

Provost's Report to the Academic Senate

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Provost Brown

- The Engineering Dean Search Committee will bring finalists to campus starting next week (March 14th).
- Working with VP Trinidad on new faculty space
- Working with President Coley on tenure track hires for 2024-25



Academic Programs

- Keith Forward is the Interim AVP of Academic Programs.
- WSCUC draft report in progress will provide multiple opportunities for feedback in April/May.



Enrollment Management & Services Transfer Success Pathway (TSP)

- Included in Postsecondary Education Trailer Bill AB 132 (July 2021)
 - ✓ Requires both the CSU and UC to begin the program starting the 2023-24 academic year
 - ✓ First-time freshman who graduated or left HS in spring 2023
- Guarantees that participating students will be admitted to the university in a future term.
- Specific campus & program will be selected by students at time of agreement.
- Impacted programs may specify supplementary criteria, such as GPA, major-specific GPA.
- ADT units and requirements cannot be altered, and ADT students cannot be asked to complete any additional coursework above TMC.



Enrollment Management & Services Transfer Success Pathway (TSP)

- As not to cause confusion with dual enrollment programs, the CSU dual admissions program is officially named the **Transfer Success Pathway (TSP)**.
- Allows high school students, graduating in 2023 and beyond, to attend a California Community College (CCC) and subsequently enter into an agreement with <u>a specific CSU</u> in a <u>specific program</u> with the intent to transfer <u>within three</u> <u>years</u>.
- The TSP program provides an opportunity to support future transfer students and provides a greater opportunity to establish stronger relationships with students while enrolled at community colleges.

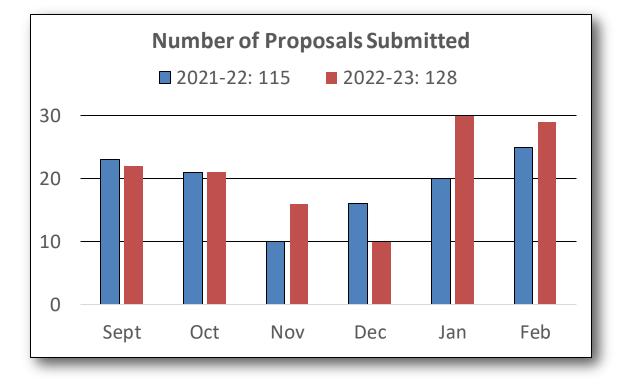


Announcing: Provost's Teacher-Scholar Support Program 2023-24

Teacher-Scholar Applications are due to colleges on Friday, March 24.



Research, Innovation, and Economic Development



Faculty Research Fellows

- One in each college faculty with experience in grants, IRB, IACUC
- Assist colleagues with:
 - Identifying collaborators and funding opportunities
 - Drafting grants budget, narrative, etc.
 - Managing grants with CPP Foundation
 - IRB/IACUC protocols
 - New(er) faculty mentoring
- Receive assigned time, stipend, or other support as appropriate



Student Success, Equity, and Innovation

Early Alerts

- Faculty are invited to submit early alerts for students who may need support in your class. There will be two opportunities throughout the semester.
 - Weeks 2 5: Thursday, February 2 Sunday, February 26
 - Weeks 8 11: Thursday, March 16 Sunday, April 16
- For more information and resources visit: <u>https://www.cpp.edu/advising/progress-reports/index.shtml</u>

Outstanding Advisor Awards

- Ceremony: Tuesday, April 25 from 3:00 5:00pm (in person); location TBD
- Nominations are due on March 27
- More information: <u>https://www.cpp.edu/outstandadvisor/index.shtml</u>



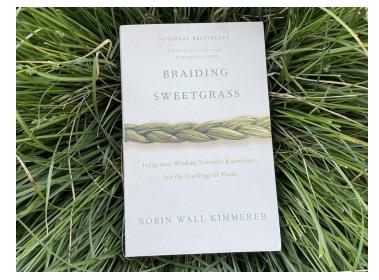
2022-23 Common Read

- Braiding Sweetgrass Indigenous Wisdom, Scientific Knowledge and the Teachings of Plants by Robin Wall Kimmerer
- Virtual keynote and conversation with the author on March 16 from 12 p.m. to 1 p.m., and FYE students will also be showcasing their PolyX posters before and after the keynote. Registration will open soon.

Accepting 2023-24 Common Read Book Nominations

• The nomination form is open until February 17, 2023. The FYE Committee is open to fiction and non-fiction books with themes of diversity and inclusion.

For more information on the Common Read, visit <u>https://www.cpp.edu/studentsuccess/oss/fye/common-read-events.shtml</u>



Testing Services is now part of the Learning Resource Center (LRC)

- The LRC is now providing faculty-requested test proctoring services.
- Once the LRC receives the faculty's request, students will receive an email inviting them to schedule a make-up exam appointment through CPP Connect.
- Last day for Spring 2023 proctored exams is May 23, 2023; 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
- For faculty request form and more details visit <u>https://www.cpp.edu/testing-services/index.shtml</u>.