

San Diego Mesa College
School of Health Sciences and Public Service
American Sign Language –
English Interpreting Advisory Committee
Monday, April 22, 2019
12:30 p.m.
S-305

Minutes

Interpreter (Doug Hlavay)
Joseph Halcott, Professor
Laura Mathis, Counselor
Dorian Yankke, Professor
Leslie Styles, Department
Chair
Annett Minor, Professor
Josef Harrison

Cody Fircks, CEO
Preferred Interpreting
Service
Daniel Nakaji, Chair of
Advisory Committee
Peggy Lott, Academic
Coordinator
Janette Driscoll, Staff
SDSU

1. Call to order: Chair Dr. Daniel Nakaji called the meeting 12:30 p.m.
2. Welcome/Introductions: members introducing themselves.
3. Approval of the minutes: Minutes Approved
4. Fall 2018: review minutes from last October and fall
Spring 2018: review minutes from last October and spring-motion to review
program Review: critique- May 18 was approved with minutes, no changes leave
as is.
5. Old Business: program review- need changes, faculty cabinet- end of May ,
new AMSL moving to new room, new building (B-Building), President freezing
hiring/ soft freeze, hiring with podium.
 - a. CLOs: same program rebuke to improve as is
 - b. Course Learning Outcomes: lots of work involved with adjuncts
 - c. BARC Enrollment in the program: enrollment under program
review, discuss what enrollment AA interpreters program, Portfolio
 - d. Skill Development Class

5. New Business:

Updates on AMSL Courses: talent development, CLOs skills, ASL 1, 2, 3, & 4
interpreting, what curriculum, resources and teachers, guided pathways,
appreciate and help ASL students to get AA degree

Work based Learning (WBL): will help students be more prepare-235 course was
design to observe people outside and bring the observation to class- culinary
workshops.

- a. Interpreters program: work with the community with no inter skills, strong workforce, students who graduate with WBL will need to be more prepare to make more money from current job with less pay.
 - b. ASL study two papers
 - 1 ASL
 - 2nd Interpreters
 - 3rd set up practice community district
 - c. Guided pathways: assist students get to college, ensure ASL study transfer to a university, minor college curriculum changes lab to a 5 unit course as results change AA Degree 1 year foreign language, ASL benefit and meet any requirements.
 - d. Deaf Coulter- limit 12 credits
 - e. General Ed- needs to satisfy
 - f. Up-date ASL courses – lecture 4 unit Lab 1 credit, other 5 unit lecture no lab class (MW) or (TW) in 2020. One year left to work it out.
- Guest – Shawn Fawcett: working with work experience coordinator
- Mesa Pathways Retreat- how to help students of all source WBL, how to help students get involved.

Celebrating Deaf Activism – April 10

- Festival colors
- Deaf social activisms
- LI community , 1st
- deaf teacher, 2nd
- deaf student , 3rd

6. Announcements:

7. Next meeting:

Fall 2019 – Monday, October 21, 2019 12:30 p.m. Room S-305

Spring 2020 – Tentative Monday, April 12:30 p.m.

8. Adjournment: 1:45 p.m. by Dr. Nakaji