

To: Vice Presidents La Serna and Morrison

From: Dr. Brent Calvin, Superintendent/President

Date: November 8, 2022

Re: Faculty Hiring Approval for 2023-2024

Thank you for your hard work in facilitating the ranking process for allocation of new faculty positions for 2023-24. The total allocation for General Fund faculty hires for 2023-24 is 10 (ten) with 9 allocated to Academic Services and 1 to Student Services. In addition to those ten, there shall be an additional position funded through Strong Workforce grant funds (Multi-media/Digital Art) and one Full-Time Temporary position (English).

Academic Services VP Recommendation for 2023-24 Academic Faculty Hires:

1. Nursing Psych
2. Work Experience Coordinator
3. Animal Science
4. Engineering (contingent on retirement)
5. Nursing Medical Surgical
6. Ethnic Studies
7. Biology – Anatomy and Physiology
8. General Chemistry (Visalia/Hanford)
9. Distance Education Coordinator
10. Multi-media/Digital Art (Strong Workforce Funded)
11. English Temporary Full-Time for 2023-24 (*See below)

Student Services VP Recommendation for 2022-23 SS Faculty Hires:

1. Mental Health Counselor

***Justification for changes to the Instructional council rankings:**

The recommendations by the Vice President of Academic Services mirror the Instructional Council except for numbers 9-11. The Distance Education Coordinator was prioritized above English for several factors:

- High need to replace the Distance Education coordinator in lieu of the 60% reassigned time positions
- Jamie Moore is currently out on leave and there were concerns about adding a FT tenure track position until we are fully able to assess the overall department needs.
- There is support for a FT temporary position for English for 2023-24 until we have a better assessment.

Thank you.