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This form is used by the ACCJC to review potential institutional changes so that colleges are not unduly burdened with the preparation of substantive change applications which may not be necessary.
There was 1 error found in the information you submitted.

Will the College be allocating significant additional resources (human, fiscal, physical, technological) to start and sustain the new Program? - This field is required.

Date of Inquiry: *
05/18/2020

Anticipated Start Date: *
01/05/2021

Institution *
Taft College

Institution Address *
Street Address
29 Cougar Court

Address Line 2

City
Taft

State / Province / Region
California

ZIP / Postal Code
93268

Country
United States

ALO Name: *
Xiaohong Li

First

Last
Title of Application and Description of Proposal: *

Title: Art: Associate in Art
Description of Proposal: The Art program at Taft College will offer online degrees in the field of Fine Arts. The list of courses includes ART 1600 Two-Dimensional Design, ART 1620 Drawing and Composition, ART 1625 Color Theory, and ART 1640 Painting. Facilitating this change will create a path for all 18 units of the degree to be completed online.

Type of Changes

New Program, Change in Location or Geographic Area Served, Control or Legal Status, Direct Assessment, Contractual Relationship, or Other Changes or Inquiries (Please Scroll & Select one that applies to your Substantive Change Application Below)

New Program (Please select the program that applies to your Substantive Change Application)

Baccalaureate Degree

☐ Baccalaureate Degree

Section

ADT/AA/AS or Certificate Section

☐ ADT/AA/AS or Certificate

Does the College have certificates or degrees

☐ Yes

☐ No
Will the College be allocating significant additional resources (human, fiscal, physical, technological) to start and sustain the new Program? *

(If the College has related disciplines and does not need to allocate new significant resources, then only ACCJC administrative approval is needed)

If ADT, please list all ADTs that require approval

Distance Education Section

Is the DE Program intended to be

Yes
No
Need for the Proposed Change: Taft College will become competitive within the California Community College system and with universities and colleges nationwide that are already offering online art degree programs. With these programs moving to an online format over the last few years a change is warranted for a higher rate of student success.

Anticipated Effects of the Change: The anticipated change will allow students to fulfill areas within their completed fully online?

Correspondence Education Section

Has the College ever submitted a CE Substantive Change proposal in the past?

Additional information, as appropriate

Change in Credit Awarded Section

Additional information, as appropriate
Change in Location or Geographic Area Served

- New permanent off-campus location (dual credit programs at high school or prisons are not considered substantive changes)

- Is the new location owned by the College or does the College hold a long-term lease on the property (at least 5 years)?
  - Yes
  - No

Additional information, as appropriate

Control or Legal Status

- Change in the Control or Legal Status of the Institution

Additional information, as appropriate
Implementation of Direct Assessment

Additional information, as appropriate

Contractual Relationship

Contractual Relationship with a non-Regionally Accredited organization

Additional information, as appropriate

Other Changes and Substantive Inquiries

Other Substantive Changes, please describe:
For New Programs, which are not deemed as a significant departure from current college offerings, the ACCJC will grant administrative approval. A letter will be sent to the college within 5 business days.

If a Substantive Change is not required, a Non-Substantive Change letter will be automatically sent within 5 business days.

Date

05/18/2020

Signature

Xiao Hong Li

Please attach applicable documents (pdf format only)

Drop files here or SELECT FILES

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Please note: For your records, a copy of this form will be sent to the business email address that you provide in the form. If you do not receive the email within a few moments, please check your spam filters. If you need any assistance with this form, please contact communications@accjc.org.

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