

Division - Dean's Summary

Division	Reviewed by Division Dean	Name of Dean/Administrator	Dean's/Administrator's Comments
APRU - Creative Arts Division	Yes	Dr. Nancy Canter	<p>The Creative Arts Division includes the departments of Art, Dance/Theatre, Film/TV, Music, Photo and the Euphrat Museum of Art. The Primary mission of the Creative Arts Division is transfer education, career/ vocational education with programs in Art/Interactive Graphic Design, Film/TV Production/Animation, and Professional Photography, and cultural awareness, communication and expression for life long learning.</p> <p>ENROLLMENT TRENDS The interest and demand for Creative Arts Division courses and programs has remained strong, with enrollments of 16,000 students per year. Enrollments have decreased in the division from 2009-10 to 2010-11 due to the offering of 135 fewer course sections. The reduction of course sections is due to a college wide downsizing for budgetary reasons. Creative Arts Division retention rates continue to be strong at 90% as does student success rates at 79%. Creative Arts continues to show modest growth in success rates of targeted groups. Enrollments have declined due to mandated reductions of course offerings and partly due to the inability of some departments to carefully schedule classes that fill to seat count. Scheduling from departments needs to more closely reflect student enrollment demand and trends. Departments need to offer a schedule of classes that carefully balance the number of large seat count sections with the appropriate number of smaller seat count sections. Enrollment has also decreased due to the Film/TV department's inability to recover from the removal of twenty-three Animation courses from the college catalog.</p> <p>STAFF AND FACULTY LEVELS The Creative Arts Division in 2010-11 has twenty-two full time faculty. Full time faculty are currently teaching 46% of the scheduled courses in Creative Arts Division. Additionally impacting full time faculty instruction in Creative Arts are the following facts. 2FTEF on unpaid leave 4FTEF on Professional Leave 1FTEF on reduced load article 18 1.0 re-assignment of FT faculty</p> <p>PART TIME FACULTY The Creative Arts Division has approximately forty-five part time faculty teaching 54% of the courses in the division.</p>

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