciplines and only 3 of them have differentiated enough to warrant their own courses. All other disciplines will stick with the existing CMNS 133 and 143.
- A member noted that the course outline listed prerequisites while the proposal form listed none. E Henczel advised that this was an old out students are block registered so there were no need for prerequisites in the course.

**Carried**

- c. **New course: CMNS 135                      Technical Writing and Communications 1 for CIEN**  
**Motion:** M Somerville/ A Krebs

- h. New course: ELW 020 English Language Writing Level 2**  
**Motion:** V Neykov/ G Coulthard  
 That Education Council approves the new course: ELR 020 English Language Reading Level 2 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- i. New course: ELW 030 English Language Writing Level 3**  
**Motion:** D Slack/ B Wyatt  
 That Education Council approves the new course: ELW 030 English Language Writing Level 3 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- j. New course: ELW 040 English Language Writing Level 4**  
**Motion:** M Somerville/ B Wyatt  
 That Education Council approves the new course: ELW 040 English Language Writing Level 4 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- k. New course: ELLS 040 English Language Listening and Speaking Level 4**  
**Motion:** C Farrow/ D Slack  
 That Education Council approves the new course: ELLS 040 English Language Listening and Speaking Level 4 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- l. New course: ELRW 040 English Language Reading and Writing 4**  
**Motion:** V Neykov/ G Coulthard  
 That Education Council approves the new course: ELRW 040 English Language Reading and Writing 4 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- m. Course revision: ELLS 010 English Language Listening and Speaking Level 1**  
**Motion:** C Farrow/ M Somerville  
 That Education Council approves the course revision: ELLS 010 English Language Listening and Speaking Level 1 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- n. Course revision: ELLS 020 English Language Listening and Speaking Level 2**  
**Motion:** R Tyner/ D Slack  
 That Education Council approves the course revision: ELLS 020 English Language Listening and Speaking Level 2 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- o. Course revision: ELLS 030 English Language Listening and Speaking Level 3**  
**Motion:** B Wyatt/ M Somerville  
 That Education Council approves the course revision: ELLS 030 English Language Listening and Speaking Level 3 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- p. Course revision: ELRW 010 English Language Reading and Writing Level 1**  
**Motion:** V Neykov/ M Somerville  
 That Education Council approves the course revision: ELRW 010 English Language Reading and Writing Level 1 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**



- z. Course revision: EAPD 010 Academic Discussion Skills 1**  
**Motion:** A Krebs/ V Neykov  
That Education Council approves the course revision: EAPD 010 Academic Discussion Skills 1 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- aa. Course revision: EAPD 020 Academic Discussion Skills 2**  
**Motion:** B Wyatt/ V Neykov  
That Education Council approves the course revision: EAPD 020 Academic Discussion Skills 2 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- bb. Course revision: EAPD 030 Academic Discussion Skills 3**  
**Motion:** R Tyner/ V Neykov  
That Education Council approves the course revision: EAPD 030 Academic Discussion Skills 3 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- cc. Course revision: EAPR 010 Academic Reading Skills 1**  
**Motion:** G Coulthard/ V Neykov  
That Education Council approves the course revision: EAPR 010 Academic Reading Skills 1 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- dd. Course revision: EAPS 020 English for Academic Purposes Scholarship 2**  
**Motion:** B Wyatt/ G Coulthard  
That Education Council approves the course revision: EAPS 020 English for Academic Purposes Scholarship 2 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- ee. Course revision: EAPS 030 English for Academic Purposes Scholarship 3**  
**Motion:** M Somerville/ G Coulthard  
That Education Council approves the course revision: EAPS 030 English for Academic Purposes 3 as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**
- ff. Program revision: English for Academic Purposes Certificate**  
**Motion:** M Somerville/ V Neykov  
That Education Council approves the program revision: English for Academic Purposes Certificate as recommended by the CPRC AFP:  
**Carried**

**5.2 Curriculum recommended by the CPRC – STH:**

**a. Temporary program revision: Okanagan College Early Childhood Education Diploma – Vernon Campus**

**Motion:** V Neykov/ B Wyatt

That Education Council approves the temporary program revision: Okanagan College Early Childhood Education Diploma Vernon Campus as recommended by the CPRC STH:

- W Wheeler advised that this proposal was separate from the following ECED course proposals.
- There is no change to the program content, learning outcomes, or contact hours. This is simply a temporary change to the Vernon intake that will be delivered online in the fall and in person in the winter.

**Carried**

**b. Program revision: Water Engineering Technology Diploma**

**Motion:** C Farrow/ V Neykov

That Education Council approves the program revision: Water Engineering Technology Diploma as recommended by the CPRC STH:

- remove the existing CMNS course.

**Carried**

**c. Program revision: Civil Engineering Technology Diploma**

**Motion:** A Krebs/ G Coulthard

That Education Council approves the program revision: Civil Engineering Technology Diploma as recommended by the CPRC STH:

- As above.

- h. Course revision: ECDE 115 The Early Childhood Profession**  
**Motion:** B Wyatt/ M Somerville  
That Education Council approves the course revision: ECDE 115 The Early Childhood Profession as recommended by the CPRC STH:  
**Carried**
- i. Course revision: ECDE 121 Group Process**  
**Motion:** C Farrow/ V Neykov  
That Education Council approves the course revision: ECDE 121 Group Process recommended by the CPRC STH:  
**Carried**
- j. Course revision: ECDE 122 Health, Safety and Nutrition**

**Break at 5:16 pm. Resumed at 5:25 pm.**

### **5.3 Draft micro-credential framework**

- A Hay advised that the Ministry of Education is developing framework around micro credentials, as they are becoming more common. The province is working with post secondary institutions and industry to define these credentials.
- A Hay reviewed the draft document provided to members.
- Guiding principles:
  - Access the intent is for students and learners to be able to easily access these credentials. It is important that micro credentials are not limited to only certain individuals.
  - Quality There will be a quality assurance process in place. The ministry wants to make sure the credentials are recognized by employers and have post secondary level quality.
  - Relevance



institutions.

- A member has read that every province was looking to propose their own micro

#### **5.4 Standing committee reports**

- a. Operations Committee
  - Minutes to come in camera.
  - The committee will meet again before summer to approve more graduates.
  
- b. ARP Committee
  - Not met.
  
- c. CCC Committee
  - Not met.
  
- d. Tributes Committee
  - Not met.

#### **5.5 In camera session**

**Motion:**

